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Message from Chairman and Managing Trustee



CA Rajnikant Shah Chairman

Dear Members, " If you have the courage to begin, you have the courage to succeed"



Manoj Ajmera Managing Trustee

First of all, we wish a magnificent year - 2019 to all Jollyites! This year you got to follow your passion. You have got to figure out what it is you love – who you really are. And have the courage to do that. We believe that the only courage that anybody ever needs is the courage to follow your own dream. Courage is not the absence of fear, but rather the judgement that something else is more important than fear. It is not because things are difficult that we do not dare, it is because we do not dare that they are difficult.

The last quarter of 2018 was full of action and we celebrated festivals of Navratri and Diwali with lot of style and panache. Cricket at Gymkhana was in full flow as we had the Tennis Cricket Tournament, U 19 cricket net practice and Inter School Cricket Tournament. We also had a Badminton Friendly Tournament, Aqua Zumba Demonstration and Cooking Contest and Workshop which saw good participation. The year ended in bang with the Suryanamaskar event which saw participation from a record 1900 approx registrations from 50 different institutions. Finally, Santa's Carnival – Xmas saw members mingling and having a gala time to the maximum.

Twenty years from now we will be more disappointed by the things that we did not do than the things we did. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover.

Assuring you of the best as always, Chairman and Managing Trustee.



Editorial

Dear Jollyites,

Every end is a new beginning- The year 2018 ended with a bang and 2019 began with a pomp.

We, at Jolly Gymkhana have always believed in carrying on the legacy of a great club culture year after year. The past quarter was filled with festivals galore. The club caught the spirit of the festivals through the grand Raas Garba as well as the Christmas carnival. This was a huge success with a large number of members attending these celebrations. The club was also lit splendidly and decorated with magnificent Rangoli during Diwali in sync with the fervour of the festival.

Apart from that, the club was not far behind in organizing sports events of Cricket, Aqua Zumba and Badminton. The flagship event of Aditya Vandana for Suryanamaskars by the Yoga Sub Committee was received very well by more than 1500 participants. We always try to be different and that was evident in the cooking contest and workshop organized in the club.

The number and nature of the events is rising and becoming more and more interesting every year. Hence, it is our constant endeavor to present to all the members the happenings of the club through the bulletin. This Issue presents the pictorial highlights of all the events of the last quarter. Apart from that, the issue covers the events and activities of the Yoga, Ladies Wing and Events and Entertainment Committees. In an attempt to keep ourselves and our members updated, there are interesting reads health in this issue. We sincerely hope to inspire our readers towards a better lifestyle and eating habits through these articles.

So, let us join hands and work towards a better 2019 with positivity and faith. We wish all of you a super exciting and a fruitful new year.

Happy reading,

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FROM THE SECRETARIES DESK: HIGHLIGHTS OF THE LAST QUARTER



Dandiya Raas on the beats of Avishkar held on Friday, 12th, Saturday (709 persons), Saturday, 13th (827 persons) and Thursday, 18th October 2018 (787 persons) at Jasmine Hall, Dinner 7.30 p.m. onwards Navratri 9.00 p.m. onwards.

(Organised by Events & Entertainment and Ladies Wing Sub-Committee).



Ladies Raas Garba held on Tuesday, 16th October 2018 at Jasmine Hall, 2.30 p.m. 533 ladies members present. (Organised by Events & Entertainment and Ladies Wing Sub-Committee).



Reopening Ceremony of Cricket Ground and Tennis Cricket Tournament 2018 held on Friday, 19th & Sunday, 21st October 2018 at Cricket Ground / 9.30 a.m. 12 teams consisting of 144 members participated. (Organised by Cricket Sub-Committee).

Badminton Friendly Tournament

between Jolly Gymkhana and Chembur Gymkhana held on Sunday, 21st October 18 at Badminton Court, 9.00 a.m. (Organised by Badminton Sub Committee).

Aqua Zumba Demonstration

by Charmi Jasani held on Saturday, 28th Oct. 2018 at Swimming Pool, 8.30 a.m. 30 members attended. (Organised by Swimming Pool Sub Committee).



U-19 Cricket Net Practice held from 01.11.2018 to 31.01.2019 - M/W/F or T/T/S at Cricket Ground, 4.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. 165 students participated. (Organised by Cricket Sub Committee).



Rangoli and Diwali Lightings on occasion of Diwali Festival 2018.



Cooking Contest & Workshop by Chef Navin Khadilkar held on Saturday, 24th Nov 2018 at Lilac Hall, 4.30 p.m. Workshop – 108 Participants and Cooking contest – 30 Participants in different age groups. (Organised by Youth Wing Sub Committee). Inter School Cricket Tournament – 2018 held on 1st to 8th December, 2018 at Open Ground, 10.00 a.m. 8 Schools participated.

Final match played between Fatima High School V/s. O.L.P.S.

High School. Match won by Fatima High School.

(Organised by Cricket Sub Committee).





Aditya Vandana held on Sunday, 16th December 2018 at Open Ground, 7.00 a.m. 1500 plus persons participated. (Organised by Yoga Sub Committee).





