

# AIRVIEWS



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## President's Viewpoint



Hello & welcome friends to the new dawn of IWC Bombay Airport. A club with a lineage of 10 past presidents which has been flying at a jet speed.

To quote Mahatma Gandhi, "If I have the belief that I can do it, I shall surely acquire the capacity to do it, even if I do not have it at the

beginning."

With a strong new & vibrant team & ever supporting members I thank each & every one of you for giving me an opportunity to lead this prestigious club. We have tried our very best over the past few months to "Communicate our Vision" and fulfill the goals set for the year 2007-2008. The completion of various projects indicate your full support for every step that I take.

With fear in heart but strong ideas of service I take up this post to guide my members towards a fruitful & meaningful year of service.

So long friends for the festive seasons wish you a Happy Diwali & happy new year.

Manisha Udeshi

## Rotary President's Message



Dear Manisha,

It is a God's gift to you that, the smile always persists on your face and you being the Captain of the team, this smile is seen on the face of every member of your board and club. This smile makes you sail with no difficulty through all the storms, ups and downs coming your way. This smile is the reason which has made you do number of such a useful projects towards the community, from the young to the old generation, from education to the medical help.

Manisha so please continue smiling and achieve best of the support from your team and achieve heights of glory and satisfaction during your Presidential year of Innerwheel.

My whole team is always ready for the support whenever you need in coming future. I wish you all the best.

With warm regards  
Chandrakant.

## Dist. Chairman's message



Dear Manisha and Members of the Inner Wheel Club of Bombay Airport,

The Bulletin is a mirror of the Club which reflects the activities in society. It also gives the Members a message to work hand in hand as one team. Any job worth doing is worth doing it together. The way the team

play as a whole determines its success.

The praise-worthy activities of your Club have always been directed not only to enhance friendship amongst the Members, but also covered those in need of affectionate care.

I congratulate you for sparing a worthy member Amita Timbadia who will successfully lead the District in years to come.

So friends! Keep smiling, Keep serving!

Yours in Inner Wheel friendship

Dr. Chhaya Bhadkamkar  
District Chairman

## From The Editor's Desk



Hi Friends,

It gives me immense pleasure to present the first issue of our bulletin "Airviews" for the year 2007-2008.

I take this opportunity to wish Manisha the very best for a successful year ahead. I feel privileged to be given this

responsibility as C.C. to keep you posted about, our past achievements and our forthcoming projects. The bulletin is a medium of sharing views and airing opinions. On this note, I would like to take your leave. My prayers and good wishes to one and all.

Yours in Innerwheel,  
Gunveet.





# Member's Speak

## FROM THE KITCHEN



### Blue Berry Cheese Cake:

500 Gms. of fresh milk cream, 1teacup powdered sugar, 4 levelled cheese spread, 4tbsp blue berry jam-beat till smooth, 4tsp gelatine BASE; 20 chocolate chip biscuits, 4tbsp. melted butter, a flat tin of 8"-9" diameter. TOPPING; 2tbsp blueberry jam few choco chips biscuits crushed, few black grapes (optional)

METHOD: Crush biscuits in a mixer to a coarse powder. Add melted butter & spread evenly at the bottom of the tin. Keep tin in the fridge to chill. Beat chilled cream with powdered sugar till it thickens. Blend in slowly the beaten jam & cheese spread, till it is soft & peaks form. Melt gelatine in 1/4 th cup water on slow heat till it dissolves. Gradually add the hot gelatine stirring immediately. Pour over the crushed biscuits & chill till it sets. Decorate with crushed biscuit powder & a chunk of jam & black grapes cover with cling film & chill in the lower compartment only till serving. Friends it is heavy, but sometimes you can pamper yourself with this easy to make & yummy cake. So try & enjoy.

Daksha .Pandit

## The Prize winning Essay at Azmaish (Excerpt)

**WATER:** A source of Life Water is a compound occurring in the natural state. It is the main source of life on Earth, as all living beings directly or indirectly are dependent on water. What makes water special is its use to all living beings including trees which give oxygen for breathing, its natural habitat to marine life & its use as a hydro-electricity generator.

