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ROTARY CLUB OF CEBU SOUTH

**NEW LEADERSHIP MONTH AND
ROTARY NEW YEAR OF SERVICE**



ROTARY NEW YEAR WITH CHILDREN:

Today's Children,
Rotary's Future

SCHOOL CLEAN-UP:

Brigada Eskwela 2023

52ND INDUCTION OF OFFICERS AND HANDOVER CEREMONIES

Officers and Directors RY 2023-2024
New Members Inducted



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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 & BETTER FRIENDSHIP** ?
- 4 Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned ?

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 to 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.



GORDON R. MCINALLY OF SCOTLAND SELECTED TO BE 2023-24 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT

By Ryan Hyland

Gordon R. McNally, a member of the Rotary Club of South Queensferry, Lothian, Scotland, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International for 2023-24. He will be declared the president-nominee on 1 October if no challenging candidates have been suggested.

McNally lauded Rotary's ability to adapt technologically during the COVID-19 pandemic, saying the approach should continue and be combined with the best of our past practices as Rotary seeks to grow and increase engagement.

"We have learned there is a willingness within communities to care for one another," he says, "and we must ensure that we encourage people who have recently embraced the concept of volunteering to join us to allow them to continue giving service."

McNally says that senior leaders' ability to communicate directly with club members online will be one positive legacy of the changes Rotary has had to make. But, he adds, "face-to-face meetings remain important, as they encourage greater interaction."

The best way to increase membership is engagement, according to McNally. To better support clubs, he says, Rotary International, regional leaders, and district teams all need to engage with them. Engagement through social media will reinforce Rotary's brand and showcase the opportunities that come with it. And, he says, engagement with governments, corporations, and other organizations will lead to meaningful

partnerships.

With better engagement, McNally says, "We will grow Rotary both by way of membership and in our ability to provide meaningful service."

He adds, "Membership is the lifeblood of our organization. I would encourage the use of the flexibility now available to establish new-style clubs that would appeal to a different demographic."

McNally, a graduate of dental surgery at the University of Dundee, owned and operated his own dental practice in Edinburgh. He was the chair of the East of Scotland branch of the British Paedodontic Society and has held various academic positions. He has also served as a Presbytery elder, chair of Queensferry Parish Congregational Board, and commissioner to the church's general assembly.

A Rotary member since 1984, McNally has been president and vice president of Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland. He has also served Rotary International as a director and as member or chair of several committees. He is currently an adviser to the 2022 Houston Convention Committee and chair of the Operations Review Committee.

McNally and his wife, Heather, are Major Donors and Benefactors of The Rotary Foundation. They are also members of the Bequest Society.



DG ROZANNE

“ Twinkle ”

C. GAMBOA

District Governor
RI District 3860

Rotary Year 2023-2024

Create Hope in the World



Our Hope-Creating District Governor, **Rozanne “Twinkle” Cocon Gamboa** joined the Rotary Club of Downtown Davao in 2001 which was then an all-female club. As she grew in Rotary, she occupied various key positions in the Club. After 15 years of membership, reluctantly, she became an All-Star president in RY 2016-17.

During her presidency, her Club was awarded the Most Outstanding Club in the district among the 99 clubs in the district. The Club also received three Rotary International Citation Awards. First, was with their service project called “Shelter for Battered Women.” Second, its Rotaract Club got an award for its exemplary performance and third, her husband Archie, received an RI Service Award, recognizing him as one the 50 Most outstanding Spouse in the world.

After her presidency, she started to hold various District positions. She was appointed by Great Team Governor Art Tan as an Assistant Governor of Area 2C handling 5 clubs and at the same time was the Mindanao Chair for Pink October, the breast Cancer Awareness Program. For the Inspiring Team lead by Gov Bing Garcia she retained the position as the Pink October Chair in Mindanao and in that same year she became a member of the gala committee of The One Philippines, an International Humanitarian Award Body chaired by Past RI Director Raffy Garcia. One of the awardees came from our District who was endorsed by RC Dadiangas, Dr Roel Cagape. The spouses are also members of the Board of Trustees in our District 3860 Disaster Management, Inc.

As the DGN then, she had important District responsibilities such as the District Coordinators for the Rotary Presidential Conference 2021 Manila and Empowering Girls Initiative. She also had duties as the District’s Endowment and Major Gifts Sub-Committee Chair.

Believing on the advocacy of The Rotary Foundation, DGE Twinkle and spouse Archie are members of the newly Chartered Polio Plus Society, are Endowment Benefactors and Bequest Society. Moreover, the spouses are Arch Klumph Society Trustee Circle members.

