

3rd Anniversary Celebrations (Contd.)



Mr. Imad commended the role of the club towards development of communication & leadership skills of Nesma employees. He encouraged the EXCOM to raise its membership to at least 50.

The function included the Induction Ceremony of the new EXCOM for the year 2010-2011. The newly elected President TM Ravi Karkera, in his speech, thanked the club members for putting their confidence in him by giving him the opportunity to lead the club. He vowed his commitment for the success of the club and urged the EXCOM, the past Presidents, members of the club, Toastmasters Governors & the veteran Toastmasters and Nesma management for their support, guidance and patronage.

The entertainment session got underway with the Humorous Speech Contest. Speakers regaled the audience with their sense of humor. Participants were TM Oussama Turk, TM Ravi Karkera and TM Afzal Ahmed. The contest was won by TM Oussama Turk.

This was followed by a lively Table Topics Contest, conducted by TM Ravi Karkera. Toastmasters as well as members of the audience were called to speak on various interesting topics. Teenage Youth Leader Prateek Pujari mesmerized the audience with his presence of mind and charismatic speech and won the contest.

The program ended with the distribution of awards and trophies. The attraction of this segment was the Toastmaster of the Year Award and Best Attendance Award. Toastmaster of the Year Award went to TM Shekhar Tiwari while TM Damodar Kalani and five other members got the Best Attendance Award.



Cultural Session @ the 3rd Anniversary - Highlights



The much-entertaining Cultural Program included an Indian dance, songs, and playing of various musical instruments.

9 year old Prishita Pujari enchanted the audience with her fine Indian dance. Other artists who performed were Dheeraj Sharma (Flute), Ziad Bou Alwan (Guitar), Oussama Turk (Arabian Oudh), and piano maestro, Mohd Kadri. There were also songs sung by other artists, namely, Verghese George & Lancy D'Souza (Indian songs) and Mrs. Ushakiran D. Kalani (Ghazal).



A sumptuous dinner, consisting of a variety of delicious dishes from Nesma Catering, was served at the end.

The function was indeed a well organized and entertaining one, enjoyed by everyone present. It will remain in our memory for a long time to come.



New EXCOM's Induction Ceremony held

The Induction Ceremony of the newly elected Executive Committee of the club was held on 4th June 2010 during the 3rd Anniversary Celebration. TM Alex Philip, Past President of the club conducted the Induction Ceremony.



Outgoing EXCOM

- Afzal Ahmed – Sergeant @ Arms
- Mohamed El Sicy – Treasurer
- Damodar Kalani – Secretary
- Mohamed Kadri – VP Public Relation
- Ali Al Zabadin – VP Membership
- Ravi Karkera – VP Education
- Mohammad Safiullah – President
- Alex Philip – Immediate Past President

New EXCOM

- Premanandan Kurunthil – Sergeant @ Arms
- Shekhar Chander Tiwari – Treasurer
- Abdul Gaffar Shaikh – Secretary
- Damodar Kalani – VP Public Relation
- Afzal Ahmed – VP Membership
- Mohamed Kadri – VP Education
- Ravi Karkera – President
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Kids' Corner



Amal Abdul Gaffar
D/o Abdul Gaffar Shaikh



Farida Jamaledine
D/o Khalil Jamaledine
HR Coordinator, Kaust



Fatima Baquar
D/o Baquar
Secretary, Olaya Project



Mousa M. Kadri
S/o Mohammed Kadri
VP Education



Abdur Raqeeb Abdul Gaffar
S/o Abdul Gaffar Shaikh
Visa Unit Head

A Dream Comes True

Today I would like to share my biggest dream with all of you. We all know that achieving or getting something special is different from anything in the world. When I was in class 12th I used to say to my friends, "Wow, look at that person. He is a manager. Did he do MBA?"

Every day I used to think about this. One day I decided that I will also do MBA and become a Manager. After 12th I decided to go for B.Tech. Today, after completing four years of B.Tech, I got admission in a good MBA institute. The name of the institute is IMM (Institute of Management and Marketing) situated in Delhi, India.

Getting admission in such a good institute is like fulfilling your dream.

For me this is amazing, for me this is magnificent and for me this is unbelievable.

Wow, I am at the top of the world to see my dream come true.

This dream of mine is a reality because of the blessings of my parents. They are the ones who always support me and stand beside me. They always encourage me to pursue my dreams.

