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Leave a Lasting Legacy
IIW Theme 2017-18

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**Dr Kapila Gupta
IIW President
2017-18**



Biodata Dr Kapila Gupta IIW President 2017-18

Born on 21st August, Doctor by profession, At present holding the post of Director - Consultant at Dr. O.P. Gupta Memorial Diagnostic Centre, Rohtak

- Joined Inner wheel Club Rohtak in 1991-92
- Served at all posts at Club level and bagged many awards as Best President, Best secretary and other running trophies. Appreciation award from national polio Committee. Elected to District post in 2000-01 as District Editor and served at all post of District to reach the highest post of District chairman-301 in 2006-07. As District Chairman - first to launch Website of her District 301. First to host-ICI-Incoming Chairman,s Institute. Made 3 new Clubs, promoted Excursion trips.
- 2007-08 Got elected as National treasurer for Association of IW Clubs in India.
- Elected as National President for Association of Inner wheel Clubs in India in 2009-10,served till 2010-11.
- Motivated Districts to form 53 new Clubs highest Record at that time.
- Took large no approx 700 IW members to Sri Lanka for 2nd South Asia Rally and played key role in its arrangements.
- 2013-14 got elected as IIW Treasurer-first ever from India, devoting to her duty well as IIW Treasurer & got elected unopposed for the last two years in a row to serve till 2015-16.
- Played a key role as Ex officio for the XVI IIW Convention at Copenhagen 2015.
- 2016-17 Got elected as IIWVP ,first one from India to serve in continuity at IIWEC for two prime posts.
- Actively took part in Rotary activities , was awarded best supportive spouse by DG in 2000-01.
- Life Member of IMA, FIAMS, MIMSA, UPCHAR, RED CROSS, FLO. President Mahila Dakshita Samiti 1997-98,99,2000.
- First woman to Start women wing of IMA Rohtak, which is functioning till date successfully.
- Was on the managing Body Red Cross society Rohtak for many years.
- Besides her knowledge of Allopathy, She has Keen interest in Alternate therapies, has learnt Reiki, keen interest in Astrology and Art of Living. Religious by nature and believer of Karmic theory as well as fond of reading on these subjects.
- She has travelled in the country and worldwide to South East Asia, USA, Europe & UAE several times and is fond of reading and is a computer savvy.
- Married to Rotarian P.P. Rakish Mohan Gupta, Active Rotarian, industrialist, Blessed with two children, Elder son Karan M.Tech as senior software consultant USA, married to Rashmi, MBA, blessed with two daughters Daughter Neha MBA ,PGDM,. Management Consultant in Canada, Married to Vineet software consultant . Both are religious and brought up with high moral values.

Message Dr Kapila Gupta IIW President 2017-18

Dear IW friends

IW Greetings to u all at all levels of IW administration. Start New IW year with new zeal , new hopes new avenues of service & friendship with a new look & new ideas . Ideas to change the way we serve to leave a lasting Legacy..

IW is member base organisation at all levels & a service based organisation with defined goals ,We realise that world understands what IW is & what do we do.Each one of us is not defined by who we are but by what we do.IW has been around since 93 years , growing each year , so much so that this year International IW celebrates its 50th year of formation.

Whatever service work you undertake, be it education, improving sanitation or building playgrounds, senior citizen homes , do these in such a way to let the world around know your service & our strive to be the largest women's service organisation.We are changing lives of many by the service we provide - in ways large or small but we are trying --- to leave a lasting legacy.

We all need to be remembered to feel that we have contributed something to our organisation by contributing to the world around.For some this can be a driving force leading to a great accomplishment & extraordinary contribution to the mankind.But for most of us with more modest goals,what pushes us is the desire to ---Leave A Legacy.

Whether you're a regular convention goer, haven't been to one in a few years, or haven't yet attended your first, the 2018 convention will be the one you won't want to miss. Melbourne is a great destination in its own right, with great food, friendly people, and many local attractions to enjoy. But the real reason to come to the convention is always the convention itself, and the people, ideas, inspiration, and friendship you'll find there. To learn more, and save money on registration, visit www.iwconvention2018.org See you in Melbourne

Dr Kapila

IIW President 2017-18



IIW ELECTION RESULTS 2017-2018

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Inner Wheel's Objectives



To promote true friendship

To encourage the ideal of personal service

To foster international understanding



Writeup on IIW Theme 2017-18

All these years ,all of us have been trying to make the world know of IW & its activities ,So when i was thinking over to give a Theme -2017-18 ,I thought to give a theme which each member would understand ,why i have chosen it.Entering into its 94th year of existence & 50th year of formation of International Inner Wheel worldwide & myself being 50th IIW President & yet even our nearest have not heard of our prestigious organisation.

Theme it self says that all through out the year we would work towards publicizing & strengthening our organisation,s existence .Let the world around you ,ur friends,family know of the service IW is doing to needy & is one of the largest women's service organisation.

We all need to be remembered to feel that we have contributed something to our organisation by contributing to the world around.For some this can be a driving force leading to a great accomplishment & extraordinary contribution to the mankind.But for most of us with more modest goals,what pushes us is the desire to ---Leave A Legacy.

