



## **ROTARACT CLUB OF PATRICIAN COLLEGE REPORT 2014 - 2015**

The Installation Ceremony of Rotaract Club office bearers took place on August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2014. The installation was presided over by Rtn. Jayaseelan . J, the President of Rotary Club of Adyar who, along with Rtn. Karunakaran. T – New Gen Director, Rotary Club of Adyar and the Director, Principal and Vice principal of the college, vested the office bearers with their powers and accountabilities. Rtn. Jayaseelan also addressed the gathering on the history and significance of the Rotary movement and Rotaract Clubs in a collegiate environment. Rtn. Karunakaran felicitated the office bearers and informed the gathering about the various plans of Rotary Club of Adyar in association with its member Rotaract clubs for the academic year 2014-15.



**Rtn. Jayaseelan, Chief guest with the dignitaries and Leo club student leaders on dais**

The installed office bearers were

Joshua Sathyaraj	– III BCom A	– President
Prince Jerald	– III BCA B	– Vice President
Mejina James	– III BCom CS	– Secretary
Karthik E	– III BSc CS	– Treasurer
Yashwaanath	– II BBA	– Joint Secretary
Aravind Kumar BM	– II BBA	– Sergeant-at-arms
Ziya	– III BCom B	– Director
Sangeetha	– III BCom B	– Director
Deepa	– III BCA A	– Director
Joshua . C	– III BSc VisCom	– Director
Tamilarasan	– III BBA	– Director

The Rotaractors of Patrician College took part in the March Past Display of the Sports Day and performed well. Their smart dressing and display of the four aims of the Rotaract movement – **Friendship, Leadership, Unity and Service**, was highly commended by various other clubs and faculty.

On August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2014, the Rotaractors of Patrician College participated in Dance of District 3230 organized by Rotary Club of Chennai North and they were selected to the final round of the competition to be held on October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2014.

The faculty coordinators of college based Rotaract clubs were invited for a workshop and interactive session called “Dhrona” on September 6<sup>th</sup>, 2014. The Rotary District 3230 Governor Rtn. ISAK Nazar was the Chief Guest. The delegates from various colleges interacted with the organizing team and commended the District Council for organizing various events, and at the same time participated a SWOT analysis to identify the strengths possessed and challenges that were faced by them as Club Coordinators.



### **The faculty coordinators Rotaract workshop**

Rotaractors took part in the Debate evening organized by the Rotary Club of Adyar at their club premises on September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2014 and debated on the topic “ Is pocket money a boon or a bane for youngsters and children?” speaking for the cause of pocket money. Rtr. Yashwaanath G was nominated as the Best Speaker by the Rotarians who were moderating the debate.

Rotary Club of Adyar hosted the Governor of District 3230 Rtn. ISAK Nazar at their club meeting held on September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2014 and the Rotaract club office bearers were sent on a delegation to represent the college at the meeting. The Governor spoke fervently about the need of interaction to improve social behavior and encouraged the young Rotarians and Rotaractors to further the cause of Rotary movement. The college delegates reported back saying that they gained a wealth of information on attitude toward service and society consciousness.

Rotaractors from all over Chennai district gathered for WAVES – a RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Awards) held on 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> of September 2014. The Rotaract Club of Patrician College sent three delegates, Rtr. Ziya, Rtr. Aravind and Rtr. Sangeetha to represent the club at the RYLA. The delegates underwent training through activity based learning sessions and group discussions along with social events over a weekend which enabled and inspired them to be better leaders not only in the club but also in the society at large.



### **Activity based learning by Rotaractors at WAVES RYLA**

On October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2014, the Rotaract Club joined hands with the NSS club of Patrician College and undertook a social cleanliness awareness programme where around 25 Rotaractors were actively involved in disseminating information regarding need for social cleanliness at the location of Greenways Road railway station. The participants gained an increased aptitude for social concern and made people aware of garbage disposal and clean living.



**Rotaractors actively involved in disseminating information regarding need for social cleanliness at the location of Greenways Road railway station**