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Opportunities**

## POWER OUTLOOK IN MINDANAO AMID THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

JULY 14, 2020 (TUESDAY)

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM via ZOOM

**Watch the Livestream** of our Joint AmCham Mindanao & Rotary Club of East Davao Meeting, July 14, 2020, 10 AM on AmCham Mindanao YouTube Channel =>  
<https://youtu.be/9OLa5waUeLE>

Got any questions to ask the Guest Speaker, DOE ASec. Redentor Delola? Please them here: <https://app.sli.do/event/9quur2lv/live/questions>



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

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



# 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 PhP1M 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.





# 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

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

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

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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



**Patrick S. Capili**  
Imm. Past President  
RY 2019-2020



**Darwin T. Santos**  
Vice President Internal



**Raphael E. Apolinario**  
Vice President External



**Frederick A. Pelayo**  
Secretary



**Francis Rene L. Real**  
Treasurer



**Ariel L. Cantil**  
Director - Club Administration



**Karl Michael G. Reta**  
Director - New Generations



**Hiroyuki Kawashima**  
Director - The Rotary Foundation



**Paul Peter R. Digal**  
Director - Public Image



**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

**2<sup>ND</sup> REGULAR WEEKLY MEETING**

*Joint meeting with*

**THE AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE - MINDANAO CHAPTER**

Topic: Power Outlook in Mindanao amid the Covid 19 Pandemic

July 14, 2020, 10:00a.m. via Zoom

**PROGRAMME**

**Call to Order**

**PRES. ROSSANO LUGA**

**Turnover of Proceedings to the Master of Ceremonies**

**PP FRED YELINEK**

**Invocation and National Anthem**

**AVP**

**Welcome Remarks**

**PRES. ROSSANO LUGA**

**Introduction of Speaker**

**MS. MYRA QUILATAN**

**Corporate Secretary, Amcham Mindanao**

**Speaker**

**Engr. Redentor E. Delola**

**Asst. Secretary, Electric Power Industry Mgt. Bureau  
Department of Energy**

**Open Forum**

**Closing Remarks**

**MR. LUIS BONGUYAN**

**President, AmCham Mindanao**

**Giving of Certificate of Appreciation**

**and Club Bannerette**

**Adjournment**

**PRES. ROSSANO LUGA**

**INVOCATION**

As Rotarians, we are generally blessed with lives of relative luxury, and opportunities unknown to many.

Help us to review our checkbooks, and, indeed, the registers of our lives with honesty as we consider our priorities, and our opportunity to help others. Open our hearts, and our accounts, to those in need, while still providing us with appropriate fruits of our own labors.

Help us to share not only our tangible wealth, but also our intangible riches of knowledge, leadership, and creativity to make our city, our nation, and our world, a better place filled with the peace and love that you can bring through us. Amen.

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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

Dear Rotary Club of East Davao Rotarians,

We will have our hands full this month of July 2020 in view of special events that we will be undertaking.

Today, July 14, on our 2nd weekly meeting, we will be joined by the American Chamber of Commerce of the Philippines, Mindanao Chapter.

Our organizations are fortunate to have as our speaker, Assistant Secretary Redentor E. Delola, Electric Power Industry Management, Bureau, (EPIM) Department of Energy with his talk entitled "Power Outlook in Mindanao Amid the Covid-19 Pandemic"

Coming up on the 25th of July is the Charging and Induction of the Officers and Board of Directors for the year 2020 to 2021.

Now, let us look ahead at the Rotary International calendar of events for the coming months in 2020, as follows:

**August 2020**  
Membership and New Club Development Month  
**September 2020**  
Basic Education and Literacy Month

**October 2020**  
Economic and Community Development Month  
5-11 October— Rotary Alumni Reconnect Week  
24 October— World Polio Day

**November 2020**  
Rotary Foundation Month  
2-8 November — World Interact Week

**December 2020**



15 December— Last day for early registration discount for the 2021 Rotary Convention

In these coming months we encourage everyone to seize the moment when Rotary Opens Opportunities.

