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QUEEN'S YEAR FOR CERVICAL CURE

LET'S CREATE A
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OUR GIRLS



Editor's Note

Dearest Rotarians,

Cherishing memories is more than just remembering; it gives our lives meaning. It means seeing the beauty in shared moments, whether happy or sad. In our busy lives, it's easy to forget how important these memories are. But when we take a moment to think, we realize how much our memories matter.

If you do not believe you have many involuntary memories, once you have any, jot down short descriptions of the events remembered, and you may find that they are very special! They help us relate to each other and give our lives meaning. Relationships with our surroundings, fellow humans, and even ourselves are rooted in our memories. Without being able to reflect upon our past, we cannot learn and evolve.

Rotary helps us creating many such memories that can be cherished.....these memories leave an impact on us which makes us understand how privileged we are today.....how much can be possibly be achieved by us.....how much we can learn and be a better person than yesterday..... how different the world around us than we understood and the list goes on and on and on.

"Memories are created by what we do, not by what we think."
Let us all create memories to be cherished for the betterment of our self.



Aarthy Mukesh,
Editor,

Rotary Club of Queencity Dindigul.

A Rotarian

We see our Presidents and secretary along with the members working, planning, leading etc etc in our club meet and events. Everyone make us see beautiful things, give us the wow feeling, make us proud, and what more can be said, when it comes to accomplishments, words are outnumbered with the role played well. That satisfaction creates new moments, which makes us a better person. Here today I am wondering what are the scenes behind those huge acts!!!!!!!!!!!!

In the few years of my life in Rotary I see a loads of hard work unspoken, loads of sacrifices at home and work unspoken, loads of dedication, loads of determination, loads of care felt by everyone, loads of responsibility carried on and on, working around the clock and planning around the clock, and everyone has something to give or share. These are those selfless acts rendered by every Rotarian never thought or complained about.

Simply put, Rotarians are being more concerned with the needs and wishes of others than with one's own for nothing in return. It is a virtue that is often praised and admired but also one that can be challenging to cultivate and maintain.

RI Presidential Address-Toward a greater vision

With World Polio Day on 24 October, I'm proudly rooting for Rotary as we team up around the world to End Polio Now.

I had the honor of attending a Strike Out Polio event in July at PNC Park, home of the Pittsburgh Pirates MLB team. The Rotary Club of Delmont-Salem hosted the event, which raised \$1.3 million for PolioPlus.

Later in the summer, I joined members of our Rotary family in supporting the Más Millas Menos Polio (More Miles Less Polio) bike ride. Felipe Meza Chávez and his team rode all the way from Ciudad Juárez, Mexico, to One Rotary Center in Evanston, Illinois, to raise money and awareness. The ride took 12 days, and Felipe and his team collected more than \$100,000 to support the fight against polio. It was a joy to greet them as they arrived in Evanston.

And I was thrilled to see Team End Polio raise global awareness around the 2024 Paris Olympics. This world-class roster of athletes, global leaders, and polio eradication supporters came together to advocate for a world where no child has to live in fear of being paralyzed by polio. Some of the athletes on Team End Polio are polio survivors themselves, adding weight to their advocacy.

These are just a few examples of the many ways Rotary has teamed up recently to End Polio Now. It is vital that we continue to seek out and recruit teammates in polio eradication, especially after the challenges our eradication efforts have faced this year.

The Rotary world was heartbroken to learn about the tragic passing in August of Aidan O'Leary, director for polio eradication at the World Health Organization.

I knew Aidan and worked with him directly. He was a tireless advocate in the fight against polio and a kind, genuine man. We will remember him both for his advocacy and his warmth.

But where there is hardship, there is also hope. I feel hopeful whenever I consider the countless ways Rotary supports the fight every day to eradicate polio.

As people of action, we don't have the luxury of giving in to despair, even in the face of tragedy. The best way to honor Aidan's memory is by teaming up and reaching our goal to End Polio Now.

We made a promise to the children of the world and their families. It is incumbent upon us, together with our global partners, to end this threat once and for all.

There are so many ways we can team up to eradicate polio. You can donate to the End Polio Now campaign, join or initiate a PolioPlus Society in your club or district, or take inspiration from the fundraisers I mentioned above.

I encourage Rotary members around the world to continue to seek out new teammates, so that together, we end polio.



