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**ECONOMIC & COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT  
IN A  
PINK OCTOBER MONTH**

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## ABOUT THE COVER



Pink October this year just got bigger with more participants from different sectors. Notable is the presence of women micro entrepreneurs from the Golden Unicorn Savings and Credit Cooperative who led the sold-out Pink Bazaar. This shows that taking care of our health also includes promoting economic and community development by supporting our micro and small entrepreneurs. Our economy deserves to also be in the pink of health!

## The Mission of Rotary International

We provide service to others, promote integrity and advance world understanding, goodwill and peace through our fellowship of business, professionals and community leaders.

## 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 & BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

## CORE VALUES

Fellowship, Integrity, Diversity, Service,  
Integrity and Leadership

## 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.

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# President's Message



**ARCHIE FRANCISCO F. GAMBOA**  
President, RY 2022-2023

The Club painted the month of October, pink: Our Breast Cancer Awareness Month Advocacy. A Disease Prevention and Treatment Area of Focus which started when our DGE Twinkle was still the President of our Club. It had gone a long way. Today, the Club enjoys the funding of the rest of the Areas of Focus which was sourced from the funds we have diligently raised in our campaign.

Our Pink October 2022's enormous programs from the Motorcade, the Pink Bazaar, The Pink Forum, The Pink Breast Screening, the Pink Zumba, culminated by the Pink Fun Shoot 2022, have again raised the bar on elaborating our advocacy.

We were able to launch our continuing projects: Pause Muna, Peace Muna; Buntis Congress and the COVID 19 Vaccination Programs, both the latter in joint effort with the City Health Office. Our participation in the Patak Polio surely contributed into our external thrust in Rotary of Ending Polio.

We also welcome our three New Generation members to our Club. You will definitely enjoy and develop your leadership skills as you start your journey as Rotarians. We would likewise hear from you in further improving our Club governance.

Thank you everyone for a very fruitful month of October.

9th REGULAR MEETING  
PROGRAMME  
"Economic and Community Development"  
October 05, 2022, Wednesday @ 11:30 AM  
Center for Hope Agdao, Davao City

Call To Order & Welcome Message ..... Pres. Archie

Turnover to Program Host ..... PP/Trainer Vi  
"Pause Muna, Peace Muna"

Invocation ..... PN Fely

Singing of the Philippine  
National Anthem & Rotary Hymn ..... AVP

Recitation of the Mission of Rotary International .. PN Fely

Introduction of Visiting Rotarians,  
Rotaractors and Guests. .... PP/Treas. Josie

Introduction of the Guest  
Speaker. .... Asso. Ed. Patmei

Talk: Davao City's Investment Climate in the New Normal  
By Mr. Christian Cambaya

Head, Investors Assistance and Servicing Unit  
Davao City Investment Promotion Center

Awarding of the "Outstanding Rotarian for the Month of  
September" ..... PP/ Admin. Marina

President's Time ..... Pres. Archie

Secretary's Time ..... Sec. Anthony John

Treasurer's Time ..... PP/Treas. Josie

Adjournment ..... Pres. Archie

## FELLOWSHIP

### Quote of the Month

*"If we can make a difference in the life of one person in a community, it is a small yet significant step to empowering a whole community."*

- Loshini Naidoo





# SECRETARY'S REPORT

By: Anthony John D. Modequillo  
Secretary

## Attendance Report

	Regular Meeting	Pink October	Pink Shoot/Dinner	Fellowship
Members Actual Present	38	19	23	19
Members with Valid Make-up	0	0	0	0
Total Attendance	38	19	23	19
Membership Size	35	35	35	38
Excused due to health reasons	2	2	2	2
Net Membership Base	33	33	33	36
Total Attendance Divided by Net Membership Rate	87%	48%	70%	52%

### Early Birds:

1. Josefa "Josie" P. Ortiz
2. Enerie "Irene" B. Aquino
3. Gloria "Glo" O. Cabillas
4. Edna "Edzz" C. Ko
5. Patricia Melliza "Patmei" B. Ruivivar

### Rotaractors:

1. Kenneth Melliza

### Guests:

1. Andrea Concepcion
2. Christian Cambaya
3. Mokushi Sheden

### Make-Up:

RESBAKUNA @ Center of Hope, Agdao, Davao City, September 9, 2022

1. Rozanne C. Gamboa
2. Mariane Louise C. Gamboa

Committee Meeting @ Waterfront Insular Hotel, Lanang, Davao City, October 11, 2022

