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Message from Parent Rotary President
Rtn. Suresh Narayan
Rotary Bangalore North West

Dear RaC of MES College.

December is here. We are fast approaching the New Year. We will overcome the COVID and enter the New Year with vigour. Ensure that all those of you who are eligible are vaccinated and safe. Take all precautions and follow COVID protocols.

Congratulations for the awards and recognitions for the past year. Happy to note your club is having RaC with a Delhi club. You must propagate the learnings and good practices you adopt in your club.

I am sure your club will shine bright this year too. My best wishes to each one of you.

Suresh Narayan
President RBNW 21-22



Message from Faculty Coordinator
Rtn. Dr. Veena Nagaraj
Rotary Bangalore North West

Dear Rotaractors,

'November to Remember' - I am sure this is what you are feeling! Your activities in this month have really brought out the best in you. Interactions with other clubs and superb AV presentation on the distinguished alumnus are appreciated by all in the Institution.

I congratulate the laurels that the Team Rotaractors have brought for the Rota Year 2020-21. In spite of the constraints brought out due to the pandemic, our Rotaractors have done a splendid job and rewarded for the excellent work. These awards are the inspirations for the present Rotaractors.

I am looking forward to your active community service activities.

Wishing you good luck.

Yours in Rotary,

Rtn Dr Veena Nagaraj



Message from District Rotaract Representative Rtr. Anurag Patwary

Rotary International District 3190

Warm Rotaract Greetings!

It gives me the immense privilege to address Rotaractors of the Rotaract Club of MES College once again, especially after all the wonderful initiatives this Club has been doing.

Amazing projects like Rang-De-Bachpan, Vihaan etc. is something to look up to. We wish you all the very best for many more successful months to come and looking forward to seeing more unique and sustainable initiatives from this Club. Let's explore the Prism of Possibilities as Change-Makers to Serve to Change Lives.

Yours in Rotaract,

Rtr. Anurag Patwary

District Rotaract Representative

Rotary International District 3190

Rotary Year 2021-2022



Even the smallest of jobs well done will take you one step closer towards great success , Rotaract Club of MES college is executing biggest initiatives in the best way, This says it all how you are growing as a club day by day.

It's one thing to have thoughts and ideas , but it's another to take action and turn those thoughts and ideas into a reality.

Warm Regards
 Ramya Aswathnarayana
 ZRR
 Zone Violet

Message from Zone Rotaract Representatives

Rotaract club of MES college is one of those who gets the best into reality. Watching you achieve this goal fills our heart.

Congratulations on your achievement!

Appreciating each and every initiative done by Rotaract club of MES college for month of November.

