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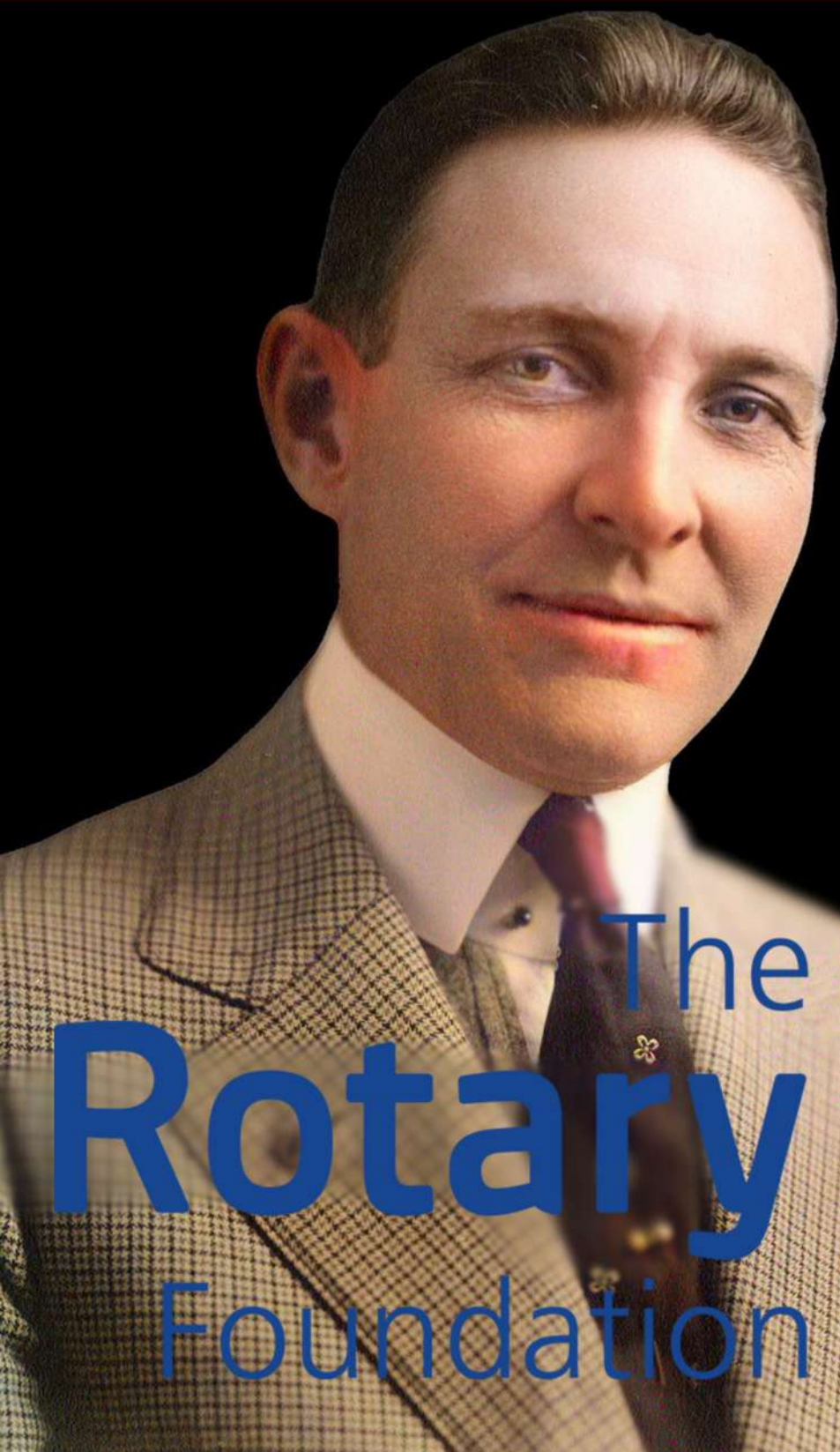
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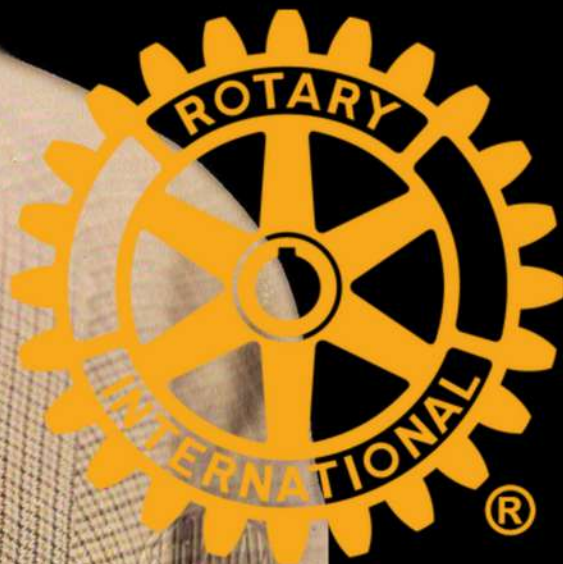


