



ROTARY CLUB OF CALBAYOG District 3860

**JULY 2021** 

# Happy New Year Rotary & Welcome Rotary Year 2021-2022











Shekhar Mehta RI President 2021-2022 Empowering girls and young women to have greater access to education, better health care, more employment, and equality in all walks of life should be embedded in every Rotary project we launch. Girls are future leaders, so we must ensure that we help them shape their future.

The biggest gift we are given Is the power to touch a life,

To change, to make a difference In the circle of life.

If we can reach out With our hand, heart, and soul,

The magic will start to happen As the wheel begins to roll.

Let's turn the wheel together So all humanity thrives,

We have the power and the magic To Serve to Change Lives.

These are challenging times, and I compliment each of your efforts in grappling with COVID-19. No challenge is too big for Rotarians. The bigger the challenge, the more passionate the Rotarian. Look at what we can do when we take on a colossal challenge such as eradicating polio. Look at the millions of lives we improve by strengthening access to water, sanitation, and hygiene. Look at what we do every year to promote peace in places where it seems unimaginable. Our basic education and literacy programs have nation-building impact.

This year, let us challenge ourselves to do more such projects and programs that have national reach and impact. This year, let us Serve to Change Lives.

### Presidential Message

I wish each of you and your families a great Rotary New Year! Together, let us make it the best year of our lives, by making it a year to *grow more and do more*. Let this be a year of Changemakers, and let us begin with our membership.

That is precisely why the Each One, Bring One initiative is so important. During this year, I urge you to dream of new ways in which Rotary can expand its reach into your community and therefore the world. If each member introduces one person to Rotary, our membership can increase to 1.3 million by July 2022. So, let's just do it!

Imagine the change we, as Rotary members, can make when there are so many more of us! More people to care for others, more people to *Serve to Change Lives*. Think of the impact we can have through *grow more, do more*. More members will enable us to embark on bigger and bolder service projects. And each of us can also continue to serve in our own personal ways, responding to needs in our communities.

The beauty of Rotary is that service means different things to different people around the world. One element, however, that we can incorporate into all of our service initiatives is *empowering girls*. Unfortunately, even in this day and age, girls and young women face disproportionate challenges all over the world. We have the power to lead the charge for gender equality.

### **ROTARY 7 AREAS OF FOCUS**







PEACEBUILDING AND CONFLICT PREVENTION



AND LITERACY



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DEVELOPMENT

#### ROTARY INTERNATIONAL



DISEASE PREVENTION



ENVIRONMEN









# **Rotary Club of Calbayog**

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The Rotary Club of Calbayog attended the Virtual District Handover and Induction Ceremonies of District 3860 Officers and Club Presidents on July 03, 2021, via Zoom.

Three members of the club were inducted as District Officers namely: Mel Senen S. Sarmiento as Economic and Community Development Chair, Ronaldo M. Obong as Assistant Governor for Area 3A, and Irene Pastrana-Obong as GML Editorial Staff.

In addition, Rotarian Sandro Daguman was inducted as President of the Rotary Club of Calbayog, together with more than ninety Club Presidents in the district.

To District Governor Anna Louisa Bumagat, rest assure of the club's full support, commitment and cooperation in all District plans, programs and activities.

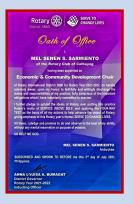
















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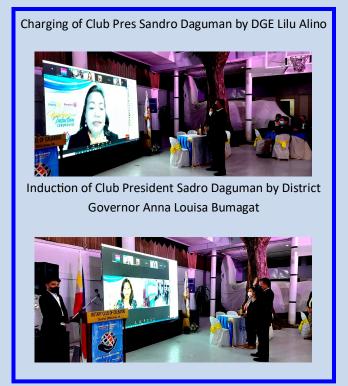






















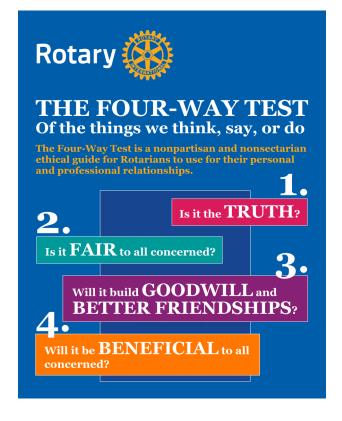




















Immediate Past President Maria Vivian Jumagdao delivers her Valedictory Address

I would like to thank all the members of our club, especially the BODs and Club Officers for the support and hard work. Because of you we have added new members and had great participation in our events and meetings.

The various works we did made it possible for us to fulfill our personal passion, and that is, to serve. While I learned a great deal about Rotary and our club and value the fact you allowed me to be 2021~2022.Big Thanks to all the members of the the club's President for a year, I am looking forward Rotary Club of Calbayog!! Mabuhay kita ngatanan. to be the Immediate Past President and to concentrate more to some of my Rotary passions.