Born and raised in Butuan City, She is happily married to Immediate Past President and District Learning Facilitator, Archie Francisco F Gamboa. They have two grown-up children namely Tym, who is 33 years old, married to Dr Shey Ongchua and has a grandson – Aaron Travis who is now 3 years Old. Her daughter Mariane is 27 years old and recently got married to Alvin Mosquisa last March 3.

All throughout her life as a Rotarian and as a leader, she has always been guided by the Four-way Test and have consistently applied the same even in her personal and professional life. She believes that the values of integrity and dedication are primarily important in any quest one would undertake to build trust and live-up with high moral standards.

She has learned a lot in her Rotary journey and she had consistently, thanked all the Rotarians who have helped and molded her on what she is today.



EDWIN S. VILLAVER

RCCS President
Rotary Year 2023-2024



Welcome to the new issue of Habagat!

I would like to commend our very active secretary, Rtn. Dennis Lercana and club clerk, Rtn. Jerbey Shan Luangco who spearheaded and coordinated with our print provider for the successful return of our monthly magazine after a year of hiatus. We thank all the sponsors for their support and help to fund the magazine. More sponsors and help of any kind are most welcome.

It is with high spirits that we start the new Rotary Year 2023–24. Right at the start, we either spearheaded some worthy projects (Medical-Dental Mission at My Bonita Homes and at the Municipality of Alegria) or participated in district-wide service projects (New Rotary Year celebration, Bloodletting, Brigada Eskwela, etc.). Our aim is to be able to accomplish all the goals set by the district for service projects and be compliant with all the requirements of Rotary International.

In addition, we intend to make some breakthroughs by undertaking sustainable “signature” projects that might be worth the support and funding of the district or even Rotary International. To do this, we shall organize a committee to focus on conceptualizing and writing the project proposals. We have an abundance of writers and project proponents in our club, so we don’t see any reason why we cannot have one or two for the year.

Over and above the seven areas of focus (peacebuilding and conflict prevention, basic education and literacy, disease prevention treatment, water sanitation and hygiene, community economic development, maternal and child health, and supporting the environment), we shall give utmost importance to projects aimed at breaking the stigma of mental health and providing effective help to those who are silently suffering from its related diseases.

As the Hope Creating President for the RY 2023–24, I encourage everyone to give our all-out efforts for the success of all our endeavors.



Rotary Club Cebu South's 52ND INDUCTION OF OFFICERS AND HANDOVER CEREMONIES

The club members welcomed its guests and dignitaries to the 52nd Induction and Handover Ceremony at the Tokyo Convention Hall, Marco Polo Plaza Cebu last July 22, 2023.

The event was graced by the presence of inducting officer Immediate Past District Governor Lilu Aliño, charging officer Assistant Governor Rhea Judilla of District 3860, keynote speaker Atty. Jose Manuel "Chel" Diokno, guests from our sister club of Rotary Club of Teresa Rizal and RC Banilad Metro, and the officers of our very own Rotaractors, Rotaract Club of Cebu South.

Atty. Diokno, an honorary member of Rotary Club Manila Magic, spoke of Leadership and service above oneself amidst the proliferation of disinformation and fake news.

A total of eleven new members were inducted during the event.





Rotary New Year Celebration with Children: TODAY'S CHILDREN, ROTARY'S FUTURE



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July 1, 2023
Sitio Mangga,
Punta Princesa, Cebu City



July 4, 2023
Tulay Day Care Center,
Minglanilla Cebu

Last July 16, 2023, Rotary Club Cebu South took part by sending members and volunteers to donate blood. To all donors, your gift of blood is a gift to someone's life.



BLOODLETTING:



July 16, 2023





SCHOOL CLEAN-UP: BRIGADA ESKWELA 2023



July 30, 2023



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Regular and Fellowship Meetings and Area or Cluster Coordination Meeting (ACOM)

July 7, 2023

First Meeting of the New Rotary Year: Regular Meeting



July 11, 2023

Committee Meeting for the upcoming My Bonita Homes Medical Dental Mission



July 14, 2023

Meeting Fellowship



July 19, 2023

Special Meeting in preparation for 52nd Induction and Handover Ceremonies



July 28, 2023

Regular Meeting in preparation of School Clean Up: Brigada Eskwela 2023



July 29, 2023

Monthly Area/Cluster Coordination Meeting (ACOM)





