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Greetings for Peace and Prosperity!

As the month of September began, the Rotary Club of Bislig launched various service projects that foster hope, community inclusiveness, and camaraderie. Rotarians have demonstrated to the community that there is much more to Rotary's service than its famous motto, 'Service Above Self.' Through this organization, people unite for a shared purpose, bringing about the unity and camaraderie that the world needs.

To ensure the club's legacy continues, mentoring young individuals is vital. This commitment and dedication to the community will pass on to the next generation of future Rotarians. The Rotary Club of Bislig initiated the Basic Orientation and Seminar, as well as the induction of new members and officers for the Rotaract Club of Andres Soriano Colleges of Bislig. The mentorship and guidance provided by Rotarians to the Rotaractors are invaluable and inspiring. On the same day, the induction of a new Rotary member took place, making the event even more relevant.

Furthermore, one of the commitments this organization aims to achieve is the protection and nurturing of the environment. Therefore, the Rotary Club of Bislig hosted a district-wide Mangrove Tree Planting and Coastal Clean-Up, with the participation of clubs from D3860-Area 3L, under the leadership of Assistant Governor Soy Pates. Although this may seem like a small step, it has the potential to have a lasting impact on the world.

The Rotary Club of Bislig is committed to increasing its impact and expanding its reach by providing vital programs that will not only change the community but also inspire them to be the beacons of hope. Under the leadership of President Ricah Abao, this mission is attainable, and the creation of hope in this world becomes possible.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



RTN RICAH ABAO
PRESIDENT

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

I am pleased to share with you the highlights of our recent activities and achievements as we continue to make a positive impact in our community. Our commitment to service remains unwavering, and it's a privilege to be part of this incredible journey.

Our Rotaract Club of Andres Soriano Colleges has been a source of immense pride for us, and in the past month, we had the privilege of giving an orientation and inducting a new group of passionate young leaders into our fold. They bring fresh energy and innovative ideas that inspire us all. Our commitment to guiding and mentoring them is a testament to our dedication to nurturing the next generation of Rotarians.

Our efforts to protect and preserve the environment have yielded significant results. This September, we joined hands to plant over 1,000 mangrove trees along our beautiful coastline in Barangay Lawigan, Bislig City. Not only do these mangroves contribute to the health of our marine ecosystem, but they also Caring and Protecting Mother Earth. I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to every Rotarian who joined this endeavor, making a difference one tree at a time.

Our responsibility towards the environment doesn't end with planting trees. It's equally vital that we actively clean and protect the areas we cherish. The Coastal Clean-Up initiative was a great success, with our team removing tons of litter and debris from our shores. This not only makes our environment cleaner but also sets an example for others to follow.

Our regular meetings and fellowships continue to be the heartbeat of our Rotary Club. These gatherings serve as a platform for open discussion, sharing ideas, and building the strong bonds that unite us in service. The camaraderie and dedication displayed during these meetings and fellowships are what drive us forward. Please make an effort to attend our upcoming meetings, fellowships and activities as your presence and input are invaluable.

Our accomplishments this month are a testament to the impact we can achieve when we work together. I am continually inspired by your dedication to the Rotary ideals of Service Above Self. Let's keep the spirit alive and continue to Create Hope in the World.

Thank you for your unwavering support, dedication, and the pride you bring to the Rotary Club of Bislig. I am honored to serve alongside you all.

September Activities



ROTARY REVOLUTION: TRANSFORMING COMMUNITIES THROUGH SERVICE



In September, the Rotary Club of Bislig saw a flurry of engaging activities, including the induction of new members and officers for the Rotaract Club of ASCB, welcoming fresh faces to the Rotary family. Additionally, new Rotary member were warmly initiated into the club, further strengthening the community of service-minded individuals. The club also continued its commitment to environmental stewardship with mangrove planting and coastal cleanup efforts, aligning with Rotary's mission to make a positive impact on both its members and the environment. Monthly meetings provided a platform for members to connect, collaborate, and plan future initiatives, fostering a strong sense of camaraderie within the Rotary community.

On September 2, 2023, an enriching and insightful day unfolded for the young leaders of the Rotaract Club of ASCB as they had the privilege of participating in a Basic Orientation and Seminar under the mentorship of the esteemed Rtn. Howell Rex Mabale. This event served as a crucial stepping stone in their journey towards service and personal development. Rtn. Mabale, a seasoned Rotarian, shared his wealth of knowledge and experience, instilling the core values of Rotary and inspiring these aspiring change-makers to embrace the organization's motto of "Service Above Self."



During the seminar, participants delved deep into the principles of Rotary, discovering the power of community service and the positive impact it can have on society. Rtn. Mabale's guidance not only equipped the Rotaractors with essential skills and insights but also ignited a passion for humanitarian work. This transformative experience undoubtedly set the stage for these young leaders to make a lasting difference in their communities and beyond, carrying forward the torch of Rotary's noble mission

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On September 2, 2023, an atmosphere of anticipation and enthusiasm filled the room as the Rotaract Club of ASCB celebrated a significant milestone - the induction of new members and officers. The ceremony, initiated by Rotary President Ricah Abao, was a momentous occasion that marked the transition of leadership and the infusion of fresh energy into the Rotaract community.