"Carrying on as we are, a miscellaneous community service, it seems eminently proper that we should accept endowments for the purpose of doing good in the world."

ARCH C. KLUMPH

FOUNDER,
THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

The
Rotary
Foundation



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ABOUT THE COVER

The Rotary Foundation, the charitable arm of Rotary International, was established in 1917 by Rotary's sixth president, Arch C. Klumph. He was an influential figure in Rotary International. He proposed the creation of an endowment fund "for the purpose of doing good in the world," starting with a modest initial donation of \$26.50. This vision grew over time into a powerful global entity dedicated to service, peace, and development initiatives worldwide.

Key Milestones in the History of the Rotary Foundation

1. Initial Years (1917 - 1947)

- 1917: The idea for the Rotary Foundation was conceived.
- 1928: The endowment fund was renamed "The Rotary Foundation" and became a distinct entity within Rotary.
- 1947: After the passing of Rotary founder Paul Harris, donations poured in as a tribute, and the Foundation launched its first program, the Ambassadorial Scholarships. This program aimed to foster goodwill and cultural understanding, becoming one of the largest privately funded international scholarship programs.

2. The Foundation's Growth and Global Impact (1950s - 1980s)

- 1950s-1960s: The Foundation expanded its programs to support international service projects and humanitarian grants.
- 1979: The Foundation began its commitment to health with a project to immunize six million children in the Philippines against polio.
- 1985: The Foundation launched the PolioPlus program, the first initiative to tackle polio eradication through mass immunizations on a global scale. This effort later evolved into a partnership with the World Health Organization (WHO), UNICEF, the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

3. A Focus on Peace and Strategic Partnerships (1990s - 2010s)

- 1999: The Rotary Peace Fellowships program was established, providing graduate-level education in peace and conflict resolution.
- 2000s: Rotary formed strategic alliances with organizations like UNESCO, USAID, and the WHO to address major global challenges.
- 2012: The Future Vision Plan was implemented, which streamlined the Foundation's programs into six areas of focus: peace and conflict prevention/resolution, disease prevention and treatment, water and sanitation, maternal and child health, basic education and literacy, and economic and community development.

4. Modern Era and the Push for Global Health (2010s - Present)

- Rotary remains a leader in polio eradication, with only a few countries still reporting cases of wild polio.
- In recent years, the Foundation has increased its focus on environmental sustainability, launching a new area of focus, "Protecting the Environment," in 2021.
- The Rotary Foundation has continued to grow its endowment, which now supports a variety of grant programs, from global grants addressing large-scale projects to district grants for local impact.

Impact Today

Today, the Rotary Foundation funds millions of dollars in grants each year, making significant strides in global health, education, and peacebuilding. Through its partnerships and commitment to service, the Foundation has become one of the most impactful philanthropic organizations worldwide.



The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- **FIRST.** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- **SECOND.** High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- **THIRD.** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- **FOURTH.** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Rotary



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?