The entire marine wealth is dependent on the dissolved oxygen present in the sea water. Water is home to all the sea plants & animals. Without water, no life on earth would exist. Darwin's theory states that life evolved in water & then came to land.

The true value of water is realised by those who do not get sufficient supply of pure water. Many research projects are mainly concerned with rain water harvesting & saving the slow eradication of melting glaciers.

Water also helps in maintaining the eco system, which consists of food chains of various animals.

Thus we can conclude that water is a major source of life on our planet Earth

Vatsal Shah

## “ हम तुम ”

प्यार से भी प्यारे है आप  
जिदगी और जीने का मकसद है आप,  
धाम के चले जीवन के सफर में जो हाथ  
तन्हा ना जी पाते, यदी होते न आप साथ ।

सूरज सी रोशनी दी है आपने,  
चौदनी की शीतलता फैलाई है साथ में ।  
चमकते सितारों सा है प्यार आपका,  
जो सियाही बना है हमारे उपका ।

आपके प्यार की खुशबु से,  
महेक है ऑगन घर का ।  
रोम रोम है मग्न आप में,  
कौन कहता है “ हम ” जुदा है “ तुम ” से ।  
मनिषा उदेशी

## INCOMING TEAM OF 08-09

President :Daksha Patel  
Vice president :Rajul Jhaveri  
Secretary :Roopa Shroff  
C.C :Kiran Shah  
ISO :Pallavi Choksi  
Treasurer :Vibha Sanghvi

### Executive members

Saroj Singhvi  
Urmila Gupta  
Indira Jain  
Gunveet Sethi  
Kamalini Parekh  
Himadri Lathia.

## PARTY TIPS.



The success of the party is all on the passion with which you invite, cook & feed.

1. The menu planned should be such that each & every invitee's taste buds & stomach is taken care of.
2. The host has to be well rested when the guest arrive. No tension & smiling.
3. Plan the menu in such a way that there is only one dish to be fried or cooked last minute. i.e. if you have kitchen help otherwise no cooking while guests arrive.
4. Do not repeat vegetables in the dishes you prepare as far as possible.
5. The table should be laid in advance with the respective item tags in the containers used for serving.
6. One can prepare the salad dressing, dessert, gravies in advance & store in a freezer. Vegetables can be cleaned & chopped the previous day.
7. There should be atleast one potato dish on the menu.
8. There should be no smoke in the kitchen, it should be clean showing no signs of bulk cooking.
9. 3 days before the party the menu should be ready, 2 days before the house cleaned & arranged for sitting.
10. Make sure that everything you serve is not deep fried. Host mingling with the guest is the bottom line.

Hima Nanavati

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A WARM WELCOME & BEST WISHES TO THE INCOMING TEAM

FUN CARNIVAL AT YMCA GROUNDS



# FROM THE ALBUM



Rtrns join the Ann s at the sun fair



Children learning games at the Family play centre.



Special children performing lejin at the opening ceremony of Sports.



Regular meeting with Christmas celebrations.



Donation of multipurpose utility ambulance to Nanavati hospital



Members getting astrology reading at The Village Restaurant



Pres. Manisha & Sec Kamal at The Village.



Gunveet & Daksha with 1<sup>st</sup> prize winning Toran at CC fellowship of Zone 3.



Prize winning rangoli on Communal Harmony.



Pulse polio administration at Sambhaji health post.



Inauguration of Sanitation Project at Katala Village, Maswan.



The complete toilet block.



Our DC Dr. Chhaya & PP Prabhaji tasting water at Bhoir Pada.



Star Tisca Chopra at Competition for special children at JUHU beach.