Rtn. Stephanie Urchick

RI President 2024-25

Presidential Address

இனிய நட்புக்களுக்கு, வணக்கம்.

Economic Community மாதமான அக்டோபரில் உங்களை சந்திப்பதில் மகிழ்ச்சி அடைகிறேன் பிரபஞ்சத்தில் ஆணிவேராக இருக்கும் பெண் சக்தியை கொண்டாடும் நவராத்திரி விழா கோலாக்காலமாக துவங்கியிருக்கிறது. சிற்றுயிரியில் இருந்து கடவுள் நிலை வரை அனைத்தும் ஒன்றுதான் என்பதை கொலு படி வரிசைகள் நினைவு படுத்திக் கொண்டே இருக்கின்றன. நவசக்திகளின் பூரணமே பெண். அலைமகளோ, கலைமகளோ, மலைமகளோ, தூர்க்கையோ வேறு வேறு அல்ல. பெண் என்ற ஒற்றை ஆளுமையின் வேறு வேறு பிம்பங்கள் தான்.

பெண்கள் முன்னேற்றம் குடும்பத்திற்கான மட்டுமல்ல சமுதாயத்திற்குமானது. எந்த நாட்டில் பெண்களுக்கு பொருளாதார சுதந்திரம் இருக்கின்றதோ அந்த நாடே முன்னேறிய நாடாகிறது. கல்வியிலும் பொருளாதாரத்திலும் பெண்களை மேம்படுத்தும் திட்டங்களை நாம் இன்னும் நிறைய செய்ய வேண்டும். கல்வியும் பொருளாதாரச் சுதந்திரம் மட்டுமே பெண்களுக்கு தன்னம்பிக்கையை அளிக்கவல்லது. ஒரு தைரியமான பெண்ணால் மட்டும் தான் அதே தன்னம்பிக்கையும் கம்பீரத்தையும் அடுத்த தலைமுறைக்கு கடத்த முடியும். உடலிலும் மனதிலும் ஆரோக்கியமான பெண் சமுதாயத்தை உருவாக்குவதில் ரோட்டரியின் பங்கு முதன்மையானது. குயின்சிடி சங்கமும் திருநெல்வேலி காவேரி மருத்துவமனையும் இணைந்து கர்ப்பை வாய்ப்பு புற்றுநோய்க்கு எதிரான முன்னெடுப்பு எடுத்திருக்கிறோம். கர்ப்பை வாய்ப்பு புற்றுநோய் என்றும் அரக்கனை நாம் அனைவரும் ஒன்றிணைந்து முற்றிலும் அழித்து தசமியை வாகை சூடி கொண்டாடும் காலம் வெகு தொலைவில் இல்லை.



Rtn. Kavitha Senthil Kumar,
President,
Rotary club of Queencity, Dindigul.

Spectacular Moments of September 2024

September 8th, Core Team Introduction

Core Team Introduction was held at Madurai Courtyard by Marriot. Queens,

Rtn.Major Donor.Sharmila Dinesh

(District Training Assembly Chairman 2025-2026)

Rtn.Kalaiselvi

(Assistant Governor 2025-2026)

Rtn.Chitra Ramesh

(New Member Orientation Chairman 2025-2026)

Rtn.Sharmila Balaguru

(Award committee Member 2025-2026)

Rtn.Chitra Jeyan

(Special Invitee2025-2026)

Represented Queencity and were introduced in the Core team for the year 2025-2026.

September 10th, Trash to trees

Reduce Recycle Reuse of Plastics was emphasised to the students Of SBC Academy, Dindigul. The students enthusiastically had collected reusable Plastics every week and we were proud to see the children understating the need for change and acting accordingly. The collected Plastics were sold and the amount raised is used to start a fund by the Interact Team. The fund collected is proposed to be spent wisely in planting large number of trees in the near future.



September 14th, Cervi Cure Vaccination



The dream project "Cervi Cure" , was launched with the tie up with Kavery hospitals. About 22 young girls and women were vaccinated and Papsmear tests and mammogram was done for 50 women over 40. Further registration for vaccination is going on and the second dose for the same is to be organised on 14th October. Rotaract Students of St.Antony's College rendered their support and organised the event beautifully with much appreciation.

Queency is Thankful to Sri Kavery Medical Care (India) Ltd for the free service rendered in providing Vaccinations and Pap-smear test along with Mammogram through their Mobile Mammogram Bus.