3. Angelita M. Ang
4. Marilyn P. Puno

## Activities for the Month

October 5 - 9th Regular Meeting: Economic & Community Development

October 6- Free Clinic: Vaccination; Buntis Congress/pre-natal

October 7 - Vaccination

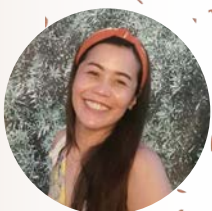
October 8 - TRF and Membership District Training

October 16- Pink October: Breast Cancer Awareness

October 22- 10th Regular Meeting & Fellowship

## Sunshine: Birthdays & Anniversaries

By: Angelita M. Ang  
Sunshine Chair



AG ETHEL C. CACERES

October 5



PP EDNA KO

October 8



NG CHAIR STEPHANIE F. PALCONIT

October 15



DGE TWINKLE GAMBOA

October 16



# EVENTS

RCDD 9th Club Meeting on Economic and Community Development Month with Guest Speaker Christian D Cambaya from the Investors Assistance and Servicing Unit, Davao City Investment Promotion Center at our Center for Hope in Agdao, Davao City on October 5, 2022.



Make way for RCDD's Outstanding Rotarian for September 2022, Secretary AJ Modequillo.



Early Birds and Barkadahan Winner, The Dreamers



# EVENTS

## SP NR 7: LIBRE KONSULTA DIRI SA PAG-AMOMA AND SP NR 18: BUNTIS CONGRESS



A monthly and a continuing service project for free natal consultation and free clinic for the residents of Agdao done on October 6, 2022 at the Center for Hope Agdao





# EVENTS

## SP NR. 13: RESBAKUNAKIDS

Another monthly and continuing service project for Covid 19 Vaccination for the residents of Agdao done on October 6, 2022 at the Center for Hope Agdao.





# EVENTS

RCDD awarded as the largest delegation during the Rotary Foundation and Membership Seminar on October 8, 2022 at Soto Grande Hotel.

