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THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER
OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF CENTRAL BUTUAN



Rino F. Te, PHF+6
Past President

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THE 4-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?

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.

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 individual that report harassment.

THE HISTORY OF OUR CLUB

Our existence as a new club is rather swift but long in preparation, expeditious but not impulsive. We loosely met somewhere in June 2010 as old fellas trying to rekindle the flames of camaraderie and bonding. Like old shoes that fit easily, we jelled well and got serious in our intention of putting up a club in the months that followed.

We submitted our documents for application in Mid-October of 2010 and then paid our registration fees on the 5th of November 2010. While waiting, at least for of our prospective members were asked at random by the Rotary International just to gauge whether we are able, willing, and ready to be recognized as a club.

On the 4th of December 2010, we learned that our club got the resounding approval effective 26th day of November 2010 by the Rotary International which made us jubilant and awed. In six months, more or less, we were hatched as a new club ready to take the challenge.

Our existence likewise is sort of paradoxical. We are young but not neophytes. On the other hand, we are mature enough but not that old. We are simply as old as our fears before, and now we are young as our hopes.

Like the Phoenix, we have just risen from the ashes of our past and now we are born again. Like a seed that has fallen on the ground and died, we have now germinated and started to welcome the sun. Like the lyrics of the song rendered in a rephrased manner, we have just shed our leaves in winter only to make them grow back in spring. Like a ball, we have hit the bottom and now we are bouncing back again.

We may profound that just like a butterfly, we have metamorphosed and emerged from the cocoon as a new creation and it dawned on us - as if during the 6th day of God's creation that we found ourselves complete in our complementation and it was very good.

We come a long way and we intend to continue via a brand new start, believing that we have promises to keep and miles to go in order for us to continue fulfilling our mission to the lest of our brethren. And continue we shall, considering that "They profit who serve best."



"By continuing what we do best, by remaining open and willing to change, and by keeping our focus on building peace in the world and within ourselves, Rotary helps create a more peaceful world — a more hopeful world."

R. Gordon R. McInally
Rotary International President
RY 2023-2024



Central Butuan
Rotary
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CREATE HOPE
in the WORLD

SEPTEMBER

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BASIC EDUCATION & LITERACY MONTH

Basic education and literacy is one of The Rotary Foundation's seven areas of focus. We know that basic education and literacy are essential for reducing poverty, improving health, encouraging community and economic development, and promoting peace. .

The Rotary Foundation enables Rotarians to ensure that all people have sustainable access to basic education and literacy by:

- Involving the community to support programs that strengthen the capacity of communities to provide basic education and literacy to all;
- Increasing adult literacy in communities;
- Working to reduce gender disparity in education;
- Supporting studies for career-minded professionals related to basic education and literacy.





Peace in practice

The International Day of Peace takes place 21 September. The United Nations General Assembly declared this a day devoted to strengthening the ideals of peace through observing 24 hours of non-violence and cease-fire.

It is not enough, as people of action, to simply avoid making war. If we are to Create Hope in the World, we must aggressively wage peace. Where can we begin? There are countless armed conflicts around the world, and the global population of displaced people is higher than ever. The opportunities are nearly limitless, but the cycles of violence and hardship seem endless. My advice is to start small but think big. I look to Rotary members in Pakistan and India for inspiration. In March 2020, about 50 Rotary members from Pakistan met about 50 Rotary members from India at Kartarpur Sabib, a shrine in Pakistan. The sanctuary honors Guru Nanak, the founder of Sikhism, a religion practiced in both countries. Tensions between the two countries barred many religious pilgrims from India from visiting the shrine. That is, until Pakistan opened a visa-free pathway to them in 2019. Earlier this year, Rotary members from opposite sides of the border again met at the shrine, this time with about twice as many participants. Any work toward building peace needs to be brave and bold. What these Rotary members have done is just that. The Pakistani government took an important step toward peace when it admitted Indian pilgrims to the Kartarpur Sabib shrine, but Pakistani Rotary members took the next

