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SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

17th General Membership Meeting

Virtual Meeting | December 11, 2021

Area of Focus: Disease Prevention and **Treatment Month**

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Programme

PART 1

Call to Order......Pres. Bernardino Amago IV Invocation......Audio Visual Presentation Philippine Anthem......Audio Visual Presentation The Rotary Hymn......Audio Visual Presentation Four Way Test and Objects of Rotary......Audio Visual Presentation Introduction of Rotarians / Spouses Visiting Rotarians/Rotaractors/Guest

PART 2

Chistmas Fellowship

Announcements

PART 3

......Pres. Bernardino Amago IV President's Time.. Other matters Adjournment.......Pres. Bernardino Amago IV

...Fellowship Continues...



Hosted by: ALFIE M. TORRES Member

INVOCATION

Our Father, we thank you for all the opportunities you have gift wrapped and delivered to us this day. Grant us, we pray, the grace to worthily receive your gift. We thank you for this time of fellowship, for time to exchange greetings, and for time to share the holiday spirit. We pray that you will bless us with a spirit of openness, that our hearts may be ready for the brightness of your glory and the fullness of your blessing as it is expressed so fully in the Christmas message. Amen.



Quote for the Week

"Christmas is most truly Christmas when we celebrate it by giving the light of love to those who need it most." - Ruth Carter Stapleton





President's essessage















Dear RCCF Family,

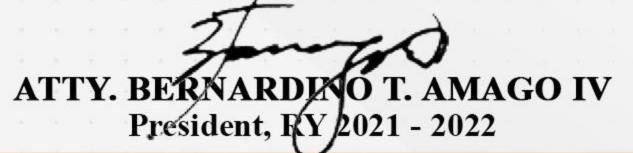
Greetings of joy and glad tidings!

It takes this most wonderful time of the year to enliven us with courage to hold a face-to-face fellowship event. To enfranchise more RCCF Rotarians and Rotaractors in partaking in this happy occasion, we blended the celebration with a virtual option.

The Organizing Committee has taken great efforts in preparing for this event and I hope that you will enjoy the offerings. But transcending beyond the fun should be the reason for the season, which is remembering the birth of a Savior. May his selfless and divine sacrifice inspire us to change more lives!

Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year to one and all!

Very truly yours,







From Secretary's Desk

JOSE MARIE PONCE Secretary, RY 2021 - 2022

Attendance

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8794289	Abay-Abay	Emman Reyan	✓		1	√	
9330462	Amago IV	Atty. Bernardino	✓	1	1	✓	
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3264107	Solomon	Mary Anne	✓	✓	✓	1	
8543450	Sulay	Kendrick		1			
9330558	Tesalona	Emmanuel	✓	✓	✓	1	
11227493	Torres	Alfie	✓	1	1	✓	
5176670	Torres	Arch. Manuel, Jr.	√	1	✓	1	
10713855	Uy	Stephen Henry	√	✓	✓	1	
10410033	Yared	Patrick	✓	√	√	1	
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BIRTHDAYS

December 02 Jason Ong December 06 Sps. Yeni Deipaine December 08 Emman Abay-abay December 09 Atty. Bernz Amago December 11 PP Julio Gonzalez

Kristoffer Llegunas December 12 December 14 Maricel Amores December 21 Nanette Calalang December 31 Emmie Tesalona

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

PDG Me'anne & Tito Solomon December 15 December 26 Janice & Jason Ong

Ken & Ninna Sulay December 27 Pearle and Fristz Strolz December 31





GREETINGS, DEAR CHANGEMAKERS OF ROTARY,

ublic health is on everyone's mind due to the global pandemic that still threatens the safety of ourselves and our loved ones. In a sense, COVID-19 has made all of us much more aware of the roles and responsibilities of medical professionals than we were before we had to wear masks and maintain social distance. In addition, while moving through this pandemic, we have also learned about the role we can play in keeping others safe.

December is Disease Prevention and Treatment Month in Rotary. The pandemic unfortunately has schooled most people on the toll that disease takes on our communities. But fighting disease is something that Rotarians around the world have been doing for decades. In fact, it is one of Rotary's seven areas of focus.

As Rotarians, we believe that good health and wellbeing is a human right — even though 400 million people across the globe do not have access to essential health services. The work we do in establishing clinics, eye hospitals, and blood banks, as well as in building infrastructure for medical facilities in underserved communities, all returns to a central belief that access, prevention, and education are the keys to stopping deadly outbreaks that harm the most vulnerable.