Your Legacy is putting your stamp on the future of your organisation.Its a way to make some meaning of your existence .

---"Yes world of future,i was here,here is my contribution. .

There are many ways you can leave Legacy---

Leaving to young generation,are memories of good work done by us now to promote service to needy & friendship around us among members.

Or You can do more than just serve as a good role model ,you can take more active approach to Leaving a Lasting Legacy,Providing a History--- Research history of your club/ District is a wonderful way to let your new member know ,as well add to your personal contribution.

Your Legacy grows each time you inspire others to see something thro to fruition.To help guide as a leader & keep them moving in right direction.

If you were to leave your current post in IW today-what is the legacy you would leave behind ? How would others remember you ?

Legacy --its not bound by age,or time served.Legacy represents your way of work at each level of you in organisation

If you were to leave your current post in IW,what is the legacy you would leave behind ??How would others remember you?Are you putting in another time & efforts to your present post or taking time to learn at the post you are, so it can guide you to next part of your post or your ability to influence others.

If you were to evaluate 10years of your life in organisation at its various stages, do you have enough landmarks or stories to share - about your legacy ?

Legacy is about being mindful of the opportunities & responsibilities.

All members must take responsibility to create legacies that will take next generation to a level , we could only imagine.

.At each level of your working in IW ,you learn how to keep creating sustainable impact & influence on community or members in the organisation.With each step you take ,you will identify new ways of creating long lasting impact of your service or communication style to tell the world around of your organisation.

With wishes for a yet another New IW Year,Pledge to make a difference in the way you serve the community or your organisation Let each one of you leave an impact around you to leave a Lasting Legacy for IW.

Dr Kapila Gupta

IIW President 2017-18





HISTORY OF IW MOVEMENT

1. THE FIRST TEN YEARS FROM A CLUB TO THE ASSOCIATION

Mrs. Margarette Golding, wife of a Manchester Rotarian, started the Inner Wheel movement in 1924. on 10 January 1924, marked the actual commencement of Inner wheel.

January 10th has become universally recognised as WORLD INNER WHEEL DAY, when we celebrate the anniversary of that first meeting. Margarette Golding, the founder, was elected as the first President. The first rule was 'The name of the Club shall be 'The Inner Wheel'.

1934—Formation of the Association of Inner Wheel Clubs in Great Britain and Ireland in 1934..

The first elected President of the Association was Mrs. Golding, and the first Secretary Mrs. Nixon.

2. GLOBAL EXPANSION

Even before 1934, some Clubs were formed in other parts of the world, having heard about the Inner Wheel Association in Great Britain.

such as Balralat (1931), Berggren-1935-Norway

North Sydney (1933) and

- Port Elizabeth (1938) in South Africa,

- and Winnipeg (1943) in Canada.

From 1945 Inner Wheel continued to expand globally.

The Association began to change from a national organisation to a worldwide organisation, and it was felt that a closer connection was necessary.

Thus in 1947 the words "in Great Britain and Ireland" were removed from the title and Inner Wheel became known as ASSOCIATION OF INNER WHEEL CLUBS.

In 1948 the six Clubs in Holland formed the first District outside of Great Britain and Ireland, District no. 56.

In 1950 Club Rules were translated into the European languages. In the early sixties, the Association, mindful of the increasing number of Clubs outside GB&I, and glad to have Districts formed in Europe, gave much thought about ways to make Inner Wheel more International in government and the need for personal contact to be made with some more remote Clubs.

The first steps towards the creation of an International Governing Body were taken in 1962 during the Association Conference, held in Blackpool, England, when a resolution was approved, to include on the Governing Body, representatives from Districts of the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden and Denmark. This resolution was put in place for the first time at Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, at the Annual Assembly for Officers, when members from countries outside Great Britain and Ireland were invited to sit on the Governing Body.

Formation Of International Inner Wheel--

On the 1st of July 1967 all Clubs became Members of INTERNATIONAL INNER WHEEL and Mrs. Lavender Weightman became the Founder President;

The first Board Meeting was held in Copenhagen on the 3rd, 4th October 1967. In 1967 National Governing Bodies/Associations were recognised in Australia, Denmark, Great Britain and Ireland, The Netherlands, Norway, The Philippines and Sweden.

In 1970 the First Convention of INTERNATIONAL INNER WHEEL was held at The Hague, the Netherlands.

International Inner Wheel was, and is, supported by a Governing Body, which, up to 1993, included an elected Executive Committee with Officers - President, Vice President, Immediate Past President and Treasurer; and also Board Members - representatives from every Country, possessing the necessary qualifications as laid down in the Constitution and Handbook. Each Board Member had a number of votes equivalent to the number of Districts of her Country. In 1993 it was agreed to restructure the Governing Body with an elected Executive Committee (consisting of the Officers), plus 16 elected Board Directors, each of whom had the right to one vote and also have the responsibility to be in contact with the Non-Districted Clubs.