President SANDRO DAGUMAN, thank you for taking the reins. You will do a great job. If not for Rotary, I would never have known you and that would have been unfortunate for me in so many ways. You have been there with us the entire year. We look forward to your future plans and projects. Thank you Rotary club of Calbayog for making this year an unforgettable experience! I truly enjoyed being your President. I'm also looking forward to President Sandro Daguman's year. He is going to be awesome!

Take a look at some highlights OF PROJECTS and awards of the club for the year!! - Donation to the DepEd - Blood letting - Chartering of the Interact Club of Calbayog City High - CREATION OF RCC MANGINOO - Medical and Dental missions, and much more.

Awards - Area 3 Visayas Rotary Transforming Club Award - Exemplary Leadership Award - 100% Paul Harris Fellow Club -New Generation Membership Award - Club Secretary Distinction Award - Club with 100% Membership Retention

Thanks to our Club Officers & Directors, God Bless and More Blessings to come.

To our Paul Harris Fellows, thank you for you generosity.

Let us do it again for Rotary Year











Club President Sandro Daguman delivers his Acceptance Speech

To our beloved District Governor Anna Luisa A. Bumagat, Miss Caroline Andrade the District Secretary, District Governor-Elect Lilu Aliño, the Officers of Rotary District 3860, Officers and members of the Rotary Club of Calbayog, Officers and members of the Rotaract Club of Ibatan-Calbayog, Officers of the Interact Club of Calbayog City High, welcome to this momentous event.

It is a great joy to see so many of you today, celebrating another wonderful year of committed service. We all know the challenges that we are facing in our everyday lives and we made it here gathered together, looking forward to another year of continuous service for we are a catalyst of change, changing the lives of people towards a brighter future.

To Pres. Vivian Jumagdao and the Officers of RY 2020 -2021, thank you for an outstanding performance, services, dedications and bringing the Rotary Club of Calbayog into the higher level. The achievements through your leadership is not easy to surpass; and we should give them a round of applause for a job well done, Congratulations.

As your Club President this year, I humbly solicit for your support and cooperation this RY 2021-2022, for us to reach more people and accomplish the goals, and the Areas of Focus with flying colors.

Facing this pandemic is not easy. It causes huge and

drastic changes in people's lives. A lot of people suffer restricted liberty to roam around or even to be with their love ones. People suffer from economic constraints, but the most painful is that you will see people get sick and even perish because of covid-19 virus.

As we all know, there is always sunshine behind the clouds. We Rotarians will be the light, the guide and the wheel for those people who will be reached by our service.

Looking at the passion and dedication of our District Governor Anna Bumagat and the Officers of District 3860 in bringing services to the people, we will surely be inspired and more devoted to do so the same.

This year's theme, "Serve to Change Lives, we will be able to innovate, to be much more dedicated and committed to make our life meaningful by lifting and changing the lives of other people into a higher level.

In my 19 years of government service, I was with the City Health Office, and I saw people in different communities who need our love and services.

Now that I am in the Office of CDRRM, we will be collaborating with the Rotary Club of Calbayog in pursuing programs for the community to become more resilient. Fulfilling the District Goals and the Seven Areas of Focus, more people will benefit and more lives will be changed.

As Ordnas Needleman says, "People needs people, to serve is a noble deed, " as Rotarians institutionalize Service Above Self. In Rotary Club of Calbayog, you will meet people with the same perspective in life where sharing the blessings is a way of life. Once you are a Rotarian you will always be a blessing to everyone.

Be a part this momentous event, welcome and good evening.







# **Rotary Club of Calbayog Supports the District-Wide Bloodletting Activity**

# of Rotary District 3860



The Rotary Club of Calbayog, in partnership with the Rotaract Club of Ibatan-Calbayog and the Interact Club of Calbayog City High carried out one of the District's goals "One District, One Blood Letting" activity held on July 25, 2021 at Brgy. Balud Covered Court, Brgy. Balud Calbayog City.

The Bloodletting Activity was made possible with the assistance of the Calbayog City Blood Bank, Treskelion Fraternity and Brgy. Balud Council.

















## Rotarians and Rotaractors donate blood during the Districtwide Bloodletting Activity.







#### **COVID-19 RESPONSE**





The Rotary Club of Calbayog shares food packs and chicken porridge to 62 quarantined Covid-19 positive patients, 3 medical frontliners and 14 Covid warriors in Braville LIGTAS COVID CENTER at Brgy. Anislag, Calbayog City, Samar last July 30, 2021.







### July 2021 meetings:

July 11, 2021: 1st Regular Meeting presided by Club President Sandro Daguman. Aganda: Induction Ceremony, Bloodletting Activity, Incoming programs and activities were discussed and it will be posted to RC group chat for future guidance. Other matters such as club uniforms, transfer of bank signatories and continuation zoom subscription were also addressed.

July 15, 2021: Preliminary meeting for the incoming Rotary Club of Calbayog Induction Ceremony with Rotary Club of Calbayog President-Elect Sandro Daguman, Club Secretary-Elect Ellery Daguman, Vice-President Doc Richard Alovera and Rotaract Club of Ibatan-Calbayog President-Elect AJ Justiniano