My exposure to health work began with my Rotary club, Calcutta-Mahanagar. There, among other things, I helped pioneer a program called Saving Little Hearts that over the years has provided more than 2,500 free heart surgeries for children from India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Nepal, and Africa. Before the program went international, it started locally with the goal of performing just six surgeries within our community. Today, our goal is to complete another 20,000 surgeries over the next five years.

The world relies on Rotary to tackle challenges like these and to set an example for others. Over the past decade, medical professionals and government workers have provided free health services to 2.5 million people in 10 countries during Family Health Days, which are organized by Rotarians around the world. Similar health camps in India also provide thousands of surgeries to those in need. Medical missions from India to Africa each year are an excellent example of hands-on service in disease prevention and treatment. Rotary members can also get involved at a local level; clubs in the United States and Mexico, for example, fund a free health clinic in Guerrero, a small town in Mexico.

And of course, our effort to eradicate polio is by far the best story in civil-society health care.

This month, think about how your club can focus on preventing and fighting disease. This is the time to take a bigger, better, bolder approach through both club and district projects that can impact more people. Reevaluate where you are with your goals. Create strategies that can sustain change over years, not months.

Everyone deserves a long, healthy life. When you Serve to Change Lives, your actions today can help extend the lives of others.

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President, Rotary International



TRUSTEE CHAIR'S MESSAGE

Together, we can reach our goals

December marks a special time of year. It's a time of holiday gatherings and family reunions (COVID-19 permitting). It's also the halfway point of the Rotary year, when we look back on our goals, reflecting on the what and the why of our work.

First, the what. This year, to stay on course to reach our goal, we need to raise \$50 million for PolioPlus, with a 2-to-1 match by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation bringing the total to \$150 million. To keep our Rotary Foundation programs running strong, we set a goal to raise \$125 million for the Annual Fund. We also aim to raise \$95 million for the Endowment Fund in outright gifts and new commitments, and a further \$40 million for other outright gifts.

So how do we reach our grand total of \$410 million? We must remember that in all great endeavors, including Rotary, we are part of a TEAM: Together, Everyone Achieves More.

You can't have a great team without great PEOPLE. P stands for pride in our organization, our achievements, and our potential. E is our empathy for others, which we transform into service. O has two parts: the tremendous opportunities to make a difference that Rotary has granted us, and an obligation to pull others up and to increase our ranks. Our second P is for perseverance, helping us stick to our goals, like polio eradication, when the going gets

tough. L stands for leadership, and E for enthusiasm — the fuel of Rotary.

While we are revisiting our goals, we also need to remember the why. For me, this needs little explanation. Why wouldn't you help expectant mothers and their children survive and thrive by supporting a Rotary Foundation grant? And why wouldn't you initiate programs to help preserve the environment, our cherished home? The pandemic has only renewed my conviction that life is precious, and we must seize every opportunity to enhance the lives of others.

You are one of the PEOPLE on our TEAM. I encourage you this month to join other leaders who participate in Rotary's strong tradition of philanthropy by making a gift to The Rotary Foundation. It is the season of giving, and every gift counts. Please contribute any amount that feels right by 31 December, and your gift will keep on giving in 2022 and for years to come. There are many ways to give, as a club or an individual — why not set up a giving plan?

The Rotary Foundation offers us countless opportunities to help make a difference in the world. Let us never squander those opportunities, nor take our Foundation for granted.

Judy and I wish you the happiest of holidays.

JOHN F. GERN

Foundation trustee chair

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December 2021 Events



CALENDAR

December events



TWINKLE TWINKLE

Event:

Festival of Lights

Host:

Rotary Club of Aurora, Illinois

What it benefits:

Local and international organizations

What it is:

For most of December, the road through Phillips Park will be illuminated with thousands of dazzling lights, arranged in festive holiday tableaus. Plan ahead: You must reserve a time slot in advance to drive through the park. The event is free to all; funds generated through sponsorships or in-kind donations will go back to the community after costs are covered.



RAISE A GLASS

Event:

Brewfest

Host:

Rotary Club of Sebastian, Florida

What it benefits:

Local projects, such as improvements to a community park

What it is:

This inaugural Brewfest will take place on the weekend of the town's Christmas parade and tree lighting. Tickets include unlimited beer tasting, and there will also be pints of limited-edition craft brews available for purchase.



