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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 and better FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Rotary International is to assist and guide Rotarians and Rotary Clubs to accomplish the Object of Rotary to ensure Rotary's continuing relevance, and to help build a better world, emphasizing service activities by individuals and groups that enhance the quality of life and human dignity, encouraging high ethical standards, and creating greater understanding among all people to advance the search for people in the world.

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 by 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.

SERVICE ABOVE SELF

You serve your Club and all its members when you take time to attend meetings, work on committees, and promote Rotary's ideals through club projects and activities.

You serve all the members of your community when you take time to participate in the development of quality service for the youth, the elderly, the disabled, and the needy.

As you travel, you serve by taking time to learn about people from other countries, and their customs, needs, and beliefs.

And you serve by participating in Rotary programs such as the Rotary Foundation, Health, Hunger, Humanity Program, and World Community Service.

ROTARY HYMN

By George Canseco

I want to be a Rotarian for the world,
Make the Rotary flag as the flag of peace unfurled;
I shall serve my community, help achieve universal unity.
Through Rotary, I shall dedicate my all,
World understanding shall be my cherished goal.

Refrain:

With the Four-Way Test I'll pursue my quest
And if I, in a way, help obtain peace in the world,
I shall not have lived in vain.

I observe 'Service above Self',
Lend a hand to all who need my help;
I'll get my Spouse to involve in Rotary
And in Rotary ways, I will train my family. *Repeat Refrain*

Build a bridge for tomorrow's youth,
Strengthened by nothing but the truth;
Let's join our hands, there's no reason we'll divide.
We shall all understand, why the good Lord is our guide.

Repeat Refrain

Peace be achieved,
We shall not have lived in vain.

ROTARY LEADERS THROUGH THE YEARS

RI Year	RCDS President	District 3860 Governor	RI President	Rotary Theme
1977-78	Willes Matiao	Jorge Royeca, RC General Santos	W. Jack Davis	<i>Serve to Unite Mankind</i>
1978-79	Willes Matiao	Manuel de Veyra, RC Cebu	Clem Renout	<i>RC Reach Out</i>
1979-80	Henry "Hen" Sojor	Honorario Hilario, RC Davao	James L. Bomar Jr.	<i>Let Service Light the Way</i>
1980-81	Marciano "Mars" Kho	Graciano Militante, RC San Juanico	Rolf J. Klarich	<i>Take Time to Serve</i>
1981-82	Sebellon "Bill" Wale	Arturo "Art" Pingoy, RC Korondal	Stanley E. McCaffrey	<i>World Understanding and Peace</i>
1982-83	Jose "Joe" Nakao	Quintin "King" Doromal, RC Dgte	Hiroje Mukasa	<i>Mankind is One: Build Bridges of Friendship throughout the World</i>
1983-84	Jimmy "Jim" Tan	Honorato Cabarroguis, Davao East	William E. Sketon	<i>Share Rotary, Serve Rotary</i>
1984-85	Gregorio "Greg" Uymatiao Jr.	Jose Lardizabal, RC Cebu West	Carlos Conseco	<i>Discover A New World of Service</i>
1985-86	Susano "Sano" Sy	Armin Cucucoco, General Santos	Edward F. Cadman	<i>You are the Key</i>
1986-87	Solano "Lan" Bulacan	Roque "Rey" Tiu, RC San Juanico	Mat Caparas	<i>Rotary Brings Hope</i>
1987-88	Dominador "Junny" Dumlalag	Antonio Garcia, RC DavaoW	Charles C. Keller	<i>Rotarians: United in Service</i>
1988-89	Honorato "Andy" Andaya	Cesar Estalilla, RC CebuFuenta	Royce Abbey	<i>Put Life into Rotary -- Your Life</i>
1989-90	Youman "Boy" Uymatiao	Herminio Villano, RC East Davao	Hug M. Archer	<i>Enjoy Rotary</i>
1990-91	Alex "Jun" Amor Jr.	Martarito Redona, RC Tacloban	Paul V. Costa	<i>Honor Rotary with Faith and Enthusiasm</i>
1991-92	Zachary "Zachy" Beltran	Johnny Asencio, RC Dadiangas	Rajendra K. Saboo	<i>Look beyond Yourself</i>
1992-93	Apolonio "Boy" Diputado	Xaver Ledesma, RC Metro Cebu	Clifford Dochterman	<i>Real Happiness is Helping Others</i>
1993-94	Raul Dumlalag	Nicanor del Rosario, Jr., RC Davao	Robert R. Bart	<i>Believe in What You Do: Do What You Believe In</i>
1994-95	Danilo "Danny" Olegario	Arcadio Alegrado, RC Mandaue	Bill Huntley	<i>Be a friend</i>
1995-96	Jonathan "Jone" Amante	Reynaldo Reyes, RC Davao East	Herbert Brown	<i>Act with Integrity, Serve with Love, Work for Peace</i>
1996-97	Patrick "Bebot" Chua	Vicente Solis Jr., RC Tacloban	Luis Vicente Giay	<i>Build the Future with Action and Vision</i>
1997-98	Henry Liu	Jesus Veneracion, General Santos	Glen W. Kinross	<i>Show Rotary Cares</i>
1998-99	Antonio "Tony" Paalan	Antonio Florendo,CebuPort Center	James L. Lacy	<i>Follow Your Rotary Dream</i>
1999-2000	Manuel "Chiquiting" Sagarbarria	Raoul Hilario, RC Davao East	Carlo Ravizza	<i>Act with Consistency, Credibility, Continuity</i>
2000-01	Edgar "Ed" Calinawagan	Jose Ma. Luis Cupin, Davao East	Frank Devlyn	<i>Create Awareness; Take Action</i>
2001-02	Raul Villanueva	Ramon Tirol, RC Central Davao	Richard D. King	<i>Mankind is our Business</i>
2002-03	Rafael "Raffy" Rallos	Pablo Quizon, RC San Juanico	Bhichai "Bichai"	<i>Show the Seeds of Love</i>
2003-04	Roy Arco	Roberto Domendo, RC Bislig	Jonathan Majiyagbe	<i>Lend a Hand</i>
2004-05	Jose "Joe" Chiu	Raymund Patuasi, RC Cebu West	Glenn E. Estress Sr.	<i>Celebrate Rotary</i>
2005-06	Mark Higgins	Evelyn Magno,Davao Downtown	Carl Stenhammer	<i>Service above Self</i>
2006-07	Antonio "Tony" Cariño	Fernando Almeda Jr., MetSurigao	William "Bill" Boyd	<i>Lead the Way</i>
2007-08	Rafael "Raffy" Besas	Joseph Michael Espina, CebFuenta	Wilfred Wilkinson	<i>Rotary Shares</i>
2008-09	Archer Baldwin Martinez	Pablito Parilla, RC Matina, Davao	Dong Kurn Lee	<i>Make Dreams Real</i>
2009-10	Alfredo "Dodo" Bustamante III	Antonio Veneracion, RC General Santos	John Kenny	<i>The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands</i>
2010-11	Neil Ray "Bimbo" Lagahit	Teodoro Locsin Jr.,CebuPortCenter	Ray Klighsmith	<i>Building Communities, Bridging Continents</i>
2011-12	Edmund "Ed" Gonzales	Leoncio Villa-Abrille,CebuPort Cter	Kalyan Banerjee	<i>Reach within to Embrace Humanity</i>
2012-13	Teresito "Terry" Orbeta	Peter "Perok" Rodriguez, Ormoc	Sakuji Tanaka	<i>Peace through Service</i>
2013-14	Leo Bollos	Egdar Chiongbian, RC Cebu	Ron D. Burton	<i>Engage Rotary; Change Lives</i>
2014-15	Myles Nicholas "Myles" Bejar	Remegio Salanatin, RC Davao	Gary C.K. Huang	<i>Light Up Rotary</i>
2015-16	Eliezer "Eli" Escorial	Salvador Estudillo, RC San Juanico	K.R. Ravindran	<i>Be a Gift to the World</i>
2016-17	Allan Martinez	Mary Anne Solomon, Cebu Fuente	John F. Germ	<i>Rotary Serving Humanity</i>
2017-18	Froilan Joseph "Froilan" Pinili	Art Tan, RC Davao	Ian H.S. Riseley	<i>Rotary: Making A Difference</i>
2018-19	Andre Stephen "Andre" Jacobo	Benjamin Garcia, RC Marbel	Barry Rassin	<i>Be the Inspiration</i>
2019-20	Ludo "Dodong" Managing	Philip Tan, RC Cebu West	MarkDaniel Maloney	<i>Rotary Connects the World</i>
2020-21	Renante Angelo "Ran" Lim	Rodel Riezl Reyes, RC East Davao	Holger Knaack	<i>Rotary Opens Opportunities</i>
2021-22	Renante Angelo "Ran" Lim	Anna Louisa Bumagat, RC Ormoc	Shekhar Menta	<i>Serve to Change Lives</i>
2022-23	Aurelio "Ely" Bodo	Lilo Aliño, RC Cebu Gloria Maris	Jennifer Jones	<i>Imagine Rotary</i>
2023-24	Alex Rey "Alex" Pal	Rozanne "Twinkle" Cocon-Gamboia	R. Gordon McNally	Create Hope in the World

