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Rotary
Club of East Davao



Rotary Opens
Opportunities



54 years of Service Above Self

In 1965, then District Governor Alfonso “Poncing” Oboza and Pres. Leon “Leony” Garcia of the Rotary Club of Davao thought of organizing the 2nd Rotary Club in the City of Davao. Thus was born the Rotary Club of East Davao (RCED).

On December 1, 1965, the RCED charter was officially unveiled in a historical ceremony at the Davao Insular Hotel, with twenty-four (24) men signing-up to be charter members, 10 of whom were from the sponsoring club, RC Davao.

From its inception, RCED called Davao Insular Hotel its home, as it was the venue for its weekly Tuesday club meetings. In 2007, the club opted to transfer its meetings to the Marco Polo Hotel.

Through the years, many RCED Past Presidents (and members) were privileged to serve in various District and Rotary International (RI) positions. To name a few:

1. As DISTRICT GOVERNORS

Atty. Honesto “Totoy” Cabarroguis	1983-1984
Dr. Herminio “Hermie” Villano	1989-1990
Reynaldo “Boy” Reyes	1995-1996
Raoul Hilario+	1999-2000
Amb. Ramon “Monet” Tirol+	2001-2002

Another member also had the honor to serve as District Governors, but this happened after they transferred to other clubs in the city, namely Salvador “Bading” Angala of RC West Davao in RY 1975-1976.

2. As REPRESENTATIVES

PDG Totoy served as DISTRICT 3860’s representative to the Council of Legislation which convened in Anaheim, California in 1992. He was also member of the vital Committee on Extension representing Zone 4 (encompassing 21 districts in Southeast Asia).

PDG Boy Reyes was District 3680’s representative to the Council of Legislation which was held in Chicago in 2007.

3. As GROUP STUDY EXCHANGE TEAM LEADERS

- a. PDS Ben Panganiban to D591 in Florida
- b. PDG Totoy Cabarroguis to D611 in Arkansas, Kansas, Missouri, and Oklahoma
- c. PDG Hermie Villano to D6296 in North Western Michigan and Sault St. Marie, Canada
- d. PP Rizal Aportadera to D712 in New York
- e. PDG Raoul Hilario to D5670 in Kansas
- f. PP Tino de Jesus to D7640 in New Jersey
- g. PP Edsa Sancho to D5150 in San Francisco
- h. PP Hecky Maniquis to D5020 in Seattle, Washington
- i. PP Nandie Subido to D6400 in Detroit, Michigan and Ontario, Canada and Team Member to District 6630 Cleveland Ohio, 1982
- j. PP Jesse Fortich to D6200 in Louisiana

Through the years, the club has embarked on numerous community projects, (i.e., donated artesian wells, school buildings, books, clothings, scholarships, conducted medical and dental missions, disaster response, etc.) all in pursuit of Rotary’s Theme of “Service Above Self.” (Please see next page, RCED @ WORK, for a list of some of the more recent major projects the club has under taken).

A cornerstone project that the club has been known for is its scholarship program. Here, the club offers the scholarship to deserving and highly motivated high school students, who have graduated and have proven themselves in the academic field. One major condition is that they must come from families who are economically challenged and may not enrol in college without assistance. The student applicant must be willing to take and finish an education course—and be teachers of tomorrow. The objective of this approach is so that they will become agents of change who are skilled to educate the growing populace in our communities—eventually helping fight poverty.

This is made possible because of the numerous RCED Members’ contribution and/or joint “ventures” that the club tries to build. One very successful example of this is the college-scholarship at the Holy Cross of Davao College—a joint project with the Oikawa Scholarship Program and by the San Josue Scholarship. Through the efforts of PDG Boy Reyes, PDG Raoul Hilario, and PP Mickey Miyake, Matching club arrangements with Japanese Clubs RC

Wakayanagi, RC Funabashi West and RC Ishinomaki South were arranged—resulting to the annual exchange of goodwill visits and the flow of donations from Japan for the projects.

At RCED we take the word “INTERNATIONAL” seriously. This is clearly seen in the different nationalities of its member (Filipinos, Americans, Europeans, Australians, Japanese, and many others). For some time now, the honorable consuls of Japan, Indonesia, and Malaysia are/were honorary members. In the Avenue of International Service, the club organized the Rotary Club of Manado, Indonesia. A team led by PDG Boy Reyes and PP Hecky Maniquis made sure they started on the right direction.

The strength of the club lies in its membership mix and the members’ passion for service. To date, RCED is still considered as club of the biggest of D3860.

RCED is an ardent supporter of The Rotary Foundation having in its roster several Major Donors, Multiple Paul Harris Fellows, PHFs and PHSMs.