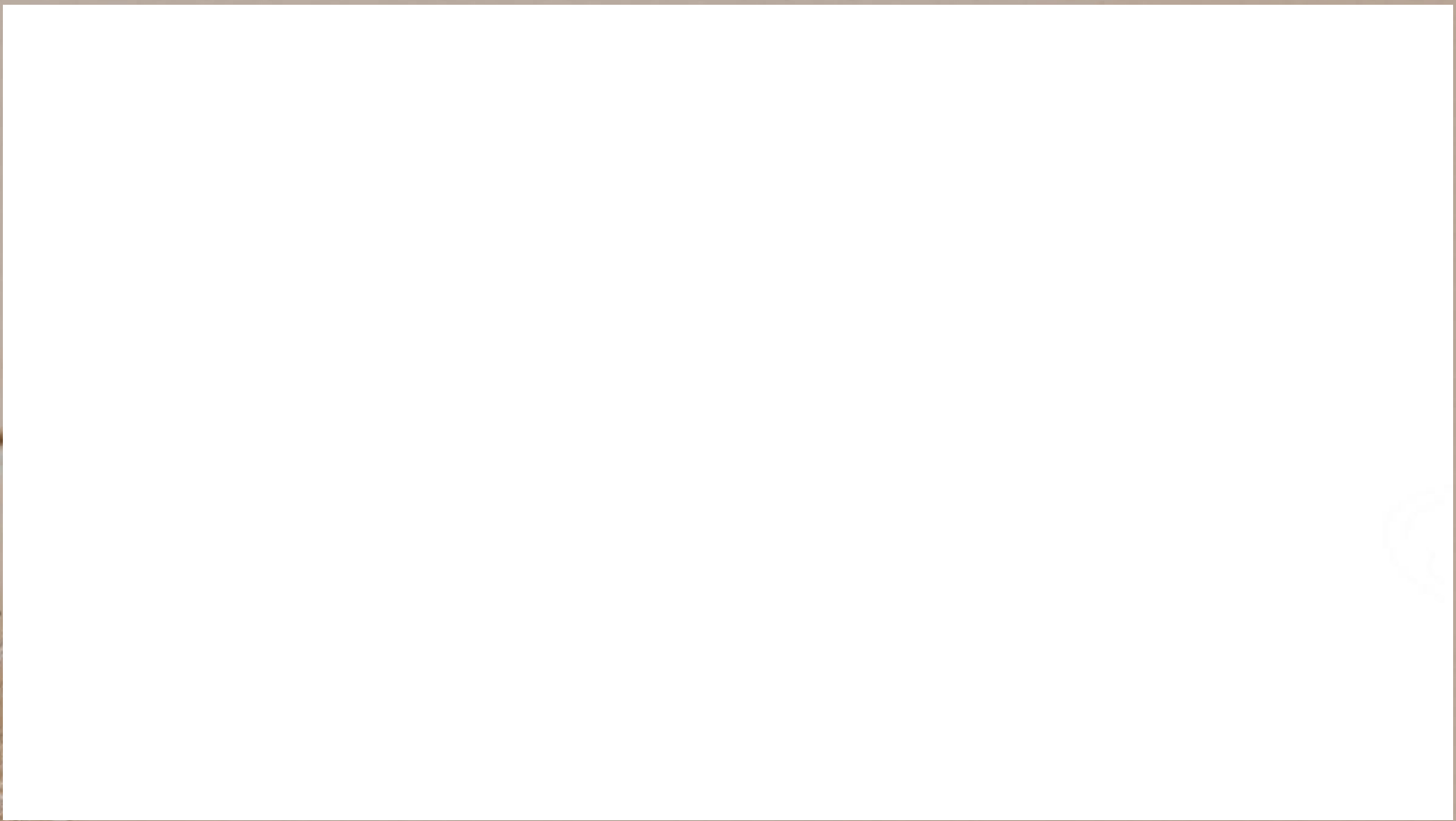


# EVENTS

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## **PINK OCTOBER 2022 : BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH**

A whole day activity on October 16, 2022 regarding our RCDD's Advocacy.





# EVENTS

## SP NR. 9A: PINK OCTOBER MOTORCADE

Twenty (20) vehicles from the co-host Rotary Clubs joined, announcing to the public our advocacy, BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH in a 10.5-kilometer stretch of fulfilling ride within Davao City.



The co-hosts are the Rotary Clubs of Area 2A (RC Davao, RC Davao 2000, RC North Davao, RC South Davao); Area 2B (RC Matina Davao, RC Sta Ana Davao, RC Waling-waling Davao, RC Toril Davao); and Area 2C (RC Central Davao, RC East Davao, RC West Davao, RC Calinan Davao).





# EVENTS

## SP NR. 9B: PINK OCTOBER FORUM

Five (5) speakers shared their expertise and journey on Breast Cancer Awareness.



The City Health Officer of Davao City, Dr. Ashley G. Lopez, delivered the Davao LGU message.



Dr. Chita Matunog on: Better early than late: Preventing, Screening and Detecting Breast Cancer



Dr. Laura Samonte on: There is hope: Diagnosis and Surgical Management of Breast Cancer



PCMS Leonardo Dumapig, a survivor on: Men can get Breast Cancer, too.



Dr. Maria Marion Bosquit, a survivor: Surviving Breast Cancer is possible.



Maria Patricia "Patti" Betita, a survivor: My Spiritual Journey with Breast Cancer.



The Area 2 Club Presidents.



Our Pink October Support Group: Waterfront Insular Hotel Davao, the Police Regional Office 11, Amuma, Breast Friends.



# EVENTS





# EVENTS

## SP NR. 9C: PINK OCTOBER BREAST SCREENING

The 112 participants were screened recommending 40 of them to undergo mammogram, free of charge under this advocacy. There after, if TREATMENT is required, the same will be addressed through the programs of the Southern Philippines Medical Center.



This would give life to an expanded campaign AMOT (contributions) on Breast Cancer not just Awareness but: Awareness, Medical diagnOsis and Treatment.



# EVENTS

## SP NR. 9D: PINK OCTOBER BAZAAR

Initiated by women micro entrepreneurs of Golden Unicorn Cooperative introducing various products to the market, of books written by survivors themselves, cookies and others. This is empowering women, too.

**Rotary District 3860** **IMAGINE ROTARY**

### PINK OCTOBER

**Golden Unicorn Cooperative**  
**PINK BAZAAR**

SUNDAY, October 16, 2022  
1:00pm to 5:00pm  
Waterfront Insular Hotel Big Tent  
Davao City

**Sandwich COUNTER**

**PINK OCTOBER 2022**  
BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

- Spiced Chicken Sandwich 175
- Ham and Cheese Sandwich 175
- Tuna Sandwich 175
- C2 Solo Lemon 25
- Bottled Water 25

**PINK BEAUTY By KAKAY**

**Cultured PH**





# EVENTS

## SP NR. 11: PINK OCTOBER ZUMBA

Pink October Zumba where the more than 400 enthusiasts felt the importance of health fitness reducing the risks of Breast Cancer. Awards were given to the zumba dancers and the support groups.