PANCAKES WITH THE BIG GUY

Event:

Breakfast with Santa

Host:

Rotary Club of Chanhassen, Minnesota

What it benefits:

Student scholarships and local projects

What it is:

This annual breakfast features pancakes, a photo op with Santa and his reindeer, an online photo contest, and the chance to win a fully decorated Christmas tree. The event will be held as scheduled — if required by local health guidelines, it will be converted from an in-person to a drive-through event. Advance registration is required.

READY, SET, HO HO HO!

Event:

5K Santa Run

Host:

Rotary Club of Paw Paw Area, Michigan

What it benefits:

Local projects and The Rotary Foundation

What it is:

Anyone can join in this untimed family fun run. Show up early for the pre-race party atmosphere, with runners donning Santa suits, enjoying live music, and noshing on provided snacks. In the names of the top finishers, the club will make a donation to the Foundation, directed toward the water, sanitation, and hygiene area of focus.



2022, WHAT WILL YOU DO?

Event:

New Year's Eve Party in the Park

Rotary Club of Fiordland, New Zealand

What it benefits:

Local projects

What it is:

Ring in the new year with a familyfriendly celebration held outdoors. A band or a DJ will kick off the night around 9 p.m.; a bonfire will keep everyone at the park nice and toasty. Food will be available, and fireworks will celebrate the start of 2022.





Rotary Info

HANDBOOK

Better together

Rotary's partnerships provide the tools and resources to make projects more successful

Rotary has been partnering with other organizations for decades. Its work as a spearheading partner with the Global Polio Eradication Initiative has put Rotary on the world stage as a leader in the fight to eradicate polio, and its partnership with the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) has engaged Rotary members in finding sustainable solutions for bringing clean water, sanitation, and hygiene services to those who need them.

In addition to these high-profile partnerships, Rotary has agreements with a number of other organizations that offer members and clubs the opportunity to tap into resources and training.

"Partners bring complementary skills, knowledge, and the ability to create something really valuable," says Ingrid Schwab, a senior specialist in service and project partners at Rotary International. Erica Gwynn, Rotary's program manager for the RI-USAID Partnership, adds that working with global partners allows Rotary members to get involved in largescale programs (learn more at riusaidwash.rotary.org). "This moves us from charitable giving to programs of impact," she says.

Rotary members bring immense value to these partnerships. "The superpower of Rotary is our social capital, which is our membership," says Amanda Ottman, RI's partner relations manager. Gwynn agrees: "We are positioned to convene, to influence decision-makers, and to amplify the voices of the unheard."

— SUSIE MA



PEACE CORPS

Peace Corps volunteers work in communities around the world to address local challenges and promote better understanding between Americans and other peoples. Peace Corps volunteers can provide Rotary clubs with a connection to a project or a group that needs assistance. For example, clubs in Minnesota and the Dominican Republic partnered with Peace Corps volunteers to implement a water and sanitation project in the Dominican Republic. Peace Corps volunteers and returned volunteers can also help Rotary clubs understand the culture and the specific needs of the region where they were posted.

GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP FOR EDUCATION

The Global Partnership for Education (GPE) works to improve outcomes and achieve gender equity in education by bringing together governments and other stakeholders to work toward common goals. Rotary and GPE are working together in several partner countries, with an initial focus on Kenya, Uganda, and Zimbabwe. The partnership will give Rotary members a seat at the table with other international organizations, government partners, and the private sector to contribute insights about educational needs based on their involvement in local communities.









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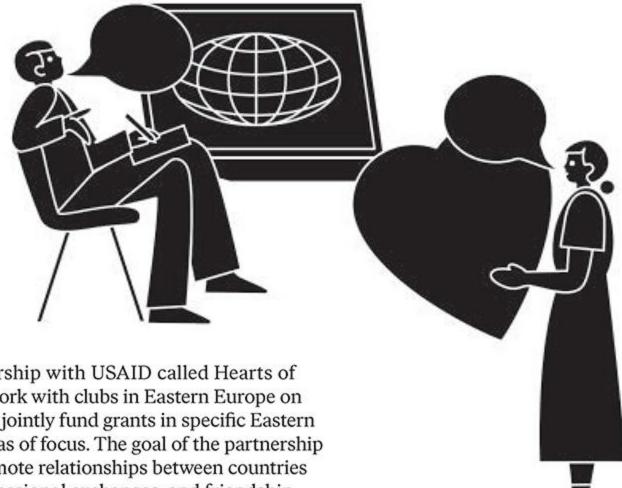


INSTITUTE FOR ECONOMICS AND PEACE

The Institute for Economics and Peace is a nonprofit think tank dedicated to advancing peace. The goal of this partnership is to provide education to Rotary members and to encourage them to support peacebuilding projects in their communities. One of the partnership's main initiatives is the Rotary Positive Peace Academy — an online training program created specifically for Rotary members. This program is free and open to all Rotary members, who earn a certificate upon completion. Rotary members in Colombia and Mexico have utilized the training to create peace programs for youth leaders.