Warm Regards
 Abhinav Hooli
 ZRR
 Zone Violet





Message from President MES RaC Rtr. Narendren S

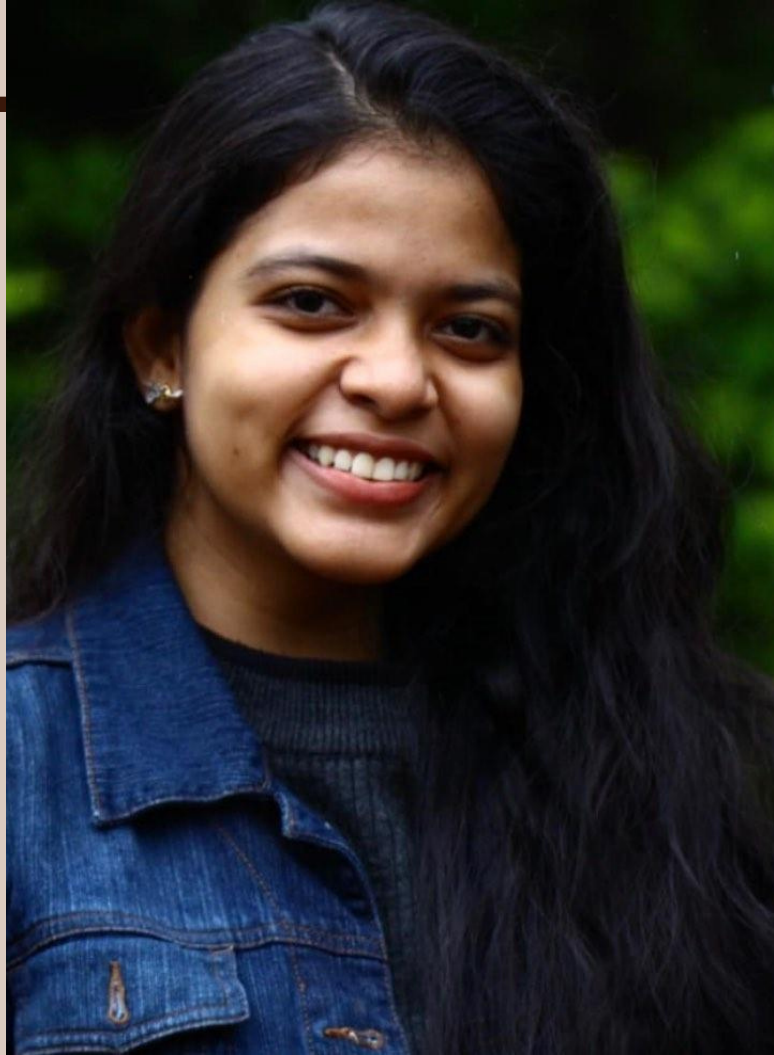
MES Rotaract Club

Greetings Everyone!

I'm super happy to address all of you. November month is the most memorable month which was jam packed with a lot of impactful projects. One of the most close to heart project was Rang De Bachpan, it's going to be our all time favourite. Needless to say Blood camp was one the most impactful with about 145 units of blood donated by our own friends from our college.

One of the best things in November was the ELITE Awards, about 12 Awards and Recognitions won by our club for the year 2020-21. All of us are so overwhelmed to see the team efforts are being recognised. As always the success and Growth of the club is always from the team and I'm so blessed to be part of the one of most inspiring team of achievers.

Thank you and best regards.



Message from Secretary MES RaC Rtr. Javeriya Tabassum

MES Rotaract Club

Warm Greetings,

November marked the completion of 5 months in the Rota Year 2021-22 and all I have seen and witnessed in these months was growing impact and increasingly successful projects. Many projects were hosted in respect of community development, collaboration with a new club of different district, serving smiles and counting our contribution in the aspect of saving lives, this month was surely a memorable one. The month also being dedicated towards membership, we saw a pool of prospective members wanting to join hands in extending service to the society and to be a part of this journey of learning together. The team has consistently proved to be the driving force of the club and the efficient coordination makes it even better and reliable.

Moving forward in this journey, I only wish to see more success and our contribution towards the betterment.

Warm Regards,

Rtr. Javeriya Tabassum.

CLUB RECOGNITIONS 2020-21



1. Outstanding Growth Award
2. Outstanding Fundraiser Award (Miles for Smiles)
3. Best Rota- Theme Award (Tarang)
4. 3190 Covid War Room Contribution
5. Recognition for Contributing to Vaibhava (The District Conference)
6. Recognition for Co-hosting DLTW (The District Training Program)
7. Recognition for making the District's Newsletter
- 8 . Certificate of DRR Citation

INDIVIDUAL RECOGNITIONS 2020-21



1. Rtr. Sharanya Sridhar : Most Promising President Award
2. Rtr. Narendren S : Best Secretary Award
3. WINS Committee Recognition : Rtr. Rohith S
4. Ambassador for Vaibhava : Rtr. Sharanya Sridhar

VIHAAN

4TH NOVEMBER, 2021

The month of November was known for its major festivities this year, the auspicious occasion of Diwali was celebrated on the 4th of November, 2021.

Project Vihaan - Celebrating Goodness was one such projects that aimed that spreading goodness, warmth and light of the festive season to the homes that were abandoned of these due to the extremely sorrowful circumstances that the pandemic made us lie in.

Several families were unable to feel the light and patience of the festival due to chaos that the pandemic created in our life, this project was a small club service project which brought together the beautiful decorations and warm lights of the festival from different homes on the same platform to spread a word that there will be a new ray of sun streaming into the lives of people erasing all the temporary darkness and grief. 8 Rotaractors of the club participated and joined hands in spreading goodness.



JOINT MEETING WITH RAC CAPITAL CITY, NEW DELHI 9TH NOVEMBER, 2021

A joint meeting with the Core team and PR team of the MES Rotaract Club, Bangalore, RID - 3190 and Rotaract Club of Capital City, New Delhi, RID - 3012 was scheduled on the 9th of November, 2021 ahead of the collaborations month, i.e. November, 2021.

