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District Governor Rtn M. Ranganath Bhat

Major Donor Manjeshwar Ranganath Bhat is a Mechanical Engineer and an alumnus of NITK-Surathkal. He joined his family business and is now into Tyre Retailing.



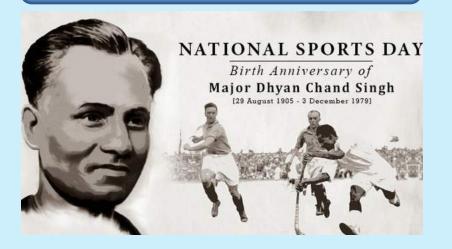
Rtn. Ranganath Bhat has been an Insurance Surveyor for Companies and a Valuer for Banks and Financial Institutions.

Ranga, as he is popularly known, joined Rotary in 1989 and is a second-generation Rotarian. He was president of the Interact Club and was president of Rotary Club of Mangalore North during 1997-98 and AG during 2000-01. He has served Rotary in various capacities and has been a Rotary trainer.

Ranganath Bhat is Hon Secretary of the Canara High School Association, a 128year-old organization which owns and manages 15 educational institutions and has over 12000 students. Philanthropy is his second nature.

Ranganath Bhat is married to Rajani, past president of the Inner Wheel Club of Mangalore North. They have two children, son Rohit who joined his father's business and is married to Dipti; daughter Rohini is studying in Pre-University and a grandson Vihaan. Ever-smiling Ranganath Bhat is an avid photographer and cyclist.

SPORT'S DAY



Sports day was organized on the 6th of September 2020 at Club hall. Members, Ann's & Annet's who represented Nationals till date were recognized. Various fun activities carom, Table tennis, bucketing the ball, Tailing the pig were held and prizes were distributed.























TEACHER'S DAY





Teachers' Day

A life of joy and happiness is possible only on the basis of knowledge and science Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan

5 September 1888 - 17 April 1975









Teacher's day was organized on the 6th of September 2020 at Club hall. Teachers of Rotary family were felicitated. The function was followed by lunch sponsored by Rtn. Poonacha.P.B













WORKSHOP ON LIFESKILLS

An interactive session was held on the 24th of September 2020 for children of Rotary Family on life skills.

Ann. Preethi introduced our children to the "WHEEL OF LIFE" and explained how work, family, relationships, career, finance, education & leisure need to be balanced to lead a fun filled life. Annet's were present along with Rotarians & Ann's. Snack's were arranged . Rtn. Rajeev, Rtn. Latha Bopanna, Rtn. Kanha, Rtn. Neetha Kaveramma took the initiative to organize the program.









COVID AWARENESS

Covid awareness program was held on the 30th of September 2020.

Inauguration was done at Ponnampet bus stand & announcements about "Covid safety measures" was done in an auto which continued up to Gonikoppal Bus stand. Rotarians, President Beeta Laxman, Secretary Muthappa. K.C, Ann Accamma along with Panchayath members of Gonikoppal & Ponnampet were present.





COVID-19 (the disease caused by the novel coronavirus) What you can do















frequently touched objects



Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds









OCTOBER IS ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH

Economic and community development is one of Rotary's six areas of focus.

Unemployment, underemployment, lack of economic opportunity, lack of appropriate training, and the absence of social safety nets lie at the core of

poverty. For the poor, labor is often the only asset available to improve well-being. Creating productive employment opportunities is essential for reducing poverty and achieving sustainable economic and social development, and for providing income security and empowerment especially for women, people with disabilities, youth, and the extremely poor.

Like education and health strategies, generating income and creating opportunities for a productive workforce and entrepreneurship are essential for reducing poverty. Consider these facts:

- Every 1% increase in agricultural income per capita reduces the number of people living in extreme poverty by between 0.6% and 1.8%.
- Studies find strong evidence that access to microcredit leads to reduced vulnerability, in the sense of a lower threat of fluctuations in income or consumption.
- In Nigeria, studies show that a mere 1% investment in human resources such as education and training will lead to a more than 66% decrease in poverty.
- Women in low value-added sectors lack skills to access other higher value-added sectors. As shown in countries such as Singapore, Taiwan, and Malaysia, an increase in vocational training is a precondition for countries to make the transition from low to high value-added production.
- Almost 202 million people were unemployed in 2013, 74.5 million of whom were young people, ages 15-24.
- Agriculture is the main source of income and employment for the 70% of the world's poor who live in rural areas.
- The gender gap in employment persists, with a 24.8 percentage point difference between men and women in the employment-to-population ratio in 2012.



