



Visit to Mahindra

Industrial Visit of the BMS students of Gokhale College in the month of October was fit for October being the Vocational Service month.

Tour started with educating participants about the company, and visit to the various sections of the industry. There were 56 students taking advantage of the opportunity provided.

A big thank to Rtn Mangesh More- VP capital purchase, Mahindra and Mahindra for arranging this educative tour.



DIWALI Celebration at KURZE

Dear Friends,

"I enjoyed a lot with these children. I must thank Ashokbhai for inviting me for this trip. Thanks very much. I will make sure that I will come for all future trips to this school". These were the words wrapped with emotions, uttered by R/Ann Bela Joshi, spouse of new Rotarian Chetan Joshi, after celebrating Diwali with tribal children of Kurze Ashram Shala.

It indeed was the most satisfying experience to witness a huge improvement of the infrastructure and facilities of our adopted school. For me its like seeing your own baby grow in confidence and stature as Kurze was adopted during my tenure as community service director. School boys and girls, dressed in new uniforms with red tie were eagerly waiting for us. The highlights of this year's celebrations were Marathi DJ, wonderful "thank you" speech in English by a Girl student, involvement of new Rotarians and children, fantastic fireworks and delicious food. If you want to see the different types of dance forms (most of them are free flowing, carefree, zandu balm types) performed by our Rotarians and school children, please do not miss the next trip.

Rotaractors Bhumika, Dilraj, Sumit, Interactor Dimple, Rkids Akhil, Jash and kids of new Rtn. Chetan Joshi had a blast with tribal children. Rotarians Ashok, Umesh, Mudrak, Vijay dada, Hemantbhai, Sanjeevbhai, Nitin, Chetan, Hari,



Mukesh, Mayank, Rajul, Ashish, Chetan Joshi were the lucky ones to have witness the love, enthusiasm and innocence of tribal students. Hats off to first lady Vinoda for her super involvement in various activities and arrangements.

Celebrations with tribal children at Kurze left us speechless as this easily was one of the most memorable evening of our lives. For utter selfish reasons I urge Rotarians who could not make it this time, not to miss any trip to Kurze Ashramshala as sharing joy with these school children will give you the inner satisfaction which we seldomly find in hustle & bustle of Mumbai.

We felt choked when we saw these school children lighting sparkles and enjoying the fireworks with so much of enthusiasm and want. Salute to President Ashok and Community service Director Rtn. Harish Chandarana, PP Umeshbhai for arranging fireworks which I must confess was of the highest quality and quantity. Pictures will be posted soon which you will all agree will speak larger than words.

Regards,

PP Rtn. Chetna Desai.

2nd Meeting

15th October, 2010,

Guest Speaker :

Shri Prakash Kanchan Manager, MPST, State Bank of India, Shri Bhushan Katolkar, Relationship Manager, SBI Mutual Fund.

Rtn Chetan Joshi then introduced the chief guests.

Shri Prakash spoke on the home loan and car loan products of SBI. The details of the same were provided by Shri Manzar Hussain.

Shri Bhushan gave a presentation of the SBI MF products.

A lively question answer session followed both presentations.



3rd Meeting

22nd October, 2010

DAUD, Topic : TRF Support.

Guest Speaker :

Rtn Vinay Vyas and Rtn Girish Mittal.

After arranging two DAUD Meetings successfully, the third DAUD Meeting was organised.



Inner Wheel Corner



Inauguration of Nursery at
Acharya Narenddev High School.



Inauguration of Toy Library
at Vidya Vikas Sabha High School.

On 9th Oct 2010 three projects were inaugurated by DC Indiraji during the Official Club Visit. Bulletin and CD of songs was also released on the occasion. It was memorable with garba ras and attendance of 63 members. Some of the projects.

1. Fees for 82 deserving students of Vidya vikas school amounting Rs 42,073 was handed over.
2. Opening up a Toy Bank (Library) at Vidya Vikas Sabha High School. Donating 140 boxes of toys to Toy Bank.
3. With the help of 85 alumni of Acharya Narendra School a nursery for JR. and SR. KG was developed. We also gave them charts and toys. The project worth Rs. 50,000.00 will benefit community at large.

Surekha Punamiya
President

World Sight Day

14 October, 2010 is celebrated as World Sight Day. World Sight Day is an annual day of awareness to focus global attention on blindness, visual impairment and rehabilitation of the visually impaired held on the second Thursday in October. World Sight Day is observed around the world by all partners involved in preventing visual impairment or restoring sight. It is also the main advocacy event for the prevention of blindness and for "Vision 2020: The Right to Sight", a global effort to prevent blindness created by WHO and the International Agency for the Prevention of Blindness.

Rotary Club of Borivli Eye bank has carried out a unique initiative of sending 2,00,000 Eye Donation Awareness text messages to Vodafone mobile customers covering the relevant areas. This has yielded excellent results.

**"Vision 2020:
The Right to Sight"**



November ki Diary

- 5th Friday Public Holiday on account of Diwali.
- 12th Friday Regular Meeting "KNOW YOUR NEW MEMBER" Series I, 8.00 pm onwards at Hotel Granville, Kora Kendra, Borivli (W), followed by dinner.
- 19th Friday Regular Meeting, Dr. Bharat Pandya to speak on TRF, 8.00 pm onwards at Hotel Granville, Kora Kendra, Borivli (W), followed by dinner.
- 21st Sunday "DAUD-IV", 09.30 am onwards at GCC Club, Mira Road (E).
- 26th Friday Preponed for "DAUD-IV"

Star Rotarian

Rtn Sanjay Shah, a silent Rotarian, powerful badminton player has great passion for the sports. He won the Badminton (Doubles at Rotary District Badminton and Table Tennis Tournament held on 3rd October 2010. congratulations Sanjay. Well Done.



Pani re pani tera Rang Kaisa....



**Save Water
Water is very precious**

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NOVEMBER

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| 1 Harish Chandarana | 14 Neel s/o Nikhil Desai |
| 1 Arti W/o Jayesh Vyas | 16 Vivek s/o Ganpati Jambekar |
| 2 Neelomi d/o Naresh Popat | 17 Nisha w/o Rakesh Jain |
| 3 Hitesh Rathod | 18 Gopi s/o Uday Karella |
| 5 Ashish Tapiawala | 18 Kajal d/o Mahendra Vasani |
| 5 Sheetal d/o Shiv Johari | 20 Pradyun s/o Mangesh More |
| 6 Dr. Hitesh Chheda | 20 Bhadrash Nathvani |
| 6 Hemang Vora | 23 Vaibhavi d/o Sanjay Shah |
| 7 Krishna s/o Hitendra Pandya | 25 Hema w/o Akshay Vani |
| 8 Smita w/o Harshudan Purecha | 25 Ruma d/o Rajendra Kinariwala |
| 9 Meghana d/o Sumedha Rao | 26 Mayank C. Desai |
| 10 Gita Sampat | 28 Jay s/o Manish Gyani |
| 11 Jatan s/o Mahesh Mistri | 28 Charmy d/o Yogesh Panchal |
| 12 Sonal w/o Harish Chandarana | 29 Nikita d/o Ravindra Kaushik |
| 14 Vanita w/o Mudrak Lalaji | 29 Bharat Dhabalia |
| 14 Krishna d/o Jayesh Vyas | 30 Shilpa w/o Hemant Jain |

शादी की सालगिरह मुबारक

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| 21 RUPAL Bhadrash Nathvani | 27 Sudha Umesh Soni |
| 24 Shilpa Hemant Jain | 27 Jayshree Nitin Majithia |

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