

24–25 January 2026 Rotary Haat Bazaar: A Historic District Initiative

Rotary Clubs, including the **Rotary Club of Balaju**, jointly organized the **Rotary Haat Bazaar**, a two-day marketplace promoting **local products, culture, cuisine, and fellowship**. The event witnessed the participation of **Rotarians and Rotaractors from more than 45 Rotary Clubs**, reflecting strong **inter-club collaboration** and a shared commitment to **community upliftment**.

Creating history for **Rotary District 3292**, the **Rotary Haat Bazaar** was successfully held on **24–25 January 2026** at the **Rotary Club of Kathmandu premises, Thapathali**. As **Nepal's first initiative of its kind jointly led by 14 Rotary Club Presidents**, the event featured **over 27 stalls** showcasing **handicrafts, food items, fashion, organic products, and creative goods**, with **women entrepreneurs as the key beneficiaries**.

The bazaar attracted **over 5,200 visitors** over two days and offered a vibrant blend of **tradition and innovation** through **Pancha Kanya Puja, Dhime Baja, Swasti Bachan, cultural performances, magic shows, painting sessions, music, poetry, and interactive programs**. **Youth engagement** was further strengthened through **Interact and Rotaract activities**, including **painting and public speaking competitions**.

Organized with a budget exceeding **NPR 3.7 lakhs**, the Rotary Haat Bazaar successfully promoted **sustainable livelihoods, community-based entrepreneurship, and vocational service**, while significantly **enhancing Rotary's public image and setting a benchmark for future district-level initiatives across Nepal**.





