



Rotaract Club

Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce
University of Delhi
Rotaract District 3011
Parent Club: Rotary Club of New Delhi,
Rotary District 3011

CLUB REPORT

JULY 2017 – JANUARY 2018

“Small acts, when multiplied by millions of people, can transform the world.”

Some Success Stories of Rotaract Club, SGGSCC!

Adult Literacy Centres

1. Shakurpur Basti (2015-16)
2. Patel Nagar (2016-17)
3. Gurugram (2016-17)
4. Faridabad (2017-18)

Mega Projects

1. Manthan, Patel Nagar (2014-15)
2. Prashikshan, Patel Nagar (2015-16)
3. Gurukul, Gurugram (2016-17)

Blood Donation Camps

The Club organised **six** Blood Donation Camps during 2016-17 and collected a total of **830** blood units.

Tree Plantation Drives

The Club organised **two** Tree Plantation Drives during 2016-17 and planted a total of **325** saplings.

June 17, 2017

PSETS

District Event Participation

Rotaract Club of Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce earnestly attended the Presidents and Secretaries Elect Training Seminar (PSETS) on June 17, 2017 at Adarsh Public School, Vikaspuri. The event was honoured by the benign presence of the District Governor Rtn. Ravi Choudhary, and a number of Rotarians among Rtn. Prashant Sehgal, Rtn. Vir Phillip, and others.

Rtr. Gurkirat Singh, Secretary Elect participated in the session. Rotaractors from about 20 clubs were present who were made aware of the Rotaract movement, along with the timeline for the Golden Year of RID 3011.

July 01, 2017

District Installation Ceremony

District Event Participation

The Club actively participated in 'Pratishthapan: The Installation Ceremony of DRR Rtr. PHF Anmol Chawla and his team' on July 01, 2017 at Hansraj Model School, Punjabi Bagh. The event was attended by the President of the Club, Rtr. Anshika Walia along with Rtr. Gurkirat Singh, Secretary and Rtr. Aashima, Joint Secretary.

The event was graced with the presence of Rtn. Ravi Choudhary Sir, District Governor, RID 3011 (2017-18), Rtn. Suresh Bhasin, DG Nominee, RID 3011, among other Rotarians. The DRR was formally installed and collared. The Club congratulates DRR Rtr. PHF Anmol Chawla and his team with warm wishes for the tenure 2017-18.

July 01 – 15, 2017

College Admission Help Desks

Club Meetings & Projects

The Club stepped forward to help the students aspiring to get admission in the renowned University of Delhi. Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce is one of the most notable colleges in the University and in order to make the entire admission process smooth for the aspirants, the Club set up helpdesks in the college premises during the admission phase from July 01 to July 15, 2017. Being the only college society taking up this initiative, a team of at least four Rotaractors was present every day, to help and guide the students through each and

every step of their admission process so as to make it a hassle-free experience for the students as well as the concerned college departments.

July 29 – 30, 2017

Organ Donation Drive

Club Event

The Club organised an Organ Donation Drive on 29th and 30th July, 2017 at Netaji Subhash Place and Connaught Place respectively. An enthusiastic team of Rotaractors managed the drive on both days with great fervour, as a result of which the Club was able to collect a total of 200 organ donation pledge forms: 93 flowing in from Day 1, and the remaining 107 augmented by the second day. The event served as a motivating factor for the team by giving a positive push to the commencement of the new tenure.

July 31 – August 01, 2017

Genesis'17 Registrations

Club Meetings & Projects

Genesis is the annual orientation ceremony and auditions conducted to recruit new members for the Rotaract family. Registration desks were set up in the college premises for two days, i.e. July 31 and August 01, 2017. All the prospective candidates were elaborated on the various accomplishments of the Club so far and Online promotion of the upcoming orientation ceremony was done through various social media platforms and the Club received an overwhelming response on both the days of offline registrations, with online registrations adding up to a total of more than 250 registrations.

