



Kaleidoscope

Inner Wheel Club of Bombay Bayview

District 314

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President's Message-

As the quarter comes to an end, I am delighted to share with you the many accomplishments and activities of IWC Bombay Bayview.

The highlight of this quarter was the privilege to meet IWC President Carole Young and Association Pres. Sarita Lunani at the Triennial Conference and yet again at Wakdi. At the Triennial Conference we had the opportunity to interact with clubs from all over India as well as overseas.

Another exciting event that took place was the Charter Celebrations of IWC of Bombay and Queen's Necklace. It was simply inspiring to learn of the fabulous work they have completed under the IW banner. Truly, I felt blessed to be part of such an awesome association that so genuinely works for the welfare of the needy.

We also had the opportunity to closely interact with other IWC of our Zone. The planning that went into the joint fellowship with Zone 1 turned out to be an enriching experience.

National daily Hindustan Times carried a news article on our Organic Kitchen Garden. The project was also featured in the Association Directory. The empowerment of the girl child' as our theme is also

The Naunihal Project nears completion and receives recognition.



The club had arranged for a visit to the center enroute to the Overnight Picnic. About 25 members visited the site and were pleased to note the progress.

The excited girls at the center have named the garden patches after themselves. They appreciate the value of eating fresh and hygienic vegetables, a novelty to them in a city like Mumbai.

This innovative project of the club has been successful in more ways than one. The club has also provided basic computer education to 10 girls from the center. In early March the girls

bearing fruit with two of the sponsored girls having found employment. Our efforts are now showing tangible results.

Every project is dear to the heart, but some a little more so. A visit to the JJ Home for the Aged and an art competition for the children from the NGO on Republic Day fall under this category.

On the other hand, equally important and one that stands apart is the launch of our very own website, www.innerwheel.in on our Charter Day.

People from different walks of life, international events, news worthy projects...all contributed to tremendous growth, creativity and satisfaction. All in all, the last quarter was all about absorbing experiences; experiences from which I learnt that the true meaning of life is to give life meaning.



graduated from their computer courses and were awarded their certificates.

One of the girls made the Women's day card that the club sent out to the District and friends.

It was a joyous moment for the club when we got to know that one of the girls was already employed by the computer agency.

The icing on the cake is the "Spoken English" course that has been arranged for the girls so that they will be more confident and find employment sooner.

Empower the girl child, by education, by way of living, health and most importantly with self-respect.

A cauliflower plant in the shelter home's kitchen garden. Once ripe, the garden's organic vegetables are included in the girls' meals.

Kharghar girls learn joys of organic farming

Organic Farming at Nuanihal, Kharghar was covered by Hindustan Times on March 1, 2013.

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Holi hai!!!



The 13th Triennial Conference at Hyderabad from 1st to 3rd February, 2013 was attended by Vinita, Nimisha, Anuja and President Mita. It was a grand event at a beautiful venue - Leonias Resort. The entire resort, along with 2 more hotels around were booked for the 2400 Inner Wheel delegates from all over India and overseas.

The Club's first Charter Day was celebrated at Cheval, Kala Ghoda on Sunday, 31st March. Dist. Chairman Ms. Amita Timbadia was the Chief Guest. Other District Dignitaries were present and also encouraged the promising club in its endeavours of being the idealist next-gen club.

38 members and their spouses attended the celebration. Many members shared their personal experiences on why they enjoyed IW and what were the factors that motivated them to serve the community selflessly. The strummer added the musical notes to an already swaying afternoon.



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The Best Innovative Project of Dist 314

The All India Association carries one innovative project of each district in the country. It was a proud moment for us to see our project - the Organic Kitchen Garden at Naunihal being given that place of pride.

On the 11th of February we visited Wakdi for the Inauguration of the 25 toilet blocks sponsored by our Club towards the District Rural project.

IIW President Carole Young along with Association President Sarita Lunani and District Chairman Amita Timbadia graced the event.

Our club was the largest sponsor towards this project and was acknowledged by all the dignitaries present.



The Zone 1 fellowship hosted by us was as colourful as its theme HOLI. All the members of the host clubs were in white kurtas with vibrant coloured dupattas.

The highlight was the dance performances by our BAYVIEW STARS Minu, Neha, Manisha, Reepa, Hemangi, Jigna and Sheetal.

Drawings from our 3rd CC event at Kamla Nehru Park adorned the walls of the venue.

Preyal was the judge for the CC competition at the event. She charmed everybody with her interesting talk on colour trends. Vinita was one of the Masters of Ceremony for the event.

Attendance at District Events

- 3rd Jan District Conference (5 members)
- 1-3 Feb Triennial Confererene (4 members)
- 11th Feb Inauguration of Rural Projects Wakadi (6 members)
- 19th Feb Zone 1 Fellowship (25 members)
- 31st Mar Charter Day with the District (38 Members) President Attended
- 16th Mar 50th Anniversary - IWC Bombay
- 17th Mar 25th Anniversary - IWC Queens Necklace
- 17th Mar Dinner for Assn President Ms. Sarita Lunani
- 5th Mar Maitreyee (President Elect)

Exchanged
Flags with :

Pune Downtown, Bhubaneshwar, Cuttack Silver City, Bangalore, Kapurthala, Amritsar Rising Sun, Pune North, Germany, Nigeria and Bangladesh.