To the club members, being able to BE OF SERVICE to others is more than enough reward. This philosophy has made the club stronger, more effective, and somehow “stand-out”... eventually it helped the club earn numerous awards and recognition from the District and from RI. To name a few:

- a. RI Asia Pacific Presidential plaque given by RI Pres. Frank Devlyn
- b. Global Quest award for membership growth in Zone 7 District
- c. PP Mickey Miyake - RI the highest award to a Rotarian, the “RI Service Above Self”
- d. Our Presidents and Club Secretaries have also been consistent awardees.
- e. Most Outstanding Club Bulletin for a number of years.

To RCED, these awards and recognitions are reminders, if not challenges, to do more for the community and mankind.

The succeeding decades will surely find Rotary Club of East Davao (RCED) in the forefront of Rotary’s motto of “Service Above Self” and the Implementation of the District Governor’s and RI President’s Challenges.



Club Number: 17115
District: 3860
Charter Date: DECEMBER 1, 1965
Charter President: FERNANDO TECSON

Meets every Tuesday at 7:00p.m. via zoom 



RCED AT WORK

- 1.) TWO (2) BED EYE SURGICAL MOBILE VAN "Dapitan"** of Maharlika Charity Foundation, Inc. A Rotary Foundation Matching Grant/World Community Service project worth PhP6 million. This major project was initiated by RCED with RC Wakayanagi, RC Funabashi West, District 2520 Iwate Miyagi, Japan and District 2790 Chiba, Japan and PAG Atsushi Sasaki, M.D.
- 2.) A FIRETRUCK to Davao Volunteer Fire Brigade, Inc.** a joint project with our sister club — Rotary Club of Funabashi West, Chiba, Japan. Likewise assisting them in the annual maintenance of the unit.
- 3.) RCED-OIKAWA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.** A college scholarship grant for Education Course funded by philanthropic and kindhearted Japanese Rotarians of the RC Ishinomaki South, Miyagi Prefecture, Iwate, Japan who have been extending financial support since RY 2000. A Rotary way of helping financially disadvantaged but deserving high school students acquire College Degree which could help them be alleviated from poverty.
- 4.) NEURO-URO SURGICAL INTENSIVE CARE (ICU) WARD at Davao Medical Center.** A Rotary WCS Funded project worth \$14,500 with invaluable support of RC Wakayanagi, RC Funabashi West & District 2790 Chiba, Japan.
- 5.) FEEDING PROGRAM BY ROTARY SPOUSES.** Under the "Adopt a School Program" of Department of Education. A WCS supported project with RC Ishinomaki South for J.P. Rizal

Elementary School and Juan Cruz Sr. Elementary School for malnourished children.

6.) A "Water System" at Kapatagan, Davao del Sur. This is a TRF Matching Grant Project with RC Wakayanagi, Japan. The project benefits about 300 residents in both Sitio Terril and Ranu, who used to fetch water from other sources (normally 3 to 5 kms away). A "Highway water station" was also built for travellers and vehicles that visit the area to trade in vegetables and deliver farm implements. We also installed the "Flowing Washing Area" (attached to the water reservoir)... to give easy access to residents doing their daily laundry.

7.) OPERATION SAGIP MATA PROJECT. RCED's Gift of Sight. In commemoration of Rotary's first 100 years of service, RCED turned over a Topcon OMS-90 Operation Microscope and other cataract surgical instruments amounting to PhP670,000.00 to the Davao Medical Center Ophthalmology Department. The eye surgery equipment was acquired by RCED with the invaluable support of its international sponsors, the RC of Wakayanagi, Japan, Dr. Atsushi Sasaki and TRF.

8.) TWO-STORY TWO-CLASSROOM SCHOOL BUILDINGS as RCED "Centennial Project" at Sasa Elementary School worth PhP600,000. A World Community Service Project with international partners: District 2790 Chiba, Japan, RC Wakayanagi, RC Ishinomaki South, RC Funabashi West and Past Asst. Gov. Atsushi Sasaki, M.D. of RC Wakayanagi, Japan and District 2520 Iwate Miyagi, Japan.

9.) MOBILE EMERGENCY DISASTER RESCUE EQUIPMENT. Another Rotary Foundation Matching Grant/ WCS Project with valuable assistance of its partners, PAG Atsushi Sasaki, M.D., RC Wakayanagi, Japan and the District 2520 Iwate Miyagi, Japan, donated a complete set of brand-new top-of-the-line accident rescue equipment amounting to \$16,000 to Philippine National Red Cross - Davao Chapter.

