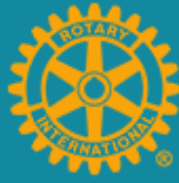


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APRIL 2026 EDITION



ROTARY ENVIRONMENT MONTH



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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



Where Service Meets Purpose, Impact Follows

April has been a month that beautifully captures the true essence of Rotary where service meets purpose, and compassion transforms into action.

As we approach the close of this Rotary year, it is inspiring to reflect on the journey we've undertaken together. Each initiative whether focused on empowerment, care, or community engagement—has contributed to a larger impact that goes far beyond numbers.

This month has also been a bridge between reflection and preparation. While we celebrate what has been achieved, we also lay the groundwork for what lies ahead. Leadership transitions, training sessions, and strategic planning are not just processes they are opportunities to strengthen our vision and elevate our impact.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to every member for their unwavering commitment. Your passion continues to define who we are as a club.

Let us move forward with renewed energy, continuing to serve, inspire, and create meaningful change.

Warm regards,
Eakta Menon, President
Rotary Club of Mumbai Lakers

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AIR FORCE FELLOWSHIP

Fellowship Evening at the Air Force Base

One of the most memorable highlights of the month was our visit to the Air Force Base for a special fellowship dinner an evening defined by honor, pride, and meaningful connections.

We were graciously hosted by the **Station Commander, Capt. Webster Vas, and his wife, Sharon**, whose warmth and hospitality made the evening truly exceptional. Their personal involvement ensured that the experience was not just formal, but deeply welcoming and engaging.

The visit offered us a rare insight into the lives of our armed forces where discipline, dedication, and service are not just values, but a way of life. Conversations with officers revealed stories of commitment and resilience that left a lasting impression on all members present.

Taking this association forward, we are delighted to share that a **friendly cricket match has been arranged at the Air Force Base on 9th May, further strengthening this meaningful bond.**



An evening of pride, discipline, and fellowship at the Air Force Base

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TOUCHING LITTLE HEARTS

New CSR Funding – Touching Little Hearts

We are proud to announce new CSR funding support for **Touching Little Hearts**, further strengthening our commitment to child welfare.

This collaboration enables us to expand our reach and improve the quality of care for children in need. It reflects our belief that nurturing young lives today builds a stronger tomorrow.

A proud moment for us — **Natasha and Parth Sejpal's persistent efforts have brought in a CSR support of ₹20 lakhs from Mizuho RA Leasing Pvt. Ltd.**



Creating brighter futures through care and commitment

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OLD AGE HOME VISIT

Visit to Old Age Home – Care, Compassion & Celebration



Creating brighter futures through care and commitment

Our visit to the old age home was a deeply emotional and meaningful experience.

Along with distributing essential supplies such as diapers, the visit became even more special as **Paromita and Sudarshan** celebrated their daughter Titli's birthday with the residents.

This heartfelt gesture brought joy, warmth, and a sense of belonging to everyone present. It was a beautiful reminder that service is not just about giving—it's about sharing moments that matter.

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ROTARACT FOOTBALL FUNDRAISER

The **Rotaract Football Fundraiser** brought together energy, enthusiasm, and purpose.

Led by Rotaract President Manav Mirani and his young team, the event showcased the power of youth-driven initiatives. The field became a platform for teamwork, impact, and community engagement. 8 teams participated in the tournament.



Where passion
meets purpose
youth driving
change



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IFBN ASSOCIATION

Association with INFB – Expanding Impact



Small gestures, big smiles—spreading happiness together

In collaboration with IFBN, the club received **1400 Cadbury chocolates**, distributed through **the Vatsalya Foundation and Ideal School**, bringing smiles to countless children.

We are also excited to share that this partnership will continue, **with periodic supplies from large MNCs**, enabling sustained outreach.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to **President Ekta Menon** for her efforts in making this collaboration possible.

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PINK AUTO INITIATIVE

Empowering Lives – Pink Auto Initiative

This month marked a powerful step in our journey of empowering women through the **Pink Auto initiative**.

