

**OTTAPALAM**



# ROTARY NEWS

**Installation Special**



**Rtn PHF PM Krishnadasan  
President**



**Rtn MPHF Dr M Narayanan  
Secretary**



# ROTARY CLUB OF OTTAPALAM

Club No 22653

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RI District 3201

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**Rtn PDG Sunil K Zachariah**  
**Our Chief Guest**



**Rtn MPH C P Baiju**  
**Our AG**

## **Out going President's Message**

**Rtn Col KCK NAIR**



Dear Friends,

The year 2014-15, had been a very Busy year. It has been a great learning experience. With the support of the club members ,we have been able to do a lot of community & Vocational service projects, for the needy in and around Ottapalam. We collected a lot of information from the present and past members and released a Coffee Table Book ,showcasing the achievements of the club during the last 30 years, on the charter day on 16 April 2015,during the GOV. It took 7 months of hard work to complete this book. Hats off to the members for this great achievement. I also congratulate the 33 members of the Uttarakhand team who successfully managed to complete the 2 Dham yatra, which included the Himalayan shrine of Gangotri & Badrinath ,in spite of all odds. I wish Rtn Krishnadas and his team ,all the very best for the year 2015-16.

Thank you

Rtn Col KCK Nair



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## **OUR PRESIDENT**

### **Rtn PHF PM Krishnadasan**

KrishnaDasan Pananghat Melathil, popularly known as Dasettan, a mechanical engineer by profession was born in October 1950, in Cherplassery to Late PM Karthiayani Amma. Father shri; K A Narayanan Nair a Board School Master then, hails from popular Kodakkat Arakal family of Bheemanad, Mannarghat

Securing a Diploma in Mech Engineering he moved to Bombay and joined Indian Navy. During his stay in Bombay he completed his Engineering from VJTI

and post graduation in Business Management and Industrial Administration from DIMS Bombay.

From 1970 to 2009, he worked for various employers in management level – Bal Associates, Shrisma Fine Chemicals, Hindustan Lever, Shell Oman to name a few. He worked in places like Bombay, Yemen, Muscat etc. and returned back home to settle in Palappuram, Ottapalam.

Joined Rotary Club of Ottapalam in 2009 and has been actively participating all in its activities since then.

Married to Swarnalatha our incoming Innerwheel President and the couple is blessed with a son and a daughter, and four grand children.

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## Our Secretary

### **Rtn MPHF Dr M NARAYANAN**

Dr Narayanan Machingal was born as eldest of 3 sons to Late E U Gopalakrishna Menon and Mrs M Krishna veni (both retired higher secondary Principals) on 9th January 1967 at Anjumoorthy in Palakkad district. An alumni of St Thomas College Trichur for Pree Degree, had his medical graduation, post graduation in General Surgery and sub specialisation in Paediatric Surgery at Calicut Medical College. Had 6 yrs of Government service at District Hospital Palakkad afterwards worked in private sector. Presently working as Consultant Paediatric and Laparoscopic surgeon at New Aswini Hospital Ottapalam.

Life Member of Indian Medical Association, Association of Surgeon's of India and Indian Association of Paediatric Surgeons. Twice President of IMA Valluvanad Branch now State Working Committee member



Joined Rotary in 2008 at R C Ottapalam introduced by Dr Benoy John. Has been entrusted with club director posts and vice presidency. Was part of contingent of RC Ottapalam to Bangkok, Lisbon and Sydney R I Conventions. Married to Dr Lekha a consultant Gynaecologist and blessed with 2 children, Sreelakshmy +2 student and Pranav in 6th standard. Settled in Manisserri Ottapalam near Rotary Hall