Yours in Rotary,

Ross



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

**ATTENDANCE REPORT**

**Our Attendance for July 7, 2020**

Present	20
Make Up	06 (attended other Zoom Meetings)
Absent	20
Percentage	57%



- 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



*Happy Birthday!*

**SAVE THE DATE!**  
**JULY 25, 2020**




56<sup>th</sup>

Induction of Officers & Directors and Turnover Ceremonies

Rotary Year 2020-2021

3:00 p.m. July 25, 2020 (Saturday), Roadway Inn and via ZOOM  
 Attire: For participants in the program - Dark Suit, white shirt with collar  
 Joining via Zoom - Red Shirt Jock




**ROTARY CLUB OF EAST DAVAO**  
**56<sup>th</sup> Induction of Officers and Directors and Turnover Ceremonies**  
 25 July 2020 Roadway Inn and via Zoom

*Programme*

- Part 1 - Registration
- Part 2 - Opening Program
 

Call to Order	PRES. PATRICK S. CAPILI
Invocation	RTN. ESTRELLITA DEJESUS
Pambansang Awit	AVP
Welcome Remarks	PE CHELDONE I. CANES
Introduction of Guest of Honor & Speaker	AG VALENTINO L. DIONISIO
Guest of Honor & Speaker	RODEL RIEZL S. REYES
- Part 3 - Induction & Turnover Ceremonies:
 

Charging of President, Officers, & Directors	PDG REYNALDO I. REYES
Induction of Officers & Directors	DG RODEL RIEZL REYES
Valedictory Address	PRES. PATRICK C. CAPILI
Turnover of Award - Polio Plus	
Pioneer Awardee -	
PDG Hermie Villano	PRES. PATRICK C. CAPILI
Club Awards	PRES. PATRICK S. CAPILI
Inaugural Message	PRES. ROSSANO C. LUGA
Toast for Excellence	PN JAIME S. SABINO
Adjournment	PRES. ROSSANO C. LUGA
- Part 4 -Fellowship
 

VP RAPHAEL BASILIO APOLINARIO VI	Master of Ceremonies
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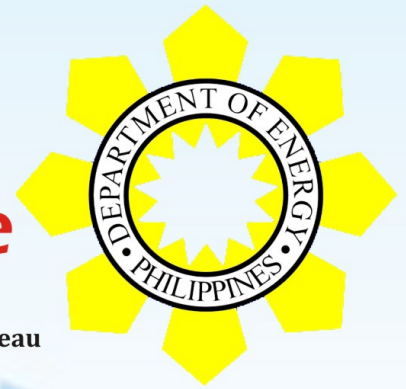




## Speaker's Profile

**Engr. Redentor E. Delola**

Asst. Secretary, Electric Power Industry Mgt. Bureau  
Department of Energy



**E**ngr. Redentor Estrebillo Delola, commonly known as “RED” is the current Assistant Secretary for Electric Power Industry Management Bureau (Power Bureau) of the Department of Energy (DOE).

He earned his Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering on 2004 from the Ateneo de Davao University. He is a registered Electrical Engineer.

His 15 years of experience in the energy sector started in 2004 with Davao Light and Power Co., Inc. (DLPC) where he worked as Planning and Design Engineer until 2013. As Planning and Design Engineer of its Power Systems Planning Department, he was in charge of formulating its Distribution and Development Plan which covered forecasting of future demand and energy requirement of the system and formulation of project proposals to meet the demand, growth, support incoming customers, improve reliability and enhance efficiency while adhering with the technical and regulatory framework of the electric industry.

From 2013 to 2015, he became its Supervisor handling studies and implementation of system elements geared towards improving its operational efficiency, transparency and effectiveness. Aside from his engagement with DLPC, from 2007 until 2009, he seconded Hedcor Sibulan, Inc. as Project Engineer in handling the design and project management of its Transmission Lines Projects.

From 2010 until 2011, he also seconded Subic Enerzone Corporation as Supervisor for Planning and Design Department where he ensured sufficiency of training of its new engineers and

monitored, improved its power system quality. On 2014, he also worked with Aboitiz Power Distribution Utility (APDU). During his service with APDU, he was assigned in its Business Process Improvement Team which ensured its sustainability of initiatives and improvements and helped refined its policies and procedures.

His team also put framework in the organization's efforts on harmonization, streamlining and optimization of its business processes across its all business units. Prior to his appointment as Assistant Secretary of the DOE, he worked as Project Manager from 2015 until 2016 with Hector Bukidnon, Inc. where he was responsible for the project management of construction of Manolo Fortich HEPP 138kV Switchyard and Transmission Lines. He provided technical direction, ensuring compliance with quality standards and guaranteeing the successful implementation and completion and turn-over of this project component to the overall Project Manager. He also provided technical expertise on the evaluations of suppliers to ensure their ability to deliver company's needs at the most cost efficient way.

He was appointed as the Assistant Secretary for Power Bureau on January 2017. As Assistant Secretary, he advises the Secretary and the Undersecretaries on promulgation of policies and guidelines relative to restructuring of electric industry and coordinates the functions and activities of the bureaus/services/units under his supervision.