The handover of these autos symbolizes far more than transportation it represents independence, dignity, and the opportunity for women to take control of their financial futures.

Each Pink Auto is a moving symbol of change driven by purpose and powered by opportunity. It reflects our commitment to creating long-term, sustainable impact.



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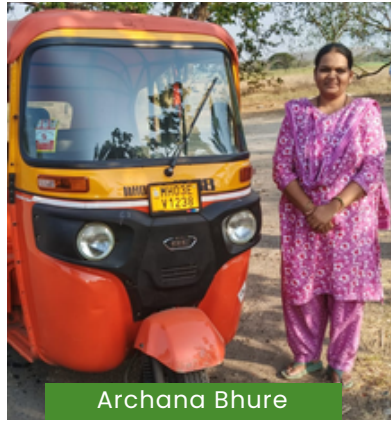
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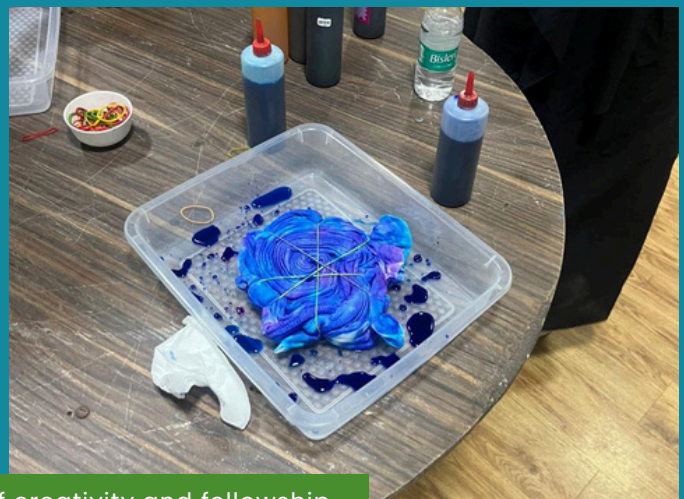


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TIE-DYE ACTIVITY

Creative Engagement – Tie-Dye T-Shirt Activity

Members came together for a vibrant and creative tie-dye session that truly brought the club's spirit to life. The atmosphere was filled with bursts of color, laughter, and meaningful conversations as everyone explored their artistic side. From experimenting with patterns to blending unique color combinations, each participant added their own personal touch to their creation. Beyond the art, the session became a space for connection, collaboration, and shared joy. It was not just about designing fabrics, but about building memories and strengthening bonds. Each piece created stood as a reflection of individuality, while collectively celebrating unity and togetherness within the club.



Colors of creativity and fellowship

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LEADERSHIP TRAINING Preparing for the New Rotary Year



Building leadership for a stronger tomorrow

As we prepare for the upcoming Rotary year, leadership readiness remains a key focus.

We are proud to share that **President Elect Raj Dabburi** and **Secretary Elect Manish Bansal** attended training sessions, gaining valuable insights to lead the club forward with vision and clarity.

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GOVERNOR'S OFFICIAL VISIT

Upcoming Highlight

The club eagerly looks forward to the Governor's Official Visit, a significant milestone in the Rotary calendar that brings both pride and purpose. This visit offers a valuable opportunity to present our initiatives, highlight the impact of our projects, and celebrate the collective achievements of our members.

It also serves as a moment to align more closely with Rotary's broader vision and goals, gaining insights and guidance for the journey ahead.

With great enthusiasm, preparations are underway to showcase our work, reflect our commitment to service, and present our club's journey with clarity, dedication, and a strong sense of purpose.



