“Roots & Routes: Bridges Beyond Borders”

Project No: 15
Date: 6th of November ,2026
Location: Online via Google meet

Collaborated with: Interact Club of Dhaka Luminous (Bangladesh)

Specified Community: International Service

Guests: N/A

Area of Focus: Cultural Exchange, International Reach

About ‘Roots and Routes’

Introduction:

On November 6th, 2026, on the occasion of Cultural Friday during World Interact Week, the Interact Club of Annapurna SOS (RID 3292, Nepal) hosted an international virtual cultural exchange titled "Roots & Routes: Bridges Beyond Borders" in collaboration with the Interact Club of Dhaka Luminous (RI District 64, Bangladesh). Held via Google Meet, the event brought together Interactors across borders to share traditions, celebrate cultural diversity, and strengthen international friendship.

Project Summary:

The virtual exchange featured interactive presentations where members shared the cultural heritage of their respective countries, including detailed spotlights on major Nepalese festivals like Dashain and Tihar.

We organized this with three main goals in mind:
1. Promote International Understanding: Build cross-cultural awareness and appreciation by sharing traditions, history, and festive heritage between Nepal and Bangladesh.
2. Celebrate Cultural Friday: Highlight global diversity during World Interact Week through rich storytelling and shared heritage.
3. Foster Global Fellowship: Connect youth across borders under the shared spirit of Rotary, creating lasting international connections and friendships.

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Conclusion:

Overall, "Roots & Routes: Bridges Beyond Borders" proved to be a heartwarming and insightful celebration of Cultural Friday. By bridging borders through culture and dialogue, both clubs demonstrated that despite different backgrounds and geographical distances, we are all united under one global Interact connection.

Feedback of the attendees

Presenting our traditions to Interactors from Bangladesh was an amazing experience. (Itr. Aatmik Bhari)

2. "Such a wonderful international initiative for Cultural Friday! Learning about each other's traditions made us feel so much closer despite the distance." (Itr. Erika Baral)

Some Glances:



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