Santa's Carnival – X-Mas' held on Tuesday, 25th December, 2018 at Open Ground, 5.00 p.m. 1423 persons enjoyed the event. (Organised by Ladies Wing Sub-Committee).



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Event & Entertainment



 Sangeet Sandhya - Pallavi Dabholkar, Sagar Sawarkar, Nirupama Rege and Bilu held on Saturday, 14th April 2018 at Jasmine Hall. 288 persons enjoyed the function.





2.	Jolly Summer Bonanza held as follows:-		
	Day & Date:	Programme: Partic	pants
Ī	Sunday, 22nd April 2018	Casino & Traditional Housie	250
	Sunday, 29thApril 2018	Musical Housie	350
T	Sunday, 06th May 2018	Karaoke	400
ī	Sunday, 13th May 2018	Musical Antakshari	350
	Sunday, 20th May 2018	Sab Khelo Sab Jeeto	300
	Sunday, 27th May 2018	Surprise Event	325















- 3. Jolly Idol Audition held on Sunday, 17th June 2018 with 98 participants & 24th June 2018 with 39 participants at Lantana banquet hall.
- 4. Jolly Idol Grand Finale with 21 participants held on Sunday, 01st July 2018, 381 members attended.

JUNIOR CATEGORY WINNER

DIVYAAN PANDYA

SENIOR CATEGORY WINNER

SHAILESH MEHTA

JOLLY IDOL-2018 RUNNER UP

JAGDISH UDESHI & SHREYANSH SHAH

SPECIAL APPRECIATION

RIYA BHADRA

JOLLY IDOL-2018 WINNER

BHOOMI DEDHIA









OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WINNERS.



Gujarati Kasumbal Diaro - Nathudan Gadhvi, Rajubhai Gadhvi, Gopal Barot and Harsha Barot held on Saturday, 4th August 2018 at Jasmine Hall. 442 persons enjoyed the function.



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EVENT AND ENTERTAINMENT SUB-COMMITTEE

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Balwant Sanghrajka Mukesh Badani

Convenor



Pankaj Doshi



Digish Pandit









Kiran Bhayani







Ladies Wing



 Sports Event for Female and Children held on Sunday, 7th January 2018. 320 participants in 874 event categories.









2. Talk on modern Women Pros and Cons by Kajal Oza Vaidya held on Thursday, 14th June 2018. 550 Females members participated.







 Talk session on skin and hair care by Dr. Avani Maniar – Dermatologist and Cosmetologist, MD, DVD (skin) held on Tuesday, 21st August 2018. 280 Females members participated.



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5. Santa's Carnival – X-Mas' held on Tuesday, 25th December, 2018 at Open Ground, 5.00 p.m. 1053 persons enjoyed the event. (Organised by Ladies Wing Sub-Committee).







LADIES WING SUB-COMMITTEE Convenor Jt. Convenor Members

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Yoga

"Yoga is the journey of the self, through the self, to the self."

—The Bhagavad Gita

Yoga means addition – addition of energy, strength and beauty to body, mind and soul. Yoga is about clearing away whatever is in us that prevents our living in the most full and whole way. With yoga, we become aware of how and where we are restricted — in body, mind, and heart — and how gradually to open and release these blockages. As these blockages are cleared, our energy is freed. We start to feel more harmonious, more at one with ourselves. Our lives begin to flow— or we begin to flow more in our lives.

If you are looking for a more flexible, strong, capable body and a clear, positive heart and mind then yoga is for you. It's a great form of exercise that will improve your fitness, as well as aiding your mental well being. 'Yoga' is a Sanskrit term meaning 'to join, unite or yoke together', and the essential purpose of yoga is to bring together body, mind and spirit into a harmonious whole. The central methods of yoga are physical postures or 'asanas' and movement, breathing techniques or 'pranayama' and meditation. Yoga includes guidance on healthy lifestyle, eating habits and positive mental attitude.

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with equal fanfare. Also we conduct Shuddhi Kriya every quarter which is purification or cleansing of the body. Shuddhi Kriya cleanses and activates all vital organs of the body especially the digestive, respiratory, circulatory and nervous systems. Dynamic Yoga basically involves doing Yoga involving props having many excellent benefits of body alignment, body flexibility and strengthening of bones and muscles etc. It is carried on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Also we run 2 batches of the very popular Power Yoga which involves intense workouts primarily focusing on weight management issues

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Kaivalyadham and Sommaiya College in the month of February and all Yoga Sadhakas were benefitted by his knowledge.

Also a seminar on Pranic healing by renowned Pranic Healer Shraddha Parekh was held in the month of March which was very informative and enjoyed by one and all. Also Bhakti Yoga was organized on the occasion of Ram Navami. Also an

exclusive session on Pranayam by a Senior Teacher of Ghantali Mitra mandal – Smt. Neela Salve was conducted.

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Shudhikriya alongwith Yogic Beakfast and paryavaran Shuddhi mahayagna to celebrate World Environment Day by Special Ahuti in Maha Yagna was organized.

Annual Yoga Competition was held in the month of June.

YOGA SUB-COMMITTEE

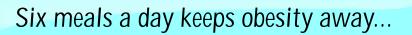
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A good way to avoid weight gain as you age? Eatttt......