We had joined hands with this club to undertake various activities together and showcase them in a joint bulletin and this meeting's prime focus was to plan the entire process of this collaborative journey.

The team had shortlisted the various headers beforehand and each of which were put forth and discussed and by the end of the meeting, the team was ready with a basic structure of the entire month, starting right from the joint project to be completed and to the basic content that would form the bulletin.

The core teams and the PR teams had clear plan about how to take up the various activities, the teams decided to celebrate the Children's Day together on the 14th of November, 2021 and the other subdivisions that were to be taken to consideration.

The meeting concluded when each and every member in the meeting was clear about the proceedings.



BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEET

11TH NOVEMBER, 2021

The third Board of Directors meeting was scheduled and completed on the 11th of November, 2021. The month of November in the Rota Year 2021-22 of the MES Rotaract Club was dedicated to membership retention and extension, this Board meeting was mainly focused on planning of the process of campaigning for membership in all the classes of MES College of Arts, Commerce and Science.

The entire team of Board of Directors was split into groups and the plans were made accordingly in the meeting.

In addition to this, we also drew a framework for the entire month of November, the various activities to be completed in the month was put forward and the path of pursuing the same were also framed.

The various collaborations undertaken by the club with clubs from other districts were discussed and suggestions from the Board members were considered.

The meeting was presided over by the Vice President.





RANG-DE-BACHPAN



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RANG-DE-BACHPAN

14TH NOVEMBER, 2021

MES Rotaract Club celebrated the Children's Day, 2021 - Rang-De-Bachpan by bringing smiles and colour into the lives of the underprivileged children.

This project was a joint initiative with the Rotaract Club of Capital City, New Delhi, RID - 3060, who undertook the same initiative in their city, with the same purpose to spread smiles. Through this initiative we were able to connect with the lesser privileged section of the society and learn about the various aspects of their life. This project enabled us to present activity books and general stationary to about 30 children in a small area near Peenya which would provide them with a fun activity which will also help increase their creativity and artistic skills. The volunteers also spent time with the children guiding them about the usage of the material and also discovered about how different their life and necessities are.

BLOOD CAMP

16TH NOVEMBER, 2021

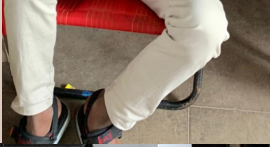
Blood Donation Camp is one of the flagship projects of MES Rotaract Club, the camp was hosted by the club on the 16th of November, 2021 and was sponsored by our parent rotary : Rotary Bangalore North West with the medical team : Bangalore Medical Service Trust and 24 efficient volunteers from the club.

The camp was set up in the college campus and the various preliminary requirements were set up too before the actual donation. The team helped in managing the crowd and took care of all the individuals during and after donation of blood. The members who showed interest in donating blood went through a series of health tests to ensure that the individual was medically fit for the purpose.

The registration desk and medical testing desk were equipped with quality volunteers and medical team volunteers who contributed in smooth filtering of the crowd. All the basic covid protocols were strictly followed by every member in the camp.

The camp functioned for 6 hours and the team was able to collect about 145 units of blood from medically fit individuals without any hurdles. The members who donated were provided with certificate of appreciation from the BMST and refreshments from the club. All the volunteers too were provided with certificates for their constant work and cooperation.

In a step towards serving the community, we can proudly say that we had 170+ hands together for this purpose.



BLOOD CAMP



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15TH NOVEMBER, 2021

ROTA CAMPAIGNING : MES RAC

The month of November was dedicated to membership extension and retention, the entire team of the MES Rotaract Club was divided into separate groups and the various plans and the content of announcement was carefully listed and conveyed to all the members of the team. The campaigning took place in various classes of the college starting from the 15th of November to the 18th of November, 2021. The promotional content for membership was circulated all across the college to each and every student in various ways right after the team delivered the content to each one by visiting all the classes in the college.

The team addressed the students about the various benefits that Rotaract adds to an individual in terms of professional and personal development and the various opportunities it provides for service.

There were two different types of campaigning strategies adopted, one of which was general addressing to the public and the other was selective addressing where all the students who were passionate to know about Rotaract were assembled and addressed according to their needs and necessities.

This campaigning process brought us unbelievable results.