Rotary



MISSION

The mission of Rotary International is to provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through its fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders

DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION CODE OF CONDUCT

Rotary Core Values:

- Fellowship
- Integrity
- Diversity
- Service
- Leadership



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The
Rotary
Foundation



Doing Good in the World



Peacebuilding
and Conflict
Prevention



Disease
Prevention
& Treatment



Water,
Sanitation
& Hygiene



Maternal &
Child Health



Basic Education
& Literacy



Community
Economic
Development



Environment

9TH REGULAR MEETING

**NOVEMBER 13, 2024; 12 NOON
SOCSARGEN SEAFOOD AND GRILL**

PROGRAMME

CALL TO ORDER

Pres. Annabelle J. Vy

ROTARY GRACE

Dir. Luzviminda Y. Tubio

PAMBANSANG AWIT

Audio Visual Presentation

ROTARY HYMN

Audio Visual Presentation

RECITATION OF THE OBJECT OF ROTARY AND FOUR WAY TEST

Rtn. Samantha Janikka B. Gosyco

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS AND VISITING ROTARIANS/WELCOME SONG

Dir. Luzviminda Y. Tubio

JOKETIME

PAG Evelia Q. Martin

FINEST MOMENT

Dir. Lolita G. Escano

TREASURER'S TIME

Treas. Marlyn S. Ruiz

SECRETARY'S REPORT AND RECOGNITION TIME

Sec. Joy J. Valledor

PRESIDENT'S TIME

Pres. Annabelle J. Vy

MODERATOR: Dir. Yiuki Mae Munoz

IN ATTENDANCE:

1. Annabelle J. Vy
2. Caroline L. Andrade
3. Joy J. Valledor
4. Lolita G. Escano
5. Miranda G. Varon
6. Evelia Q. Martin
7. Yiuki Mae H. Munoz
8. Marlyn S. Ruiz
9. Samantha Janikka B. Gosyco
10. Luzviminda Y. Tubio
11. Charito G. Sia
12. Sophia Sybil S. De Paz
13. Vilma M. Domus
14. Fe Magnolia Adizas

GUEST:

1. AG RALPH MARTEL

Host MULAN TEAM





R.I. PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE

November 2024

One of Rotary's greatest strengths is the ability of our members to come together to create lasting change, and The Rotary Foundation helps us transform dreams of change into reality.

From eradicating polio to building peace, much of the work we do around the world would not be possible without our continued support of our Foundation.

The cause of peace is especially important to me, and one of the most effective ways we build peace is our Rotary Peace Fellowship — a product of The Rotary Foundation. The program helps current and aspiring peace and development professionals around the world learn how to prevent and how to end conflict.

Thanks to a \$15.5 million gift from the Otto and Fran Walter Foundation, we can continue supporting peacebuilders in more regions with the next Rotary Peace Center, at Bahçeşehir University in Istanbul.

Opening yet another peace center is a monumental achievement that we will celebrate at the 2025 Rotary Presidential Peace Conference in Istanbul.

The three-day conference 20-22 February will highlight the many ways our family of Rotary advocates for peace. Keynote speakers, panel discussions, and breakout sessions will allow us to share ideas about building peace and foster meaningful conversations about promoting peace everywhere.

Registration for the Presidential Peace Conference is open. I hope to see you there, but if you can't make it, our Foundation offers so many ways to change the world for the better. November is Rotary Foundation Month, a great time to get to know your Foundation better and pursue causes that appeal to you.

Global grants support large international activities with sustainable, measurable outcomes in Rotary's areas of focus. By working together to respond to pressing community needs, clubs and districts strengthen their global partnerships.

District grants fund small-scale, short-term activities that address needs in your community and in communities abroad. Each district chooses which activities it will fund with these grants.

Our Foundation can even help you support our wonderful youth programs, including Rotary Youth Exchange, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, and Interact.

Your gifts to our Foundation also make Programs of Scale possible. These are long-term projects that seek to solve otherwise intractable problems.

To ensure these good works continue beyond our lifetimes, it is up to us to reach our ambitious Rotary Endowment goal of \$2.025 billion by 30 June 2025.