TATA
Cancer -
52 Fridays
sponsored
by members

80 Children from Helping Hands

4th CC Event



Museum Visit
"The Mummy"
movie
"Lots of fun"
Lunch

3rd CC Event at Kamala Nehru Park
Amphitheatre on Republic Day



140 children participated
in the art competition.
The theme was "Be a Friend"
and the students were provided
with art material and snacks. PAP
Rakshaben Mehta was our Chief Guest.
ISO Falguni Mehta also graced the occasion.
The paintings were displayed at the Zone 1 Holi
Fellowship.



The Wockhardt Dolphins' team of 11 received their football gear from us. The Junior Championships Leagues for children aged 5-12 is played every Saturday for 10 weeks. Its objectives are to inculcate teamwork and sportsmanship amongst the underprivileged children. This project was in association with Wockhardt Foundation.



Celebrations for the
International Inner
Wheel Day was held at
JJ Dharamsala for the
Aged.

After two successful camps, we had our
third Shradha Anemia Camp on 23rd
January. We tested 115 children and have
administered treatment to those whose
blood levels were low.

We successfully conducted an SNID Polio Camp with our
Rotary Club on 24th Feb 2013. It was held at
Priyadarshini Park and was attended by 15+ IW members.

The 64 residents of the
Dharamsala enjoyed Kara-
oke singing and relived
their youth with
cheer and enthusiasm.
Our members sang and
danced with them
adding to the joie-de-
vivre. They were served
snacks and a delicious
dinner to complete the
celebration.



We learnt some
quick mousse tricks
and brun pav maska
chaska at celebrated
gourmand Asha Khatau's
residence.

The Sangria added the
zing to the tea-party.

Overnight Picnic at Citrus, Lonavla with Fluorescent
Coffee, Bartender mixing mocktails, games, singing
and dancing.

Joint Fellowship with IWC of Hanging Gardens to
Celebrate Womens Day. Belly dancing, a makeover
by Shiseido, Massage coupons from the husbands,
glamorous photo-sessions and an exciting
back-present made the afternoon a very
memorable one.



YOU SHOULD KNOW

Munazza Fatehi

Kavita Malhotra

Usha Sud

Now, our strength is
67 members

Upcoming Events

2nd April
Visit to Priyanj Special School

10th April
Incoming Team's "Milaap" with District
at Rotary Center, Juhu

12th April
AGM and GBM at Malabar Hill Club
4pm - Innate Analysis

May
Closed month

11th June
District Assembly Muskaan Manek
Sabhagriha

11th June
Joint Installation of Incoming
President Nimisha Mirani with Dist 314
at Muskaan

19th June
Meghdhanush - Installation Ceremony
of Assn President Pushpa
Suryamurthy at Bhaidas Auditorium

Contact Club Secretary Vinita Maroo
at 98200 70966 for details

Be a Friend

"Be a Friend " Almighty said to me
I ask to whom and how I can be?
Said He, first and foremost be a friend to me
And then begin the "friendship journey"
Then my friend, befriend yourself
And that's when you conquer, your destiny
After you have achieved this, your next step
With all the might, you extend it to the family
You conquer hearts and earn all the love
This is how " Be My Friend " extends to the society
It's a helping hand, joining more hands
And enjoying the incredible journey
"Be A Friend" dear one, happens only one way
It's just a gentle hush "I'm always there"
Whenever you need me

Hemal Maskai
Club Correspondent



IW Objective - Foster International
Understanding

Holi in Singapore

The Festival of Colours is celebrated with as much fanfare in the the Chinese country of Singapore as it is in India. This year, the 'Rang De Holi' festival is scheduled for Saturday, 30th March. The Bhojpuri Society of Singapore has organised it at the very popular Kembangan CC. The Indians in Singapore ensure that even if they cannot enjoy the festival with family in India, they celebrate it with friends from Singapore and Malaysia. There is water gugal, and bhaang aplenty and a blogger has described the aftermath as "looking like some weird circus clown who fell through a rainbow".

Another event that has caught on in the international arena is the "Singapore Holi Open Air Festival". A multi-continent activity it traveled through Hamburg, Berlin, Capetown and is expected in Singapore and Barcelona. Being considered the "World's Biggest Colour Party' featuring musicians of international repute, the audience indulges in playing with colours while the concert is on.

Be a Friend - Swati Jajodia, Member

Bring on the problems, dilemmas, questions....
Enter tough times, good times, no times,
Another day, another situation,
Friends, they help us tide through all.
Repeatedly reassuring, loving and kind,
Indignantly standing unfazed by time.
Empathizing with each other enjoying is not a crime.
Never judgmental, critical or demanding;
Designed to coexist, be a friend to me, to nature,
to one and all, an experience so divine
so joyful you simply learn to live.



The Merlion in Singapore in colourful splendour celebrating Holi

Concept and Creativity - Treasurer Nimisha Mirani and Club Correspondent Hemal Maskai

We meet on the 1st Friday of the month at WIAA Club. For details, please call Club Secretary Vinita Maroo at 98200 70966