10.) COMMUNITY WATER STATION. A TRF Matching Grant project No. 65912 which provided a water purifier and accessories, reservoir, polyethylene pipes and to install a distribution network to residents of Brgy. Caliclic, Island Garden City of Samal. The project benefited 370 household residents of about 1,857 people who fetch water from a source which is three kilometers within five km radius. Project Cost: US\$21,983.82 with international sponsors RC Wakayanagi, Dr. Atsushi Sasaki and TRF.



11.) AMBULANCE PROJECT. A brand new ambulance, a Kia K2700 truck fitted with first aid and emergency medical facilities unit worth more than PhPIM was turned over to the people of San Isidro, a municipality of Davao Oriental, by leaders of Rotary Club of Wakayanagi, Japan of District 2520 and Rotary Club of East Davao under District 3860. The turnover was the culmination of a number of years of fund-sourcing and paper work by the two Rotary clubs under The Rotary Foundation matching grant No. 71099.

12.) MEDICAL AND DENTAL INTEGRATED MISSIONS. A humanitarian and community addressed project. Giving free medical checkup, tooth extraction, and free medicines in various communities.

13.) WORLD COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT. Ambulance donation to Brgy. Mintal from Rotary Club Wakayanagi and Dr. Atsushi Sasaki.

14.) Global Grant 1640035 DAVAO EDUCATION AND HEALTH PROJECT. The program goal is to increase access to and improve quality of health and education / training services for the women and children from three disadvantaged communities in Mindanao Southern Philippines by supporting: Basic education and literacy for the children in focus communities, Maternal and child health care via the Community Health Centre's and the specialist regional pediatric health centre. Project Cost: P4.9M.



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Club of East Davao

ROTARY CLUB OF EAST DAVAO

“Transforming Team”

Rotary Year 2020-2021



Rossano C. Luga
President
RY 2020-2021



Cheldone I. Canes
President Elect
RY 2021-2022



Jaime S. Sabino
President Nominee
RY 2022-2023



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Imm. Past President
RY 2019-2020



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Director - New Generations



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Director - The Rotary Foundation



Paul Peter R. Digal
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Brian U. Toh
Director - Community Service



Manuel R. Nierra
Director - Membership



Pres. Holger Knaack
President, Rotary Int'l. 2020-21



DG Rodel Riezl S. Reyes
District Governor, D3860



AG Valentino L. Dionisio
Assistant Governor Area 2C

PILLARS OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF EAST DAVAO

DISTRICT GOVERNORS OF R.I. DISTRICT 3860



HONESTO A. CABARROGUIS
RY 1983-84



HERMINIO A. VILLANO
RY 1989-90



REYNALDO I. REYES
RY 1995-96



RAOUL E. HILARIO
RY 1999-2000



RAMON A. TIROL
RY 2001-02



RODEL RIEZL S. REYES
2020-2021

CLUB PRESIDENTS (1965 -2019)