The Magic of Rotary does not appear out of nowhere. We create the magic with every new member inducted, every project completed, and every dollar donated to our Foundation.

Please join me in supporting The Rotary Foundation, and together, we will change the world for the better.



Stephanie A. Urchick
Rotary International President

CLUB PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

November is a special time for us as we celebrate The Rotary Foundation (TRF) Month. This month reminds us of the remarkable impact we can achieve together through our continued support and dedication to The Rotary Foundation. Since its establishment in 1917, TRF has transformed countless lives, helping us realize our shared vision of a better, more peaceful world.

Through the Foundation's programs, we have the power to combat diseases, provide clean water, support education, and promote peace globally. Every contribution to TRF brings us one step closer to solving some of humanity's most pressing challenges. Our club's commitment to TRF amplifies the reach of our service and strengthens Rotary's impact on communities both locally and globally.

Let us take this opportunity to renew our commitment to TRF and encourage others to do the same. Together, let's continue to make a difference, uphold the values of Rotary, and create lasting change for future generations. I am deeply grateful for your unwavering support, and I look forward to witnessing the difference we'll make together.

ANNABELLE J. VY

PRESIDENT

ROTARY CLUB OF KANDAYA, TACLOBAN

R.Y. 2024-2025



COMMUNITY SERVICE DIRECTOR'S NOTES



The Trustees of The Rotary Foundation have identified seven areas of focus for the new grant structure. These areas reflect critical humanitarian issues and needs that Rotarians are addressing worldwide. They will align Rotary with other international development efforts and will strategically further the Foundation's mission.

Rotary Clubs serve communities around the world, each with unique needs and concerns. Rotarians have continually adapted and improved the way they respond to those needs, taking on a broad range of service projects. The most successful and sustainable Rotary service tends to fall within one of the seven following areas:

Peace and Conflict Prevention / Resolution

Today, 42 million people are displaced by armed conflict or persecution. Through our partnerships with several leading universities, Rotary Peace Fellows develop the skills to strengthen peace efforts, train local leaders to prevent and mediate conflict, and support long-term peace building in areas affected by conflict. We provide up to 100 peace fellowships per year at Rotary Peace Centers. (July 2014)

The Foundation enables Rotarians to promote the practice of peace and conflict prevention/resolution by:

1. Training leaders, including potential youth leaders, to prevent and mediate conflict
2. Supporting peace-building in communities and regions affected by conflict
3. Supporting studies for career-minded professionals related to peace and conflict prevention/resolution



COMMUNITY SERVICE DIRECTOR'S NOTE

Disease Prevention and Treatment

More than 100 million people are pushed into poverty each year because of medical costs. We aim to improve and expand access to low-cost and free health care in underdeveloped areas. Our members educate and mobilize communities to help prevent the spread of major diseases such as polio, HIV/AIDS, and malaria. Many of our projects ensure that medical training facilities are located where the workforce lives. (July 2014)

The Foundation enables Rotarians to prevent disease and promote health by:

1. Improving the capacity of local health care professionals
2. Promoting disease prevention programs, with the goal of limiting the spread of communicable diseases and reducing the incidences of and complications from non-communicable diseases
3. Enhancing the health infrastructure of local communities
4. Educating and mobilizing communities to help prevent the spread of major diseases
5. Preventing physical disability resulting from disease or injury
6. Supporting studies for career-minded professionals related to disease prevention and treatment

Water and Sanitation

More than 2.5 billion people lack access to adequate sanitation facilities. At least 3,000 children die each day from diarrheal diseases caused by unsafe water. Our projects give communities the ability to develop and maintain sustainable water and sanitation systems and support studies related to water and sanitation. (July 2014)

The Foundation enables Rotarians to ensure that people have sustainable access to water and sanitation by:

1. Providing equitable community access to safe water, improved sanitation, and hygiene
2. Strengthening the ability of communities to develop, fund and maintain sustainable water and sanitation systems
3. Supporting programs that enhance communities' awareness of the benefits of safe water, sanitation and hygiene
4. Supporting studies for career-minded professionals related to water and sanitation