step when they welcomed Rotary members from India as friends and family. That is Positive Peace at work. These peacebuilders did not stop there. Club representatives at this year's meeting signed twin club certificates to recognize their long-term commitment to continue to learn from each other and to work together on more peacebuilding efforts, and they have held joint meetings via video chat. The importance of communicating with and learning from another culture cannot be overstated, and Rotary is making it even easier to do so. One way of engaging in cross-cultural dialogue and building relationships across borders is through virtual international exchanges that build on our current programs and make them more accessible. A virtual exchange uses online platforms to connect people from different parts of the world so they can share their traditions, priorities, values, and more. Virtual exchanges can serve as a window to another part of the world through activities such as teaching a digital cooking class, learning a new language, or even designing service projects with a global impact. These online chats have the potential to inspire new connections and more respect between societies. Taking that knowledge and using it to better the lives of our fellow human beings is the next step.

Let's see where it takes us.

R. GORDON R. MCINALLY
President, Rotary International

CELEBRATE COMMUNITY



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A day with the Community

The members of the Rotary Club of Central Butuan headed by Hope-creating President Ryan Pulleros participated in Celebrate Community activity hosted by Butuan City (Host) Lions Club last September 16, 2023 at Barangay Limaha Covered Court.



Other organizations like the New Gateway Central Butuan Eagles Club, and BCBP Butuan Chapter also participated in the said activity.

500 children from 5 different barangays were gathered that day. They were given food and toys.



The aim of this activity is to strengthen the communities and improving lives by addressing the health & wellness, food and security, and the environment.

Mangrove Planting

Caring & Protecting Mother Earth





THE MEMBER, ROTARACTORS & SPOUSES OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF CENTRAL BUTUAN HEADED BY HOPE-CREATING PRESIDENT RYAN PULLEROS PARTICIPATED IN THE MANGROVE PLANTING HOSTED BY ROTARY CLUB OF BUTUAN NORTH LAST SEPTEMBER 17, 2023 AT SITIO SAN ROQUE, BRGY. PUNTA, NASIPIT, AGUSAN DEL NORTE.

THE DISTRICT-WIDE ACTIVITY IS IN PARTNERSHIP WITH DENR CARAGA AND WAS PARTICIPATED WITH THE 8 CLUBS OF AREA 3I & 3J LEAD BY AG JOEL LOBRINO AND AG RYAN JAE YAP TOGETHER WITH THE CLUB PRESIDENTS AND THEIR MEMBERS.



Donation of Medical Supplies for Operation Tuli & Tooth Extraction



The members of the Rotary Club of Central Butuan lead by Hope-creating President Ryan Pulleros donated some medical supplies to Butuan City Police Office 1 - Butuan City Mobile Force Company which will be used during their Operation Tuli, and Tooth Extraction at Brgy. Bugsukan and Brgy. Bitan-agan, Butuan City last September 27, 2027 at BCMFC Office, Butuan City.

PCpl Jonalyn Tingcoy received the donation in behalf of PLtCol Ricky Dalisay.

An estimated 100 children for operation tuli, and 100 adults for the tooth extraction in 2 far-flung barangays which were also considered as red zone area will benefit on this activity.

DONATION FOR PNP HELP & FOOD BANK



The members of the Rotary Club of Central Butuan headed by Hope-creating President Ryan Pulleros donated 20 packs of 5kg rice and 80 packs of miswa to PNP Help and Food Bank last September 27, 2023 in PNP-PRO 13 RCADD Office, Butuan City.

Present during the turnover were PRO 13 Regional Director PBGen Kirby John Brion Craft, and Chief RCADD PCol. Ringo Zarzoso.

The primary objective of this project is to provide humanitarian assistance to less fortunate people who are affected by calamity or disaster.



MEETINGS & FELLOWSHIPS



Central Butuan Rotary Club CREATE HOPE IN THE WORLD

9th REGULAR MEETING

September 1, 2023
Friday | 06:00 PM
Plated Cafe & Bistro
Uniform: Indigo Uniform

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10th REGULAR MEETING

September 8, 2023
Friday | 06:00 PM
Plated Cafe & Bistro
Uniform: Hope Creating Uniform



Central Butuan Rotary Club CREATE HOPE IN THE WORLD

11th REGULAR MEETING

September 15, 2023
Friday | 06:00 PM
Plated Cafe & Bistro
Uniform: Purple Uniform

Central Butuan Rotary Club CREATE HOPE IN THE WORLD

12th REGULAR MEETING

September 22, 2023
Friday | 06:00 PM
Plated Cafe & Bistro
Uniform: Indigo Uniform



Area Coordination Meeting



BALANGHAYAN: Sailing Towards Excellence in Service with Rotaract

Joint Basic Orientation hosted by Agusan Norte Council of Rotaract Clubs last August 13, 2023 at Rainbow of Angels Learning Center, Butuan City.