Fernando Tecson (+)
1965-1966



Tiburcio Cervantes (+)
1966-1967, 1968-1969



Juan Carriedo (+)
1967-1968



Augusto Demafeliz (+)
1969-1970



Salvador Angala
1970-1971



Roman Solitaria (+)
1971-1972



Cesar Nuñez (+)
1972-1973



Francisco Reyes (+)
1973-1974



Benjamin Panganiban (+)
1974-1975



Honesto Cabarroguis
1975-1976



Asterio Uybocho (+)
1976-1977



Jose Campo (+)
1977-1978



Hector Maniquis (+)
1978-1979



Herminio Villano
1979-1980



Jose Custodio
1980-1981



Edgardo Ereneta (+)
1981-1982



Benigno Magpantay (+)
1982-1983



Reynaldo Reyes
1983-1984



Rizal Aportadera
1984-1985



Dominador Cabrera
1985-1986



Isidro Lahora
1988-1989



Benjamin Geli
1987-1988



Eufrazio De Jesus (+)
1988-1989



Raoul Hilario (+)
1989-1990



Feliciano Salvador
1990-1991



Esteban Gumban (+)
1991-1992



Edgar Benedicto
1992-1993



Bartolome Hernandez
1993-1994



Vito Oscar Paras
1994-1995



Ferdinand Subido
1995-1996



Roselo Toledo
1996-1997



Guillermo Arendah (+)
1997-1998



Edgardo Sancho
1998-1999



Carlos Alovera (+)
1999-2000



Leonardo Chee
2000-2001



Jesse Fortich
2001-2002



Amador Macatangay
2002-2003



Hikaru Miyake
2003-2004



Apollo Alquiza
2004-2005



Rodel Riezl Reyes
2005-2006



Virgilio Sojo
2006-2007



Efren Elbanbuena (+)
2007-2008



Leo Edwin Zantua
2008-2009



Ronald Go
2009-2010



Antonio Ajero
2010-2011



Valentino Dionisio
2011-2012



Florante Santiago
2012-2013



Paul John Yuste
2013-2014



Anthony P. Banzali
2014-2015



Oscar M. Escudero, Jr.
2015-2016



Fred Yelinek
2016-2017



Alvin B. Orteza
2017-2018



Prudencio C. Tan, Jr.
2018-2019



Patrick S. Capili
2019-2020

ROTARY CLUB OF EAST DAVAO

Club No. 17115 District 3860, Davao City, Philippines

1ST REGULAR WEEKLY MEETING

July 7, 2020, 7:00p.m. via Zoom

PROGRAMME

Call to Order

PRES. ROSSANO LUGA

**Turnover of Proceedings to the Master of Ceremonies
PP FRED YELINEK**

**Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and Invocation
RTN. ESTHER DE JESUS**

**Secretary's Time
SEC. FRED PELAYO**

**President's Time
PRES. ROSSANO LUGA**

**Agenda:
Finalization of the Induction**

Adjournment..... PRES. ROSSANO LUGA

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INVOCATION

As Rotarians,
May all our actions lead us to have peace of mind
So that we may spread peace in the world.

May our own friendliness help spread happiness
To all we meet.

May our health be such that we can help others
less blessed.

May our business life flourish so that we may
spread its benefits to those less fortunate.

AMEN.

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Rotary Opens Opportunities

Together, we Transform Lives

Together, we Open Doors of Opportunities

Lets us all Welcome
Rotary Year 2020-2021.





President's Corner

PRES. ROSSANO C. LUGA
Club President, RY 2020-2021

ON THE SIDELINES

Time flies so fast that today, July 7, marks the Rotary Club of East Davao's (RCED) first weekly meeting for the new Rotary Year 2020-2021.

Looking Back

As we convene for our first meeting, we take a step back to appreciate what our club has achieved under the able leadership of Immediate Past President Patrick Capili. As these are too many to mention, Red Rotarians will just have to logon to the MyRotary page of the Rotary.org official website of the Rotary International.

Actual delivery for most of the goals have exceeded the set targets. I now have a realization that I have a big shoes to fill.

Here's a big shoutout to President Patrick and his team and the rest of RCED.

Rest assured Pres. Patrick will soon make a report during the turnover ceremonies on the 25th of July.

Looking Forward

According to great thinker Albert Einstein, "In the midst of every crisis, lies great opportunity" As the Rotary Clubs around the globe face the challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic, the more agile clubs will be in a constant search for opportunities to be able continue to serve the community. The theme for this Rotary Year, could not have been more fitting as indicated in the rationale, below: "RI President-elect Holger Knaack's theme for 2020-21, Rotary Opens Opportunities, asks Rotarians to create opportunities that strengthen their leadership, help put service ideas into action, and improve the lives of those in need." Rotary.org.

Turn a few pages and you will see the list of the Governor's Challenge, in which our own goals are aligned to it.

We count on everyone's support in achieving the said goals.



July 4, 2020 SCHOLARSHIP MEETING. Pres. Ross together with AG Val Dionisio (Chairman, Scholarship Committee), PP Pol Alquiza and Pp Edwin Zantua conducted a meeting at PP Pol's Office.



July 4, 2020 BIKING ENTHUSIAST FELLOWSHIP. VP Ranz Apolinario with PP Alvin Orteza, PN Jim Sabino and VP Darwin Santos hits the road on one fine Saturday morning...



Infopage
SEC. FREDERICK A. PELAYO
 Club Secretary, RY 2020-2021

ATTENDANCE REPORT

Our Attendance for June 23, 2020

Present	12
Make Up	08 (attended other Zoom Meetings)
Absent	26
Percentage	43%



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ROTARY CLUB OF EAST DAVAO
56th Induction of Officers and Directors and Turnover Ceremonies

14 July 2020

Programme

Part 1 - Registration

Part 2 - Opening Program

- Call to Order
- Invocation
- Pambansang Awit
- Welcome Remarks
- Introduction of Guest of Honor & Speaker
- Guest of Honor & Speaker

PRES. PATRICK S. CAPILI
 RTN. ESTRELLITA DEJESUS
 AVP
 PE CHELDONE I. CANES

AG VALENTINO L. DIONISIO
 RODEL RIEZL S. REYES

Part 3 - Induction & Turnover Ceremonies:

- Charging of President, Officers, & Directors
- Induction of Officers & Directors
- Valedictory Address
- Turnover of Award - Polio Plus
 Pioneer Awardee -
 PDG Hermie Villano
- Club Awards
- Inaugural Message
- Toast for Excellence
- Adjournment