Maternal and Child Health

At least 7 million children under the age of five die each year due to malnutrition, poor health care, and inadequate sanitation. To help reduce this rate, we provide immunizations and antibiotics to babies, improve access to essential medical services, and support trained health care providers for mothers and their children. Our projects ensure sustainability by empowering the local community to take ownership of health care training programs. (July 2014)

The Foundation enables Rotarians to improve the health of mothers and their children by:

1. Reducing the mortality and morbidity rate for children under the age of five
2. Reducing the maternal mortality and morbidity rate
3. Improving access to essential medical services, trained community health leaders, and health care providers for mothers and their children
4. Supporting studies for career-minded professionals related to maternal and child health

COMMUNITY SERVICE DIRECTOR'S NOTE

Basic Education and Literacy

Sixty-seven million children worldwide have no access to education and more than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate. Our goal is to strengthen the capacity of communities to support basic education and literacy, reduce gender disparity in education, and increase adult literacy. (July 2014)

The Foundation enables Rotarians to ensure that all people have sustainable access to basic education and literacy by:

1. Involving the community to support programs that strengthen the capacity of communities to provide basic education and literacy to all
2. Increasing adult literacy in communities
3. Working to reduce gender disparity in education
4. Supporting studies for career-minded professionals related to basic education and literacy

Economic and Community Development

Nearly 1.4 billion employed people live on less than \$1.25 a day. We carry out service projects that enhance economic and community development and develop opportunities for decent and productive work for young and old. We also help strengthen local entrepreneurs and community leaders, particularly women, in impoverished communities.

The Foundation enables Rotarians to invest in people by creating sustainable, measurable, and long-term economic improvements in their communities and livelihoods by:

1. Building the capacity of entrepreneurs, community leaders, local organizations, and community networks to support economic development in impoverished communities
2. Developing opportunities for productive work
3. Reducing poverty in underserved communities
4. Supporting studies for career-minded professionals related to economic and community development

Environment

Supporting the environment becomes Rotary's seventh area of focus. It joins peacebuilding and conflict prevention; disease prevention and treatment water, sanitation, and hygiene. RI past President Ian Riseley is the chair of the Environmental Issues task force, which he has championed the new area of focus.

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TRF DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Rotarians,

As we reflect on the transformative work of The Rotary Foundation, I am filled with immense pride and gratitude for each of you—our partners in service, our advocates for change, committed to creating a better world. Your contributions allow us to continue building sustainable projects, I am reminded of the profound impact each of you has made through service and dedication. The Rotary Foundation continues to stand as a beacon of hope, empowering communities and transforming lives worldwide. This success is rooted in your commitment, your contributions, and your willingness to uplift those in need.

This year, our focus has been on advancing key Rotary causes, including promoting peace, fighting disease, providing clean water, saving mothers and children, supporting education, and growing local economies. Each of these causes represents not only a goal but also a pathway to building a more equitable and compassionate world. Your support makes this vision possible, as does the hard work of countless Rotarians who have dedicated themselves to these noble efforts.

It is my honor to announce the recipients of this year's prestigious The Rotary Foundation Major Donors, New Paul Harris Fellows and New Polio Plus Society Members from our Club for R.Y. 2024-2025. These exceptional individuals have demonstrated extraordinary leadership and commitment to Rotary's mission, embodying our motto of "Service Above Self" in profound and impactful ways. Their tireless efforts and exceptional generosity have been instrumental in advancing our mission.

LOLITA G. ESCANO

TRF DIRECTOR

ROTARY CLUB OF KANDAYA, TACLOBAN
R.Y. 2024-2025





*Major Donor Level 4
Named Endowment Fund
Paul Harris Society
Benefactor
Polio Plus Society*

**CAROLINE
LEE ANDRADE**

**District Governor
Rotary International
District 3860**



Kandaya, Tacloban

Rotary
Club



*Major Gift
Major Donor Level 1
Benefactor
Polio Plus Society*

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JAPZON VY**

**PRESIDENT
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Kandaya, Tacloban

Rotary
Club



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Paul Harris Society
Benefactor
Polio Plus Society*