STRATEGIC PLANNING

Strategic Planning led by Rotaract President Almar Dela Cerna conducted last September 10, 2023 at AdvenTutorial Learning Center, Butuan City.



DISTRICT ROTARACT REPRESENTATIVE'S VISIT

DRR's visit to the Agusan del Norte Council of Rotaract Clubs was conducted last September 23, 2023 at Caraga State University-Main Campus.



PROJECT KAHINLO

A coastal clean-up service project conducted by Agusan Norte Council of Rotaract Clubs last September 24, 2023 at Vinapor, Carmen, Agusan del Norte.



Hope Creating Club Officers of **Rotary Club of Central Butuan**

Ryan C. Pulleros, PHF
Alain James G. Buque, PHF+1
Ryan Jae G. Yap, PHF+6, PHS
Almar E. Dela Cerna, PHF
Anthony C. Madayag Jr., PHF+3, PHS
Napoleon N. Malimit, PHF+1
Melchora U. Donoso, PHF
Ana Marie C. Fernandez, PHF+1
Ronnie D. Daumar, PHF
Benjie C. Rollon

Eliseo D. Malayao, PHF+2
Jehoven M. Guilot, PHF
Enrique G. Andres, PHS, Major Donor L1

Rohdora J. Canlas, PHF+3
Kenneth D. Banluta, PHF
Mary Grace P. Villanueva, PHF+5, PHS
Enrique G. Andres, PHS, Major Donor L1

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Magdaline L. Ocampo, PHF+1
Jame D. Hermosada, PHF
Kherstin Amor C. Josen, PHF
Armie Leila M. Mordeno, PHF+1
Analee M. Bokingo, PHF+2
Richellie Mae Y. Cordova, PHF+1
Christian Jade G. Azura, PHF

Noel M. Ajoc
Romel M Natad, PHF+3
Rino F. Te, PHF+6
Rotela Fatima A. Ortiz, PHF
Arfe L. Bermudez, PHF+1
John A. Uy, PHF+4
Mario Y. Chu Jr., PHS, Major Donor L1
Pai Hsin C. Chou, PHF
Norberto D. Ventura, PHF

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Vice President
Secretary
Asst. Secretary
Treasurer
Asst. Treasurer
Auditor
Asst. Auditor
Sgt. At Arms

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Club Internet Officer
Club Admin Officer

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Public Image Chair
The Rotary Foundation Chair
Service Projects Chair

Peace Building & Conflict Prevention Committee Chair
Disease Prevention & Treatment Committee Chair
Water, Sanitation & Hygiene Committee Chair
Maternal & Child Health Committee Chair
Basic Education & Literacy Committee Chair
Community Economic Development Committee Chair
Environment Committee Chair
Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee Chair

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Vocational Service Director
Community Service Director
Youth Service Director
International Service Director