PRAYER

Direct us, dear Father, by your wisdom and love, as we meet in Rotary fellowship today.

Open our eyes to the power for understanding and peace as we see ourselves not alone by ourselves, but united with brother Rotarians in many parts of the world.

We pray that this great global effort for goodwill toward mankind will encourage us to go forward in good works to your honor, and to the benefit of those in need. Amen.

PROGRAM

Organizer: Basic Education & Literacy area of focus

Call to Order **Pres. Alex Pal**
 Invocation **Rtn. Nonoy Ligutom**

Pambansang Awit RCDS AVP
 Rotary Hymn AVP

Four Way Test **Sec. Ashley Morelos**

Introduction of Guests **PP Henry Sojor**

Breakfast Fellowship
Where Hope is Planted RCDS AVP

Fellowship Singing **PP Froilan Pinili**

Fine Moments **Rtn. Caloy Romarate**

President's Time **Pres. Alex Pal**

Agenda:

- Dec. 13 Election of Officers
- Dec. 16 Gift-giving at Friendly Homes (P600 from each Ann)
- Suggested activities for Jan-June 2024

Adjournment

Rtn. Caloy Romarate Jr.
 Master of Ceremonies

SECRETARY'S REPORT



Jan Ashley "Ashley" E. Morelos

Summary of Dec. 2 Charter Anniversary & Christmas Luau

By 5pm, cocktails and charcuterie were served, courtesy of the hosts PP Chiquiting Sagarbarria & Ann Maisa; and by Rtn. Dave Berba. Pres. Alex Pal called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. at the residence of PP Chiquiting & Maisa Sagarbarria.

1) Rtn. Junrex Bungabong led the opening prayer.
2) After the national anthem and the Rotary Hymn, PP Chiquiting officially welcomed everyone to the 46th Charter Anniversary & Christmas Luau held at their residence in Calindagan.

3) PP Junny Dumalag led the recitation of the 4-Way Test, which he had memorized and internalized.

4) PP Diputado then introduced the guests present for the evening.
5) Ann Sasa Lim led the raffle of the first set of door prizes; which was followed by a sumptuous buffet dinner. Our two lechon and lechon kanding were donated by **PP Bimbo Lagahit & Ann Rhanie; by Rtn. Arthur Tolcidas & Ann Genny; and by PP Greg Uymatiao & Ann Joy. VP Jeorex Chua** prepared his signature dishes.

6) During the dinner, we were serenaded by the MAF Carolers with a series of Christmas songs.

7) The highlight of the evening was the giving recognition to the 27 RCDS Charter Members since 1977, of which nine are surviving -- three of whom were present: **PP Alex Amor Jr., PP Henry Sojor, and PP Greg Uymatiao**, who were each given a 46th year commemorative mugs by Pres. Alex.

8) Another highlight was officially presenting to RCDS the awards the Club harvested during the Rotary Foundation Recognition held in Davao City.

IPP Ely Bodo (2022-23) received: DG Gold Award of Distinction; Top 3 in consistently submitting e-Bulletins; Five-Year All-Time-High TRP Contributions; New Member 100% Retention; 30% Membership Growth.

PP Ran Lim (2020-22) was awarded: Rotary Citation; Special Citation as Top 5 in Sponsoring New Members; Individual Sponsor of 2 or More New Members; 100% Member Retention; Membership Gain; 'People of Action'; Special Public Image; Club e-Bulletin The Spinning Wheel; Completion of 83 Service Projects in 2 years.

9) Pres. Alex Pal then called the Paul Harris Fellows for 2023-24 to receive their pins and certificates. Awarded by Area 3-D AG Mark Anthony Trayvilla were our new Paul Harris Fellows: **PP Myles Nicolas Bejar, Rtn. Christofer Jay Cayang, VP Jeorex Chua, PP Apolonio Diputado Jr., Rtn. Jim Karl Jardiniano, Treas. Jessie Mascardo, Rtn. Randy Quisil, PP Henry Sojor, and Rtn. Marcelo Sy.**

PP Henry Liu and PP Manuel Sagarbarria received their PHF+1 pins and certificates; while Pres. Alex Rey Pal and PN Niño Marfren Joseph received their PHF+2 pins and certificates.

Treas. Wilkie Matiao was recognized to receive his PHF+4 pin and certificate, as well as his Paul Harris Society pin and certificate, the first ever PHS member in Negros Oriental.

PHS honors were also given by the Rotary Foundation to Pres. Alex Pal and PN Niño Viking.

