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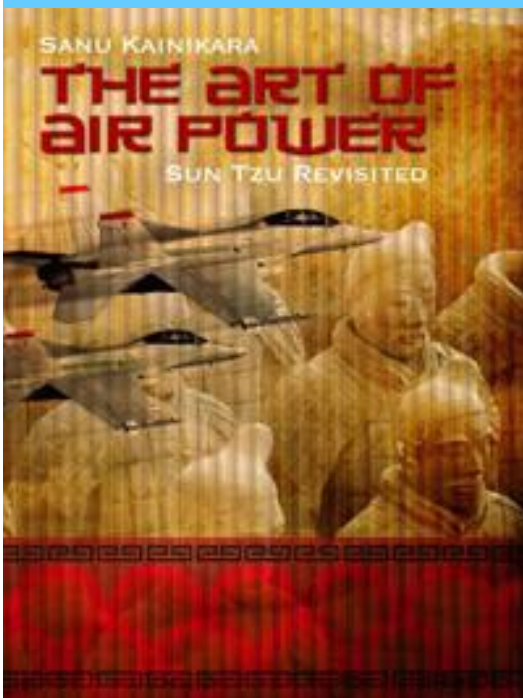
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### **Profile of a member— Dr Sanu Kainikara**



Below

Dr Sanu Kainikara's latest best seller published in March 2010.



Also

Author of Red Air & Australian securities in Asian countries

Dr Sanu Kainikara is a former fighter pilot of the Indian Air Force (IAF) who retired voluntarily as a Wing Commander after 21 years of commissioned service. He is a graduate of the Indian National Defence Academy, Defence Services Staff College and the College of Air Warfare. He holds two Bachelors degrees (Human resources and Strategic studies) and a Master of Science in Defence and Strategic Studies from the University of Madras. His PhD in International Politics was awarded by the University of Adelaide.

Dr. Sanu was the senior analyst of a US Training Team in the Middle East for four years, specialising in military strategy and air operations before migrating to Australia. Currently he is the Air Power Strategist at the Air Power Development Centre of the RAAF. Prior to this appointment he taught Aerospace Engineering at the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology University, Melbourne and was a consultant to the Air Operations Division of DSTO, also at Melbourne.

Married to Pranati Kainikara, and is blessed with two daughters, Priya and Priyanka, and three grandchildren.

He shares his birthday with Jessica Watson

# RD Burman: kaisa jaadu kiya

A musical exploration of life and times of the maestro

**An evening full of entertainment for the whole family.**

**Come and listen to RD Burman's gems (mostly from Hindi films) and discover through audio-visual means how the genius created music that continues to touch the heart of music lovers all over the world. There will be singing and dancing too.**

**When: 12<sup>th</sup> June 2010 (Saturday)  
from 7:30pm**

**Where: Hughes Community Centre, Hughes**

**Entry: Gold coin donation**

**Dinner pack available for a nominal charge**

## **Sponsors:**

**Bengali Cultural Association, Canberra**

**Flavours of India**

**Radio Manpasand FM 91.1**



## Swati and Arnab Gupta celebrating Rishi's "Annaprashan".



Sankarda performing satyanarayana Puja at Nilanjana & Sandeep new house.



Please remember

*We want you all to contribute to  
this newsletter consistently.*

*Send your articles to*

*podeakin@grapevine.com.au*

NEXT WEEK IF YOU ARE CELEBRATING YOUR BIRTHDAY OR ANNIVERSARY, PLEASE SHARE IT WITH US. PLEASE ALSO SHARE YOUR JOKES, RECIPES, HOLIDAY TRIPS ETC, MORE IMPORTANTLY, YOUR PRECIOUS EVENTS IN YOUR LIFE—**SHARE IT WITH YOUR COMMUNITY.**

## Australian health care policy

**PLEASE LISTEN TO BANGLA RADIO**

**@ 98.3 FM 2-3PM**

**Saturday 29 May 2010**

The Australian Medical Association has weighed in on the new Rudd health care and hospital proposals. The Allergists voted to scratch it, but the Dermatologists advised not to make any rash moves. The Gastroenterologists had sort of a gut feeling about it, but the Neurologists thought the Administration had a lot of nerve. The Obstetricians felt they were all labouring under a misconception. Ophthalmologists considered the idea short-sighted. Pathologists yelled, “Over my dead body!” while the Paediatricians said, “Oh, Grow up!” The Psychiatrists thought the whole idea was madness, while the Radiologists could see right through it. Surgeons decided to wash their hands of the whole thing. The Internists thought it was a bitter pill to swallow, and the Plastic Surgeons said, “This puts a whole new face on the matter...” The Podiatrists thought it was a step forward, but the Urologists were “pissed” off at the whole idea. The Anaesthesiologists thought the whole idea was a gas, and the Cardiologists didn’t have the heart to say no. Doctors are a strange lot! .

Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts.- Winston Churchill

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