August 05, 2017

Tree Plantation Drive

Green Revolution Report

The Club organised a Tree Plantation Drive on August 05, 2017 at a city park in Gujranwala Town, Part 1, B Block, New Delhi. The president of the club, Rtr. Anshika Walia addressed the team of 15-16 Rotaractors and briefed up them all about the possible benefits that can be well-extracted out of these saplings in the future. The whole process of planting 107 saplings took around two hours (10:30 am to 12:30 pm). The event was graced by the presence and support of the members of the Municipal Corporation of Delhi.

August 08, 2017

Genesis'17: The Official Orientation Ceremony

Club Event

The Club organised its annual Orientation Ceremony and Auditions: Genesis'17 on August 08, 2017 to recruit new members to the family. With more than 250 new buds of the college participating in the event, the orientation ceremony was conducted productively to make the aspiring students familiar with the club's achievements and its diversity of projects. After the orientation ceremony was concluded, the crowd was managed well by the members as the interviews commenced. The students participated actively in the interviews and showcased their enthusiasm to be a Rotaractor.



August 12, 2017

Udaan: Flight of Dreams

Club Event

The Club organised 'Udaan: Flight of Dreams' at Bhartiya Adim Jati Sevak Sangh Katyayani Balika Ashram, Jhandewalan on August 12, 2017. 'Udaan' was just another way to share happiness, particularly by way of Independence Day Celebration with the less fortunate girls. A team of about 25 Rotaractors actively participated to make this flight of dreams a huge success. The event was a blend of competitions that included drawing and rangoli competitions. Other activities included interactive sessions, recitation of poems, singing and dancing. Stationery kits were distributed among all the participants to help them with their education.

August 18 – 19, 2017

Anwita: Naari Sanrakshan

Club Event

The Club organised 'Anwita: Naari Sanrakshan' Workshop and Walkathon in association with Navjyoti India Foundation on August 18 and August 19, 2017 respectively. Both the activities sprouted the seeds of awareness about women safety among all the participants involved. The walkathon from Begumpur Chowk to Navjyoti India Foundation on August 19, 2017 involved an active participation of around 30 Rotaractors among other participants including NCC Cadets and students of Navjyoti Community College. The walkathon was a mixture of activities such as Dastak: Street Play by Sukhmanch Theatre, recitation of poems and slogans by children holding beautiful placards.



August 21 – 25, 2017

Sangrah: Collection Drive

Club Meetings & Projects

The Club in conjunction with the Interact Club of Adarsh Public School, Vikaspuri organized 'Sangrah': A Collection Drive from 21st to 25th August, 2017. The Club stepped forward to help those who had been affected by flooding in Bihar and Assam. The students from APS Interact Club and Rotaractors of SGGSCC, with the help of Rtn. Prashant Sehgal and Interact Club in charge Mrs. Vandana Khanna, were able to collect a considerable amount of items like rice, pulses, medicines, biscuits and clothes that weighed a total of 700 kilograms. The 5 day drive was organized in association with Goonj Foundation so as to distribute the collected items in form of school kits and family kits among the needy.

September 03, 2017

Mega Blood Donation Camp **Club Event**

The Club organised its annual Mega Blood Donation Camp at Metro Walk, Rohini on September 3, 2017. A team of 65 Rotaractors worked vehemently throughout the day from 10 AM to 9 PM and the Club successfully collected a total of 186 blood units, while more than 150 voluntary donors were rejected due to medical backgrounds. Buses from Noida and Tughlakabad Rotary Blood Banks and Mission Jan Jagriti Blood Bank, along with a team of professional doctors helped in the smooth functioning of the entire process. Rtn. Anuj Khurana, President Rotary Club of New Delhi, Rtn. Vimal Gupta and Rtn. Kashish Chandan along with Rtr. Ritanshu, District Rotaract Secretary and Rtr. Meghna from Rotaract Club of Apeejay Stya University graced the event.