Secretary's Desk

DENNIS T. LERCANA
Secretary
RY 2023-2024

UPCOMING AUGUST 2023 ACTIVITIES / PROJECTS

- August 4, 2023** - Regular Meeting
- August 6, 2023** - Medical-Dental Mission and Skills Training Project at My Bonita Homes
- August 11, 2023** - Regular Meeting
- August 12, 2023** - Medical-Dental Mission at Alegria, Cebu with Eagles Club
- August 15, 2023** - Submission of Club Monthly Reports and E-copies of Club bulletin
- August 18, 2023** - Joint General Membership Seminar
- August 21, 2023** - Training Help Desk for The Rotary Foundation (Webinar)
- August 25, 2023** - Regular Meeting
- Any day of August 2023** - District Wide Rotary Days of Service: Mental Health Awareness Campaign
Area or Cluster Coordination Meeting (ACOM)
- August 30, 2023** - Reviewed and updated the Club by-laws and submit, including the Club Constitution and Club History, to the District Secretary or the Chiefs of Staff

CLUB ATTENDANCE

REGULAR MEETINGS

July 7, 2023

14/29

48.28%

July 14, 2023

13/29

48.28%

July 19, 2023

12/29

41.38%

July 28, 2023

09/29

31.03%

AVERAGE MONTHLY ATTENDANCE PERCENTAGE

41.38%

Treasurer's Report



ATTY. RHENEIR P. MORA
Treasurer
RY 2023-2024

Rotary International and District 3860 Levies and TRF Contributions

ITEM	AMOUNT	DUE DATE	REMARKS
RI Club Invoice based on the Semi-Annual Report	\$38.50 Invoice & SLOO COL \$38.50 Invoice (per Rotarian)	July 2023 January 2024	PAID ON-TIME
Contribution to The Rotary Foundation Annual Fund / Polio Fund and Endowment Fund	Goals to Rotary Club Central	July 2, 2023	PAID ON-TIME
Subscription to Philippine Rotary Magazine	Digital - P150.00 per semester or P300.00 per year per member Printed - P400.00 per semester or P800.00 per year per member	July 2023 January 2024	PAID ON-TIME
District Levy*	P500.00/member	July 2023	PAID ON-TIME
Disaster Levy*	P100.00/member	July 2023	PAID ON-TIME
Rotaract Levy*	P1,000.00/Rotaract Club	July 2023	PAID ON-TIME
Club Listing (DISCON 2024)	P4,000.00	April 1, 2024	PAID ON-TIME
RI CON (Manila)	P250.00 P250.00	July 2023 January 2024	PAID ON-TIME