# EVENTS



The youngest Zumba dancer.



Pink Zumba Prizes for zumba goers, RDL Prizes for Zumba tickets.



The best Zumba dancer.



The PNP contingent of Police Regional Police 11.





# EVENTS

## SP NR. 11: PINK OCTOBER FUN SHOOT

This will also benefit our 40 participants (out of 112 screened) recommended to undergo mammogram and other related medical examination) in relation to our program AMOT: Breast Cancer – Awareness, Medical Diagnosis and Treatment. Please support our Advocacy.

Downtown Davao  
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SHOOTING ENTHUSIASTS  
ARE INVITED TO THE

# PINK OCTOBER FUN SHOOT

on October 29, 2022 at Metro Tagum Shooters Firing Range  
Brgy. Magdum, Tagum City, Davao Del Norte

PSMOC Level 1: 5 Stages, minimum 100 rnds  
Personalized trophies and medals will be awarded.  
There will also be raffle prizes for all the registered shooters  
(valid LTOPF is a must):

- 1 unit Taurus PT 145 (Caliber .45ACP Polymer Pistol, Blue)
- 2 units Walther SP22 M2 (Manufactured by Walther Sportwaffen)

**Registration Fee: 800**

**BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH**

Downtown Davao  
**Rotaract**  
Club

Downtown Davao -  
Tecarro College Foundation  
**Rotaract**  
Club





# EVENTS

## RCDD Service Project Nr. 22:

Supporting the District's Polio Eradication Program on October 19, 2022 at Talomo Health Center together with the Rotary Club of Sta Ana in coordination with the City Health Office.





# EVENTS



RCDD Welcomes our new Baby Rotarians and Downtowners. On October 22, 2022 they were Charged by President Archie and was Inducted by DGE Twinkle. Effective October 23, 2022, they are officially registered in our RI Roster with their Member ID Numbers.



Guest Joanne Deno as Mad Hatter Best in Costume.



# EVENTS

Three new members of RCDD were Charged by Pres Archie and Inducted by DGE Twinkle. They have three distinct classification.



Vimellee R. Madrid - Police Training



Andrea Isabel Concepcion - Agricultural



Therese Xyza G. Abarca - Legal Service



# EVENTS

A Certificate of Appreciation is awarded to PP Vilma Kho, PP Angelita Ang, PP Edna Ko and Spouse Paul Ko for their support to our Pink October Breast Cancer Awareness Month for the RY 2022-2023.



The Fellowship with theme: Mad Hatters Party



# EVENTS

A Celebration of Life to our October Birthday Celebrants - PP Edna Ko and DGE Twinkle.







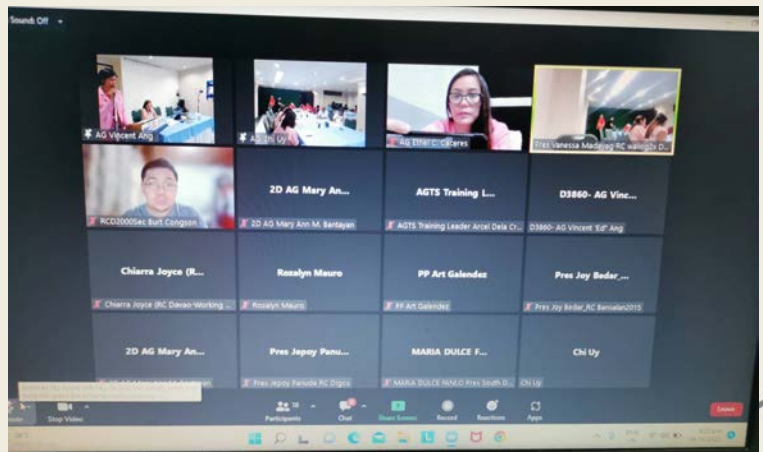
# DISTRICT 3860 UPDATES

By: PP Ethel C. Caceres  
Editor-in-chief

During the Opening Ceremony - Area 2 President's in Pink with AG Ethel Caceres and AG Vincent Edward Ang



Hybrid Area Coordination Meeting last Oct.6,2022 at 630pm in Roadway Inn Hotel. Theme : Ladies- Pink Attire- In support to Pink October Men- Red Polio shirt- In support to Polio Month Together with us PDG Salvador Angala, PDG Rodel Riezl Reyes, DRFC Stephen Chian in attendance.