Members at the sand castle competition



# WOMEN'S SPECIAL



## Know Your Inner Wheel Friend

I introduce myself as Farida Yusuf Lokhandwala, presently an aspiring entrepreneur in the field of designer glass items. Let me add a few words about myself- Since memory prompts me, I always cherished a dream of becoming a thorough businesswoman, I remember sharing this dream with my mother during my childhood, often telling her, that if I had been born a son, I would become a shrewd businessman. Well, life went on, I got happily married to my dearest husband Yusuf, & then it struck me, why not share my dream with my life partner? He was most cooperative ( still is & will always be), & upon my insistence, we purchased a shop in Vile Parle (W). This was the stepping stone to fulfil my dream. I went about fulfilling my duties towards my husband & my 2 sweet children Samir & Hasnain, & at the same time, keeping in mind that I also had to work towards my dream. Somehow, with alot of backing from my husband, I managed to devote my time & energy to my business - & I came out with flying colours, this business developed into what it is today "MORBIWALAS" one of the leading glass traders in the western suburbs. This experience taught me one lesson, always dream of something which you find hard to achieve, only then will you get somewhere in life. I take this opportunity to thank the Inner Wheel Club for giving me this chance to share my dream with you, in the hope that it will be an inspiration for many other ladies to achieve what they want. Last but not the least, I wish to thank my family, my husband Yusuf, my 2 children Samir & Hasnain & my daughter-in-law Zahabia, for lending their support throughout to me.

Farida Lokhandwala



## LADIES NIGHT OUT(A WOMEN'S DAY SPECIAL...)

Hey Ladies! this was a "Once in a lifetime experience". We have all had, at sometime or another, an "All Hen's Party" & enjoyed ourselves too! But really, sitting in the same Open Air Bus shared by the 'Victorious Indian Cricketers' is quite something else. Starting at Bhaidas auditorium going all the way to town, seeing Mumbai by night, stopping at Bachelors for "strawberry with ice-cream" & the "green chilly ice-cream", passing Gateway of India, the Taj Mahal hotel, Nariman Point, the Queen's Necklace etc etc... was a thrilling experience. Our carefree attitude, wind blown hair, loads of naughty games, songs & jokes, waving to the general public, ducking everytime a tree came, made us feel like 16 year olds. There were giggles, hugs for good old womens day & plenty of laughter. Hima was in her element & so were Renu & the rest. An electric atmosphere! A mental & a physical catharsis! Food packets, love & camaraderie prevailed. The whole experience felt like we were on air, floating through Mumbai by nite, it was an experience like never before. It was by far, one of the best experiences of my life, most Memorable! It requires to thank President Manisha, for taking all the efforts & organizing something so different & so wonderful. If it happens again please do not miss it.

Jyoti.Gandhi



## THE MAKING OF A MOTHER

By the time the Lord made mothers, He was into the sixth day working overtime. An Angel appeared & the following conversation took place.

Angel: "Why are you spending so much time on this one?"

Lord: "Have you read the spec sheet on her? She has to be completely washable, but not elastic; have 200 movable parts, all replaceable; run on black coffee & leftovers; have a lap that can hold three children at one time & that disappears when she stands up; have a kiss that can cure anything from a scraped knee to a broken heart; and have six pairs of hands."

Angel: "Six pairs of hands! No way!"

Lord: "Oh, it's not the hands that are the problem. It's the three pairs of eyes that mothers must have!"

Angel: "Is that the standard model?"

Lord: "Yep, one pair of eyes are to see through the closed door as she asks her children what they are doing even though she already knows. Another pair in the back of her head are to see what she needs to know even though no one thinks she can. & the third pair are here in the front of her head. They are for looking at an errant child & saying that she understands and loves him or her without even saying a single word."

Angel: "This is too much work for one day. Wait until tomorrow to finish."

Lord: "But I can't! I am so close to finishing this creation that is so close to my own heart. She already heals herself when she is sick & can feed a family of six on a pound of hamburger & can get a nine year old to stand in the shower."

Angel: "But you have made her so soft, Lord."

Lord: "She is soft, but I have also made her tough. You have no idea what she can endure or accomplish."

Angel: "Will she be able to think?"