After 2 years I will be a manager like that person. Won't that be just wonderful? ■

Himanshi Tiwari
D/o Shekhar C. Tiwari



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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

(July 2010-June 2011)

President:
Ravi Karkera

VP - Education:
Mohammed Kadri

VP - Membership:
Afzal Ahmed

VP - Public Relation:
Damodar Kalani

Secretary:
Abdul Gaffar Shaikh

Treasurer:
Shekhar Tiwari

Sergeant @ Arms:
Premanandan Kurunthil

Immediate Past President:
Mohammad Safiullah

Past Presidents:
Oussama Turk
Alex Philip

EDITORIAL COMMITTEE

Damodar Kalani - Chairman
Afzal Ahmed - Editor
A Gaffar Shaikh - Sub-Editor

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www.nesmaptmc.com

Upcoming Events

- Club Officers Training for Division F, M & O scheduled on 29 July, 2010 postponed. New date is expected to be announced soon.
- Workshop on "Vocal Variety" by DTM Lancy D'Souza on Thursday, 12 August 2010 at Nesma Auditorium during the usual Toastmasters meeting.

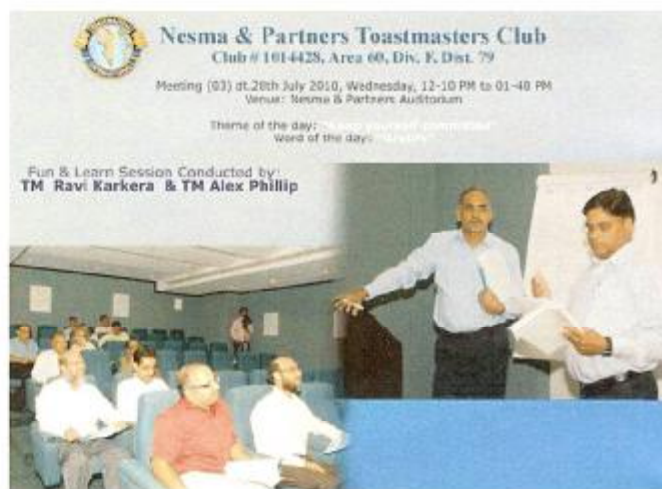
Positive Thought!

Soldier: "Sir, we are surrounded from all sides by enemies".

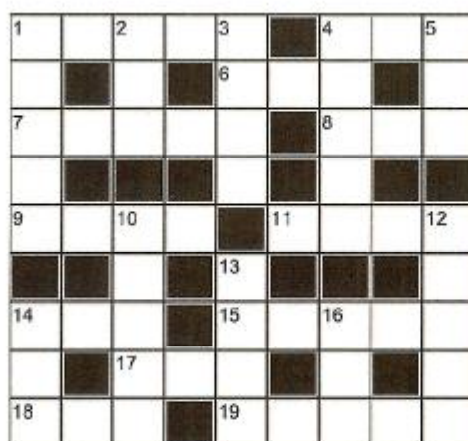
Major: Excellent! We can attack in any direction!

New in the Club Meeting

In order to make the club meetings more lively and exciting, a new session "Fun & Learn" has been introduced. The idea was originated by the club President TM Ravi Karkera and it was welcomed by all the members.



Crossword Puzzle



Across

1. Move in great numbers
4. Litigate against
6. Perform in a play
7. Thief
8. Kangaroo's child
9. Place to leave valuables
11. Self-satisfied
14. Not me; thee
15. Degrees separating 2 lines
17. Incorporated (abbr.)
18. Past of meet
19. Finished

Down

1. Bags
2. Time gone by
3. Create
4. Stroke a guitar
5. Self perception
10. Apples, oranges or bananas
12. Want too much
13. Frilly fabric
14. Sweet potato
16. Almighty

About Our Club

Charter Date: 12th June 2007
Club Type: Corporate Club
Meeting Frequency: Twice a month
Meeting Day: Wednesday/ Thursday
Meeting Time: 12-30 PM to 02-00 PM
Venue: Nesma Auditorium

Location: Prince Majed Street – Cross 6,
Al Khobar, Saudi Arabia.
Membership Eligibility: Any employee of
Nesma group of companies is eligible to be a
member.
Present membership: 40

Join our club and master the art of communication & leadership skills: