

# "NATION BUILDER AWARD", 2023

One major component of the Teacher Support vertical of Rotary India Literacy Mission's T-E-A-C-H program is recognizing outstanding teachers through the "Nation Builder Award". Over the last few years 40,834 teachers were felicitated for their enormous contribution towards the enhancement of quality education. Each Award is to be given at the club level.

This year also, RILM plans to undertake this endeavor of acknowledging the efforts of the teachers in various government or government aided schools.

This award aims to felicitate teachers after a detailed evaluation process.

#### > CHIEF PURPOSE OF THIS AWARD

- 1) Felicitate outstanding teachers
- 2) Establish liaison with school and teachers for further engagement in teacher training program.

This exercise of evaluation is vital and mandatory before giving the award to the outstanding teacher.

# > HOW TO DOWNLOAD THE EVALUATION SHEETS?

- 1. Download, print and familiarize yourself with the Evaluation Sheets for the "Nation Builder Award". To download the Evaluation Sheets follow the steps mentioned below:
  - Visit the RILM website <a href="www.rotaryteach.org">www.rotaryteach.org</a> (Go to the Resources Tab) or visit <a href="https://rotaryteach.org/teacher-support">https://rotaryteach.org/teacher-support</a> (Forms & Formats section)
  - Click on Download Forms
  - Download and print NB 1.2 and NB 2.2
  - Fill the Compilation Sheet for NB 3.2 online

# > HOW MANY EVALUATION SHEETS ARE THERE? AND WHAT ARE THEIR PURPOSES?

The Evaluation Sheets consist of 3 forms: NB 1.2, NB 2.2 and NB 3.2.

• FORM NO. NB 1.2 (STUDENT EVALUATION SHEET): This sheet is to be filled out by the students in order to evaluate their teachers in terms

of some key performance indicators. The form is in English and if the student has difficulty with the language then the Club Member can help the student in filling up the form.

<u>Please note</u> that the process of evaluation should be anonymous. The teacher should not know which 10 students are participating in the evaluation.

- FORM NO. NB 2.2 (PRINCIPAL/HEAD TEACHER EVALUATION SHEET): This sheet is to be filled in by the Principal or the Head Teacher / Teacher In charge to evaluate the performance of the teachers.
- □ **FORM NO. NB 3.2 (COMPILATION SHEET):** NB 3.2 format have to be filled up online, while uploading the project details on the website, <a href="https://rotaryteach.org/nba/login/login">https://rotaryteach.org/nba/login/login</a>

#### > WHICH CATEGORY OF SCHOOLS SHOULD BE SELECTED?

Having understood the basic logic of the forms, clubs will have to identify schools for evaluation of the teachers. Nation Builder Award is for Teachers of Government/ Government Aided / Zilla Parishad / Gram Panchayat / Municipal or similar schools, teaching from Class I to Class X.

# > WHAT IS THE EVALUATION PROCESS?

To undertake the evaluation process the following steps are necessary:

# STEP 1: IDENTIFICATION AND SELECTION OF STUDENTS:

After the school has been identified and permission is taken from the requisite authorities, it becomes imperative to select the students who will participate in the evaluation. Through random selection a club will have to:

- Identify 10 participant students for the evaluation. However the selected students should have a good attendance record.
- Students from class I to class X to be considered for participation in the evaluation.
- Each student should be given one NB 1.2 form. The club will have to take a print out of 10 NB 1.2 forms for each school.
- Then interact with the selected students, ask them relevant questions and
- Note down the marks awarded by each student in the relevant boxes provided in the NB 1.2 form, if the student has difficulty in filling up the form.

- Sum up the marks given to each teacher against the various attributes and arrive at the TOTAL figure for each teacher.
- It is very important that the identity of the student remains anonymous. Hence interactions with the students should be on one to one basis. Group discussions are not encouraged.

#### STEP 2:

- The Principal/Head Teacher will fill up Form No. NB 2.2.
- Then the Rotary/Inner Wheel member will have to add up the marks given by the Principal/Head Teacher to each teacher in Form No. NB 2.2 and arrive at **TOTAL B.**
- This TOTAL B will have to be carried forward to Form No. NB 3.2 which has to be filled online.

#### **STEP 3:**

A member of the participating club will now have to fill up Form No. NB 3.2 online.

- The total marks given by each student to all participating teachers (more or less) will have to be carried forward to the compilation sheet.
- All the figures for a given teacher will have to be summed up and arrive at **TOTAL A.**
- **AVERAGE A** will have to be calculated by dividing TOTAL A with the number of students for each teacher. This step is required because not all students will be taught by all teachers.
- Average A and Total B will have to be summed up to arrive at the final marks of a Teacher. The one with the maximum marks will be selected for the "Nation Builder Award".
- The principal should sign this form and the signature of the Rotarian/Inner Wheel member should also be there.
- Once this is done, the clubs should mandatorily upload the project on the website, along with the details, clubs would also be asked to fill up the NB 3.2 online to get the Nation Builder Award certificates. The appropriate time of distributing Nation Builder Award certificate is on 5<sup>th</sup> September, Teachers' Day. However, clubs can evaluate teachers and distribute NationBuilder Award certificates at any time of the year.

#### > HOW WILL THE CLUBS RECEIVE THE NATION BUILDER CERTIFICATE?

- After uploading project and NB 3.2 form online in RILM website the Clubs can download the certificate for printing. The Club Presidents will then have to take a print out of the certificate in 250 / 300 GSM A4 size paper and sign the certificates before distribution.
- The certificate will be digitally pre-signed by RILM Chair, District Governor (DG), & District Literacy Chair Committee (DLCC). The Club Presidents will sign at the time of distribution of the NBA Certificates to teachers.
- The clubs can also download the sample covering letter which goes with the certificate from RILM website. It can be printed in the Club's Letterhead with Club President Signature.
- After the completion of this procedure, the Club can hand it over to the teacher who has won the "Nation Builder Award".

# > WHAT AWARD TO BE GIVEN? WHEN AND WHERE?

- Pre-designed and signed Nation Builder Award certificates will be available online after successful completion of the project upload.
- If the club wants to add any gift, cash prize, etc. with the Award Certificate, it may do so.
- Each club can cover one or more schools and thus give one or more awards.
- Clubs can evaluate teachers and distribute Nation Builder Award certificates at any time of the year.
- The Award can be given at the school during the assembly in front of all students and Teachers by members of the club.
- Alternatively, the Award can be given at the club meeting or at a district function. It can also be a combination of all.

**Note:** The club/ district can organize an event during distribution of the certificates. It can also invite media and share the publication with RILM.

# **Rotary Recognitions**

Please upload Nation Builder Award ceremony pictures on Project Upload section to be eligible for recognition certificates

**Star Club** - A club involving 5 schools and awarding 5 teachers, one from each school.

**Super Star Club** - A club involving 10 schools and awarding 10 teachers, one from each school.

Mega Star Club - A club involving 15 schools and awarding 15 teachers, one from each school.

Supreme Star Club - A club involving 25 schools and awarding 25 teachers, one from each school.

**Sovereign Star Club** – A club involving 50 schools and awarding 50 teachers, one from each school.

# Note:

- Club recognition certificate will be awarded to the clubs who have uploaded complete project report online at the end of the Rotary year.
- The club can felicitate one teacher per ten teachers in one school. If, there are 15 teachers in a school, 2 teachers will receive the NBA certificates.
- UDISE number of schools is mandatory for project upload completion.
- Please do provide the signatures of the respective DGs & DLCCs to be used only for the NBA certificates.