This NGO sponsors the prestigious Ashoka Fellowship, which supports social entrepreneurs in developing innovative solutions to challenges around the world. Rotary members can take advantage of this partnership by inviting one of Ashoka's network of 3,500 social entrepreneurs to a club meeting, or by working with Ashoka fellows on a project.



USAID: HEARTS OF EUROPE

Rotary members have a second partnership with USAID called Hearts of Europe, a program in which U.S. clubs work with clubs in Eastern Europe on global grant projects. USAID and Rotary jointly fund grants in specific Eastern European countries around Rotary's areas of focus. The goal of the partnership is to develop cross-cultural ties and promote relationships between countries that could open doors for projects, professional exchanges, and friendship. Rotary members in the United States and in the Hearts of Europe countries can take part and work together in this special global grant opportunity.



Rotary has connections with even more organizations that clubs can tap into for training, information, and help with projects. Visit rotary.org/partnerships to learn more about:

- ▶ Habitat for Humanity
- ▶ Mediators Beyond Borders International
- ► ShelterBox
- ▶ Toastmasters International





SERVICE ABOVE SELF

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, business, and community life;

Fourth The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say, or do:

- 1. Is it the truth?
- 2. Is it fair to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build goodwill and better friendships?
- 4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

ROTARIAN CODE OF CONDUCT

The following code of conduct has been adopted for the use of Rotarians: 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
- 5. Help maintain a harassment-free environment in Rotary meetings, events, and activities, report any suspected harassment, and help ensure non-retaliation to those individuals that report harassment.



New members from different groups in our communities bring fresh perspectives and ideas to our clubs and expand Rotary's presence. Invite prospective members from all backgrounds to experience Rotary.

REFER A NEW MEMBER

my.rotary.org/member-center









From RCCF Album

12-02-2021 Prism for Autism with Barangay Lahug









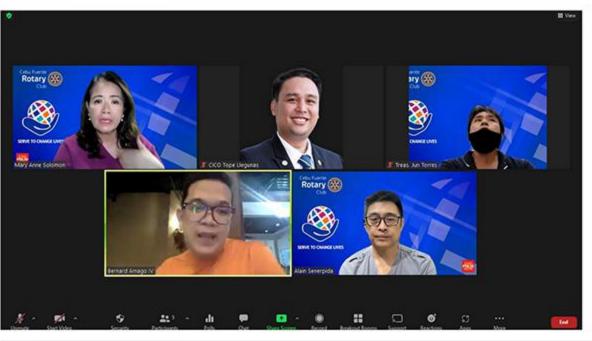






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12-06-2021 16th RCCF GMM (Virtual) RY 2021 - 2022













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12-08-2021 E-Literacy to Change Illiteracy







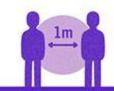






Health News

EVEN AFTER GETTING VACCINATED, WHY IS IT IMPORTANT TO:











KEEP A SAFE DISTANCE

WEAR A MASK

COUGH OR SNEEZE INTO YOUR ELBOW

OPEN WINDOWS **CLEAN YOUR** HANDS

1. **AVOID INFECTING** SOMEONE ELSE

2. NOT **EVERYONE CAN GET VACCINATED**

3. NO VACCINE **IS** 100% **EFFECTIVE** 4. **TO TAKE CARE OF YOUR LOVED ONES**

DO IT ALL TO PROTECT OTHERS AND STOP COVID-19.







ROTARY RESPONDS

Visit Rotary's COVID-19 resource center to help your club take action in support of COVID-19 vaccination and prevention

rotary.org/covid19



ORATIO IMPERATA: PRAYER AGAINST COVID-19 or 2019 CORONA VIRUS DISEASE

Merciful and compassionate Father, we come to you in our need to seek your protection against the COVID 19 virus that has disturbed and even claimed lives. We ask you now to look upon us with love and by your healing hand, dispel the fear of sickness and death, restore our hope, and strengthen our faith.

