



MADRAS COSMOPOLITAN ROUND TABLE 94

Inaugurated On: 5.10.88

Chartered On : 11.03.89

Meeting No. 499 & Yearly Meeting No. 14	Meeting: Dinner meeting hosted by Tr Ashish and Shalini
Date: 24/01/09	Venue: The Fortune Palms

AIMS AND OBJECTS OF ROUND TABLE:

- To develop the fellowship of young men through the medium of their business and professional occupations and community service activities.
- To encourage active and responsible citizenship by cultivating the highest ideals in business, professional and civic traditions.
- To promote and further international understanding, friendship and co-operation.
- To promote the extension of the association.

ATTENDANCE

SL.NO	NAME	STATUS	MEETING HELD	ATTENDED	CR	CR USED	% W/OUT CREDITS	% W/ CREDITS
1	Tr. Neville Bilimoria(C)	P	14	14	10	0	100	100
2	Tr. Senthil Kumar (VC)	P	14	14	12	0	100	100
3	Tr. Rajeev Vijaykumar	P	14	11	3	3	78.5	100
4	Tr Shailesh Vummidi	P	14	14	1	0	100	100

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5	Tr Dinshaw Parakh	P	14	13	4	1	93	100
6	Tr Ashish Ahuja	P	14	12	2	2	85	100
7	Tr Deepu Selvaraj	P	14	8	0	0	57	57
8	Tr Imran Pasha	P	14	12	0	0	85	85
9	Tr J.S. Krishna	P	14	11	0	0	78.5	77
10	Tr Krishna Ravindran	LOA	14	10	0	0	71	71
11	Tr Madan Kumar	P	14	11	1	1	78.5	85
12	Tr Manoj Lulla	A	14	12	5	2	85	100
13	Tr Mehul Nanavati	P	14	10	1	1	71	78.5
14	Tr Murali Balan	A	14	8	0	0	57	57
15	Tr Nauzer D.	P	14	12	0	0	85	85
16	Tr Nifin Mehra	A	14	10	2	2	71	85
17	Tr Rajesh Jayaraman	P	10	7	0	0	70	70
18	Tr Rajit Mhetras	P	14	14	3	0	100	100
19	Tr Raghu Kailas	P	14	13	6	1	93	100
20	Tr R. Ravindran	P	14	13	0	0	93	93
21	Tr Samir Singla	P	14	9	1	1	64	71
22	Tr Sivaramakrishnan	P	14	13	4	1	93	100
23	Tr Vijay Balaji	LOA	14	7	2	2	50	64

HONORARY TABLER

Bipin Bhatia	Absent
Ketan Bagadia	Absent
Raghuraman	Absent

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SUMMARY

This Meeting	Trs with 100%	Trs Under 60%	Total Table%
18/23	10	2	78%

SPECIAL INVITEE

Dr. Achuth was Present.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

Chairman Tr. Neville called the 499th Meeting, 14th of the year 2008-09 of the Madras Cosmopolitan Round Table No. 94 to order with a toast to President Republic of India & sponsor Table MERT 30.

AIMS & OBJECTS:

Tr Rajesh Jayaraman read the Aims and Objectives.

SERGEANT AT ARMS:

Tr. Samir Singla was appointed as sergeant at arms.

WELCOME:

The chairmen welcomed all tablers of MCRT 94 and Spl. Invitee Dr. Achuth. He also welcomed Tr. Avinash Hemdev from Table 1, Tr. Manu Wassan from Table 1, Tr. Suniel Lulla (HT of Table 1), Tr. Dilip Thakurdas from Table 3 and Tr. Satish Kumar from Table 3.

CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:

The confirmation of the minutes of the previous meeting was:

Proposed By : Tr. Dinshaw Seconded By : Tr. Mehul

MATTER ARISING THERE OF NOT COVERED ELSEWHERE:

None

TABLERS AT OTHER MEETINGS:

Tr. Senthil – various meetings
Tr Rajith – MRT 1
Tr Raghu – MRT 1
Raghu - NEX

TABLERS AT OTHER PROJECTS:

Tr Shiva visited Sanjeevi

GREETINGS AND BIRTHDAYS:

2008-2009

BIRTHDAYS

- ✚ Tr. Rajith – 29th January
- ✚ Dinshaw – 02nd February

ANNIVERSARIES

- ✚ Manoj and Shradha – 26th January
- ✚ Krish and Netra – 27th January
- ✚ Neville and Kamini - 10th February

CORRESPONDENCES RECEIVED:

NEX:

- Received greetings from Round Table India Foundation Treasurer Sqlg. BB Venkatesh. He thanked the table for the support and the wonderful gesture of all the Tablers of MCRT 94 to become 100% LMF and for also the commitment towards Golden LMF.
- Received invitation for "Gaata Rahe Mera Dil" - singing competition from Tr. C.Vinod Reddy, Convenor Fellowship – RTI & Cr. Anjalai Kumar, Co-convenor Fellowship – LCI.
- Received email from Tr. Tr. C.Vinod Reddy, Convenor Fellowship – RTI regarding President's proposal to observe 10th February as 41ers day.