10) AG Mark Trayvilla then gave his Message to the Club, extolling the RCDS history and accomplishments for the past 46 years. *(Full text on p.7)*

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Attendance on Dec. 2

1. Pres. Alex Pal & and Ann Irma
2. PE Lolo Baylon
3. VP Jeorex Chua
4. Sec. Ashley Morelos & Ann Lynn
5. Treas. Jessie Mascardo
6. Treas. Gilbert Fuentes & Ann Sabrina
7. PP Jun Amor & Ann Boots
8. Rtn. Junrex Bungabong & Ann Gigi
9. Rtn. Ely Cabanag & Ann Neneng
10. PP Boy Diputado
11. PP Junny Dumalag & Ann Tita
12. Rtn. Ron Fungo & Ann Wendy
13. PP Mark Higgins & Ann Liz
14. PN Aming Jordan & Ann Ylang
15. Rtn. Jobert Koerkamp & Ann Mayette
16. PP Bimbo Lagahit & Ann Rhanie
17. Rtn. Nonoy Ligutom & Ann Emy
18. PP Ran Lim & Ann Sasa
19. PP Henry Liu & Ann Lorna
20. PP Allan Martinez & Ann Gen
21. Rtn. Mitch Morelos & Ann Joy
22. Rtn. Randy Quisil & Ann Celyn
23. Rtn. Aldrin Ramirez & Ann Alma
24. Rtn. Caloy Romarate & Ann Michele
25. PP Chiquiting Sagarbarria & Ann Maisa
26. PP Henry Sojor & Ann Joy
27. PP Greg Uymatiao
28. PN Niño Viking & Ann Soci
29. Rtn. Epoy Yao & YanYan

Guests:

AG Mark Trayvilla & Ann Ivy
Ann Elvira Abangan
Ann Yen Besas
Ann Lilia Chua
Ann Vinia Vergara
PHF John Gareth Matiao
Mayette and Friends Carolers
Jonet Ventula, staff

TREASURER'S REPORT

SAR Dues RY 2023-2024		1st Sem	2nd Sem	Totals
1.0	Abangan, Bernard Louie	5,500.00		
2.0	Adriano, Jose Edgardo	5,500.00		
3.0	Amante, Jonathan C.			
4.0	Amor, Alex A. Jr.			
5.0	Amor, Jed Michael	5,500.00		
6.0	Baylon, Elmore Jr.	5,500.00		
7.0	Bejar, Myles Nicholas G.	4,200.00		
8.0	Berba, Angelo David A.	5,500.00		
9.0	Bodo, Aurelio L.	4,200.00		
10.0	Bungabong, Jun Rex	4,500.00		
11.0	Bustamante, Elson	5,500.00		
12.0	Catacutan, Arman	5,500.00		
13.0	Catacutan, Richard	5,500.00		
14.0	Cayang, Christopher Jay	5,500.00		
15.0	Chiu, Jose	5,500.00		
16.0	Chua, Jeorex	4,700.00		
17.0	Dejaresco, Anton Marlon Eric	5,500.00		
18.0	Diputado, Boy	5,500.00		
19.0	Dupio, Don A.	5,500.00		
20.0	Fuentes, Gilbert	5,500.00		
21.0	Fungo, Ronoel	5,200.00		
22.0	Genove, Mark Ronald	5,500.00		
23.0	Higgins, Mark	5,200.00		
24.0	Jacobo, Andre Stephen	5,500.00		
25.0	Jardiniano, Jim	5,500.00		
26.0	Jordan, Jeremy	5,500.00		
27.0	Kleine Koerkamp, Jobert	1,000.00		
28.0	Lagahit, Neil Ray	5,550.00		
29.0	Lim, Renante Angelo	4,700.00		
30.0	Liu, Henry	5,500.00		
31.0	Managing, Ludo	5,000.00		
32.0	Martinez, Allan	5,500.00		
33.0	Mascardo, Jessie	5,500.00		
34.0	Matiao, Wilkie	5,500.00		
35.0	Matiao, Willington	5,500.00		
36.0	Molas, John Michael	4,200.00		
37.0	Morelos, Jan Ashley E.	5,500.00		
38.0	Morelos, Rick Mitch Marthel	5,500.00		
39.0	Pal, Alex Rey	5,500.00		
40.0	Pinili, Froilan Joseph	5,500.00		
41.0	Quisel, Randy	5,500.00		
42.0	Rabaca, Carl	5,500.00		
43.0	Ramirez, Aldrin P.	5,500.00		
44.0	Romarate, Carlos, Jr.	4,200.00		
45.0	Sagarbarria, Manuel Jr.	5,500.00		
46.0	Sojor, Henry A.	5,500.00		
47.0	Sy, Marcelo	5,500.00		
48.0	Uymatiao, Gregorio, Jr.	5,500.00		
49.0	Viking, Niño Joseph Marfren E.	5,500.00		
50.0	Yao, Philip	5,500.00		
	Total SAR	250,950.00	250,950.00	436,760.00
Club Meeting Collections:				
1.0	Remaining Balance from Induction			7,800.00
2.0	TRF Contribution			55,000.00
3.0	Club Meetings			16,410.00
4.0	Additional collections			7,150.00
5.0	Spinning Wheel advertisements			12,400.00
6.0	Greg's payment for activities			2,750.00
7.0	Meals during Club Meeting			1,800.00
8.0	TRF Contribution from PP Henry Liu			28,500.00
9.0	Refund Candle Making Refund			54,000.00
Expenses				
1.0	Ace Logic Computer Solutions (ink)			2,340.00
2.0	Office supplies			2,769.15
3.0	TRF Contribution			55,000.00
4.0	Salary-July			5,295.00
	Salary-August			5,695.00
	Salary-September			4,895.00
	Salary-October			5,695.00
5.0	Acelogic Computer Solutions (labor)			550.00
6.0	Nutri-Fest Walk donation			1,000.00
7.0	Remittance to Rtn. Wilkie Matiao for advertisements			12,400.00
8.0	Rotary District 3860 (District Levy, Disaster Fund, RI Con, Club listing)			51,300.00
9.0	Philippine Rotary Magazine Foundation Inc. for RY 2023-24 (1st sem)			6,950.00
10.0	Philippine Rotary Magazine Foundation Inc. for RY 2022-23			11,100.00
11.0	Acelogic payment of services (JO#53440 & 53463)			300.00
12.0	Rotary International			98,558.90
13.0	AB Optical			1,980.00
14.0	Refund payment Rotaract Levy			1,000.00
15.0	Contribution for Governor's Night			10,150.00
16.0	Chinloong Restaurant			4,150.00
17.0	TRF contribution from PP Henry Liu			28,500.00
18.0	Candle-making machine			54,000.00
	Total Expenses			363,628.05
Balance as of Nov. 16, 2023				73,131.95

RCDS PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal



Many have said what a wonderful evening our Charter Anniversary & Christmas Luau turned out to be.

I certainly agree. It was a highly successful affair because of everyone's presence and support. Shout out to the RCDS Anns who were very supportive from the planning to the execution stage of the program.