A moment of pride, reflection, and inspiration

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for 2026

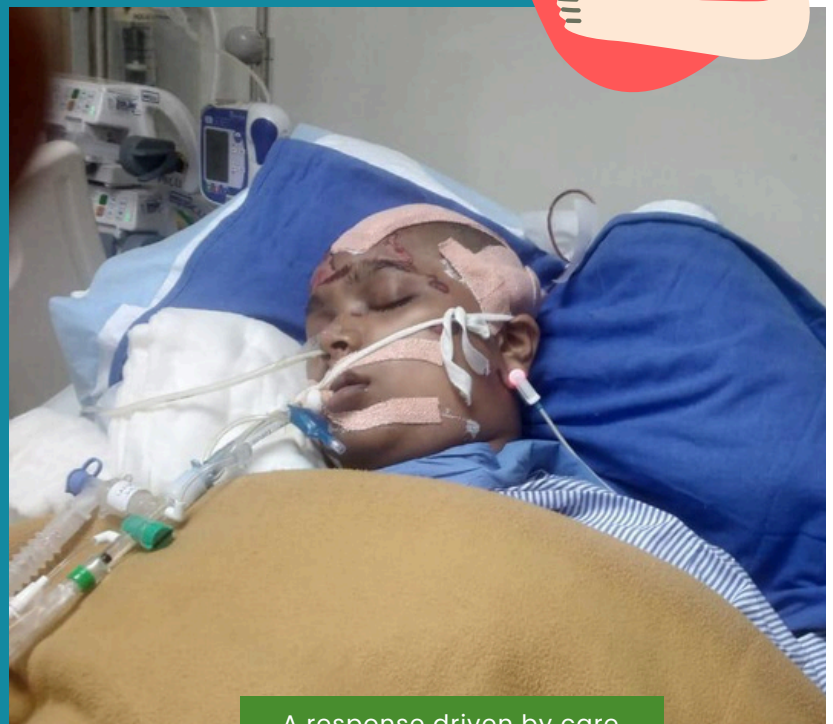
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EMERGENCY RESPONSE A MOMENT THAT MATTERED

In the true spirit of Rotary, service is not always planned it is often defined by how we respond in unexpected moments.

This month, members of the club came together in a time of urgency to assist a young boy who had met with an accident. Without hesitation, immediate action was taken to ensure he received timely medical attention. The swift response and collective effort ensured that the boy was safely transported to the hospital without delay.



A response driven by care

In moments like these, it is not just about resources it is about presence, compassion, and the willingness to step forward when it matters the most.

This incident serves as a powerful reminder that Rotary is not just about initiatives and programs it is about humanity in action. It is about being there, not because it is scheduled, but because it is needed.



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CANCER SCREENING & MEDICAL CAMP

In a continued effort to prioritize community health and preventive care, the Rotary Club of Mumbai Lakers, in association with Ms. Priyadarshini Thackeray (Ward 121 – BMC, IIT Powai), successfully conducted a Cancer Screening and Medical Camp.

Held at Prashik Welfare Society, Aarey Colony, Powai, the camp witnessed active participation from the community, bringing together medical expertise and compassionate service under one initiative.

The camp offered a comprehensive range of health check-ups, including CBC, HbA1C, Thyroid Profile, Kidney Function Tests, and Eye Tests, ensuring early detection and awareness across key health parameters.

A significant highlight of the initiative was the cancer screening segment, covering breast cancer, pap smear tests, and prostate cancer, along with professional counselling emphasizing the importance of early diagnosis and informed care.

This impactful initiative stands as a reflection of Rotary's commitment to community well-being where service translates into care that truly matters.



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LAKER'S LIMELIGHT



Mallika Rai, along with her team, secured 2nd Position at the prestigious JK Tyre–WIAA Women's Rally to the Valley 2026. The team was also awarded 3rd Position for Best Dressed Team.

Held under the aegis of the Western India Automobile Association (WIAA) and presented by JK Tyre, the Rally to the

Valley is a distinguished Time-Speed-Distance (TSD) motoring event that celebrates precision, teamwork, road discipline, women's empowerment, and safety awareness. The 2026 edition was flagged off from NSCI, Mumbai, with over 300 women participants.



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LAKERS TIME-OUT *Pause. Play. Connect.*

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DID YOU KNOW?

Your favourite initiative this month:

- Pink Auto
- Football
- Old Age Home
- Air Force
- INFB

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