September 27, 2017

Aagaaz'17: Installation Ceremony **Club Event**

The Club organised Aagaaz'17: The official Installation Ceremony of President Rtr. Anshika Walia and her team in the college premises on September 27, 2017. Rtn. Anuj Khurana, President, Rotary Club of New Delhi presided over the event as the chief guest. The event was honoured with the gracious presence and support of Rtn. Rishi Malhotra, Rtn. Asit Gupta and Sadhvi Deepa Bharti Ji from Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan. A stunning dance performance

by the Manthan students stole the show. This was followed by the inspiring and motivating speeches by the guests of honour. The collaring of the Club President Rtr. Anshika walia and the pinning ceremony of her team marked the official allocation of duties to the office bearers, after which all the team members pledged to serve the Club with utmost dedication.



October 04 – 06, 2017

Health & Hygiene Survey **Club Meetings & Projects**

The Club conducted a health and hygiene survey in five different SDMC Schools of South Delhi on 4th and 6th October, 2017. A team of 5-6 Rotaractors actively participated on both the days and concluded the survey by gathering all the necessary facts. In association with Rotary Club of New Delhi, the survey's central concern was to take a record of the hygiene and sanitation situation prevailing in those schools. The Rotaractors interacted with the principal, teachers, students and parents from all the selected schools to get their views and comprehend the situation closely. Questionnaires were used to aid the survey and the respondents were also made aware of the WINS – Wash in Schools initiative, and the requirements to implement the same were also discussed.

October 15, 2017

Diwali Utsav: Old Age Home Visit **Club Meetings & Projects**

The Club organised a visit to 'Sahara Old Age Home' near Chattarpur on 15 October, 2017 at 10AM. A team of 15 to 16 Rotaractors went there to have a pre-celebration of Diwali with the residents of the old age home. To celebrate the joy and spirit of Diwali, Rotaractors adorned the place with lights, diyas and other decorative items. The floors of the old age home were decked with beautiful rangoli designs. A plethora of activities like dancing, singing and quizzes were held for the residents and it was a fun filled day for them. In the end the Rotaractors gifted fruits and other items to the residents as a token of their love.

October 16 – 17, 2017

Diwali Utsav: Antardrishti and Antarkranti Stalls **Club Meetings & Projects**

To commemorate Diwali, the club in collaboration with Divya Jyoti Jagriti Sansthan set up stalls to raise funds for various projects undertaken by D.J.J.S , on 16th and 17th October, 2017. The products displayed on the stalls were prepared under Antardrishti and Antarkranti, the two major flagship projects by the organization, in which the club has also been an active contributor. The products sold consisted of scented candles, diyas, lanterns, herbal soaps and various other organic products. This year the club saw a twofold increase in the sales and was able to collect a surmountable amount of Rs. 12,000.

October 16 – 17, 2017

Diwali Utsav: Slogan Writing Competition **Club Meetings & Projects**

On the occasion of Diwali, the club organized a slogan writing competition on 16th and 17th October, 2017. The themes for the competition were, Diwali: celebration or pollution, evading darkness through our deeds, lighting the lives of people, modern way of Diwali. A wall with blank sheets was set up by the Rotaractors, for people to voice out their thoughts on

the given topics and college students actively took part in this competition. Two winners were selected on each day and were given a gift hamper with exciting goodies in them.

October 17 – 18, 2017

Diwali Utsav: Online Awareness Campaign Club Meetings & Projects

To commensurate Diwali, the Club organised an online awareness campaign on October 17 and 18, 2017 through its social media platforms. The campaign served the purpose of making people aware of the harmful effects of crackers. It also highlighted the need to celebrate Deepawali as a feeling of oneness with compassion among everyone including animals. With active participation of Rotaractors including Directors and the Club President, the need of spreading happiness and taking the light of Diwali to everyone was successfully highlighted through the campaign.