September 16th-22nd World Tourism Day - Bali Trip



With respect to world tourism Day on 27th Sept, Bali Trip was also planned. The enriching experience enabled the Queens to learn about their culture. Cultural diversity and unity with our culture was observed. The cuisines native to Bali was relished. It also paved to interact more with the members and the bond of Queens was strengthened. The Queens submerged in the beauty of Bali.



Inter Zone Meet



After 14 years, Queencity had their Inter-Zone meeting with RC of Seminyak. Flags were exchanged. Queencity and Seminyak has a common goal when it comes cervical cancer yet we are proud to be ahead of them as we give free Vaccinations, Papsmear test and Mammogram while they are promoting awareness among their People.

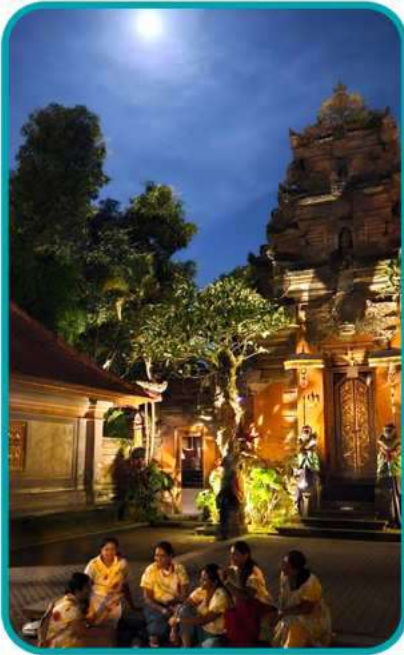
The meeting also highlighted World Literacy and Education day. Dr.Mandy highlighted the importance and target of giving Basic education to children and enhancing book reading among the children. And Queens lead them with our புத்தக சிறகுகள் which was much appreciated. Queencity and Seminyak also spoke about the respective projects undertaken.

We also had an opportunity to meet a team from RC of Indiana, USA and a member from RC of Australia. Rotary Pins were shared with the RC of Indiana. Rtn.Tomen from RC of Bali, heard about us and exchanged flag and ideas with Queencity. The Inter-Zone Meeting brought out various ideas and its importance to the community.



September 19th நிலா முற்றம்

It's neither the full moon nor dinner that makes நிலா முற்றம் special but it's the bond and stories shared makes the day special. As the president, secretary and other members were busy in International Rotary meet, a Zoom meeting with all the members of Queencity was arranged. It was delightful to share their experiences.



Trivia

1921 – The Providence, Rhode Island Club makes Blanche Dayne Cressy the wife of Vaudevillian Will Cressy an honorary Rotarian, claiming her to be “the only Woman Rotarian of her day.”

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June 13, 1921 – At the International convention in Edinburgh, Scotland, Rotary releases a supplement to the 1920 Proceedings for all members, called the “Manual of Procedures.” It includes prohibitions on women as members of rotary, or women’s clubs that use the Rotary name. It permits a “Ladies Auxiliary” for Rotary Clubs. The 1921 Convention in Edinburgh, Scotland produced the Standard Club Constitution in which Article 2, Section III stated “A Rotary Club shall be comprised of men . . .”

September 21st Youth Service Seminar

Queens Rtn.Chitra Ramesh and Rtn.Kogila represented Queencity and participated in the Youth Service Seminar organised by RC of Tiruchirappalli. Inspiring illango was the Chief Guest along with the gracious presence of Rtn.R.Subramani and Rtn.J.Karthik. Actress Anitha Sampath was a special guest.

September 23rd Vision 2030

Queens participated in Vision 2030 held at Madurai. Rtn.Mario Cesar, RI President (2025-2026) focused on membership, its importance and key factors and points with respect increasing membership in Rotary. It was also a proud moment to Rotarians in Indis as we stand 2nd in increasing membership and 1st in understanding Rotary and its functions at the world Level.



Trivia

May 24, 1921 – Mrs. Alwilda Harvey, wife of Chicago Club President, brings fifty-nine Rotary wives together at a luncheon. She becomes the founder and president of a new organization called Women of Rotary. Said Mrs. Harvey, "Women through the ages have always practiced "Service Above Self;" now we have the opportunity to put the slogan into practice in serving our community."