PDG REYNALDO I. REYES
 DG RODEL RIEZL REYES
 PRES. PATRICK C. CAPILI

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 PRES. PATRICK S. CAPILI
 PRES. ROSSANO C. LUGA
 PN JAIME S. SABINO
 PRES. ROSSANO C. LUGA

Part 4 -Fellowship

VP RAPHAEL BASILIO APOLINARIO VI
 Master of Ceremonies



- July 4 Rtn. Idol Lavisores
- July 12 Spouse Emiko Oikawa
PP Alvin Orteza
- July 13 PP Fred Yelinek
- July 16 Spouse Carmen Sabino
- July 21 Rtn. Ken Sy
- July 24 Spouse Teng Dionisio
Spouse Mila Alquiza
- July 25 PP Jun Tan
- July 30 Spouse Ester Luy Tan



RI President Holger Knaack July 2020 Message

This does not seem like a time for great optimism, but it has to be. Long before Rotary was founded, the world dealt with great crises that tested humankind's ability to progress and endure. In the age of Rotary, the world has faced many more catastrophes; however, we have survived, and every step of the way, Rotary has helped the world heal.

Every great challenge is an opportunity for renewal and growth. I revealed the theme of Rotary Opens Opportunities at the International Assembly in San Diego just as the COVID-19 crisis was beginning, but these are words that I have believed for many years.

Rotary is not just a club that you join; it is an invitation to endless opportunities. We believe in creating opportunities for others and for ourselves. We believe that our acts of service, large and small, generate opportunities for people who need our help, and that Rotary opens opportunities for us to live a richer, more meaningful life, with friends around the world, based on our core values.

Governments and institutions are gaining a greater appreciation for the types of public health partnerships that are critical to our work. People stuck at home, eager for greater connections and hungry to help their communities, are now embracing the values we have promoted since our beginning.

All of this is positive news, but just because there are greater opportunities than ever for Rotary to thrive does not guarantee that we will succeed. The world is changing rapidly — and was doing so even before this crisis. People were starting to move away from regular lunch meetings and toward online gatherings. Friendships were being cultivated and revived in social media relationships even before most of our meetings moved to Zoom and Skype. Younger generations have a strong desire to serve — but have questioned whether they could play a meaningful role in organizations like Rotary or whether they might make a bigger impact forming different types of connections. Now is the time to put everything on the

table, test new approaches, and prepare Rotary for the future.

The COVID-19 crisis has forced all of us to adapt. This is good, and our new Action Plan specifically calls on us to improve our ability to adapt. But adaptation is not enough. We need to change, and change dramatically, if we are to face the challenges of this new age and provide the Rotary the world so desperately needs.

This is our great challenge, not just in the next year but into the foreseeable future. It is up to us to remake Rotary for these new times — to wholeheartedly embrace the ideas, energy, and commitment of young people eager to find an outlet for idealism. We must become an organization fully enmeshed in the digital age, not one that simply looks for online ways to keep doing what we have always done.

The world needs Rotary now more than ever. It is up to us to make sure that Rotary Opens Opportunities for generatio to come.



Pres. Holger and Spouse Susanne

Rotary
District 3860



DISTRICT CHALLENGE Rotary Year 2020-2021



DG RODEL RIEZL S. REYES

This Rotary Year District Challenge will be based on Rotary International Strategic Priorities that form part of our Action Plan.

Rotary's Vision (People of Action)

TOGETHER we see a world where **PEOPLE** unite and take action to **CREATE** lasting **CHANGE** across the globe in our communities and in ourselves.

Rotary's Action Plan

Rotary International have set four priorities that will direct our work over the next five years.
ENHANCE PARTICIPANT ENGAGEMENT
EXPAND OUR REACH
INCREASE OUR IMPACT
AND INCREASE OUR ABILITY TO ADAPT.

As we stand on the end of eliminating polio, we find ourselves poised for our next challenge—moving towards realizing a new vision that brings more people together, increases our impact, and creates lasting change around the world.

ENHANCE PARTICIPANT ENGAGEMENT

People of Action strive to understand the needs of others.

How can we make sure Rotarians find long-term value in their membership?
 Develop a participant-centered approach to deliver value
 What would improve the Rotary experience? Offer new opportunities for personal and professional connection
 What skills could people learn through Rotary?
 Provide leadership development and skills training
 How can we better develop our leaders? Support clubs to better engage their members, always consult your predecessors and involve your successors.

Our fellow members need to know that they are seen, heard and valued. This priority is aimed at making sure that we give our members meaningful opportunities to evolve and grow with us – personally and professionally— throughout their lives.

We want to improve the overall Rotary experience for anyone who affiliates with us. And we should take nothing for granted. We need to look at every encounter as an opportunity to show our people what Rotary can do for them—as individuals and as members of our communities.