Lord: "Not only will she be able to think, she will be able to reason, & negotiate."

Angel: "Oops, it looks like You have a leak with this model. I told You that You were trying to put too much into this one."

Lord: "That's not a leak, that's a tear!"

Angel: "What's the tear for?"

Lord: "The tear is her way of expressing her joy, her sorrow, her disappointment, her pain, her loneliness, her grief, & her pride."

Angel: "You are a genius, Lord. You thought of everything for this one. You even created the tear!"

Lord: "I'm afraid you are wrong again. I created the woman, but she created the tear!"

Harsha Mehta



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## President's Viewpoint



Hi! Friends & once again welcome to our world of Inner Wheel.

It has been an enriching experience over the past few months that flew by in service at Jet speed. Meaningful projects & strong support was all that I had asked for & received it manifold. New friendships developed & made me view life in a new perspective.

Whether it was the suj-ok camp, inauguration of rural projects or arranging funds for projects you dear friends came forward in large numbers. How can I not mention the support of our dear Rotarians who stood by me at various projects & events. This is the time to express my gratitude towards you. How can I forget the International women's day & the open air bus ride to town. You all painted the town red with great furor & joy.

Its time to say "Sionara" to all of you now handing the torch over to the incoming President Daksha Patel. I wish her & the team all the best for the coming year with a quote which has meant a lot in my journey as the president of this prestigious club.

"Life is such a fragile thing. It is a priceless treasure that we are given to guard & make use of to the best of our ability. That it will not come again is what makes it so sacred."

So friends laugh, dance have fun enjoy & maintain a rich amount of perspective.

**Manisha Udeshi.**

## Communicate Our Vision



The vision of Inner Wheel is to Foster Friendship and Serve Community. The only way to communicate this vision is through example and worthy projects.

Friendship is an unbreakable bond, encouraging us to work together. Life is a group outing, one cannot be whole & happy in isolation. Other people need us & we need them.

Supported by caring individuals, we can find sufficient energy to go on. Inner Wheel teaches through example to share their life with their friends.

Through Inner Wheel activities we develop A Giving Attitude, which is the secret to successful living. In Inner Wheel, the aim of each and every member is to make the club more successful, more productive & more effective.

Inner Wheel, due to its vision of Friendship & Service generates abundance of positive energy. We learn to speak & use all the positive words for the club and for others which in turn inspire positive emotions, optimism, faith and confidence. Whereas negative words stimulate negative emotions, suspicion, fear, anger, depression etc. Our activities develop our attitude which will design and shape our personality & destiny. The bond of Friendship & Attitude to serve the community unconsciously leads us to the path that is destined by us.

Inner Wheel is a platform to unearth our hidden potentials. There are deeper layers of energy, talent and creativity within each person, waiting to be tapped. No person ever fully discovers and develops their hidden potentials themselves. When we decide to serve the community, we uncover the deeper talent and hidden possibilities that lie beneath our own consciousness.

During this journey we make many friends & develop the sense of belonging. We believe that somehow, somewhere, through someone's help, we can achieve our heart's goal. Every year in Inner Wheel is a year of transition, during which we learn to retool ourself intellectually and professionally with a new skill. Inner Wheel is also a platform to share our dreams of creating a magnificent world. We contribute in creating this world by serving the needy members of the society.

We share the vision where every child is clustered by love & compassion; there is no iota of fear & despair, but only the existence of hope and chance for a better life.

Inner Wheel shares the vision of faith, wisdom, & courage. Let us Communicate Our Vision by sharing it through Friendship and Service

AMITA TIMBADIA

## From The Editor's Desk



Hi! Friends,

Another wonderful Inner Wheel year has gone by, It was a pleasure being the Club Correspondent for the year 2007-2008, as it gave me an opportunity to communicate & interact with the other clubs.

My sincere thanks to our president Manisha & all the members of our club for their encouragement and support.

I wish every success and good wishes to the incoming team of Inner Wheel 2008-2009.