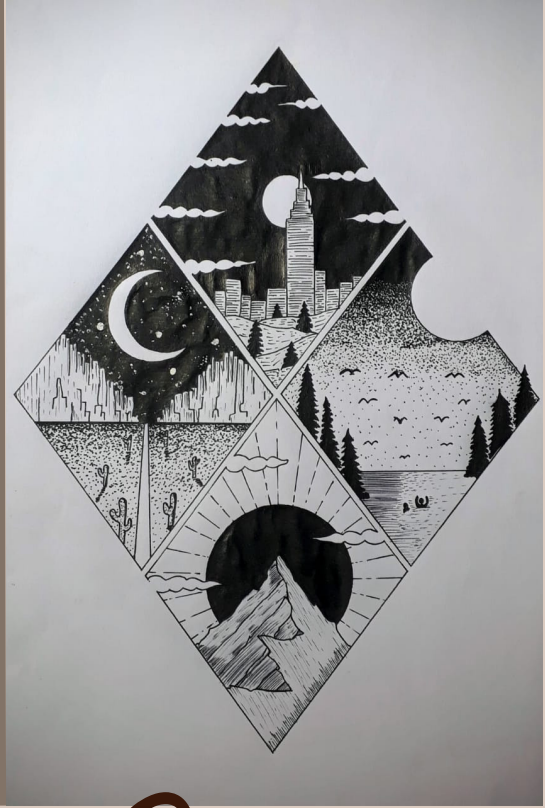
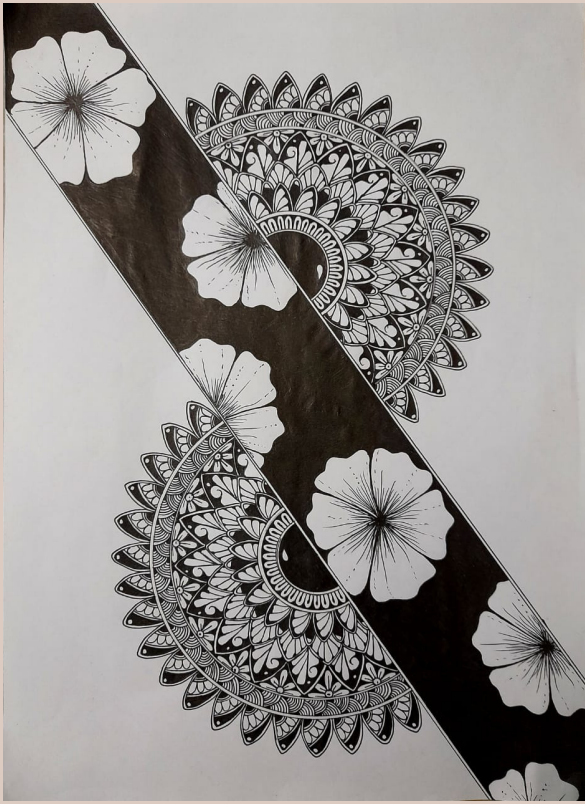
16TH NOVEMBER, 2021
 FELICITATION CEREMONY OF
 PADMASHRI KY VENKATESH

MES Rotaract Club were proud to be a unit that helped to serve a little part in the occasion of felicitation of PadmaShri awardee, Sir K Y Venkatesh who is the alumni of the MES Institutions.