Together, let's recommit to putting the needs, expectations, and growth of our participants at the center of all we do.

WELCOME TRANSFORM YEAR!
"Rotary is not just a club that you join. It is an invitation to endless opportunities. It opens opportunities to serve in a project as big and historic as End Polio Now and also in a small community project, where you just plant a tree. And it opens opportunities for you to live a richer, more meaningful life, with friends around the world, based on our core values. Everything we do opens another opportunity for someone, somewhere."
 -Holger Knaack

CHALLENGES Mandatory

ITEM	AMOUNT	DUE DATE
RI Club Invoice based on the Semi- Annual Report	\$34.00 Invoice & \$1.00 COL \$34.00 Invoice	July 2020 January 2021
Subscription to Philippine Rotary Magazine	P300.00/member (semi-annual)	July 2020 January 2021
District Levy	P500.00/member	July 2020
Disaster Levy	P100.00 / member	July 2020
Rotaract Levy	P 1,000.00 / Rotaract Club	July 2020
Club Listing (DISCON)	P 3,500.00	December 31, 2020

It is also MANDATORY to engage members in Foundation giving as this is the lifeblood of Rotary.

- * Clubs achieve the \$100 per capita club contribution to the Annual Programs Fund (APF).
The club's total amount of contribution to TRF Annual Programs Fund should be equal to the total number of members on July 1, 2020 x US\$100.
- * Clubs achieve the Every Rotarian Every Year goal by requiring each member to contribute US \$25 or more to the Annual Programs Fund.
- * Clubs to support District Polio Fund by contributing at least \$200.

Achieve at least 4 of 6

- * Ensure that at least two NEW members in your club are appointed Club Directors. This will have impact on the club's leadership succession.
- * Ensure that at least one club member belongs to a Rotary International-recognized Rotary Action Group (RAG).
- * Have at least one member of the club mentor a Rotaractor or Interactor.
- * President or Secretary attends the Area or Cluster Coordination Meeting at least 6 meetings

Participation to the following District and International Activities;

ACTIVITY/IES	# OF ROTARIANS REQUIRED
PETS/SETS	President-Elect and Secretary-Elect
DISTAS (Virtual Platform)	At least 5 officers/club
Rotary Institute	at least 1 Rotarian
DISCON 2021	at least 10 Rotarians/partners
RI Convention in Taiwan	at least 1 Rotarian

Club President and TRF Chair will lead by example and achieve to be a New Paul Harris Fellow or Multiple PHF.

Club Distinction Recognition:

Achieve 100% Paul Harris Club for this Rotary Year. The Club President and TRF Chair leading by example will be a Paul Harris Fellow or a Multiple Paul Harris Fellow.

EXPAND OUR REACH

People of Action activate and inspire one another.

We have to expand our reach so that we can grow our capacity to make an impact.

*How can we share our values with new audiences?
Create new channels into Rotary*

*How can we inspire more people to take action?
Increase Rotary's openness and appeal to the community*

What new models can we test that bring people together to experience the power of Rotary?

Grow and diversify our membership and participation and build awareness of our impact and brand.

Let's start with those who have already shown an enthusiasm for Rotary. I'm talking about Rotaractors: they're energetic, passionate, and driven community-minded professionals. They're critical to the future of Rotary.

At the club level, we need to actively invest in bringing in more people from different backgrounds. There are so many ways to create new channels into Rotary—updating clubs' websites and social media pages

Together, let's build connections and opportunities that will allow people who share our drive to do the same.

CHALLENGES Mandatory

- * Clubs attain 100% membership retention.
(Membership base on July 1, 2020 should be the same number of members until June 30, 2021)
- * Clubs attain a net membership gain of at least one (1) new member
- * Clubs maintain a minimum of 15 active members

Achieve at least 4 of 6

- * Establish a club membership committee with 3 seasoned active members to ensure
- * Membership Orientation
- * Membership Attraction
- * Membership Retention
- * Accept new membership types in the club (associate, corporate, family)
- * Sponsor or sustain a Rotaract Club or an Interact Club
- * Sponsor a participant to the RYLA
- * Support Rotaractors to their:
 - PSETS - President and Secretary
 - DISTAS - 3 Rotaractors
 - DISCON - 5 Rotaractors

Club Distinction Recognition: Net increase of 5 or more new members to the club

INCREASE OUR IMPACT

People of Action are effective problem-solvers.

What will our legacy be?

Eradicate polio and leverage the legacy

How can we define and measure our impact?

Improve our ability to achieve and measure impact

How can we do more good in the world?

Focus our programs and projects that are needed by the project beneficiaries.