Yours in Inner Wheel,  
**Gunveet Sethi**



# Member's Speak

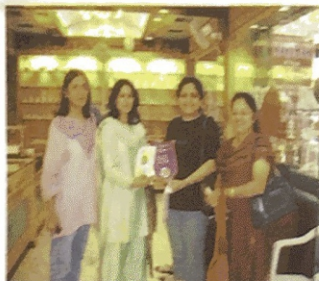
## HEY LADIES YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

Being greener, really all comes down to just one thing-----using less energy and it could save you some money too. Here are some simple things we can all do-even without leaving the house..

- Some environmental tips.
- Switch to a green energy supplier on web.
- Change you light bulbs.
- Use less hot water.
- Don't leave your appliances on stand by.
- Use less paper
- Recycle.
- Eat more local organic food.
- Sort out your paper, plastic and other rubbish before you throw it.
- Use a smart meter which measures your energy consumption.
- Get involved and stay informed.

**Jyoti Gandhi.**

## ISO'S CORNER



Exchange of Flags with IWC, Kolhapur



Invitation card for competition made by Pallavi Choksi

## CONDOLANCES

Our heartfelt condolences to PP Renu Gupta & her family on the sad demise of her mother Mrs Rajrani Gupta.

## WORDSWORTH

**Ecology**-Olkos in Greek means house which encompassed the environment & surroundings. The environmental changes began due to changes in lifestyles..

A German zoologist Ernest Heckles during the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> century connoted the word Ecology. Today it has become necessary to protect our environment which has been polluted due to various factors.

**Invalid**- Validus means strong in Latin, was also used as synonym to brave. Its opposite means invalid, a term used to describe a physically challenged human being. It can be caused due to accident, war or any other reason also.

In legal terms an argument or an appeal which is not accepted is also described as Invalid.

**Wardrobe**- Is joined by two words Ward meaning Protector and Robe meaning (clothes) to collect. During medieval time's robes & jewelries of the kings of England, France was kept in a special room which was next or close to the bedroom. This was known as Wardrobe. The security of the wardrobe was handed to a trusted servant or soldier who was known as watch & wards staff. Similarly a person looking after the functioning of an institution is known as Warden

## CONGRATULATIONS.

PP Prabha Mathur - birth of a grandson  
PP Prem Bohra - birth of granddaughter  
Sec.Kamalini P. - birth of granddaughter

## हमारी प्रेमीडिन्ट मनीषा

नाम है उसका मनीषा उडेगी  
क्रमभूमी है इनक्रील कल्प ऑफ वॉन्वे एअरपोर्ट  
मव को इच्छा पूर्ण करने आज से चली है मनीषा  
इनक्रील को ऊंची उड़ान भरने  
आज से चली है मनीषा  
मन मे निश्चय तन मे म्फूर्ति  
नागि शक्ति का स्रोत है मनीषा  
हर प्रोजेक्ट को पूरा करने  
हर मिटींग को सफल करने  
आज से चली है मनीषा  
हमारी प्रेमीडिन्ट मनीषा

किरण शाह

## ??? PUZZLE. ???

(Fill in the blanks with the names of Soaps, Detergents or Toothpastes.)

There was a girl called \_\_\_\_\_ (9). One day while walking she slipped & fell into a \_\_\_\_\_ (4). Hearing her shouts for help a boy named \_\_\_\_\_ (3) came to help her. He threw her a \_\_\_\_\_ (8) & saved her. They fell in love & made a \_\_\_\_\_ (7) that they should never leave each other. He played many musical instruments but was famous for his \_\_\_\_\_ (7) playing. On the girl's birthday, he gave her a necklace of \_\_\_\_\_ (4) as gift. On that they decided to go out. While going they had to stop at a \_\_\_\_\_ (6). They went to a garden which had a lovely fragrance of \_\_\_\_\_ (7). They sat under a \_\_\_\_\_ (4) tree. Later when they were returning in a double decker bus the \_\_\_\_\_ (5) of the bus got punctured. They started walking and met their friend \_\_\_\_\_ (5). She was crying as some one had robbed her purse in which she had kept her \_\_\_\_\_ (3). They consoled her and advised her that in future she should be more \_\_\_\_\_ (7). They complained to the police & to make her happy, they took her to the garden, enjoyed the chirping of lot of \_\_\_\_\_ (4)s. Later they all were so hungry that on the way back home, they bought a lot of juicy \_\_\_\_\_ (5).