# POV

POINT OF VIEW

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

## BLOW ME

**I**t is said that one of the strengths of a successful person is his ability to anticipate things... To be able to see what others have missed. The same goes for a Rotary club such as ours. If we anticipate then we can be a step ahead. He's a nice story to bring out my point:

Years ago, a farmer owned a land along the American Atlantic seacoast. He constantly advertised for hired hands. Most of the people were reluctant to work on farms along the Atlantic. They dreaded the awful storms that raged across the ocean, wreaked havoc on the buildings and crops. As the farmer interviewed applicants for the job, he received a steady stream of refusals. Finally, a short, your Filipino, well past middle aged, approached the farmer. "Are you a good farm hand?" asked the farmer. "Well, I can sleep when the wind blows," answered the Filipino. Although puzzled by this answer, the desperate farmer hired him. The little man worked well around the farm, busy from dusk to dawn, and the farmer felt satisfied with the Filipino's work.

Then one night the wind howled loudly in from offshore. Jumping out of bed, the farmer grabbed a lantern and rushed next door to the hired hand's sleeping quarters. He shook the little man and yelled: "Get up, a storm is coming! Tie things down before they blow away!"

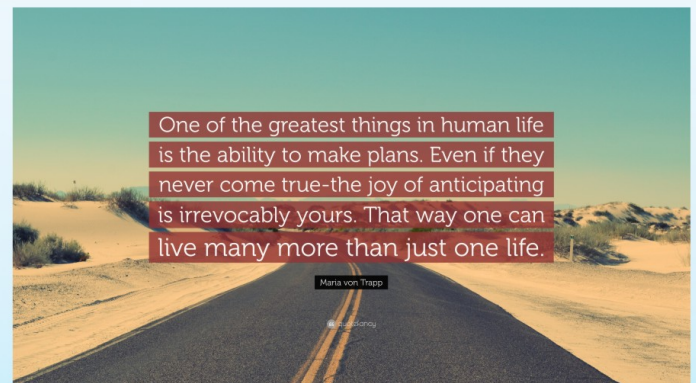
The little man rolled over in bed and said firmly, "No sir. I told you, I can sleep when the wind blows."

Enraged by the response, the farmer was tempted to fire him on the spot. Instead, he hurried outside to prepare for the storm. To his surprise, he discovered that all of the haystacks had been covered with tarpaulins, the cows were in the barn, the chickens were in the coos, and the doors were barred. The shutters were tightly secured. Everything was tied-down. Nothing could be blown away. The farmer then understood what the little Filipino man meant, so he returned to his bed to also sleep while the wind blew.

**ANTICIPATE ...this is the key**

**We will make lives better as Rotary Open Opportunities**

**Think: "SERVICE ABOVE SELF"**

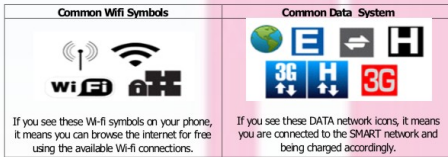


# Bits & Pieces

## NEW NORMAL Tips on How to Maximize Mobile Data Internet Usages

### Check Wifi Settings

Most Wi-Fi capable phones auto connect to the SMART data network when Wi-Fi connection is not available in the area. If you are not subscribed to unlimited packages, you can be charged based on your company's existing data rate. Be familiar with the icon of your phone



### Check Your Email for Sync Settings

If email retrieval or sync is set to automatic, the phone will auto connect to the data network regularly to update the contents of the phone's email. To avoid synchronization, you may opt to disable automatic retrieval. This way, you can choose when and how often you want to get email updates.

### Be Mindful When Opening Widgets

When you open Widgets, phone automatically connects to the internet. (e.g. Maps, Weather, Facebook, Twitter, Stocks, YouTube, Mail, Safari, iTunes Wifi Music Store)



### Log-Off your Social Networking Site/ Other subscribed Site if not in use

If connected to a social networking site, even on standby mode, all the updates of subscribed account (e.g. Tweets, FB Friends Updates) generates data connectivity for it to be posted on your account.

### Be Mindful of downloaded programs and games

Some programs are set with automatic over the air updates without user confirmation. Downloading of the version updates may require transmission of large data over the internet.

Some phones have settings that can prompt phone users to choose desired connection before proceeding :

For Nokia Phones : Web icon> Options > Settings > General > Always Ask  
For Android Phones: Settings > Wireless &

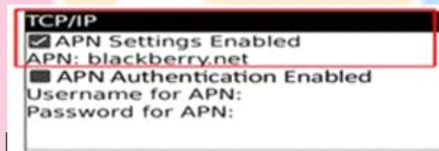
Networks > Settings> Ticking the Mobile Internet Box will connect to the internet. To disable connection follow same procedure but un-check mobile internet option.