Rotarians are effective problem solvers who create solutions that last because we invest in relationships— “building social capital.”

CHALLENGES

Mandatory

Clubs to undertake at least 1 project in each Six Area of Focus:

- Basic Education and Literacy ([Supporting Education](#))
 - Disease Prevention and Treatment ([Fighting Disease](#))
 - Economic and Community Development ([Growing Local Economies](#))
 - Maternal and Child Care ([Saving Mothers and Children](#))
 - Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution ([Promoting Peace](#))
 - Water Sanitation and Hygiene ([Providing Clean Water](#))
- Clubs should have a Public Image Committee

Achieve at least 4 of 6

- ★ Clubs support the Districts' **END POLIO NOW** Awareness Campaign and Fund Raising
- ★ Clubs to observe the correct branding on T-shirts, Tarpaulins/Billboards when promoting club projects.
- ★ Clubs to sustain existing Rotary Community Corp (RCC) to deepen engagement with the community and thus assure project sustainability. *RCC's must be registered with Rotary International*
- ★ Clubs to enhance a project's scope, visibility and impact by partnering with four (4) Rotary Clubs OR with one or more corporations, government entities, and non-governmental organizations.

Club Distinction Recognition: Clubs contribute a total of \$1,500.00 to the Countdown to **End Polio Now** initiative. Clubs will also receive RI Recognition.

INCREASE OUR ABILITY TO ADAPT

People of Action are inventive, entrepreneurial and resilient.

How can we adapt faster to a changing world?

Build a culture of research, innovation, and willingness to take risks

How can new perspectives strengthen Rotary?

Streamline governance, structure, and processes

What new ideas could create lasting change?

Review governance to foster more diverse perspectives in decision-making

We are inventive, entrepreneurial, and resilient. That's why we're People of Action. And because we share those qualities, new approaches to our organizing principles won't threaten our sense of who we are.

It's time for us to seek out fresh opportunities, to embrace innovative ideas and take calculated risks. We must create more paths to leadership, welcome new voices, and simplify how we operate.

CHALLENGES

Mandatory

- ★ Ensure that the Club have generated its 2020-21 Rotary Citation Goals at the Rotary Club Central by selecting 13 goals (or 52% of the available goals) This should include the club goals on the following: Membership, Annual Fund Contribution and Polio Fund Contribution
- ★ Ensure that the names of the incoming club officers for RY 2021-2022 required by RI are reported with the Rotary Club Central.

Achieve 2 of 2

- ★ Regularly update the Citation Dashboard every time the club has accomplished a service project Upload Reports, Club Bulletins, Events to the District Website at least once a month within the Rotary Year.
- ★ Club Distinction Recognition: All club members have activated their On-Line Account with MY ROTARY at the Rotary Club Central.

Together, let's carry out Rotary's vision of a better world. Let's show the world what it means to be PEOPLE OF ACTION.

ROTARY OPENS OPPORTUNITIES



**The best way
to find yourself
is to lose yourself
in the service of others.**



VP RAPHAEL E. APOLINARIO VI
Editor in Chief, RED Chronicle

Run Your Own Race

Many years ago, horsemen invented blinders to keep their horses focused on their work. Blinders are pieces of leather attached to the horse's bridle that prevent them from seeing anything except what's in front of them.

Without blinders, a horse can see almost completely behind itself without turning its head and can be easily spooked by movement or objects it doesn't recognize. By having fewer distractions the horse is more dependable and stays focused on getting the job done.

As a trader, I always discovered that whenever I started comparing my trading performance with other traders, my performance would usually worsen. This "distraction" cost me lots of money in terms of losses.

While I hardly watch television, I admire [Oprah Winfrey](#) so I watched an interview of her on the Biography channel one day. She and the interviewer were discussing her success and she made the comment that comparing herself to other folks in her business always made her take a step backward from her goal. Her words made me realize that even highly successful people experience this. Don't compare yourself to others. It's tempting in the modern, competitive world to constantly ask, "How am I doing?"

It's easier said than done, but you should NOT allow how well you do compared to others affect how you feel about your inner worth and feelings of success in life.

Comparisons are useless. Run your own race. Like the sport of golf, you alone are the one who needs to hone your trading skills. You are the one who must find a method that matches your skill level and personality. Comparisons to other traders just make you feel frustrated.

Don't constantly think you are trying to beat others to an imaginary finish line. People who achieve great things work independently and on their own terms. They don't care how others are doing. They follow their own timeline, follow their own passion, and look INWARD for where to go next.

Notice how I said inward, and not outward. They look inward for where to go next.

How you perform has nothing to do with how others perform. All comparisons will do is torture you. You will feel jealously or envy.