AEX:

- Received the minutes tracker from Tr. Kavalpreet Singh, Area II Secretary / Treasurer.
- Received 2nd AEX meeting minutes from AST Tr. Kavalpreet Singh
- Received Accounts as on 31.12.08 from AST Tr. Kavalpreet Singh
- Received invitation for the community service project of Area II from Tr. Ajay Jalan, Area Convener – Community Services.
- Received report on Intertable Cricket Tournament between various tables of Area 2 from Tr. Vishal Jindal, Secretary – MERT 30.
- Received Area 2 Blog report made for the Second AEX from Tr.Vinay Grandhi, RTI Area 2 Blog Convenor.

OTHERS:

- Received 540th meeting minutes and 2nd Quarterly report, meeting minutes from Tr. Paul, Secretary – MCRT 82.
- Received Nomination from table MSRT 159, Tr. Shriram for the post of Area Secretary and Treasurer for the year 2009-2010.
- Received the 711th meeting minutes from Tr Sreedaran, Secretary, PTR70
- Received 162nd meeting minutes from Tr. Brajesh Gutgutia, Secretary – MSRT 159.
- Received 397th meeting minutes from Tr Viral secretary –MSRT 123
- Received 811th meeting minutes from Tr Vishal secretary – Table 30
- Received the 119th, 120th, 121st meeting minutes, 16th of the year and the 2nd Quarterly report from Tr Pratik Shah secretary, MKRT 181.
- Received 499th meeting minutes from Tr. R.R.Sriram, Secretary - MMRT95
- Received 479th, 480th & 481st meeting minutes from Tr. Solomon, Secretary - MART100.
- Received 468th meeting minutes from Tr. Anand Gandhraj, Secretary – PRRT- 104.
- Received 788th meeting minutes and second quarterly report from Tr. Rohit V Shroff, Secretary - MSRT39.
- Received the 2nd Quarterly Report of M.S.R.T 39 from Tr. Rohit V Shroff, Secretary.
- Received Republic day project invitation from MART 100.
- Received 500th meeting invitation of MMRT 95 from Chairman Tr. Punit Sampath.
- Received the 2nd Quarterly Report of MART 100 from Tr.Solomon Kishore Kumar, Secretary.
- Received the 2nd Quarterly Report of MKRT 181 from Tr. Pratik Shah, Secretary.
- Received 1174th meeting minutes of MMRT3 Tr. Naveen, Secretary.

RECEIVED CONFIRMATION OF 498TH MEETING MINUTES FROM:

✚ **Tr. Kavalpreet Singh Sethi - Area II Secretary / Treasurer, Round Table India**

I hereby acknowledge the 498th & 13th meeting minutes of MCRT 94. Would like to congratulate the table on the awards & COM's won at the National AGM. All the best for your 500th meet and 19th Anniversary celebrations of Sanjeevi

✚ **Tr. Punit Sampath – Chairman, MMRT 95**

Recd your minutes, brilliant as usual. Just goes around to prove that a great chairman can be a amazing secretary also. Nevi boy you are going great guns, guess with both barrels shooting and lots of ammo still packed.

INDUCTION:

None.

CONVENORS' REPORT:

FELLOWSHIP: – Tr. Samir Singla & Tr. Vijay Balaji

- **Plans for the 500th Meeting:** the 500 meeting of the table will be jointly hosted by the two Krishna's. it was decided to invite the president of RTI, Area Chairman, chairmen from other tables and the Area Board for the meeting. Further details would be discussed with the hosts closer to the date of the meeting.

PROJECTS: - Tr. Sivaramakrishnan & Tr. Senthil Kumar

- Tr. Senthil advised that the table has received Rs. 25,000 grant from RTI towards the school project at JGGHSS.
- JGGGHSS Virugumbakkam will now be 9 + 1 (noon meal Center)=10
Govt High school Nandanam will be 5 + 4 = 9 classrooms

Both the above projects are well under way

- Tr. Senthil advised the table that he and chairman were going to approach Mr. RV Sekhar for the 24 classroom project at Choolaimedu High School. It is an SSA project and the total outflow to be raised apart from the SSA was about 5 lakhs. The table has agreed to go ahead with this project.
- The chairman advised the SCAW Kit distribution would be held on the 4th of Feb at the Govt. Adi Dravidar School in Mowlivakkam.
- **Sanjeevi Health Care Center**

Dr Achuth informed us of the following developments at Sanjeevi

- Ford has appointed a new chairman of the Sanjeevi board in place of Karthik.
- Past chairman Sriram generously donated Rs. 10,000 to the center and Rs. 10,000 to the table.
- Discussion and plans are on to celebrate the 10th anniversary of Sanjeevi. Chairman is working on getting Central Health Minister Anbumani Ramdoss as the chief guest for the function. It was also decided to honor 2 employees of the center who have been there since its inception.