Rtn. Aldrin & Ann Alma Ramirez left no stone unturned in ensuring the success of the party. And there were also heroic acts by many others which made the evening a memorable one.

We were so happy to see Rtn. Ely Cabanag & Ann Neneng attend the Charter anniversary. Rtn. Ely has a hard time walking but still he came to share his time with us!

I just want to express once again my deep respect and gratitude to the 27 RCDS Pioneers who are the reason for our existence today as a Club.

Particularly, we are fortunate that RCDS continues to benefit from the wisdom and wise counsel of our Charter Members: **PP Jun Amor, PP Raul Dumalag, Rtn. Wilkie Matiao, PP Willes Matiao, Rtn. Tona Matiao, Rtn. Ah Tiong Matiao, PP Henry Sojour, PP Greg Uymatiao Jr., and PP Youman Uymatiao.**

RCDS also continues to be the beneficiary of the generous financial support from Charter Member PP Sano

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11) The Rotarians were then feted with a second set of Christmas carols by the MAF Carolers.

12) Then a second raffle for door prizes was led by Ann Marianne Yao, which was followed by the Christmas presentations of the Environment area of focus team (the guitar skills of Rtn. JunRex was a wonderful surprise); followed by the fun presentation by the Rotary Anns.

13) The evening's biggest surprise was the Christmas presentation of Rtn. Aldrin Ramirez, Treas. Jessie Mascardo, PE Loloy Baylon, Sec. Ashley Morelos, and Pres. Alex Pal, who performed three dances dressed and fully made-up as women hula dancers.

14) Pres. Alex Pal then had his President's Time, wherein he thanked everyone for their presence and support. He then called each of the Rotarians &

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Sy, through the commitment of Ann Teena Sy who remains active in the affairs and activities of the RCDS Anns.

I will be leaving today with Ann Irma for Taiwan to attend the Rotary Leadership Institute. This is a four-day event to be held in the City of Kaoshiung. I hope to learn more about Rotary, and share with you what I will learn. I saw on Facebook that our DG Twinkle Gamboa had already left Tuesday, as their training sessions start today Wednesday. The program I am attending will start on Thursday.

I will see you again on **Wednesday, Dec. 13 for our election of other officers for 2024-25**, headed by PE Loloy Baylon.

Then we see each other again on **Saturday, Dec. 16 our gift-giving activity to be held at Friendly Homes** in barangay Cadawinonan. This will be held around 8 a.m., and then we proceed to Victoria's Mountain View in Tanjay (via Amlan) for our lunch fellowship.

RCDS Anns to honor them, and give them an RCDS-personalized gift from him & Ann Irma.

15) Door prizes were again raffled for a third time, most of which were solicited by Sec. Ashley and Treas. Jessie. **The donors included: PN Niño Viking & Ann Soci, RCDS friend Jason Rolida, Ann Joy & PP Greg Uymatiao, Ann Teena Sy, Rtn. Randy & Ann Celyn Quisil, and Rtn. Ron & Ann Wendy Fungo.**

16) It was followed by an exchange of gifts among Rotarians, led by Sec. Ashley.

Pres. Alex adjourned the meeting at 9:00 p.m., after which the second part of the celebration started with live band music, courtesy of **PN Arming Jordan & Ann Ylang and Rtn. Aldrin Ramirez & Ann Alma.** Everyone present must have had a great time because the celebration ended at midnight.

MESSAGE FROM ASSISTANT DISTRICT GOV.

Service in Rotary: Doing what is Right

Protocols observed...my fellow Rotarians, spouses, and friends, good evening!

First of all, my congratulations to the Rotary Club of Dumaguete South for a wonderful 46 years of Service. I salute all Past Presidents for their unique contributions that have brought RCDS to this moment.

Most importantly, to all the Charter Members of RCDS, who took the challenge of forming a new club. And to learn that some of the Charter Members are here today says a lot about the strength of the Club that you formed 46 years ago.

Today, we celebrate the milestones of your Club. RCDS has fostered 46 years of commitment to service to others. RCDS is an embodiment of Service and Fellowship.

Service is not only something that we do as Rotarians; it is an attitude that we build throughout our lives.

Rotarians understand that approaching everything we do in the spirit of service can transform our lives, and make it much more meaningful and fulfilling.

Service is rendered a number of forms: you serve when you motivate and guide others; when you inspire and educate others, you are doing service; when what you do in your vocation benefits and improves the lives of other people, then you are a servant of the people.

To all Rotarians here, I want you to recall the reason why you chose to join Rotary, and what motivated you to remain in this Club.

We might not have asked ourselves these questions. After all, Rotary has become our lives.

But as we continue our journey with Rotary, it is but fitting to know the answers. Your motivation now to stay in Rotary can and will change over time – but your reason when you first joined Rotary will always be the same: it was an opportunity.

What you have now as a Club is a gift from the 27 Charter Members who gave you the opportunity to serve, and make a positive difference – creating lasting change in the lives of people around the world.

Rotary is Service. And as a Club, RCDS understands that each member plays an important role in your success. Rotarians understand that service is an obligation – not only because Rotarians have the money and the resources to do so, or the time to spare, or the

talent and skills to share, but mainly because we all understand that IT IS THE RIGHT THING TO DO.

Growing up, we all remember that Service was not necessarily the first thing that was taught to us by our parents (unless your parents are/were Rotarians). But as children, we were taught by our parents to ALWAYS DO THE RIGHT THING. We were often reminded about what is right and what is wrong, and that doing what is right is what will make us succeed in life. So I was told.

In Rotary, we hold our shared ideals of goodwill among a diverse group of people – all committed to do good in the world. We have the Four-Way Test to guide us in knowing what is right: if it is the Truth, then it is right; if something is fair for everyone, then it is right; if our actions will result to goodwill and better friendships, then it must be right; and if something is beneficial to all concerned, then it should be right.

We are all guided by doing what is right in our personal, business, and community lives. And the Rotary Club of Dumaguete South up this moment has been doing the right thing.

You all have been given the opportunity to be selfless – a chance given by the Charter Members. You all should be proud, RCDS Rotarians and Spouses, each one of you is a key factor to make this Club work.

Always remember that what you do makes a positive difference in the world. Each one of you defines Rotary in our society, and you are changing lives. And this Rotary Year, you are *Creating Hope in the World!*

The Rotary Club of Dumaguete South was chartered 46 years ago because the Charter Members knew that it was the right thing to do.

You are all here now because RCDS has been doing everything Right, even up to this moment, and RCDS will continue to serve in the generations yet to come because I know it in my heart that everyone here believes This is the Right Thing to Do.

Congratulations to the Rotary Club of Dumaguete, and thank you for your continuing efforts to improve the lives of others, building communities, and making a great impact in the world. God bless and Cheers!

Mark Anthony Trayvilla
Assistant District Governor, Ry 2023-24
RI District 3860 Area 3D

7 *Spinning Wheel*

RCDS MULTIPLE PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

4-Stone Sapphire

PVP Wilkie “Wilky” Matiao

3-Stone Sapphire

PP Willes Matiao
 PP Susano “Sano” Sy +
 PP Gregorio “Greg” Uymatiao Jr.

