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Participation in Annual Charity Program in Hong Kong

Rotary Club of Narayangarh has participated in Annual Charity Program of Holiness Guru Pandita U Annanda at Holiday Inn, Golden Mile Hong Kong. Charter President Nirnanjan Pradhan, Past President Bigyan Lal Shrestha, President Sanjaya Shrestha, Members Dilip Kumar Tamang and Basanta Bahadur Panday have participated the program.





Happy Birthday

Biman Karki
29 Poush

ROTARY CLUB OF NARAYANGARH



100% Attendance of January

Rtn. Tara Nath Pathak	Joint Secretary
Rtn. Indra Regmi	Public Relation Chair
Rtn. Pradip Sapkota	Member

Attendance Record

Attendance Chairman:
Rtn. Dilip Kumar Tamang

Meeting No.	Total Membership (Except Honorary)	Members Attendance	Guest Attend.
733rd	39	19	3
734th	39	11	-
735th	39	19	1
736th	39	23	3

Happy Marriage Anniversary




Rtn. Suman Kumar Shrestha & Spouse Nira

16th Jan.




Rtn. Bholu Nath Lamichhane & Spouse Bhagawati

1st Magh




Rtn. Bishal Shrestha & Spouse Sangita

22th Jan.




Rtn. Dr. Rabin Baniya & Spouse Sabina

23rd Jan.

ROTARY CLUB OF NARAYANGARH

ROTARY-UN CELEBRATION MIXES BUSINESS WITH DIPLOMACY

Outside the United Nations building in midtown Manhattan stands an imposing sculpture of a man wielding a sword in one hand and raising a hammer with the other. It reflects a shared goal that Rotary and the United Nations celebrated at the organizations' annual meeting on Saturday, 12 November: to use our strengths and tools to build a more peaceful and just world.

The theme of this year's Rotary Day at the United Nations, "Responsible Business, Resilient Societies," emphasizes Rotary's role as a global network of business leaders using the tools of their trades to build stronger, more prosperous communities.

In his introductory remarks, Rotary International President John F. Germ drew the crowd's attention to the statue, "Let Us Beat Our Swords Into Ploughshares," as he set the tone for the day, which included breakout sessions and keynote addresses on aspects of responsible business, or the philosophy that for-profit enterprise can contribute to positive social and economic development.

"Here is where the UN and Rotary International are working side

by side, equipping communities with the tools they need, and empowering them with the will to use those tools far and wide," he said.

Per Saxegaard, founder and chairman of the Oslo-based Business for Peace Foundation, gave a keynote address on the complex relationship between business and broader society, marked by both tension and opportunity. Despite the perception that profit alone motivates enterprise, he says, commercial success and social progress are closely intertwined.

"Societal needs define markets," he said. "I have met many entrepreneurs in my career, and they all have one thing in common: They see a problem, and they say 'I can fix that, and I can do it cheaper and better.' That is the engine of innovation in business. We need that energy to solve the problems at hand," such as hunger or illiteracy. He pointed to the Sustainable Development Goals, the UN's ambitious roadmap for eliminating poverty by 2030 and highlighted the opportunity for businesses to help achieve them.

Other speakers included UN Under Secretary-General and High Representative for Disarmament Affairs Kim Won-soo and UNICEF polio chief Reza Houssaini, who provided an update on the polio eradication campaign.

John Hewko, general secretary of Rotary International, introduced eight Rotary Responsible Business honorees, six individuals and two corporate partners whose inclusive business practices are bringing employment, mentoring, education, and innovation to their communities.

The business partners honored were:

Coca-Cola Pakistan has supported the Rotary Pakistan National PolioPlus Charitable Trust since 2010 to promote polio prevention and awareness, particularly through publicity and projects to provide clean water, in one of the few countries where polio remains endemic. Mercantil Banco Universal supports a project that has trained 6,000 students in 40 universities across Venezuela in social responsibility and leadership, with the goal of encouraging students to use their academic knowledge to respond to the challenges of underserved communities.

In the afternoon, Rotary member Devin Thorpe spoke about the intersection of profit and purpose. Infusing a corporate program with a sense of social purpose pays off, he says, because it breeds loyalty and satisfaction among both customers and employees.

"When a purpose program is profitable, there is no limit to the good that can come from it," he said. "Corporations are made up of people. We in this room bear the responsibility to shape corporate behavior, it is up to each one of us."

Happy Landing from India

Rtn. Dr. Rabin Baniya




Happy Journey Hong Kong

Rtn. Sanjaya Shrestha
Rtn. Niranjan Pradhan
Rtn. Bigyan Lal Shrestha
Rtn. Dilip Tamang
Rtn. Basanta Bahadur Pandey

India

Rtn. Arun Piya



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