October 18, 2017

Diwali Utsav: Gifts Distribution Club Meetings & Projects

The club organized an event near the college on 18th October 2017, from 12 pm to 1 pm, wherein the Rotaractors distributed food items to the people of the poorer section of the society, living in Pitampura. Rotaract club focuses on helping the society and in order to aid the poor people, a group of 5-6 Rotaractors distributed biscuit packets and other food items to the people in need, in that area. The event was carried out with the intention of casting a ray of happiness into the lives of the poor people on the propitious occasion of Diwali.

October 28, 2017

Tree Plantation Drive Green Revolution Report

The Club organized a tree plantation drive on 28th October, 2017 from 9 AM to 11 AM at MCD School, Pitampura. The event commenced with the planting of the first sapling by the

President Rtr. Anshika Walia, following which a group of 30-40 Rotaractors, with great enthusiasm began planting different species of saplings in the school grounds. In a time span of about two hours, the Rotaractors were able to plant a total of 150 saplings. Teachers, students and support staff of the school were also present during the plantation.

October 31, 2017

Daulat Ram College Stalls Club Event

The Club set up stalls at Comvion, the Commerce Department Fest of Daulat Ram College on 31st October, 2017 from 10 AM to 3 PM. The stalls covered three games namely, Stack Attack, Cookie Rollercoaster and Marble Master. Items like homemade muffins and doodle art were also sold on this day. These stalls were managed by a team of 15 Rotaractors and the Club succeeded in making voluminous sales, the muffins being the bestsellers. It was a fun filled event for the Rotaractors.

November 12, 2017

Siyahi 4.0: Adult Literacy Centre Club Meetings & Projects

The Rotaract Club of Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce, in collaboration with Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan, successfully inaugurated SYAHI, an adult literacy centre for women, in Faridabad on 12th November, 2017.

The program began with the ribbon cutting ceremony that was held to mark the centre open, followed by lamp lighting by the dignitaries and a beautiful prayer that was sung by the volunteers of DJJS. Thereafter, a video was played to show how successful the other centres



have been and how the projector and white screen that had been installed to enable digital learning at this centre would immensely help the women in their learning process. An insightful skit was also presented by the volunteers, highlighting the importance of education in a woman's life. Thereafter, the women beneficiaries were presented with Siyahi I-cards and a kit that would help them with their education in the centre.

December 20, 2017

Visit to Bachchon Ka Ghar Orphanage Club Meetings & Projects

The Rotaract Club of Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce visited Bachchon Ka Ghar, an orphanage in Daryaganj, on December 20, 2017. An enthusiastic team of 14 Rotaractors visited the orphanage to spend a few moments of happiness with the children that are taken complete care of at Bachchon Ka Ghar. The event commenced at 2:00 PM and went on for about two hours. Two competitions were organised: a Drawing Competition, and 'Shadbdon Ka Khel', a Story Making Competition, which saw an overwhelming participation from around 60-70 children. Special stationery pouches and sweets were given as prizes to the winners from both these competitions.

Rtr. Anshika Walia, Club President, addressed the gathering and appreciated the beautiful artwork and stories made by the children. Following an interactive session and singing activities, gifts comprising stationery kits and eatables like sweets and biscuits were distributed among all children.

December 29, 2017

Blind Home Visit Club Meetings & Projects

The Rotaract Club of Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce organized a visit to Divya Jyoti Niwas, a blind home in Rohini, on 29th December, 2017. With the year coming to an end, the Club stepped forward to share some blissful moments with the inspiring souls of the blind home to welcome the new year. The event commenced at 11 AM and went on for about an hour.

The residents of Divya Jyoti Niwas welcomed the team of 30 Rotaractors by singing a beautiful song called 'Swagatam'. Thereafter, an interactive session took place following which a few residents showcased their talents in singing and poetry. Some even got their instruments and played melodious tunes, and all the Rotaractors along with the residents sang various songs and lightened up the room with positive energy. Various items like socks, biscuits, toffees and various other eatables were then distributed among the residents as a token of love from the Club's side. The Immediate Past President of the Club, Rtr. Tamish Goyal then addressed the gathering, and the event was successfully concluded.