RULES: - Tr. Krishna Ravindra

- Tr. Krishna was on LOA.

EXTENTION: - Tr. Dinshaw Parakh & Tr. Madan Kumar

- Tr. Dinshaw advised that there were three prospectives who were attending the meeting namely: Sri Prakash Shastry, Vaibhav and Gopi Shetty. This would be their 1 contact meeting.

PUBLICITY: - Tr. Ashish Ahuja

- Lots of publicity is being planned for the tables inter-table event called the Chennai Sutra.
- The donation boxes placed in stores are doing really well. Tr Shailesh advised the table that the box placed at Spencer Landmark bookstore earned Rs 3,000 in a couple of months.

FUNDRAISING: - Tr. Manoj Lulla & Tr. Deepu Selvaraj

- The Pankaj Udhas accounts had been finalized but Tr Manoj was not present to furnish the accounts.

HRD: - Tr. Raghu Kailas & Tr. Imran Pasha

- Tr Raghu advised that the dates for the HR overnighter with wives at Adventure Zone was confirmed for the weekend of the 30th and 31st of January 2009. He encouraged all tablers and families to attend this fun filled event. He also advised the based on last year feedback from the tablers, a lot of care planning has gone into this years event.

SUPPLY HOUSE: - Tr. Nifin Mehra

- Tr. Nifin was absent.

GREETING CARDS: - Tr. Rajit Mhetras

- Tr. Rajit had nothing to report.

IRO: - Tr. Mehul Nanavati

- Tr Mehul was absent.

WEB: - Tr. Murali Balan & Tr. J.S. Krishna

- There was nothing to report.

INTERTABLE: - Tr. Nauzer Dadabhoy & Tr. Dinshaw Parakh

- Tr Nauzer advised the table that the TOP GUN Volley ball event was tomorrow the 25th of January at the Valmiki Nagar Beach. There was also the throw ball event for the circlers who incidentally are the reigning champions. He advised all tablers to participate.

MAGAZINE: - Tr. R. Ravindran & Tr. J. S. Krishna

- The 2nd issue of the VIBE 94 is currently under production and is slated for release during the 500th meeting which is to be held on the 14th of February.

TREASURER'S REPORT: - Tr. Shailesh Vummidi

- Tr. Shailesh advised the balance in the respective accounts are pretty strong.

Administration: Rs.44,559/- + 4 x Rs.1,00,000.00 deposits

Charity: Rs.16,52,024.68

SECRETARY: - Tr. Rajeev Vijayakumar

- Tr. Rajeev had nothing to report.

CHAIRMAN: - Tr. Neville J Bilimoria

- The chairman requested the table if it could be a 100% LMF table. The table agreed and the remaining tablers who had to become LMF's agreed to send in their cheques.
- Chairman also requested if we could make MCRT 94 a GLMF. The table has agreed to become a GLMF table.
- The chairman advised the table that at the Area Board meeting, Tr Manoj was given a special pin by the Area Chairman to recognize his efforts for the "Citizens for change campaign"

ANY OTHER MATTER:

The table gave a standing ovation to Tr Senthil after hearing testimonials from Mr. RV Sekhar passed on by Tr Rajith for his outstanding work with building classrooms for the table.

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS:

Tr Sam didn't give much consideration to the deteriorating economy and the fact that the tablers had to pay toll to get to the meeting, he fined everyone and collected sunshine of Rs.2,400/-

VOTE OF THANKS:

Chairman thanked Tr. Ashish Ahuja for hosting the dinner meet and thanked all tablers for coming to the meeting.

DATE AND VENUE OF THE NEXT MEETING:

- The next meeting will be the 500th Meeting hosted by the Krishna's (Krishna Ravindran & J.S.Krishna) on the 14th of February at the Raintree Hotel.

CLOSURE:

- **Chairman Tr. Neville** brought the 499th meeting of Madras Cosmopolitan Round Table 94 to a close with a toast to Round Table India and Round Table International.

Yours in tabling

Rajeev Vijaykumar
Secretary,
Madras Cosmopolitan Roundtable 94