2-Stone Sapphire

IPP Aurelio “Ely” Bodo
 PAG Edgar “Ed” Calinawagan
 PP Marciano “Mars” Kho
 PP Antonio “Tony” Paalan
Pres. Alex Rey “Alex” V. Pal
PN Niño Marfren Joseph “Niño” E. Viking

1-Stone Sapphire

PP Leo Bollos
 PP Patrick “Bebot” Chua
 PP Eliezer “Eli” Escorial
 PP Renante Angelo “Ran” S. Lim
PP Henry “Hen” Liu
 PP Allan C. Martinez
 Rtn. Willington “Tona” Matiao
 PP Teresito “Terry” Orbeta
PP Manuel “Chiquiting” T. Sagarbarria
 PP Jaime “Jimmy” Tan +
 PP Raul Villanueva

PAUL HARRIS FELLOW & BENEFACTOR REPORT

Rotary Club of Dumaguete South, Negros Oriental (17114)
For RY 2023-24 (As of Oct. 28, 2023)

	Donor	ID	Recognition	Date	Orig Date
1	Myles Nicholas G. Bejar	6544688	PHF	27-Oct-2023	
2	Christofer Jay V. Cayang	11432448	PHF	18-Oct-2023	
3	Jeorex P. Chua	5994162	PHF	27-Oct-2023	
4	Apolonio L. Diputado Jr.	1599410	PHF	18-Oct-2023	
5	Jim Karl Jardiniano	11820237	PHF	18-Oct-2023	
6	Jessie E. Mascardo	6989755	PHF	21-Aug-2023	
7	Randy Q. Quisil	11868914	PHF	18-Oct-2023	
8	Henry A. Sojor	1498057	PHF	27-Oct-2023	
9	Marcelo E. Sy	270241	PHF	27-Oct-2023	
10	Henry Q. Liu	1261259	PHF+1	09-Oct-2023	31-Jul-1997
11	Manuel T. Sagarbarria	1115731	PHF+1	18-Oct-2023	1-Nov-1999
12	Alex Rey V. Pal	11432397	PHF+2	18-Oct-2023	7-Aug-2023
13	Niño Marfren Joseph E. Viking	11432465	PHF+2	18-Oct-2023	15-May-2023
14	Wilkie Matiao	270237	PHF+4	21-Sep-2023	22-Mar-1990

What is a Paul Harris Fellow?

A Paul Harris Fellow is a person who has been recognized as having done something significant for others through a contribution of \$ 1000, which will be spent on humanitarian efforts around the world.

A Paul Harris Fellow is recognized for service to the club and the community.

The recognition is named after Paul Harris, founder and organizer of the first Rotary Club in Chicago in 1905. He was founder of the Rotary idea, and the first president of the worldwide organization, Rotary International.

Upon Paul Harris’ death in 1947, memorial gifts poured in to honor the founder of Rotary. From that time, the Rotary Foundation has been achieving the noble objective

of furthering “understanding and friendly relations between peoples of different nations”.

In 1957, the idea of the Paul Harris Fellow recognition was first proposed as a means to promote voluntary giving to the Rotary Foundation.

Although the concept of making \$1,000-gifts to the Foundation was slow in developing, by the early 1970s the program began to gain popularity.

The distinctive Paul Harris Fellow medallion, lapel pin, and a certificate have become highly-respected symbols of a substantial commitment to The Rotary Foundation by Rotarians and friends around the world.

Photo Highlights



Former TMF employees gather and celebrate PP Greg Uymatiao's birthday.



RCDS ANNS' CORNER

RI Year	RCDS President	RCDS Ann President
1977-78	Willes Matiao	Dalisay "Daisy" Magtolis-Dumalag
1978-79	Willes Matiao	Dalisay "Daisy" Magtolis-Dumalag
1979-80	Henry "Hen" Sojor	Dalisay "Daisy" Magtolis-Dumalag
1980-81	Marciano "Mars" Kho	Cristita Novelita "Tita" Sipalay-Umbac
1981-82	Sebellon "Bill" Wale +	Ramonita "Monet" Montesa- Nakao
1982-83	Jose "Joe" Nakao +	Tita Quimno-Dumalag
1983-84	Jimmy "Jim" Tan +	Mary Joy Torres-Sojor
1984-85	Gregorio "Greg" Uymatiao Jr.	Valentina "Teena" Sun-Sy
1985-86	Susano "Sano" Sy +	Gloria Emily "Boots" Salinas-Amor
1986-87	Solano "Lan" Bulacan	Gina Mayang-Domingo
1987-88	Dominador "Junny" Dumalag	Lilia Poblacion-Chua
1988-89	Honorato "Andy" Andaya +	Medolita "Neneng" Noblefranca-Cabanag
1989-90	Youman "Boy" Uymatiao	Grace Sy +/Angela "Lala" Jucom-Andaya +
1990-91	Alex "Jun" Amor Jr.	Rosenda "Rose" Pipo-Matiao
1991-92	Zachary "Zachy" Beltran	Salome Ramirez-Beltran
1992-93	Apolonio "Boy" Diputado	Lorna David-Liu
1993-94	Raul Dumalag	Abie Alfaro-Diputado +
1994-95	Danilo "Danny" Olegario	Lorlyn "Jingjing" Cornelia-Eltanal
1995-96	Jonathan "Jone" Amante	Ionne Paglinawan-Uymatiao
1996-97	Patrick "Bebot" Chua	Pal Kadusale-Amante
1997-98	Henry Liu	Vinia Mergolisa-Vergara
1998-99	Antonio "Tony" Paalan	Marichi "Chee" Calibo-Bolongaita
1999-2000	Manuel "Chiquiting" Sagarbarria	Annabelle "Anne" Quirante-Escorial
2000-01	Edgar "Ed" Calinawagan	Ma. Isabel "Maisa" Longa-Sagarbarria
2001-02	Raul Villanueva	Sabrina "Brin" Ruelo-Fuentes
2002-03	Rafael "Raffy" Rallos	Cristina Lorna L. Rondina
2003-04	Roy Arco +	Dalisay "Daisy" Magtolis-Dumalag
2004-05	Jose "Joe" Chiu	Dalisay "Daisy" Magtolis-Dumalag
2005-06	Mark Higgins	Ionne Paglinawan-Uymatiao
2006-07	Antonio "Tony" Cariño	Fe Lualhati Daing-Bustamante
2007-08	Rafael "Raffy" Besas +	Erlinda "Yen" Parrilla-Besas
2008-09	Archer Baldwin Martinez +	Lourdes "Luding" Manila-Orbeta
2009-10	Alfredo "Dodo" Bustamante III +	Trinidad "Chining" Sagarbarria-Bustamante
2010-11	Neil Ray "Bimbo" Lagahit	Cegina Balsamo-Martinez
2011-12	Edmund "Ed" Gonzales	Geronica "Gen" Sinco-Martinez
2012-13	Teresito "Terry" Orbeta	Lourdes "Luding" Manila-Orbeta
2013-14	Leo Bollos	Christophia "Christy" Locsin-Bollos
2014-15	Myles Nicholas "Myles" Bejar	Shirley "Shie" V. Riley
2015-16	Eliezer "Eli" Escorial	Annabelle "Anne" Quirante-Escorial
2016-17	Allan Martinez	Geronica "Gen" Sinco-Martinez
2017-18	Froilan Joseph "Froilan" Pinili	Valerie Mae Montenegro-Pinili
2018-19	Andre Stephen "Andre" Jacobo	Janice Christie "Nicey" Aum-Jacobo
2019-20	Ludo "Dodong" Managing	Florianie "Rhanie" Tabaloc-Lagahit
2020-21	Renante Angelo "Ran" Lim	Elissa Ruth "Sasa" del Carmen-Lim
2021-22	Renante Angelo "Ran" Lim	Elissa Ruth "Sasa" del Carmen-Lim
2022-23	Aurelio "Ely" Bodo	Rosewilyn "Rose" Vincoy-Bodo
2023-24	Alex Rey "Alex" Pal	Irma Faith Bermas-Pal