Research shows that people who eat meals regularly throughout the day tend to have smaller waists than people who sometimes skip breakfast, lunch, or dinner.

Regular eaters not only weigh less and have smaller waists but also are less likely to develop metabolic syndrome or experience insulin resistance -- conditions that can pave the way for heart disease and diabetes.

Benefits of more meals a day - Eat many small meals throughout the day instead of three large ones. This helps keep your appetite from getting out of control, so you eat less overall throughout the day.



Six is better than three....?

Are you still stuck in the three-meals-a-day mindset? Many people get hung up on the misconception that eating anything beyond their allotted three meals per day constitutes a failure of dietary willpower. But while it's true that eating empty-calorie snack foods between meals is no recipe for health, limiting yourself to the traditional breakfast-lunch-dinner feeding format may not be doing you any favors, either.

Your new recipe for healthy eating: Six is better than three.

It sounds like a contradiction, but with a focus on diversity and proper portion size, eating six mini meals instead of three large meals each day will add variety to your diet and can help you feel fuller and be healthier overall.

Ditch the Word "Snack"

Your first step in eating six diverse meals is to kick the word "snack" out of your vocabulary. It often conjures up images of low-nutrition or high-fat items such as chips, pretzels, or ice cream. These types of snacks won't help you lose weight or make your diet any more diverse.

Your second step is to focus on size. Doubling your number of meals shouldn't double the food you eat each day. Instead, your three big meals become six mini meals. You should continue to take in roughly the same number of calories each day, assuming you are not currently overeating.

Finally, make each mini meal an opportunity to vary and balance your diet to include the proper amount of protein, complex carbohydrates, and healthy fats as well as important vitamins and minerals.

More Is Less

The health bonuses of eating more meals are varied. Studies show that people who eat more meals tend to eat a greater variety of foods and are more likely to meet their daily nutritional needs.

Eating frequently may also help control your appetite, which in turn could help you control your weight. And by breaking up your three big meals into six smaller meals spaced evenly throughout the day, you may also lower your blood cholesterol and your risk of heart disease.

Don't Space Out

With three squares a day, meals tend to be too far apart, which allows blood sugar levels to drop down low. When this happens, the urge to reach for unhealthful snacks in order to satisfy cravings can get you into trouble.



Grabbing a quick high-carbohydrate snack may bring your blood sugar level up quickly, but most likely too quickly, after which it could simply crash once again, leaving you searching for your next food fix.

Eating many small meals throughout the day -- as long as the meals are balanced -- can help stabilize your blood sugar, so you don't get energy highs and lows.

The key to the mini-meal approach is to pack your meals with enough nutritional punch and fiber to sustain yourself without adding a lot of unnecessary saturated fat and calories.

Choose Foods Your Body Can Use

To keep your blood glucose levels steady throughout the day, focus on foods that will increase blood sugar levels slowly and stably. Try to include a fiber-rich item, a protein-rich item, or a bit of healthy unsaturated fat in every mini meal in order to sustain your energy over a longer period of time. These kinds of food items digest more slowly and raise blood sugar levels more steadily.

Also, keep your focus on diversity with each mini meal. While you balance your intake of lean protein, complex carbohydrates, and healthy fats throughout the day, your goal should be to enjoy a number of different items from each food group.

If your morning meal contained protein-rich dairy, get your protein from another source in the afternoon. Try vegetable sources such as soymilk, almonds, or red beans. If the fiber-rich carbohydrate in your midday meal was whole-wheat bread, get your next fiber fix from a piece of fruit. Fruits high in fiber include figs, dates, raspberries, raisins, and kiwifruit.

Dynamic Dietary Duos

Your mini meals will be more diverse if you try to include items from at least two food groups in every meal. Serving at least one fruit or a vegetable in each mini meal not only ensures variety but also helps you meet your RealAge Optimum of four fruit and five vegetable servings a day. Avoid mini meals that contain only a single kind of food.

Pairing certain foods can help maximize the benefits of the six-meal lifestyle. Here are a few examples of great pairings:

- Couple your vegetables with a bit of healthy fat to help your body better absorb the vitamins and minerals. For example, a drizzle of olive oil on a salad of mixed greens and sliced tomatoes makes it easier for your body to absorb the lutein in the greens and the lycopene in the tomatoes.
- Pair complex carbohydrates with a protein or healthful fat. The addition of a protein or healthy fat slows down
 the rate of digestion even more than a complex carbohydrate alone. Try whole-grain bagels with natural
 peanut butter, or dip your whole-grain crackers into spicy hummus. Or add walnuts to a fruit salad, which will
 help your body use any carotenoids in the fruit.

Healthy Eating Redefined

Eating smaller, more frequent meals is a great way to increase your opportunities to meet nutritional gaps in your daily diet. Mini meals that incorporate whole-grain foods, colorful vegetables and fruit or low-fat dairy, and unsaturated fats not only will help to stabilize your blood sugar levels but also could help reduce your risk of several diseases, from heart disease and hypertension to diabetes and certain cancers. Saying goodbye to snacks and three squares a day never sounded sweeter.





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