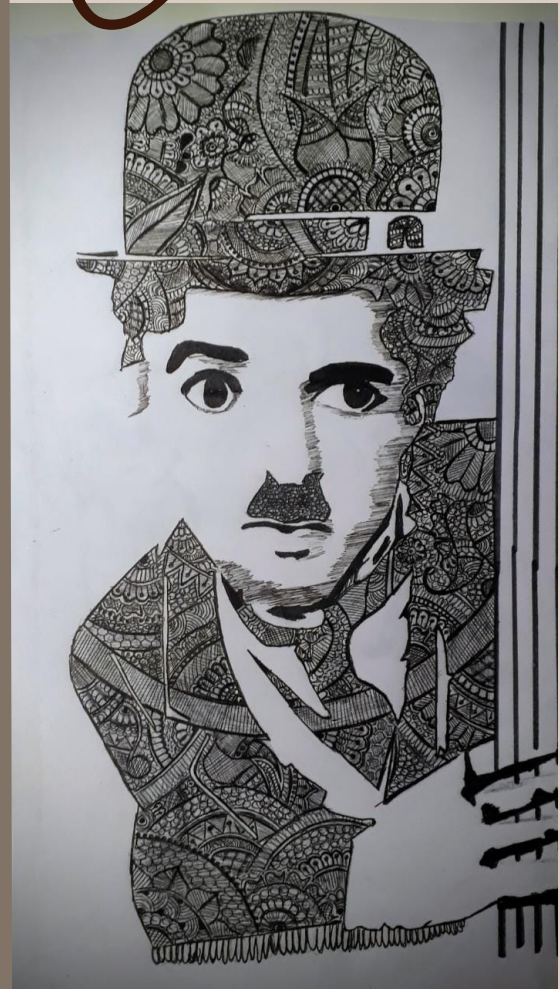
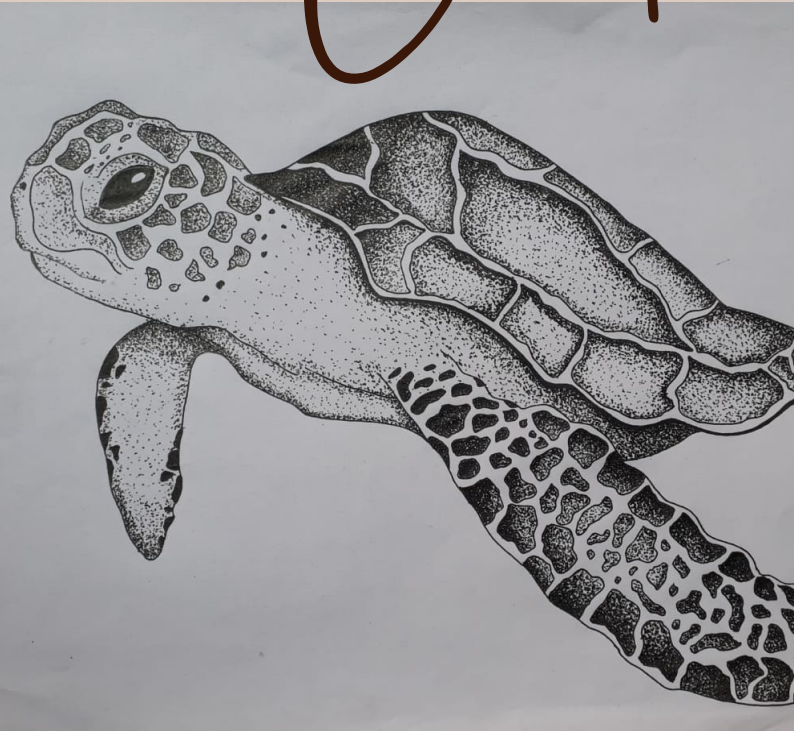
The Institutions had invited sir to felicitate him for his contributions to sports and upon conferring the PadmaShri.

MES Rotaract Club provided technical assistance for the entire ceremony. We were privileged to interact with such an achiever and listen to his story and get motivated by the truest spirits.

The volunteers of the club handled the back end coordination of the event, we also took up the responsibility of creating invites and a presentation on the life history, struggles and achievements of Sir K Y Venkatesh.

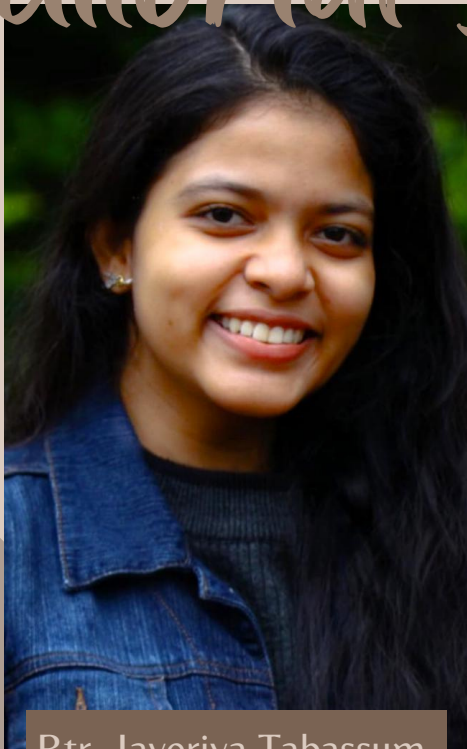


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