RCDS PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

- Rtn. Jose Edgardo "Edo" Adriano
- PP Alex "Jun" Amor Jr.
- PP Roy Arco +
- PE Elmore "Loloy" Baylon
- PP Myles Nicholas Bejar**
- Hans Brauchli +
- PP Rafael "Raffy" Besas +
- Ann Rosewilyn "Rose" Vincoy-Bodo
- PP Alfredo 'Dodo' Bustamante III +
- Rtn. Elson "Erp" Bustamante
- Rtn. Christofer Jay Cayang**
- PP Jose "Joe" Chiu
- Anastacia Chua +
- Rtn. Bonifacio "Bonnie" Chua
- VP Joerex "Rex" Chua**
- PP Apolonio Diputado Jr.**
- Rtn. Rajan Bhagwandas Dulamal
- Rtn. Dominador Dumalag Sr. +
- Rtn. Gilbert "Bert" Fuentes
- PP Mark Higgins**
- Rtn. Jim Karl Jardiniano**
- Ann Marcelina "Bebe" Sy-Kho
- PP Neil Ray "Bimbo" Lagahit
- PP Archer Baldwin Martinez +
- Rtn. Jessie Mascardo**
- Ann Anita L. Matiao +
- Rtn. Martin "Ting" Matiao +
- Rtn. Atilano "Jun" Merced Jr. +
- Rtn. Rick Mitch Marthel Morelos
- PP Jose "Joe" Nakao +
- PP Eutropio "Trops" Ochavillo +
- PP Danilo "Danny" Olegario
- Eusebio "Boy" Ong +
- Vivian Ong
- Ann Nanila "Nani" Paalan +
- Rtn. Randy Q. Quisil**
- Rtn. Andres "Andy" Ricardo +
- Rtn. Fermin "Min" Ricardo +
- Rtn. Irwin Hanes Roberts
- Rtn. Alexander "Alex" Roleda
- Rtn. Julian Carlos "Carlo" Teves
- Rtn. Luis Tiong Sin +
- PP Henry A. Sojor**
- Ann Beth Sy
- Rtn. Marcelo E. Sy**
- Ann Valentina "Teena" Sy
- Uy Po Tee +
- John Gareth Uymatiao
- Ann Joy Sybico-Uymatiao
- Ann Rosenda "Rose" Uymatiao +
- PAG Youman "Boy" Uymatiao
- Dr. Franciene Paalan-Vasquez
- Rtn. Eddy "Ed" Vergara +

ROTARY INFORMATION

APPROVED RI DUES INCREASE FOR THE NEXT THREE YEARS

NOTE:

Dues that clubs will pay to Rotary International per member for the next three years are set as follows;

- 2022-23: \$35.50 per half year
- 2023-24: \$37.50 per half year
- 2024-25: \$39.25 per half year
- 2025-26: \$41.00 per half year



Rotary Humor

The legend of the angel

Not long ago and far away, Santa was getting ready for his annual trip. But there were problems everywhere. Four of his elves got sick, and the trainee elves did not produce the toys as fast as the regular ones so Santa was beginning to feel the pressure of being behind schedule.

Then Mrs. Claus told Santa that her mom was coming to visit. This stressed Santa even more.

When he went to harness the reindeer, he found that three of them were about to give birth and two had jumped the fence and were out, heaven knows where. More Stress.

Then when he began to load the sleigh one of the boards cracked and the toy bag fell to the ground and scattered the toys. So frustrated, Santa went into the house for a cup of coffee and a shot of whiskey. When he went to the cupboard, he found the elves had hid the liquor and there was nothing to drink.

In his frustration, he dropped the coffee pot and it broke into hundreds of little pieces all over the kitchen floor. He went to get the broom and found that mice had eaten the straw it was made from.

Just then the doorbell rang and Santa cursed on his way to the door. He opened the door and there was a little angel with a great big Christmas tree.

The angel said: "Where would you like to put this tree Santa?"

And that my friend, is how the little angel came to be on top of the Christmas tree. *(Lynda Clarke)*

Rotary Facts

What is the Rotary Institute?

The Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) is a multi-District, grassroots leadership development program of member Districts organized into regional divisions in various parts of the world. This year, this will be held in Kaoshiung, Taiwan.

This is a program to train Rotary Leaders, such as Club officers, District Officers, to include District Governors. There will be many trainings going on in the five-day event.

This will also be attended by Rotary International President R. Gordon McInally and other Rotary International officers.

The next international Rotary event will be the Rotary International Convention to be held in Singapore in May next year.