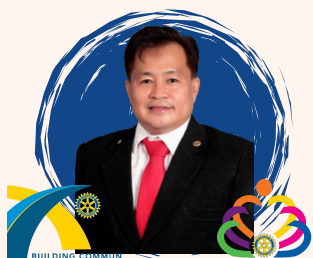
DRRM

Roster of Members of Rotary Club of Central Butuan

<u>MEMBER ID</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>CLASSIFICATION</u>
11595893	Noel M. Ajoc	Government Service - Regional Director
6657364	Eleanor L. Albaran, PHF	Clothing Boutique
8349989	Enrique G. Andres, MDL1, PHS	General Merchandise
10800023	Christian Jade G. Azura, PHF	Education/Events Management
11516502	Reynaldo E. Baltazar	Security Service
10337799	Kenneth D. Banluta, PHF	Government Service - Public Information
9101089	Ande J P. Baulete, PHF	IT Industry
6944945	Arfe L. Bermudez, PHF+1	Nursing Service
11115130	Analee M. Bokingo, PHF+2	Real Estate
8306099	Alain James G. Buque, PHF+1	Public Service
8739300	Rohdora J. Canlas, PHF+3	Government Service - General Service
10946302	Pai Hsin C. Chou, PHF	Bicycle-Retailing
8229829	Mario Y. Chu Jr., MDL1, PHS	Hotel Inn and Bars Owner
10946307	Richellie Mae Y. Cordova, PHF+1	Engineering-Professional
10284874	Ronnie D. Daumar, PHF	Pest Control
10279568	Almar E. Dela Cerna, PHF	Government Service - Research
9653594	Melchora U. Donoso, PHF	Commercial Banking
11830525	Jason Alex B. Famador	Health & Safety
9101082	Anna Marie C. Fernandez, PHF+1	Marketing
9375461	Jehoven M. Guilot, PHF	IT Industry - Programming
11516499	Jame D. Hermosada, PHF	Insurance-Nonlife
11357266	Kherstin Amor C. Joson, PHF	Beauty Salon
9653598	Anthony C. Madayag Jr., PHF+3, PHS	Medical Supplies Distribution
6017190	Eliseo D. Malayao, PHF+2	Metal Engraving
8521376	Napoleon N. Malimit, PHF+1	Manufacturing - Fire Extinguisher
9381979	Armie Leila M. Mordeno, PHF+1	Government Service
6944941	Romel M. Natad, PHF+3	Government Service - Provincial Director
11093503	Magdaline L. Ocampo, PHF+1	Nursing Service
10668521	Randyllle Shane B. Occida, PHF	Nursing Service
9375478	Erelon Simeon N. Ongcoy, PHF+3	General Merchandise
11511828	Rotela Fatima A. Ortiz, PHF	Lawyer-Law Enforcement
8229837	Cesar T. Palma, PHF	Construction & Supply
1183052	Charlene S. Plaza	Lawyer-Profession
10344804	Ryan C. Pulleros, PHF	Construction & Supply
11516502	Benjie C. Rollon	Rice and Feed Supply
11830518	Ria Noreen H. Salinana	Occupational Therapy
8563088	Ver Joeven C. Tanginan, PHF	Commercial Banking
6762934	Rino F. Te, PHF+6	Printing and Wellness Industry
6017203	John A. Uy, PHF+4	Food Processing Industry
6762474	Norberto D. Ventura, PHF	Bakeshop
9653611	Mary Grace P. Villanueva, PHF+5, PHS	Real Estate
9990932	Ryan Jae G. Yap, PHF+6, PHS	Auto Repair



Council of Presidents 2010-2023



CP Eliseo D. Malayao
PHF+2
2010-2012



PP John A. Uy
PHF+3
2012-2013



PP Mario Y. Chu, Jr
Major Donor Level 1, PHS
2013-2014



PP Norberto D. Ventura
PHF
2014-2015



PP Romel M. Natad
PHF+3
2015-2016



PAG Enrique G. Andres
Major Donor Level 1, PHS
2016-2017



PP Rino F. Te
PHF+6
2017-2018



PP Napoleon N. Malimit
PHF+1
2018-2019



PAG Rohdora J. Canlas
PHF+3
2019-2020



AG Ryan Jae G. Yap
PHF+6, PHS
2020-2021



PP Mary Grace P. Villanueva
PHF+5, PHS
2021-2022



IPP Anthony C. Madayag Jr
PHF+3, PHS
2022-2023



Pres. Ryan C. Pulleros
PHF
2023-2024

“This Rotary Year’s theme is to Create Hope in the World - reminds us that the very essence of Rotary is to provide Hope in the face of Adversity. It is our duty to nurture hope in the world and to never give up in the pursuit of better tomorrow.”

Ryan C. Pulleros, PHF

Club President

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HAPPY
Birthday
September
Celebrants!

2 - RTN. BENJIE ROLLON
2 - CP BONG MALAYAO
6 - RTN. REY BALTAZAR
7 - RTN. JADE AZURA
11 - RTN. JASON FAMADOR
29 - SPOUSE MICHELLE YAP



Rozanne Twinkle C. Gamboa
District Governor
Rotary Year 2023-2024

Rotary 
District 3860



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TOGETHER, WE

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