In 2006 the Chairman of the Constitution Committee was admitted as a member of the Governing Body of International Inner Wheel. Then in 2012 she was admitted as a member of the Executive Committee. A notable landmark in our History: - In 2012, at our 15th Convention in Istanbul, members voted to open up membership. Women, who have no connection to Rotarians or Inner Wheel members, can now be invited to join Inner Wheel. Today International Inner Wheel is present in 103 Countries/Geographical Areas, and has more than 103,000 members, and is structured in Clubs, Districts and National Governing Bodies.

It connects together members of Clubs in the various nations, from

Europe to Africa, India, Asia, Australia, New Zealand, United States of America and Canada and many others, all working to uphold the objects of Inner Wheel:---

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To encourage the ideals of personal service

To foster International Understanding

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IIW President,s Thrust Areas --Under Umbrella of HAPPIER FUTURE BETTER LIFE

INNER WHEEL PROMOTION--- Branding Inner Wheel----

- Promote service under IW Branding .
- IW Banners display --Publicising IW Objectives & Ideals
- IW promoting materials---
- Create sustainable service projects
- Publicise your organisation & its objectives on Social Media

Expansion & membership growth -----

- Improve member quality
- Focus on retention too
- Each member bring in one member -- collectively IIW would be 103,100 members more.

Environment Protection & Rainwater Harvesting-

- Adopt Lane, Parks, Maintained.

- Encourage Use of Recycle paper.
- Encourage Rainwater Harvesting in Companies, Schools, Big Houses, Community centers.

CARE FOR GIRL CHILD--(May be applying to some countries)

- Right to birth
- Right to Education,
- Right for Vocational education, self finance

Vocational Education & Loans- Empower the weaker-Women

Teach TO FISH, THEN TO GIVE FISH TO EAT.

- Employment—Financial Empowerment

Promote fellowship, Friendship & Exchange Programmes----

Whatever post you are at, do your best—to spread friendship & service.

Ambition by itself never gets anywhere, unless it forms partnership with handwork.

God won't ask you what your job title was, but will ask if you performed your job,



When we talk of IW – Biggest branding & identity of IW is our Logo – IW Logo as well as Theme Logo of the year-Theme logo changes every year but IW logo is permanent Id-It is made of two wheels-holding together by six spokes-Outer 24 teeth on cogs represent -clubs around the world,if anyone breaks off,the gear may slip a bit ,but it still works,

Inner 24-represent the links with other organisation ,charities & the work we do ,if one of these break ,the rest will continue to benefit. Six spokes represent-officers & service committee ,even one of these fails ,the movement will continue, & dot -in the middle represent the individual members ,The hub will fail & nothing will work without it.so don't forget to oil this hub,which helps to make the wheel run smoothly.

Each member in each club is our strength --whenever someone from club rises up ,you all are the ones who are holding that ladder so strongly for her to perform her duty at that peak.So always be loving caring towards your club members too.



2018 MELBOURNE

17th International Inner Wheel Convention Australia

G'day Inner Wheel friends. We are waiting to welcome you to the IIW Convention 11-14 April 2018 in Melbourne, Australia.

It has never been held in MELBOURNE before... and might never be again!

Renew old and make new and lasting friendships from around the world.

Join the party. Share hugs, dance, sing and dine in a continuous celebration of International Inner Wheel friendship!

Be inspired, motivated, challenged, stimulated!

Help create change. Be a part of the discussion shaping the future direction of Inner Wheel.

Share ideas. Promote your projects.

Melbourne is a memorable and magical city which will cast her spell over you. Take time to explore everything on offer. Even the convention venue, the MCEC, is truly unique.

Experience Aussie hospitality!

What does that mean? Come to Melbourne and find out!

Val Corva, IIW 2018 Convention Coordinator



17th International Inner Wheel
Convention 2018

SEE YOU IN MELBOURNE!

11th - 14th April 2018

Melbourne Convention & Exhibition Centre

Save the Date in your diaries now, if you haven't already and start planning your 2018 holiday in MELBOURNE Australia ...HOW EXCITING!!

Why?

To attend the 17th International Inner Wheel Convention of course! REGISTRATION IS ALREADY OPEN. It is very easy to register online or download the Registration Form from the convention website. All Districts have been mailed a Registration Pack for each Club, so please contact your District for your Club's copy if not yet received.

Early Bird Registration closes 10 October 2017.

Where?

The venue, our Convention home, is to be the Melbourne Exhibition and Convention Centre (MCEC). It is spectacular! Such a special venue 'commands' special people like you to be there!

The MCEC is located in the CBD along the banks of the Yarra River, MELBOURNE, Victoria, Australia close to a phenomenal host of Melbourne icons and attractions. So much to see and do.

Convention Hotel and Accommodation? Hilton Melbourne South Wharf, plus the availability of numerous options to suit every budget, within a very comfortable walking distance.

Why?

For the opportunity to meet IW friends from around the world, to be actively involved as a vital part of the Convention team, to experience and to enjoy International Inner Wheel at work and play, right here in Melbourne, Australia!

**EARLY BIRD
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CLOSES
10 OCTOBER
2017**

Visit our IIW Convention website for all you need to know about tours, day trips, the convention programme, location and accommodation options and of course, to **REGISTER NOW!**

**Early Bird Registration Fee closes
10th October 2017**

www.iiwconvention2018.com