PROPOSED RCDS AGENDA FOR RY 2023-24

Month	Activity	Area of Focus/Incharge
JULY 2023	Semestral dues P5,500	(Treas. Jess Mascardo)
1 Saturday	Rotary New Year: Shoe-giving	Basic Ed & Literacy (VP Rex Chua)
19 Wednesday	Club assembly	(Pres. Alex Pal)
16 Sunday	Rotary bloodletting	Disease Prevention & Treatment
24 Monday	Training of Vallehermoso Water Register with Rotary.org	Water & Sanitation (Rtn. Caloy Romarate)
AUGUST		
14 Monday	Brigada Eskwela at Looc Elem School	Basic Ed & Literacy
20 Sunday	RI Day of Service: Mental Health Awareness at Talay Rehab Center	Disease Prevention & Treatment
SEPTEMBER	Basic Educ & Literacy Month	
17 Sunday	RI Day of Service: Coastal Clean-Up; Tree Growing	Environment
20 Wednesday	*Special Club Meeting with DG Twinkle *DG's Visit at Friendly Homes *Barrio Fiesta lunch at TMF Farm	All 7 Areas of Focus
22 Friday	District Governor's Night	
OCTOBER		
6-7 Friday-Saturday	Pink October: Breast Cancer	Maternal & Child Health
7 Saturday	Mangrove-Planting	Environment
8 Sunday	Pink October Fun Run	Maternal & Child Health
16 Monday	DG Twinkle's birthday	
24 Tuesday	World Polio Day: Patak Polio	Disease Prevention & Treatment
NOVEMBER	The Rotary Foundation Month	
18 Saturday	Rotary Foundation Night	(ACom)
DECEMBER		
2 Saturday	RCDS anniversary-Christmas party	(Rtn. Aldrin Ramirez, Sagarbarrias)
8-10 Friday-Sunday	Zone Institute in Kaoshiung, Taiwan	(Pres. Alex Pal)
13 Wednesday	Election of Officers for 2024-2025	
JANUARY 2024	Semestral dues P5,500	(Treas. Jess Mascardo)
FEBRUARY		
5 Monday	Rotary Empowering Girls	Peace and Conflict-Prevention
18-24 Sunday-Saturday	Rotary Week	
22-23 Thursday-Friday	Rotary Job Fair	Economic & Community Devt
MARCH		
APRIL		
11-13 Friday-Sunday	PETS/SETS in Dumaguete	
19 Friday	Paul Harris' Birthday	(ACom)
MAY		
3-5 Friday-Sunday	DisCon in Davao	
4 Saturday	Rotary 'Break the Stigma'	Disease Prevention & Treatment
24 Friday	PP SANO Fund commemoration	(Rtn. Bert Fuentes)
25-29 Saturday-Tuesday	RI Convention in Singapore	(Rtn. Bert Fuentes)
JUNE		
8 Saturday	Mangrove planting	Environment
15 Saturday	Turnover-Induction	(PE Loloy Baylon & Ann Etes Baylon)

ROTARY 'AREAS OF FOCUS' TEAMS



Peace-building & Conflict-Prevention

Ronoel "Ron" Fungo, head
 Myles Nicholas "Myles" G. Bejar
 Aurelio "Ely" L. Bodo
 Elson "Erp" Bustamante
 Arman Catacutan
 Apolonio "Boy" Diputado Jr.
 Don A. Dupio
 Andre Stephen "Andre" Jacobo
 Rick Mitch Marthel "Mitch" Morelos
 Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal



Disease Prevention & Treatment

Elmore "Loloy" Baylon Jr., head
 Jonathan "Jone" C. Amante
 Jed Michael "Jed" A. Amor
 Jose "Joe" U. Chiu
 Jim Karl "Jim" Jardiniano
 Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal
 Marcelo "Mars" Sy



Water, Sanitation & Hygiene

Angelo David Berba, head
 Neil Ray "Bimbo" Lagahit
 Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal
 Randy "Ran" Quisil
 Aldrin Ramirez
 Gregorio "Greg" L. Uymatiao Jr.



Maternal & Child Health

Niño Marfren Joseph Viking, head
 Richard Catacutan
 Antonio Marlon Eric I. Dejaresco
 Mark Ronald "Mark" Genove
 Allan C. Martinez
 Jan Ashley "Ashley" E. Morelos
 Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal
 Manuel "Chiquiting" T. Sagarbarria Jr.



Basic Education & Literacy

Henry "Hen" A. Sojor, head
 Jeorex "Rex" P. Chua
 Ponciano "Nonoy" Ligutom
 Renante Angelo "Ran" S. Lim
 Froilan Joseph "Froilan" Pinili
 Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal
 Carlos "Caloy" Romarate Jr



Community Economic Development

Jeremy "Aming" Jordan, head
 Bernard Louie "Bernard" Abangan
 Christofer Jay "Jake" V. Cayang
 Gilbert "Bert" Fuentes
 Mark Higgins
 Henry "Hen" Q. Liu
 Ludo "Dodong" Managing
 Wilkie "Wilky" L. Matiao
 Willington "Tona" L. Matiao
 Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal
 Philip "Epoy" Yao



Environment

Jobert Kleine Koerkamp, head
 Jose Edgardo "Edo" J. Adriano
 Alex "Jun" A. Amor Jr.
 Jun Rex D. Bungabong
 Jessie "Jess" E. Mascardo
 John Michael "Owen" Molas
 Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal
 Judan Carl "Carl" Rabaca

DECEMBER 2023 CELEBRATIONS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Nixcy Amor birthday	2 Club meet #18 46th Charter year & Christmas luau at 5pm
3	4	5	6 Club meet #19	7	8	9 Mars Kho bday Alex & Irma Pal anniversary
10 Fe Bustamante birthday	11 Marites Baylon birthday dinner	12	13 Club meet #20: Election of officers RCDS Anns meeting	14	15 Jobert Koerkamp birthday	16 Gift-giving at Friendly Homes Fellowship lunch at Victoria's Mountain View
17	18	19 Froilan Pinili birthday	20	21	22	23
24 Jessie Mascardo birthday	25 Joy Morelos birthday	26 Bernard Abangan birthday	27	28	29	30

WHERE TO MAKE-UP Area 3D

THURSDAYS

Rotary Club of Dumaguete East
 8:00 p.m. Ang Tay Golf Club Cafe

FRIDAYS

Rotary Club of Dumaguete North
 6:30 p.m. Ang Tay Golf Club

Rotary Club of Dumaguete
 7:00 p.m. Chill-Out Bar, Bantayan

Rotary

Rotary Club of Dumaguete South
 District 3860, Area 3D

_____ of Rotary
 Club of _____ has attended
 the RCDS Regular Weekly Meeting on _____, 20____
 held at Chin Loong Restaurant, Rizal Boulevard, Dumaguete City;
 or has participated in an RCDS 'Area of Focus' Activity held at
 _____.

Jan Ashley "Ashley" E. Morelos
Secretary
Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal
President



RCDS ANNS' CORNER

Like their talented husbands, the RCDS Anns are an equally-dynamic group, capable of doing various tasks that could help Rotary achieve its goals, and more. On this page, we feature each Ann so we can all get to know them better.

Perseverance, success, and family

Born on Dec. 17, 1981 in Ayungon, Negros Oriental, **Ann Jocelyn “Celyn”-Quisil** is an inspiring figure of hard work and success.

Growing up in a large family with eight siblings and being the seventh child, Ann Celyn learned the value of hard work early on. Her parents, Zosimo and Haidy, instilled in her the importance of perseverance.

She graduated from Foundation University with a degree in Commerce, majoring in Management. Her choice of study was influenced by her early entrepreneurial spirit, evident since her elementary school days when she enjoyed managing small ventures. Her work ethic was further honed during her time as a ‘working student’ at the Foundation University Cafeteria, then her stint at Emcor as a ‘promodizer’.

In her personal life, Ann Celyn is married to Rtn. Randy Quisil, a multi-faceted professional who excels as a bank manager, real estate broker, and appraiser. Together, they have built a beautiful life, and are proud parents to three daughters: Rheanne (17), Raiza (15), and Miya (9).