(Pls send your entries to Pres. Manisha or CC Gunveet) mudeshi\_8@hotmail.com | gunveetsethi@gmail.com

**Harsha Mehta**

## From The Kitchen

**CHEESE PARATHAS:**(Makes 6)



Ingredients-  
300 gm/ 1 cup full wheat flour ,  
70gm. (2to3cheesecubes) cheese  
grated, 1/2tsp salt or as per taste,  
1 small spring onion finely  
chopped, 3 green chillies finely  
chopped coriander-chopped.

**Method:**Put little salt and make doughs for chapattis. Mix together grated cheese, chillies, spring onion and coriander. Divide dough in to 6 portions. Flatten each in the palm of your hand, place a little of cheese mixture, close edges to make a round. Roll like a paratha and shallow fry on a tawa. Eat hot with green chutni.

Kiran Shah



# FROM THE ALBUM



*New Team*



*Rotary Shares IWCBA & RCBA*



*Promotion of Breast Feeding Workshop*



*Distribution of Towels at Dongri Remand Home*



*Dental Check up at Disha Karna Badhir*



*Donation of sewing machine, beauty parlour kit*



*Sponsor a child education, at Wakdi*



*Donation of quatri machine, a joint project with RCBA*



*Senior Citizen's picnic at Titwala*



*Dahi-handi at Udaan School*



*Donation of Utensils & night suits, at Ashramshala*



*Distribution of Lemon Juice Bottles to Policeman on Anant Chaturdashi*



*Sweets made by Senior Citizens*



*Sponsored tailoring course at YMCA*



*Ramp Walk Begins*



# LOOKING BACK



## 1st YEAR OF INNERWHEEL CLUB BOMBAY AIRPORT

16<sup>th</sup> October 1996—Birth of a new club called InnerWheel Club of Bombay Airport. With the encouragement of Rotary President Subodh Bohra and members & IWClub of Bombay West where several of our RI/Anns were members. After Presidentship of IWC of Bombay West for the year 1995-96. I was invited to take over as Charter President of IWC of Bombay Airport with 39 members it was a great honour which I accepted with humility. The Theme was Look Beyond Yourself- Be Involved. With the guidance of DC Dr. Vinodini Pradhan we enthusiastically got involved in a string of community projects. We adopted our club song which I wrote specially- "Kaam Karen bhai kaam Karen sab ek saath" which we continue to sing. Within the first month we brought out our first newsletter and named it "AirViews". Our projects were painting/greeting card competition. Polio being a major thrust area we participated in Polio Rally; and won recognition from Ministry of Health, New Delhi. We continued with the same team through 1997-98. When the new DC was Dr. Kanak Saxena & the theme was "Together we are Stronger." We gained in strength and one of the unique & memorable projects in this year was Celebrating 50<sup>th</sup> Independence Day with our Moms & Moms-in-law. In our very first year we co-hosted the Rally, & District Assembly and attended the Triennale at Coimbatore. We supported Rotary Pres Subodh in the mega fund raising with ghazals by Jagjit Singh at Elephanta Caves and also supported them when they hosted the prestigious Rotary District Assembly. We also joined hands with Pres. Sumant Naik with fund raising show of the film "Titanic" who shared 50% collection. Our Charter Presentation was organized on 21<sup>st</sup> April, 1997 with a glittering function by Rotary inviting Inner Wheel and Rotary Presidents & district officials by Rotary President Subodh. Our first Charter Nite was celebrated on 21<sup>st</sup> April 1998 with a beautifully choreographed Fashion show. Our immensely talented members participated in district & inter-district competitions and won 11 Prizes. It was a most enjoyable though extended term, (1996-1998) of immense learning, bonding & consolidation. which I shall cherish forever.