When you see that you are doing relatively poorly compared to a fellow trader, you are likely to think distracting thoughts such as, "Why can't I do as well?" or "I must not be as good of a trader as I had thought." To maintain motivation, focus on improving your past performance record, rather than looking at how other traders are doing.

You usually don't know what factors created their performance records, so comparisons can only mislead and hinder you. They could just be on a lucky streak or have a market wizard standing right behind them on every trade providing advice.

Put your "blinders" on. Don't look at anyone else's record but your own. Everyone has a different learning curve.

Run your own race.

We will make lives better as Rotary Connects the World.

Think: "SERVICE ABOVE SELF"



Bits & Pieces

NEW

NORMAL



Checklist for how to avoid bringing coronavirus home after venturing out.

“The principle is really to try and not bring the virus home with you,” he said. “Without trying to make people completely paranoid, you don’t have to be perfect, you just have to be as good as you can be. “The list was to say that if you really want to do the best you can, these are the things you need to do.”

#DONTBRINGCOVIDHOME

- A: Leaving home
- B: While out
- C: Arriving home

Checklist A: Leaving home:

The principle here is to prepare so that you can safely and easily decontaminate when you return home.

- 1: Remove all below-elbow hand and arm wear, watches, jewellery etc. They all stay home. You want to be able to wash thoroughly when you get home and you don’t want to deal with crevices in these items. Wear short sleeves so you can easily wash your hands and forearms when you get home.
- 2: Leave your wallet/handbag home. Rationalise your keys. Just the ones you need this time. If you need to take things such as personal hygiene items, medicine etc, put these in a disposable brown paper bag.
- 3: Your phone goes into a ziplock bag. You will discard or wash the bag upon returning home. Avoid using your phone as much as possible while out.
- 4: No social media. You can manage without it for a while.
- 5: Credit card and photo ID go into ziplock bags too.

6: Wear shoes that live outside your door (or just inside your door if you must). Put them on as you leave. Choose enclosed shoes, not open toed, to keep your feet virus-free.

7: If you are going to work, take your own food in a disposable bag. Take a full water bottle too, in case you get thirsty.

8: Make sure there is an easily cleanable reasonable-sized plastic box at your door. You will need this when you get home.

9: All your bagged personal items go into a second plastic box which lives in the one spot in the car.

10: Plan your trip to minimise time away from the safety of your home.

Checklist B: While out:

Here are a few general principles

- 1: Don’t touch your face
- 2: Don’t touch anything with your hands that you don’t absolutely need to.
- 3: Assume items others (or even you) may have touched recently are contaminated. Some of these include
 - Doorknobs
 - Handrails
 - Traffic light call buttons
 - Lift call and floor buttons
 - Car door handles.
 - Steering wheels and gear shifts.
 - Flat door surfaces at chest height.
 - Any item that can be lifted and moved.
- 4: Assume your hands will get contaminated and decontaminate them regularly. Do this while out with hand washing or if you cannot hand wash then use some sort of sanitiser. Hand washing is the most effective.
- 5: Push doors with feet preferably or shoulder/elbow if not.
- 6: When your face itches (it will) rub it with your upper arm. Practise this at

home so you get used to it.

7: Avoid eating in any communal space. It is almost impossible not to touch your face when you eat. No drinks unless you brought them with you. Unless you are at work, try not to eat or drink while out at all.

8: At store check-outs, do not use cash. Use contactless payment. If you need to use your PIN, try to use a knuckle or maybe a ring finger (index fingers and thumbs are more likely to be used to touch your face).

Checklist C: Arriving home:

- 1: Get your items out of your car box/bag.
- 2: No hugs or close greetings yet. Remove shoes and leave at door.
- 3: Empty the contents of your paper bags and ziplock bags into the home box. Throw the bags away.
- 4: Wash your hands thoroughly.
- 5: Now clean the items in the home box one at a time – phone, cards etc. Use liberal soap and water or sanitiser gel if you have lots of this. But soap and water is very effective. Have a clean spot to place each one after cleaning. Finally clean the plastic box.
- 6: Now clean the car. Wipe door handle, steering wheel, gear shift, seat belt and any surfaces you may have touched. Clean the car box too.
- 7: Go back inside. Wash your hands again. You should be all good now. Note: You can clean the ziplock bags thoroughly to reuse them if you want but the paper bags go in the bin as these cannot be effectively cleaned.



ROTARY IN ACTION



Handover and Installation Ceremony

RODEL RIEZL S. REYES
District Governor, Rotary Year 2020-2021

Oathtaking Ceremony

Incoming District Officers and Presidents-elect
Rotary Year 2020-21

June 30, 2020
at 4:00 p.m.

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