As a mother, Ann Celyn is deeply involved in her children’s lives, dedicating her time to picking them up from school, preparing meals, and being a constant source of love and support. She takes pride in the fact that she

enjoys spoiling her husband Rtn. Randy with home-cooked food, delivered to his office daily during lunch.

Professionally, Ann Celyn is a dynamic businesswoman. She manages Jasmine Rooms, a 27-room establishment, and Jasmine & Jhulianne Mini Grocery. She also works as an agent for Orient Living Realty (where Rtn. Randy is the CEO), demonstrating her business skills and versatility.

Her journey from humble beginnings to becoming a successful entrepreneur is a testament to her belief that hard work and dedication can make dreams come true.

Her early interest in managing small sales at school has paved the way for her successful career in business management.

Her vibrant personality extends beyond her business endeavors. Known for her bubbly nature and infectious laughter, Ann Celyn finds joy in simple pleasures like zumba, gardening, and indulging in K-dramas.

However, her busy schedule with business commitments and family responsibilities often makes it challenging to meet up with friends.

Spiritually-grounded, Ann Celyn and her husband Rtn. Randy are devout Roman Catholics, with faith playing a central role in their lives. Their beliefs have guided them through life’s challenges and successes, providing a foundation of strength and hope.

Ann Celyn’s story is one of determination, family dedication, and entrepreneurial spirit, showing how hard work and faith can turn dreams into reality. **(Geraldine Fae Moragas-Bungabong)**



MY NOTES

RCDS ROSTER OF MEMBERS

RCDS ROTARIAN	CLASSIFICATION	ROTARY ANN	OCCUPATION
1. Bernard Louie Abangan	Master Marine Operation	Elvira "Tata" Macativo	Real Estate agent
2. Jose Edgardo "Edo" J. Adriano	General Agriculture	Annabelle "Belle" Lee	Businesswoman
3. Jonathan "Jone" C. Amante	Internal Med-Nephrology	Pal Kadusale	Medical doctor
4. Alex "Jun" A. Amor Jr.	Organic Fertilizers	Gloria Emily "Boots" Salinas	Organic fertilizer producer/supplier
5. Jed Michael "Jed" A. Amor	Physical Therapy	Nicole Anne "Nixsy" Necesito	Homemaker
6. Elmore "Loloy" Baylon Jr.	Optical Services	Marites "Doc Etes" Abella	Optometrist
7. Myles Nicholas "Myles" G. Bejar	Legal Education	Carissa Murga	Homemaker
8. Angelo David "Dave" Berba	Water Management	Eula Escobar	Sanitary engineer
		Erlinda "Yen" Parrilla-Besas	Medicines/Medical equipment supplier
9. Aurelio "Ely" L. Bodo	Police Investigation	Rosewilyn "Rose" Vincoy	Police chief master sergeant
10. Jun Rex D. Bungabong	Restaurant Operation	Geraldine Fae "Gigi" Moragas	Restaurant/Resort operator; Online EA
11. Elson "Erp" Bustamante	Trial Advocacy	Fe Lualhati "Judge Fe" Daing	Retired judge
12. Richard Catacutan	Family Law	Hannah Candace Sumalinog	Medical doctor
13. Arman Catacutan	Public Attorney Practice	Kristina de la Viña	Registered nurse
14. Christopher Jay "Jake" V. Cayang	BPO Management	Ann June Sumatra	Business Process Outsourcing agent
15. Jose "Joe" U. Chiu	Radiology	Ellen "Len" Chua	Pharmacist
16. Jeorex "Rex" P. Chua	Recycling		
		Lilia Poblacion-Chua	Retail store management
17. Antonio Marlon Eric I. Dejaresco	Corporate Law	Ronalie "Ling" Reyes	Homemaker
18. Apolonio "Boy" Diputado Jr.	Government Prosecution	Abie Alfaro	(deceased)
		Gina Mayang-Domingo	Retired businesswoman
19. Don A. Dupio	Prosecution	Kara Denise "Kara" Valleser	Homemaker
20. Gilbert "Bert" Fuentes	Food Products Distribution	Sabrina "Brin" Ruelo	Auto supply retailer
21. Ronoel "Ron" Fungo	Law Enforcement	Wendy Mae "Wendy" Duran	Food supplier
22. Mark Ronald "Mark" Genove	Nutrition Education	Jin Honculada	Educator
23. Mark Higgins	Manufacturing	Flordeliza "Liz" Enquig	Police chief master sergeant
24. Andre Stephen "Andre" Jacobo	Government Prosecution	Janice Christie "Nicey" Aum	House manager/e-Commerce manager
25. Jim Karl "Jim" Jardiniario	CCTV Installation		
26. Jeremy "Aming" F. Jordan	Commercial Construction	Yang-Yang Parial	Entrepreneur/Proprietress
27. Jobert R. Kleine Koerkamp	Agriculture	Ma. Elcon "Mayette" Cabasag	Voice professor
28. Neil Rav "Bimbo" Lagahit	Legislative Administration	Floranie "Rhanie" Tabaloc	University employee
29. Ponciano "Nonoy" Ligutom	Management Consultancy	Emervencia "Emy" Legaspi	Social worker
30. Renante Angelo "RanRan" S. Lim	Architecture	Elissa "Sasa" del Carmen	Pre-school teacher
31. Henry "Hen" Q. Liu	General Merchandising	Lorna David	Retail store treasurer
32. Ludo "Dodong" Managing	Car Distribution & Repair	Beth Patria	Businesswoman
33. Allan C. Martinez	Judicial Administration	Geronica "Gen" Sinco	Civil engineer
34. Jessie "Jess" E. Mascardo	Universal Banking	Lorwen "Wen" Rebusura	Homemaker
35. Wilkie "Wilky" L. Matiao	Non-Life Insurance	Emma Yap	Office manager
36. Wellington "Tona" L. Matiao	Transportation	Rosalia Sy	Homemaker
37. John Michael "Owen" Molas	Merchant Seafaring		
38. Jan Ashley "Ashley" E. Morelos	Marine Engineering	Lynn Paul "Lynn" Cual	Land transportation officer
39. Rick Mitch Marthel Morelos	Car Transport Services	Christine Joy Gillies	Paralegal
40. Alex Rey "Alex" V. Pal	Communication Management	Irma Faith "Irma" Bermas	University professor; Newspaper editor
41. Froilan Joseph "Froi" Pinili	Government Administration	Valerie Mae Montenegro	Government employee
42. Randy "Ran" Q. Quisil	Rural Banking	Jocelyn "Celyn" Erojo	Businesswoman
43. Judan Carl "Carl" Rabaca	Petrol Retail	Cecile Umbac	Construction manager/Fuel supplier
44. Aldrin Ramirez	Construction	Alma Flores	Businesswoman
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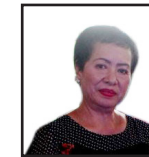
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