# IMAGINING ROTARY



## ROTARIANS AS SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURS

By: Patricia Melizza "Patmei" B. Ruivivar

Associate Editor

Canadian billionaire and philanthropist Jeffrey Skoll, creator of the eBay Foundation and later founded the Skoll Foundation, believes in the power of social entrepreneurs to change the world. "A little bit of good can turn into a whole lot of good when fueled by the commitment of a social entrepreneur," Skoll said.

Imagine Rotary as a global social enterprise and Rotarians as social entrepreneurs.

The Management Study Guide describes a social entrepreneur as somebody who takes up a pressing social problem and meets it with an innovative or trailblazing solution. They possess a very high level of motivation and are visionaries who aim to bring about social change.

A social entrepreneur is not motivated by making money alone, but by creating new solutions to social problems. The money Rotarians raise for service projects are used to help those in need and make their communities better. But to be truly considered social entrepreneurs, Rotarians must reimagine the livelihood and economic development programs they usually support. It is not enough that these projects generate income for the beneficiaries, they must also contribute to social change.

According to a study by the Asian Development Bank in 2019, there were 164,473 social enterprises in the Philippines. More than 70 percent of them are a micro-sized business with less than 50 employees, and the remaining are non-profit organizations (NGOs) and cooperative businesses. There is a growing demand for social enterprises that can provide sustainable economic development in the country. There are currently over 1,000 social enterprises in the Philippines that employ over 50,000 people and generated US\$2 billion in revenue and supported the creation of more than 350,000 jobs. The multiplier effect of social enterprises is incredible.

Rotarians can increase the impact of their economic development projects if they invest their resources in nurturing social enterprises like cooperatives and developing the social entrepreneurship skills of their community partners and beneficiaries.

As famous social entrepreneur, Bill Drayton said: "Social entrepreneurs are not content just to give a fish or teach how to fish. They will not rest until they have revolutionized the fishing industry." And isn't that what the Rotary spirit is all about?



# **ROTARY INFORMATION**

## **OCTOBER IS ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH**

The work of Rotary begins in the community, and every community has its own unique needs and concerns. While we serve in countless ways, we've focused our efforts in seven key areas to maximize our impact. These areas encompasses some of the world's most critical and widespread humanitarian needs.

Rotary members planning new service projects are encouraged to consider these areas and the many opportunities for innovative projects within them. Rotary International and The Rotary Foundation have adopted the seven areas of focus as organizational priorities.

## **PURPOSE OF COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (CED)**

Community Economic Development's purpose is to revitalize communities, develop and rehabilitate affordable housing, promote sustainability, attract investments, build wealth, encourage entrepreneurship, and create jobs. Community Economic Development identifies, disseminates and implements successful best practices for Community Action Agencies and related organizations. It provides strategies by which local development organizations initiate and generate their own solutions to their community economic problems and thereby build long term community capacity and foster the integration of economic, social and environmental objectives. Public programs May be used and corporate support attracted, but organizations representing the interests of the local community launch and direct the initiatives.



# WHY AM I A ROTARIAN?

**By: Thelma S. Ciudadano**  
RCDD Past President (2009-2010)

It took me ten years (1994-2004) to convince myself to join Rotary. It is not that I have bias against it, it was just that I was not ready for it during those years for a lot of reasons. But those reasons eventually ran out when my other two Partners of our newly formed Auditing Firm, who were then very active Rotarians, unceasingly convinced me to join Rotary. And so I did.

In Rotary, I found myself in the company of people with different professional and business backgrounds. It's an opportunity for me to expand my circle of friends, fellowship with them, learn what they do in their respective classifications, and more so, doing together what Rotary is best known for: Service to Humanity. It is challenging and fulfilling that through Rotary, we can connect with and serve those who have less in life, especially those who have been through rough times. It is actually a realization for me that with God's blessings, and through Rotary, I can also be a blessing for others.

