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September 1,2023 | As a unique pre-birthday celebration, Rtn. Michael John Andohuyan spearheaded this compassionate endeavor, The team of dedicated volunteers Rotary Club of Central San Francisco, Rotaract Club of Central San Francisco alongside local healthcare professionals, provided much-needed medical care and attention to those who needed it most.

Children and elderly residents of Santiago, Agusan del Norte received free medical checkups, and other essential healthcare services, ensuring that their well-being was the top priority.

This selfless act of kindness exemplifies the core values of Rotary International, emphasizing the importance of giving back and making a positive impact on the lives of others. Rtn. Michael John Andohuyan's vision for a healthier and happier community materialized through this medical mission, proving that birthdays can be an opportunity to celebrate not only oneself but also the spirit of altruism. September Birthday Calendar

September 5 Rtn. Michael John Andohuyan

September 12

Rtn. Candy Claire Balili

September 17

Rtn. Josephine Maclay

September 22

Rtn. Rizalyn Ceniza

September 23

IPP Vinzsimon Rufila

September 25

Rtn. Jovel Garcia





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Rotary Clubs of Area 3L Lead Mangrove Planting and Coastal Cleanup in Lawigan, Bislig City



September 16, 2023 In a remarkable display of environmental stewardship, the Rotary Clubs of Area 3L came together to organize a wide-scale Mangrove Planting and Coastal Cleanup activity in Bislig City. On this bright September day, their collective efforts left a lasting impact on the local ecosystem and community.

Mangrove forests are vital for coastal areas, acting as natural barriers against erosion and providing a crucial habitat for various marine species. Recognizing the importance of preserving and restoring these ecosystems, the Rotary Clubs of Area 3L mobilized volunteers and resources for this commendable initiative.

The day began with volunteers gathering along the beautiful coastline of Bislig City to listen the orientation. Armed with shovels and saplings, they embarked on a mission to plant mangroves. Each sapling symbolized hope for a healthier coastal environment. With determination and teamwork, these green guardians worked tirelessly to ensure the success of this endeavor.

Simultaneously, focused on cleaning up the coastline. Armed with bags and gloves, they scoured the area for litter and debris. Their dedication to restoring the natural beauty of Bislig City's shoreline was evident in the piles of trash they collected. Plastic bottles, wrappers, and discarded items that had marred the coastal landscape were removed, leaving behind a pristine environment.

The Rotary Clubs of Area 3L's commitment to environmental conservation extends beyond just one day of action. Their tireless efforts are a testament to the power of community engagement and the impact that can be achieved when individuals unite for a common cause.

As the sun set over the coastline of Bislig City on September 16, 2023, it cast a warm glow on the newly planted mangroves and the freshly cleaned shoreline. The Rotary Clubs of Area 3L's Mangrove Planting and Coastal Cleanup activity not only contributed to the ecological health of the region but also served as an inspiring example of what can be achieved when communities come together to protect our planet.

This event serves as a reminder that each of us has a role to play in preserving our natural heritage. The Rotary Clubs of Area 3L's dedication to the environment is a shining beacon of hope, showing us that positive change is possible when we work together with passion and purpose.







September 16, 2023 | Following their successful environmental initiative, the Rotary Clubs of Area 3L organized a Family Day event. It's heartwarming to see how these clubs not only contribute to their community's well-being but also foster bonds and togetherness among their members and families, enjoy each other's company, and reflect on their shared commitment to environmental conservation.



Honoring Dedication: Certificates of Recognition for District 3860's Area 3L Mangrove planting and Coastal clean up attendees

In District 3860, the recent Area 3L and Simultaneous Activity event brought together passionate service advocates. To celebrate their dedication, Certificates of Recognition were awarded, symbolizing gratitude for their contributions. These



Celebrating Dedication: Recognizing Area 3L Club Presidents

The recent success of District 3860's Area 3L and Simultaneous Activity event was made possible by the steadfast support and dedication of the club presidents in Area 3L. Their unwavering commitment to the event's goals was instrumental in its success. Recognizing their exceptional contributions, we acknowledge their leadership and inspire continued excellence in the future. These club presidents embody the unity and shared vision of District 3860, and their recognition underscores the significance of leadership and commitment in achieving collective goals. Their dedication is pivotal in making a difference, and they are celebrated for their invaluable contributions to the event's success.



September 20, 2023 | In the heart of Brgy. Bayugan 2, Sfads, a heartwarming event unfolded that would forever be etched in the memory of a special child and the entire family. The Rotary Club of Central San Francisco, in collaboration with the Philippine National Police of Agusan del Sur, embarked on a mission known as "Heart on Wheels." This initiative aimed to spread love, support, and hope to those who needed it most.

The focal point of this touching event was a young child with disabilities, whose life was about to be transformed. RCCSF and PNP Agusan del Sur came together to provide this brave young soul with a brandnew wheelchair, symbolizing the gift of mobility and freedom. This simple yet profound gesture was a testament to the power of community and compassion.

But the act of kindness didn't stop there. Alongside the wheelchair, a sack of rice and essential groceries were generously provided to the child's family. This additional support aimed to ease the daily challenges they faced, making their lives a little brighter and more manageable.





Rotary Club of Central San Francisco's Gift Giving and Environmental Awareness Drive: A Birthday for a Cause Project

September 23, 2023, the Rotary Club of Central San Francisco, in collaboration with SB Vinzsimon Rufila's "Birthday for a Cause" project, embarked on a heartwarming mission in Barangay Alegria. This joint effort was not only a celebration but also an opportunity to give back to the community and raise environmental awareness among tricycle drivers.

However, this event went beyond gift-giving. It was also an information drive aimed at educating tricycle drivers about the importance of environmental conservation. With the increasing concern for climate change and its impact on local communities, this initiative aimed to empower these drivers with knowledge on how they can contribute to a cleaner and greener future.



Practical demonstrations were conducted to show tricycle drivers how to properly dispose of waste and encourage responsible practices.

The Rotary Club of Central San Francisco and SB Vinzsimon Rufila's "Birthday for a Cause" project demonstrated that generosity and environmental consciousness can go hand in hand. By combining



gift-giving with an environmental information drive, they not only brought smiles to the faces of tricycle drivers in Barangay Alegria but also planted the seeds of positive change within the community. This collaborative effort serves as an inspiring example of how a birthday celebration can become a catalyst for meaningful impact and lasting transformation.

Fellowship Night

Birthday Celebration with IPP Vinzsimon Rufila and Rtn. Jovel Garcia also waiting for the Bar exam results for ADRR Rylat SBV Farm September 25,2023



Birthday Celebration for Rtn.Rizalyn Ceniza at San Isidro Ceniza Residence.