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RY 2023-2024



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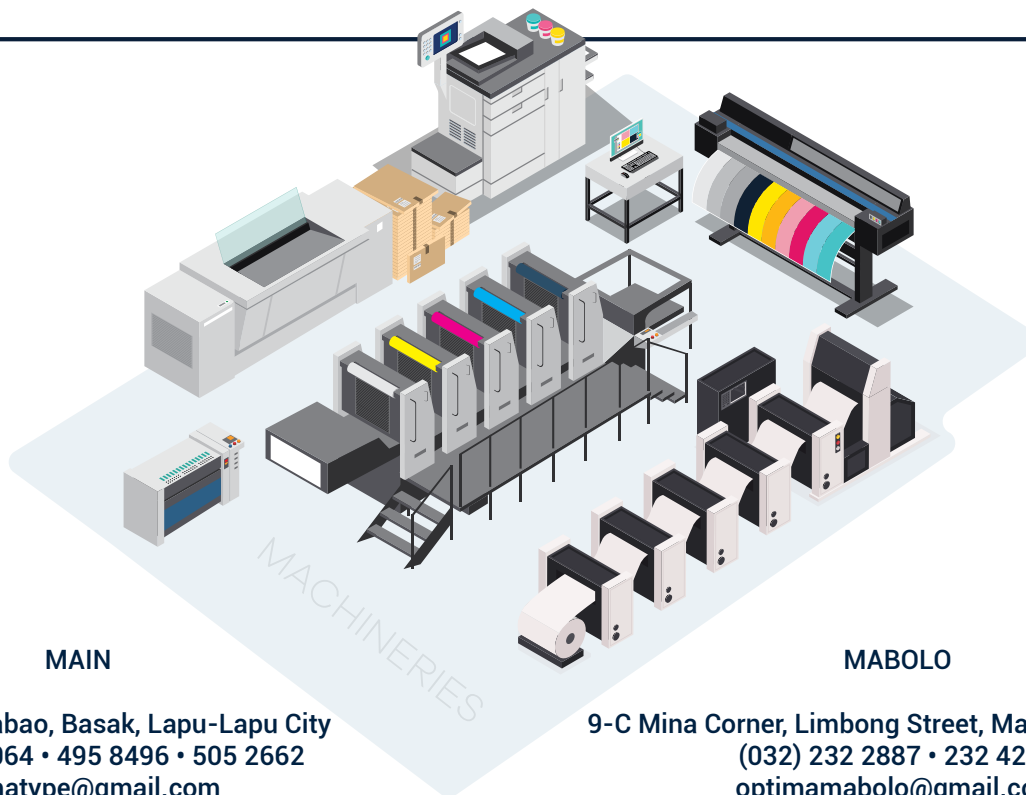
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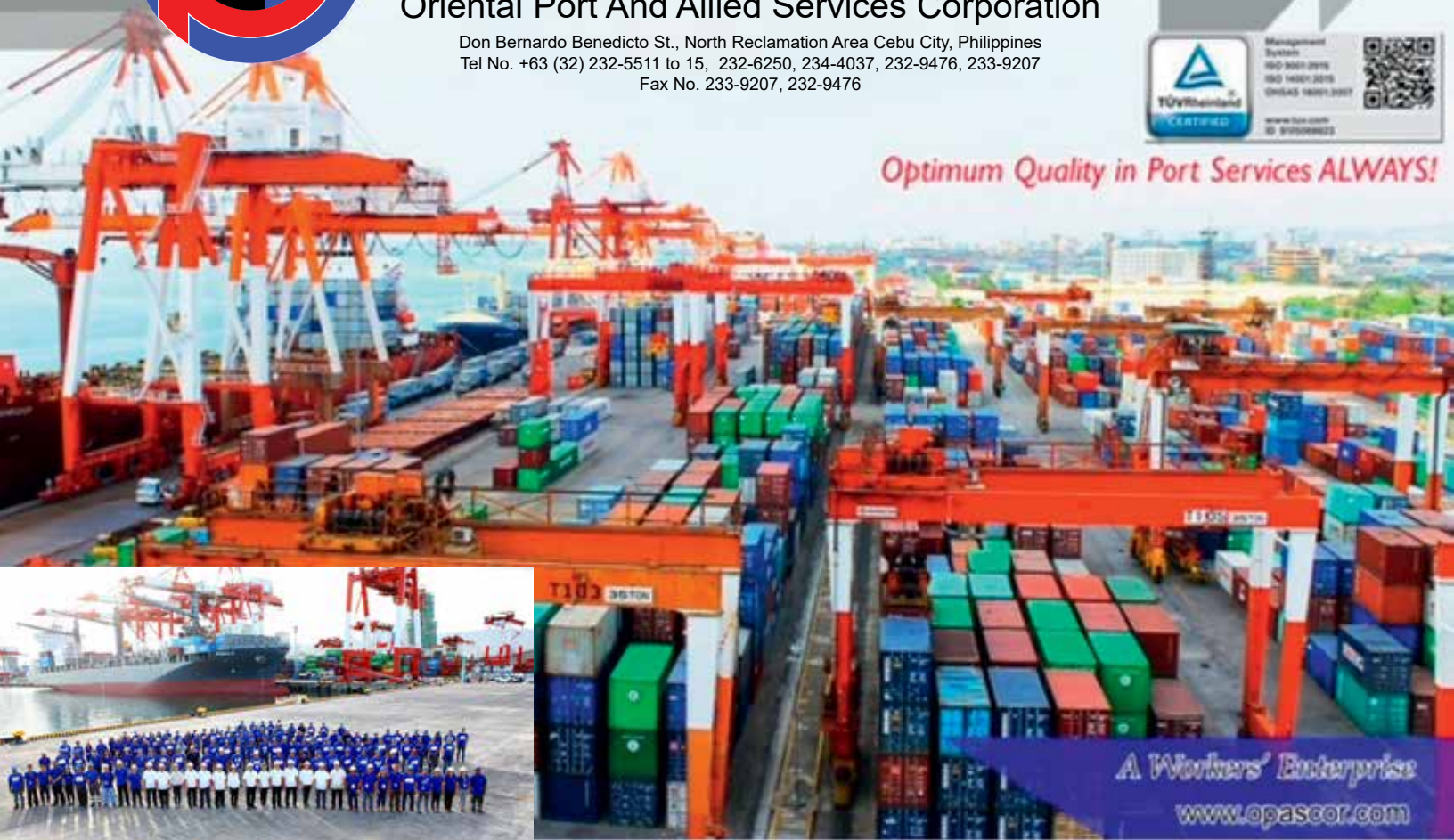
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