"The Future of Rotary is In Your Hands"



**By: Vilma U. Kho**  
RCDD Past President (2000-2001)

I was invited to participate in the forming of a new rotary club conceived to be an all female club in late 1992.. Since membership to any prestigious civic organization was required for all branch managers of our company, I eagerly accepted the invitation with the objective of networking and prospecting with high networth clients for our bank. Hence, participation in Rotary meetings as well as make up with other clubs broadened my circle of friends and acquaintances. Over time however, not only did I enjoy the Wednesday sessions but i started joining community projects during week ends. Furthermore, I committed myself to become one of the club's guardians by becoming its 8th President and worked successfully to win awards and accolades to the club.Today, after 29 years in Rotary Club of Downtown Davao,and having witnessed members join and leave the club, I remain steadfast to be a Rotarian, looking forward to every meeting and fellowship of our club. Rotary indeed has become a way of life for me and hopefully for many in this club, in our community and in our world.





# RCDD BARKADAHAN RY 2022-2023

## DREAMERS

Leader:

**Vilma U. Kho**

1. Irene B. Aquino
2. Ethel C. Caceres
3. Jhong Dela Cerna
4. Thelma S. Ciudadano
5. Patrick T. Co
6. Cora L. Costan
7. Cyril C. Duran
8. Belen D. Gemelo
9. Chai R. Madrid
10. Marilyn P. Puno
11. Patmei B. Ruivivar

## VISIONARIES

Leader:

**Anthony John D. Modequillo**

1. Gloria O. Cabillas
2. Coco G. Calaca
3. Andeng G. Dela Cerna
4. Jason S. Digal
5. Mariane C. Gamboa
6. Fely P. Lovitos
7. Josie P. Ortiz
8. Steph F. Palconit
9. Melch P. Rivera
10. Camille C. Sencio
11. Shiela S. Toledo

## CREATORS

Leader:

**Angelita M. Ang**

1. Xyza G. Abarca
2. Martha L. Carlsen
3. Andrea Concepcion
4. Twinkle C. Gamboa
5. Joan O. Gulanes
6. Eliza Joy S. Hilario
7. Edz C. Ko
8. Paul B. Ko
9. Florence Magistrado
10. Sylvia C. Navarro
11. Gwen V. Sabsal

## Past Presidents

1993-1994	PDG /CP Evelyn A. Magno	2008-2009	PP Marina B. Ruivivar
1994-1995	PP Cornelia P. Aportadera	2009-2010	PP Thelma S. Ciudadano
1995-1996	PP Cynthia B. Rodriguez	2010-2011	PP Cristeta G. Gallano
1996-1997	PP Estrella Luz B. Cabebe	2011-2012	PP Enerie B. Aquino
1997-1998	PP Elisa W. Tay	2012-2013	PP Lagrimas T. Acero
1998-1999	PP Linda C. Tesoro	2013-2014	PP Marie Josephine B. De Vera
1999-2000	PP Felina A. Javellana	2014-2015	PP Ruth Theresa G. Castellones
2000-2001	PP Vilma U. Kho	2015-2016	PP Marilyn P. Puno
2001-2002	PP Sylvia C. Navarro	2016-2017	PP Rozanne C. Gamboa
2002-2003	PP Ma. Chona F. Caingles	2017-2018	PP Angelita M. Ang
2003-2004	PP Charisse P. Puentespina	2018-2019	PP Josefa P. Ortiz
2004-2005	PP Edna C. Ko	2019-2020	PP Ethel C. Caceres
2005-2006	PP Agatha Ellen S. Valencia	2020-2021	PP Myla C. Agustin
2006-2007	PP Ma. Richelle B. Vicente	2021-2022	IPP Andrea Dela Cerna
2007-2008	PP Eliza Joy S. Hilario		



# The Council of Presidents



PP Vilma U. Kho  
RY 2000-2001  
"Create Awareness, Take Action"



PP Enerie B. Aquino  
RY 2011-2012  
"Reach Within To Embrace Humanity"



PP Sylvia C. Navarro  
RY 2001-2002  
"Mankind is Our Business"



PP Marilyn P. Puno  
RY 2015-2016  
"Be A Gift To The World"



PP Edna C. Ko  
RY 2004-2005  
"Celebrate Rotary"



PP Rozanne C. Gamboa  
RY 2016-2017  
"Rotary Serving Humanity"



PP Eliza Joy S. Hilario  
RY 2007-2008  
"ROTARY Shares"



PP Angelita M. Ang  
RY 2017-2018  
Rotary Making A Difference"



PP Marina B. Ruivivar  
RY 2008-2009  
"Make Dreams Real"