### Watch Out for Hotkeys

Some phones have hotkeys that will automatically connect your phone to the internet. Example for Nokia: Long Press the Zero button. To avoid unintentional connection to the internet, set your homepage to <http://m.smart.com.ph> . Access this site is free of charge

### Review your Access Point

For Blackberry subscriptions, Default APN should be Blackberry. net to avoid additional charges. For accounts with special APN, make sure the requested APN is selected on the phone to avoid additional charges.



If you are subscribed to unlimited data plan, note that the unlimited data subscription only works within the Smart Network. If you are outside of the country and connect to the data network of Smart's roaming partners to access the internet and receive messages. Applicable international data and roaming fees shall apply. To save on data charges, turning the data services off your device disables receiving of email and other data related services like web browsing.



long email messages. Access full message via desktop

Go to message > Press MenuKey> Options>GeneralOption>set AutoMore field to NO

BlackBerry devices display email messages in HTML format by default which will consume more data as images are automatically

downloaded and displayed on the screen similar to what can be seen on a laptop or computer monitor. To Stop Loading Embedded Pictures on HTML email messages:

Go to> Messages> Press Menu Key > Options > Email Settings> Enable HTML Email > NO  
Go to> Messages> Press Menu Key > Options > Email Settings> Download Images Automatically > NO.

Images can still be downloaded and viewed manually, if necessary. To view pictures in an HTML message, press the Menu key and select Get Images.

Create and Apply Email Filters to sort messages that are sent to the device. This function will only disable sending of the message to the device but will not delete them from the mailbox. Limiting messages that are sent to the device will reduce data charges

To manage email accounts on BIS, go to smart.blackberry.com; enter username and password. Filters will enable users to filter email messages and specify which incoming email messages are forwarded to your Blackberry device. For BES users, Email Filters can be created through the BlackBerry Desktop Software. Email Filters on the BlackBerry Desktop Software is different from Rules and Alerts set on the Outlook account.

Here are some samples of filter options:

- Send only messages sent directly to you (TO: Field)
- Block messages sent by groups (YahooGroups, Mailing Lists, etc.)
- Block messages from a Sender or a specific Subject

### Check Size of Attachments Before Downloading/ Viewing.

The size of the file is always displayed after the file name. It is recommended that files be viewed on the laptop or computer as viewing files on a BlackBerry device may be difficult for some due to screen size





# VIRTUAL MEETING ETTIQUETTE

## Equipment / Environment

- ❖ **Choose a conducive meeting place.** Ideally has minimal background noise, good acoustics ( with some furniture to dampen echo.
- ❖ **Use Neutral Backgrounds wall,** avoid elaborate backgrounds
- ❖ **Be aware of your surroundings** to ensure they do not create a distraction.
- ❖ **Create Good Lighting.** Face windows not against it to avoid backlighting, turn on additional lights to face for clarity.
- ❖ **Stabilize your Video.** Use computer, not Phone to avoid shaky video. If not possible, mount phone / tablet on tripod or high table.
- ❖ **Test your audio and video** prior to virtual room entry.
- ❖ **Use a good microphone or speak clearly and audibly.**
- ❖ **Raise your Camera of Phone to Eye Level.** This avoids an angle that will mainly focus on your nose.



*Treat Virtual Meetings like actual physical meetings and observe the same social and professional courtesy and protocol due to any event commensurate the occasion or importance.*

## Decorum

- ❖ **Declare your actual name**  
Ensure your profile name shows you actual name and short Organization name so you are addressed properly. Much like a physical Tag / ID.
- ❖ **Look at the camera not the screen,** position virtual window room near camera when using computer or laptop
- ❖ **Dress appropriately**
- ❖ **Turn On your video.** Show your face and not show your profile photo as sign of respect to the speaker
- ❖ **Mute your microphone** when not talking
- ❖ **Turn off Notifications.** Mute email, text or other notifications that can distract.
- ❖ **Avoid Multitasking, leave the keyboard alone.** Respect the speaker by giving your attention.
- ❖ **No Food Allowed**
- ❖ **Stay Attentive** (or Standing) and Be present. Avoid Side conversations or check your phone
- ❖ **Use attentive Body Language.** Sit (or stand) up straight, no big unrelated movements, don't let your eyes wander too much
- ❖ **Acknowledge attendees of the meeting.** If there is more than 1 person using an account (physically in the same room), acknowledge presence.

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