Under the guiding hand of President Abao, the new inductees took their oaths of service, pledging their commitment to Rotary's principles and the noble cause of "Service Above Self." The event was a symbol of continuity and growth, as seasoned members welcomed and mentored the newcomers, ensuring that the legacy of service would endure and thrive in the capable hands of the next generation of Rotaractors. With this induction, the Rotaract Club of ASCB embarked on a new chapter, united in purpose and inspired to make a positive impact on their communities and the world.

INDUCTION OF THE ROTARY NEW MEMBER



In a heartwarming ceremony that took place on September 2, 2023, the Rotary Club welcomed a new member into its esteemed ranks. The induction was a poignant moment, symbolizing the continued growth and dedication of the club to its mission of serving the community and promoting goodwill. With a warm and enthusiastic welcome, the new member embraced the Rotary motto of "Service Above Self," pledging to uphold the organization's core values and contribute their skills and passion to the club's noble causes.

The induction of this new member not only added strength to the Rotary family but also underscored the club's commitment to fostering meaningful connections and making a difference in the lives of those they serve. As they embark on their Rotary journey, this member is poised to be a source of inspiration, collaboration, and positive change within the community, working hand in hand with fellow Rotarians to tackle the world's pressing challenges and leave a lasting legacy of service.





RC BISLIG MEETING AND FELLOWSHIP

On the evening of September 21, 2023, the Rotary Club of Bislig gathered for a meeting and fellowship that exemplified the essence of camaraderie and service. Amid the warm ambiance of fellowship, Rotarians came together to discuss upcoming projects, share insights, and reinforce their dedication to Rotary's mission. This meeting served as a platform for brainstorming and planning, fostering an environment of collaboration that is at the heart of Rotary's success in serving communities.

As the night unfolded, members engaged in meaningful conversations, strengthening the bonds that unite them in service. The meeting and fellowship on September 21 were a testament to the enduring spirit of Rotary in Bislig, where individuals from diverse backgrounds and professions unite for a common purpose - making a positive impact on their community and beyond. Through these gatherings, the Rotary Club of Bislig not only reinforces its commitment to "Service Above Self" but also celebrates the collective strength of like-minded individuals working together for the greater good.



ROTARY CLUB OF BISLIG TAKES THE LEAD: DISTRICT-WIDE MANGROVE PLANTING PROJECT

On September 16, 2023, the Rotary Club of Bislig took a remarkable initiative as it played host to a district-wide Mangrove Planting project, uniting the collective efforts of Rotary Clubs from Area 3L through the leadership of Assistant Governor Soy Pates. This ambitious endeavor aimed to protect and restore the fragile coastal ecosystems of the region, underscoring the Rotarians' unwavering commitment to environmental conservation and community well-being.

The event brought together Rotarians and community members in a powerful display of unity, as they diligently planted mangrove seedlings along the shoreline. Each sapling represented a small but significant step towards safeguarding the environment and mitigating the impact of climate change. This act of eco-conscious philanthropy not only nurtured the mangroves but also cultivated a sense of camaraderie and purpose among all participants. The district-wide Mangrove Planting project, hosted by the Rotary Club of Bislig, exemplified the immense potential of collective action to make a lasting, positive impact on the environment and the communities that depend on it.





ROTARY INTERNATIONAL D3860-AREA 3L: CHAMPIONS ENVIRONMENTAL WELLNESS WITH COASTAL CLEAN-UP



On the same day as the Mangrove Planting project hosted by the Rotary Club of Bislig on September 16, 2023, the coastal shores of Lawigan, Bislig city witnessed another remarkable display of community and environmental commitment as the Rotary Clubs of Area 3L, under the capable leadership of Assistant Governor Soy Pates, came together for a Coastal Clean-Up. This dual initiative showcased the comprehensive approach of Rotary in preserving coastal ecosystems and ensuring their vitality for the future.

With the rhythmic sound of waves in the background, Rotarians and volunteers combed the coastline, diligently collecting debris and waste. The Coastal Clean-Up wasn't just about tidying the shorelines; it symbolized Rotary's unyielding dedication to environmental wellness. By joining forces in both mangrove planting and coastal clean-up, the Rotary Clubs of Area 3L demonstrated a holistic approach to safeguarding the natural treasures of Bislig and beyond, marking an impactful step toward cleaner, healthier coastal communities. This collective effort bore witness to the power of unity and determination within Rotary, exemplifying the organization's unwavering commitment to being stewards of the environment.



RC BISLIG MEETING AND FELLOWSHIP

In their second meeting and fellowship of the month of September, the Rotary Club of Bislig continued to demonstrate their unwavering commitment to community service and unity. Members convened once more, sharing ideas and insights on upcoming initiatives and strengthening the bonds of camaraderie that define their Rotary family. This gathering served as a testament to the club's enduring dedication to Rotary's mission, reinforcing the belief that, together, they can make a lasting, positive impact on their community and inspire a spirit of service in the hearts of those they serve.



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Rotary Club of Bislig Officers and Members





THE FOUR WAY TEST

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOOD WILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIP**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise, and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

FIRST, the development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND, high ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD, the application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal and community life;

FOURTH, the advancement of international understanding, good will, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

ROTARIAN CODE OF CONDUCT

As a Rotarian, I will:

1. Act with integrity and high ethical standards in my personal and professional life;
2. Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect;
3. Use my professional skills through Rotary to mentor young people, help those with special needs, and improve people's quality of life in my community and in the world;
4. Avoid behavior that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians.

7 AREA OF FOCUS