We pray that you guide the people tasked to find cures for this disease and to stem its transmission. We thank you for the vaccines developed

made possible by your guiding hands. Bless our efforts to use these vaccines to end the pandemic in our country. We pray for our health workers that they may minister to the sick with competence and compassion. strength in their commitment, protection from the disease. We pray for those afflicted. May they be restored to health.

Protect those who care for them. Grant eternal rest to those who have died.

Give us the grace in these trying times to work for the good of all and to help those in need.

May our concern and compassion for each other see us through this crisis

and lead us to conversion and holiness.

Grant all these through our Lord Jesus Christ your Son who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen.

We fly to Your protection, O Holy Mother of God.

Do not despise our petition in our necessities,

but deliver us always from all dangers,

O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.

Our Lady, health of the sick, pray for us.

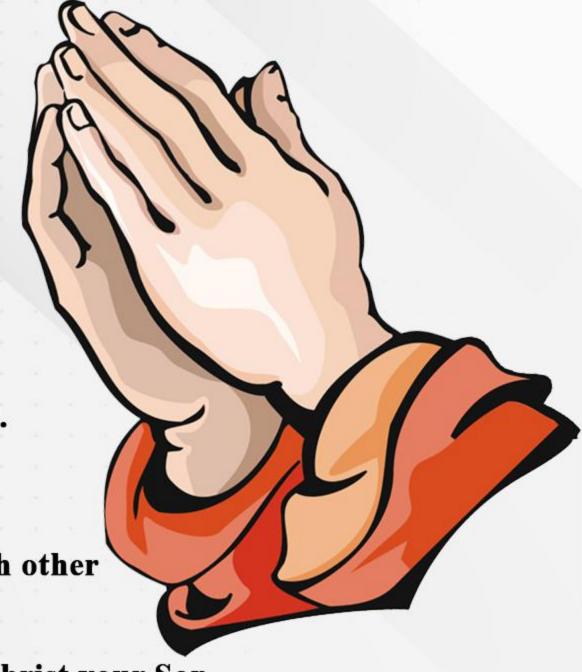
St. Joseph, pray for us.

St. Raphael the Archangel, pray for us.

San Roque, pray for us.

San Lorenzo Ruiz, pray for us

San Pedro Calungsod, pray for us.





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*This price is good until 15 December.

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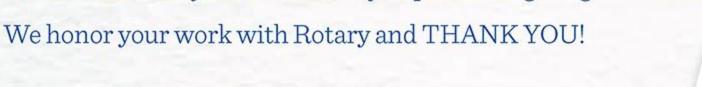




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Thank you for your generous support of The Rotary Foundation Endowment. Your simple act of sacrifice provides children access to clean drinking water, young girls the opportunity to attend school, communities the ability to invest in vital economic development, and our children and grandchildren hope for a healthier planet.

We see the work you do and how you prioritize giving to others.





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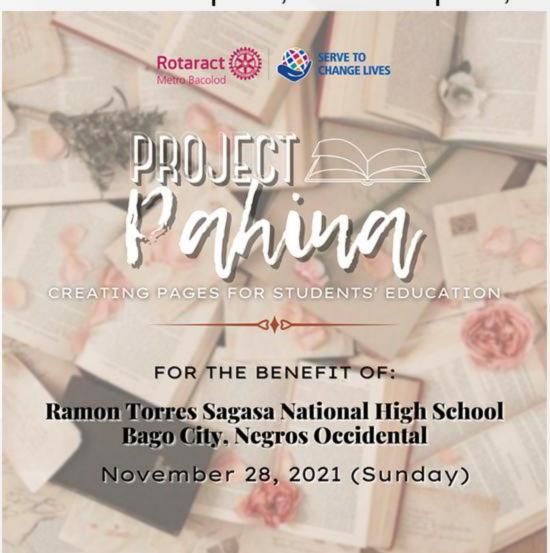
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Rotaract Corner

The Rotaract Club of Cebu Fuente Universirty of the Visayas Chapter has made another milestone together with other Rotaract Clubs around the Philippines. November host for the Project Pahina 3.0, the Rotaract Club of Metro Bacolod - Community Based has conducted a donation drive held at Ramon Torres Sagasa National High School last November 26. During the virtual event, the materials that would be donated to the beneficiary school was also presented, which included Intermediate Pad and Yellow Pad Papers, Bond Papers, Ballpens and Facemasks.









Invite someone to become a



Rotarian today.

Join Rotary Club of Cebu Fuente









Spread the Word!