Club ID: 212908

Sponsored by : Rotary Club of Birgunj

- **Project Title** : Polio Candle Light Awareness Program
- **Project No. 34**
- **Date** : 25th October, 2026
- **Location** : Ghantaghar, Birgunj
- **Specified Committee** : Community
- **Sponsoring Organization** : Rotary Club of Birgunj

Area of Focus : Disease Prevention and Treatment

About "Polio Candle Light Awareness Program"

Introduction:

The Candlelight Program for Polio Awareness was organized at Ghantaghar, Birgunj, as a joint initiative led by the Rotary Club of Birgunj and the Rotary Club of Birgunj Metropolis, with Rotaractors leading the program's execution on the ground. Members of the Interact Club of Gyanda Academy joined fellow Rotarians and Rotaractors to demonstrate youth commitment toward the global cause of a polio-free world. Through the symbolic lighting of candles, participants gathered at the iconic city landmark to spread public health awareness, reinforce Rotary's mission to end polio, and illuminate the shared dedication to creating a lasting, disease-free impact across the community.

Project Summary:

The program was conducted on October 25, 2026, at Ghantaghar, Birgunj, starting at 6:00 PM. Members of the Interact Club of Gyanda Academy assembled alongside Rotarians and lead Rotaractors at the venue to participate in a candlelight vigil dedicated to global polio eradication.

During the event, candles were lit as a symbol of remembrance for global health milestones and as a beam of hope for a polio-free future. Participants observed the illumination, engaged with the public to spread awareness about Rotary's PolioPlus mission, and discussed the critical role of youth leadership in sustaining disease prevention efforts.

The program successfully sent a message of empathy, social responsibility, and unity across the Rotary family. It encouraged young leaders to stand together for public health advocacy and highlighted the importance of collective action in completing the mission to end polio. The event concluded with a shared commitment from all participating clubs to continue supporting global health initiatives.





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