**Prabha Mathur (1996-98),**  
Inner Wheel Charter President



## TEMPLE OF MY KARMA

I treat Inner Wheel Club of Bombay Airport as temple of my Karma. The Year 2001-02 was the year I became the President of IWCBA. It gave me a vision of myself. I enjoyed every moment of the year and the Presidency which, I learnt from my Guru, Shachiin. Love came in from members in number of ways and forms. I asked and they gave; they gave projects, ideas, talent and Money. Everything became possible with a phone call. The Club also grew larger with addition of 13 members. It is difficult to put in words what I gained from my Presidency but truly, I enjoyed each moment. The togetherness and the rapport that I enjoyed with you all is imbedded within me. All I can say is that our Club is one of the platforms for women to find their self confidence and talent. The icing of the year was when the club was recognized by the Rotary National Polio Committee for its outstanding work in Polio and by Inner Wheel District with 9 (Nine) important Awards out of 13 (Thirteen) that we applied for, highest number of Awards ever received by any Club till that date. I love you all

**Hima Nanavati (2001 -02)**



## CARE FOR THE FUTURE

— Was the theme for the year 2002-03 given by DC Dr. Jyoti Soneji. Accordingly Environment Protection, Child Care, Women Literacy, Vocational Guidance, Care for handicap, & Senior Citizens were our thrust areas. All the club members & past presidents actively participated in all our projects & fellowship programmes organized by our club as well as district. Various projects like vaccination against Congenital Rubella Syndrome rubella vaccine for girls were given. Free vaccination for MMR. to 1600 BMC school children etc were carried out. The tremendous work during the year 2002-03 brought laurels to our club & won trophies & certificates. BPNI- Award & certificate, R.C. Chidambaram certificate for rainwater harvesting are few of them. It was a very satisfying & memorable year in my life

**Dr. Surekha Dhurandhar (2002-03)**



## Memories of the Immediate Past President

I became the President of our prestigious club in a year when we were at a threshold of Decade of service. The challenges were many and expectations daunting, with clear goals and vision along with my team of dedicated office bearers and enthusiastic committee members we planned the year. Today when I look back it gives me great satisfaction and happiness that most of the things went according to the plan, sometimes even better than planned. I have always been a fan of Inner Wheel and Rotary movement. The genuine warmth, friendship and the challenges of working along with so many diverse people fascinate me. We share our talents, skills & energy with others and through this process we create a better society. As a club president one plays a vital role for a year. You lead by example and inspire others. "A leader is what leader does". With our collective efforts and resources we were able to do many useful projects and fellowship programmes. The efforts and hard work of members was appreciated by our District by bestowing on us many Trophies and Certificates of Appreciation. I thank all the members for the unstinted support through the year and giving me this opportunity to serve the club

**Amala Mehta (2006 - 07)**



## MY YEAR AS A PRESIDENT

When I was chosen to be the President of this prestigious upcoming Club, I had my all 'ifs' & 'buts'. My Past Pres. Prabha & Amita had set a high standard & I had to fulfill their confidence in me & was made to believe 'I can do it.' The full support of Past Pres., my team & all the members, then Rotary Pres. Shachin & his team & Of Course MY FAMILY made me sail very smoothly. Mega projects like, Hepatitis-B vaccination to children, 42 workshops of handmade paper from waste paper. etc. were completed in a small span of one year. For all our efforts, our Club also received the Highest no. of Awards from the District. The greatest gift that I achieved from being the Pres. is I made lot of friends, from my Club as well as from other IW Clubs & also two girls Pankti & Madhura from Specially Challenged Schools. I gained a lot of confidence in myself, developed the leadership skill & realized that if one gives a little to the Society, a lot of love & satisfaction is achieved in return. I am proud & happy that I belong to such a wonderful club, IWCBA

**PP Harsha Mehta (1999-2000.)**