September 27th Trash to Trees



As told in the earlier edition TPKN School Planted herbs at their school Campus from the money collected from selling waste plastics. The Interact Students planted the samplings and they were briefed about how to take care of the sampling.



September 27th Interact Installation

Interact club at shri Vasavi Matric Hr Sec School was installed with new Interact office bearers. Students were given Orient and guidelines about Rotary and Interact. Students were excited to plan different activities and events for the year.



Trivia

November 1928 – Oklahoma City Club No. 29 originates the Rotary Ann auxiliary organization.

Trivia

1946 – Jean Harris, wife of Rotary founder Paul Harris, becomes the first Honorary Member of the Inner Wheel Club of Edinburgh, Scotland.organization.

September 28th Cervi Cure Stall

Cervi Cure stall was installed at the Dindigul Parenting Club Event at Kamarajar Vidyalyaya, Dindigul. Children with their parents were given awareness regarding cervical cancer and the vaccine available. Many parents promised and registered for Free Vaccination. Pamphlets were also given out.

All Thursdays

Club foot was organised as usual every Thursday and the children are benefited from the same. This month the Queens made sure to know the needs of the parents and children and have planned to help them further for their betterment.

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Trivia

November 15, 1923 – The Manchester, England Club produces an invitation for Rotary wives to discuss, "Proposed formation of a Ladies rotary club in Manchester." The idea of a women's Rotary Club is dropped immediately, but the wives adopt the title of Inner Wheel.

From the Queen's Family Genius in Education

Master Anto, Son of Rtn.Dr.Sunitha proved his excellence in studies as he got admitted in PSG Medical College.

Dr.RadhaKrishnan Award

Queens are proud to announce that our Member Rtn.Varlarmathi, educationist is being selected to receive Dr.Radha Krishnan Award for the best Teacher and the services rendered in the field of education.



Marriage

Our youngest and enthusiastic Rtn.Sowmia tied the knot with Mr.Gowtham at Abirami Amman temple on 8th Sept. We wish her all the best as she embarks on this wonderful union. Wishing you joy, love and happiness on your wedding as you begin your new life together.



Trivia

1949 – The Rotary Foundation admits women as Ambassadorial Scholarship recipients.

Vaahaa Naturals

Our Members Rtn.Vijayalakshmi Sivakumar products from Vaahaa Naturals are nominated by Tamilnadu to World Food India Expo at Pragathi Maidan, New Delhi from 19th Sept to 22nd Sept.

CM Trophy

Master Ishaan Karthik Bagged bronze in doubles badminton CM trophy held at Badminton Stadium, Dindigul on 13th Sept.

CBSE Cluster Championship

Master Akshat Raajan son of Rtn.Sujana Pandiya Raajan, participated in the football tournament and emerged as Champions in the Tamilnadu CBSE Football cluster Championships held at Chennai on 15th Sept.

Trivia

June 1949 – R.I. convention plenary speaker is actress Madeleine Carroll, impassioned in support of the world's children. She is one of the first women to speak at an R.I. convention. (Others include blind and deaf author, Helen Keller in 1957, and author, Pearl Buck in 1959).

Trivia

June 1950 – The Rotary Club of Ahmedabad, India proposes an Enactment to the International Convention in Detroit that would delete the word "male" from Article III of the Standard Club Constitution. It is overwhelmingly rejected.

Upcoming Events

DATE	EVENTS
Oct 1	Club meeting at RKG hall
Oct 3	Donating preused Dresses
Oct 5	Industrial Visit - Milky Mist
Oct16	நீலா முற்றம்
Oct 20	IPublic image Seminar
Oct 25	பரிபூரணி
Oct 30	Queens Jaunt
All Thursdays	Clubfoot, Cervi Cure Project Awareness

We Wish Beautiful Queens Remembering their Birthdays & Anniverseries

BIRTHDAYS

12 th Oct	Rtn.Manjula Kannan
15 th Oct	Rtn.Parkavee Santhosh
16 th Oct	Rtn.Sri Hari Priya
25 th Oct	Rtn.Rajeswari Rasathi

ANNIVERSERIES

24 th Oct	Rtn.Parkavee Santhosh
25 th Oct	Rtn.Kalaiselvi



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Pic: Cervi cure project approved and signed by RI President

To Secure Tomorrow's Women, Vaccinate Today's Girls.

**Let's Join Hands this Year to
Create Awareness & Fight Against Cervical Cancer**

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