December 30, 2017

Manthan Visit Club Meetings & Projects

To end the year on a good note, the Rotaract Club of Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce visited the Manthan Sampoorna Vikas Kendra in Mangolpuri, on 30th December, 2017.

Manthan is a holistic education program started by Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan and it focuses upon the underprivileged and underperforming children of the society. A team of 16 Rotaractors visited the centre at 12 PM and spent some time with the young students who greeted the Rotaractors with their bright smiles.

To begin with, the students were asked to introduce themselves, following which the children sang songs in their mellifluous voices, performed zealous dance routines and also recited poems. Thereafter, items like biscuits, toffees and other eatables were distributed among the children and to conclude the visit, two of the Rotaractors gave an energetic dance performance.

Rtr. Tamish Goyal, Immediate Past President, and Rtr. Gurkirat Singh, Secretary, addressed the gathering and wished the students a happy new year by motivating them to achieve new goals in the coming year.

January 03, 2018

Gurukul Convocation Ceremony

Club Events

The Rotaract Club of Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce, in association with Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan, organized the Convocation Ceremony for Gurukul, a Sewing & Stitching Centre and Adult Literacy Centre for women, on 3rd January, 2018.

The ceremony commenced with a beautiful prayer sung by the enrolled students of Gurukul. Thereafter, a video was presented before the audience that highlighted the magnificent journey of the women in this centre. District Rotaract Secretary, Rtr. Ritanshu Sharma, and Sadhvi Deepa Bharti Ji who graced the event with their presence, were felicitated. Next, the batch of 2017 that had passed with flying colours was given their certificates by the Rotaractors. The batch topper was even awarded with a sewing machine which was sponsored by our beloved Rtn. Praveen Kandru, Rotary Club of Delhi South West.



District Rotaract Secretary, Rtr. Ritanshu Sharma and Sadhvi Deepa Bharti Ji congratulated all the students for their achievements and wished them luck for their future endeavours. Club President, Rtr. Anshika Walia and Immediate Past President, Rtr. Tamish Goyal talked about how proud they were to see the result of the intensive work that they had put into this project.

January 13, 2018

Meditation Workshop **Club Meetings & Projects**

The Rotaract Club of Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce organised a Meditation Workshop in association with SENSEi India at Navjyoti India Foundation, Karala, Rohini, on January 13, 2018 from 10:30 AM to 12:30 PM. A team of 7 Rotaractors lead by Rtr. Gurkirat Singh, Secretary, reached the venue and interacted with about 60 students who participated in the Meditation Workshop.

Volunteers from SENSEi India, Soumya and Radhika, discussed the benefits of meditation and educated the students about self-empowerment that gives a deeper sense of meaning and purpose behind everyday actions. All the students and Rotaractors, along with the teachers at Navjyoti India Foundation actively participated in the meditation session. The Club looks forward to organise more such sessions in future.

January 18, 2018

Blood Donation Camp **Club Events**

The Rotaract Club of Sri Guru Gobind College of Commerce organized a Blood Donation Camp on January 18, 2018 in the college campus in Pitampura.

The event started at 10 AM with a team of about 35 Rotaractors. To facilitate blood collection, a bus from Rotary Blood Bank, Noida arrived at the venue. More than 200 volunteers participated with vivacity for this noble cause and underwent a medical check-up so as ensure that they were eligible to donate blood.

Rtn. Anuj Khurana, President, Rotary Club of New Delhi and Rtn Kashish Chandan appreciated the hard work put in by all the members. Among the senior Rotaractors were Rtr. Ishita, Rtr. Peshal and Rtr. Pankaj. Their positive support and help in organizing the camp was highly appreciated. The Club successfully collected 114 units of blood in a time span of about 6 hours under the surveillance of the team of doctors.



*“We rise by lifting others, for no act of kindness
is ever wasted.”*

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