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## RCDB gives free wheelchairs

The Rotary Club of Downtown Butuan (RCDB) led by Life Changing President Maricel E. Cosme spearheaded a Share A Mobility Aid Program giving free wheelchairs to the most needy.

On August 12, 2021, the RCDB ladies went to Bayugan, Agusan del Sur to provide hope through mobility gears among the people with disabilities. This project answers the call on the Rotary's Area of Focus: Disease Prevention and Treatment (Fighting Disease).

Truly, they will never walk alone as they also journey not only with their new aids but so as the spirit of RCDB ladies.

This is just one among the many initiatives made by the organization under the leadership of the current president. Indeed, living a purposeful life not only for oneself but others.



# IPD Reyes meets with Area 3I and 3J officers

On the 11th of July 2021, Immediate Past District Governor Rodel Riezl S. Reyes meets with the Transforming and Life-changing officers in area 3I and 3J to establish the continuity of Rotary's motto: Humanitarian Service Above Self.

A gathering that ensures the incoming officers will continue to fulfill their duties with the purpose of selfless service to the community. Nothing motivates a team more than a dedicated leader who has the skill and drive to inspire others. Not only did this day provide a kick of motivation for the future leaders of this Life-Changing Rotary Year, it also opened up opportunities to create new bonds and friendships among leaders that allows them to whole-heartedly support and collaborate with each other.

More power to the upcoming officers and may God bless everyone with a fulfilling year ahead!





The Rotary Club of Downtown Butuan meets every Friday, 6:00 pm at Kapihan sa Balanghai, Balanghai Hotel, Butuan City

#### **Area 3I and Area 3J Bloodletting Activity**

Rotary International District 3860 Area 3I and Area 3J conducted a Blood Letting Activity on July 28, 2021 held at the Balanghai Hotel and convention Center, Doongan, Butuan City.

Blood-letting is believed and has been proven not only to relieve one's illnesses but also to save another one's life.

Not all heroes come from comic books or wear capes; sometimes, they are lying down, having their blood drawn from them, and that is what becomes of the participants of the disctrict-wide blood letting event spearheaded by the Rotary Club of Downtown Butuan (RCDB) Ladies led by Life Changing President Maricel Cosme.

These silent heroes are prepared and more than willing to save someone else's life.

Think about donating your blood today! You never realize your own blood is running through someone else's veins keeping them alive and healthy!







#### QUOTE OF THE WEEK



There is no difference between saving lives and extending lives, because in both cases we are giving people the chance of more life.

Aubrey de Grey

## "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 BETTE FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED?

## 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 ENOURAGE 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 ROTARIANS 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.

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