### **The 4- way Test**

**Of the things we think, say, or do**

- Is it the TRUTH?
- Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



## DISTRICT AWARDS WON BY ROTARY CLUB OF OTTAPALAM

| No | Name of Recognition                   | Awarded to               | In appreciation of              |
|----|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1  | Special Recognition                   | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Grant Management Seminar        |
| 2  | Special Recognition                   | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Vocational Training             |
| 3  | Special Recognition                   | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Web Reporting Workshop          |
| 4  | Special Recognition                   | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Support to School for the Blind |
| 5  | Special Recognition                   | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Gift of Life Project            |
| 6  | Special Recognition                   | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Save our Daughters project      |
| 7  | Special Recognition                   | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Bus Shelter at Manissery        |
| 8  | Special Recognition                   | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Shelter for Damayanthi Family   |
| 9  | District Governor's Citation          | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Overall performance             |
| 10 | Special Recognition                   | Rtn A Rammohan           | Sponsoring maximum members      |
| 11 | Light Up Rotary Award                 | Rotary Club of Ottapalam | Top Ranking in credit points    |
| 12 | Light Up Rotary Award                 | Rtn A Rammohan           | Maximum attendance              |
| 13 | Light Up Rotary Award                 | Rtn T N Kutty            | Maximum attendance              |
| 14 | Light Up Rotary Award                 | Rtn Dr Gopikumar         | Maximum attendance              |
| 15 | District Governor's Citation          | Rtn CP Baiju             | Chairman GMS                    |
| 16 | District Governor's Citation          | Rtn V A Balu             | Assistant District Trainer      |
| 17 | Governor's District Recognition Award | RC Ottapalam             | Overall Performance             |
| 18 | RI President's Citation               | RC Ottapalam             | Overall Performance             |
| 19 | RI President's Citation               | Interact Club            | Interact-AVM Chunangad          |
| 20 | RI Certificate of Appreciation        | Rtn Col KCK Nair         | Polio Fund                      |



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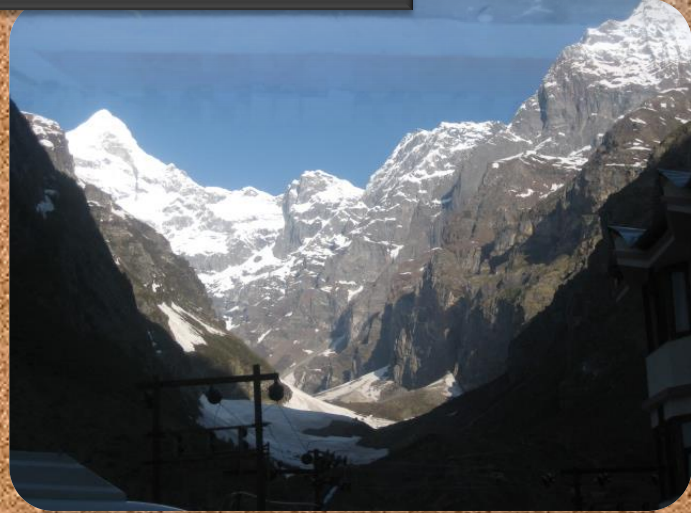
**IGNITE- District Training Assembly**



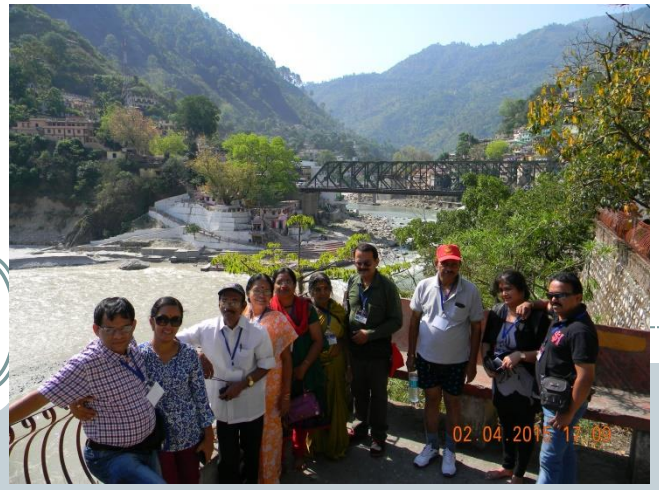




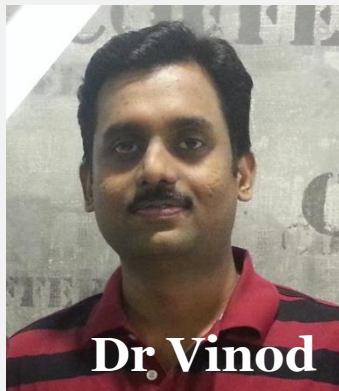
**Glimpses through the year that goes by**







## Welcome to Rotary Family



**Dr. Vinod**

Dr



**Sri K Ramachandran**

## ***Editor's Note***

Rotary Club of Ottapalam is entering into 31<sup>st</sup> year of glorious service to humanity. The community service projects carried out by us during all these years have made remarkable changes in lives of the needy. Let us rededicate ourselves to strengthen Rotary as a whole and our club in particular so that we are able to translate our passions into relevant social causes to change lives in our Community.



**Rtn V A BALU**