PP Josefa P. Ortiz  
RY 2018-2019  
"Be The Inspiration"



PP Thelma S. Ciudadano  
RY 2009-2010  
"The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands"



PP Ethel C. Caceres  
RY 2019-2020  
"Rotary Connects The World"



IPP Andrea G. Dela Cerna  
RY 2021-2022  
"Serve To Change Lives"



# Roster of Membership and Classification



**Therese Xyza "Xyza" G. Abarca**  
Lawyer



**Angelita "Litlit" M. Ang**  
Fishery Industry



**Enerie "Irene" B. Aquino**  
Building Leasing



**Gloria "Glo" O. Cabillas**  
Civil Engineer and Construction



**Ethel "Ethel" C. Caceres**  
Dental Care & Digital Imaging



**Anjera "Coco" G. Calaca**  
Jewelry Retailing



**Martha "Martha" L. Carlsen**  
Real Estate Leasing



**Thelma "Thel" S. Ciudadano**  
Auditing/ Business Admin & Tax  
Management Service



**Darence Patrick "Patrick" Co**  
Chef/Food Services



**Andrea Isabel "Andrea" Concepcion**  
Agricultural



**Corazon "Cora" L. Costan**  
Banking and Fruit Farming



**Andrea "Andeng" G. Dela Cerna**  
Law Enforcement/Operations



# Roster of Membership and Classification



**Jomar "Jong" P. Dela Cerna**  
Law Enforcement/Investigation



**Jason "Jason" S. Digal**  
Distribution/Frozen Products



**Cyril "Cy" C. Duran**  
Build and Design



**Archie Francisco "Archie" F. Gamboa**  
Legal Service



**Rozanne "Twinkle" C. Gamboa**  
Lending Industry



**Mariane Louise "Mar" C. Gamboa**  
Real Estate Management



**Belen "Belen" D. Gemelo**  
BDG Industrial Sales & Services



**Joan "Joan" O. Gulanes**  
Banking



**Eliza Joy "Joy" S. Hilario**  
Real Estate Development



**Vilma "Vi" U. Kho**  
Financing



**Edna "Edzz" C. Ko**  
Scrap Trading & Bailing



**Paulino "Paul" B. Ko**  
Manufacturing/Boxes



# Roster of Membership and Classification



**Filomena "Fely" P. Lovitos**  
Education/ Nursing



**Vimellee "Chai" R. Madrid**  
Police Training



**Florence "Flor" R. Magistrado**  
Law Enforcement



**Anthony John "Aj" D. Modiquello**  
Manufacturing & Trucking



**Sylvia "Binggot" C. Navarro**  
Consultancy / Financial



**Josefa "Josie" P. Ortiz**  
Agriculture



**Stephanie "Stef" Follante-Palconit**  
Education/University Professor



**Marilyn "Bolyn" P. Puno**  
Public Health/ General Dentistry



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# RCDD's BRIEF PROFILE

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Chartered on February 23, 1993, the Rotary Club of Downtown Davao (RCDD) started as an all-women club with 26 lady executives of various professions and vocations. The whole Rotary world was then celebrating the 88th Founding Anniversary of Rotary International when RCDD became the 29,258th Rotary club all over the world, and the 79th club in District 3860. Led by Charter President Evelyn "Len" A. Magno, RCDD on its first year was already blazing the trail and raising the bar for Rotary clubs in the District with a mark of excellence. Eleven (11) new members were inducted during the charter year, making a total membership of thirty-seven (37) women.

RCDD IS a multi-awarded service club in Davao City, a consistent recipient of annual District awards. In RY 1998-1999, RCDD won all the major district awards as the "Most Outstanding Club, President, Secretary and club bulletin- The Professionals." It was a grand slam, besting then all 99 clubs in District 3860. RCDD is a 100% Paul Harris Fellow Club, and topping the annual list of club donors to The Rotary Foundation (TRF).

RCDD became a mixed club in RY 2018-2019, when two gentlemen were inducted to the Roster of Membership, the former PNP Chief Archie Francisco F. Gamboa and businessman Paulino B. Ko.. RY 2022-2023 starts with 27 members, 27 female and 6 male members. twelve (12) are aged 40 and below.

The Downtowners are easily identified in their apple green blazers during formal and official Rotary events, and in their uniform club tshirts during service project activities. They meet regularly every first Wednesday of the month at 12:00 noon. Fellowships are held during weekends.

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