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MAGTOTO DOMUS**

**Asst. Secretary
Rotary Club of Kandaya, Tacloban
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New Paul Harris Fellow



**SOPHIA SYBIL
S. DE PAZ**

**AQUILINA CYNTHIA
DE VEYRA-CONTAPAY**



**CHARITO
G. SIA**

New Paul Harris Fellow



**YIUKI MAE
H. MUNOZ**

**DIANA THEA
T. TICA0**



**SAMANTHA
JANIKKA
B. GOSYC0**

New Paul Harris Fellow



**HAIDEE
O. BORJA**

New Polio Plus Society



**MARLYN
S. RUIZ**

**FE MAGNOLIA
B. ADIZAS**



**JOY
J. VALLEDOR**



ROTARY INFORMATION



ROTARY FOUNDATION RECEIVES HIGHEST RATING FROM CHARITY NAVIGATOR FOR 16TH CONSECUTIVE YEAR

By: Rotary International

For the 16th consecutive year, The Rotary Foundation has received the highest rating — four stars — from [Charity Navigator](#), an independent evaluator of charities in the U.S.

The Foundation earned the recognition for adhering to sector best practices and executing its mission in a financially efficient way, demonstrating both strong financial health and commitment to accountability and transparency.

“We are delighted to provide the Rotary Foundation with third-party accreditation that validates their operational excellence,” said Michael Thatcher, president and CEO of Charity Navigator. “The Four-Star Rating is the highest possible rating an organization can achieve. We are eager to see the good work that the Rotary Foundation is able to accomplish in the years ahead.”

Charity Navigator analyzes nonprofit performance based on four key indicators, referred to as beacons. Currently, nonprofits can earn scores for the impact and results, accountability and finance, culture and communities, and leadership and adaptability.

Charity Navigator is the largest and most utilized independent charity evaluator in the U.S. Since 2001, the organization has been an unbiased and trusted source of information for more than 11 million donors annually.

— Oct 2024

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FIRE AWAY

Balancing Service and Success: Rotary Voluntarism Amid Business Struggles

Being a member of Rotary International is a unique journey of service, compassion, and community engagement. Rotary's principle of "Service Above Self" inspires members to volunteer their time, resources, and expertise to address social issues, including promoting health, education, clean water, and peace. However, many Rotary members are also business owners or professionals who must balance the demands of Rotary's volunteer commitments with the realities and struggles of running a business. The dual role of a Rotarian and a businessperson brings both rewards and challenges, as members seek to serve their communities while managing the pressures of sustaining their livelihoods.

Rotary voluntarism is deeply ingrained in the identity of every Rotarian. Members willingly dedicate their time to humanitarian projects, helping people both locally and globally. From organizing mass blood donations and literacy programs, to raising funds for clean water projects and disaster relief, Rotary members actively participate in projects that improve lives. This voluntarism often goes beyond monetary contributions; it includes a hands-on approach where Rotarians work directly with beneficiaries, oversee project implementation, and ensure accountability. Such commitment requires time, effort, and emotional involvement—resources that a Rotarian could also channel into their business or career.

For a Rotarian who is also a business owner, this level of voluntarism can create significant challenges. Small business owners, in particular, operate in environments that demand constant attention and adaptability. They may struggle with cash flow issues, employee retention, customer satisfaction, and competition. In today's rapidly changing economy, the demands on a business owner are relentless. Time spent volunteering, while personally fulfilling and socially impactful, means time away from overseeing business operations, meeting with clients, or developing new strategies for growth. For example, a Rotarian who spends several hours each week planning and implementing a community health project may find themselves stretched thin when critical business issues arise unexpectedly.

Additionally, economic challenges such as inflation, supply chain disruptions, and rising operational costs exacerbate the difficulty of balancing Rotary obligations with business demands. In times of financial strain, a business owner may need to work extra hours or invest in solutions to keep the business viable.

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Many Rotary members feel a deep commitment to their volunteer projects and may be hesitant to scale back their involvement in Rotary, even when their business faces challenges. This can create a stressful conflict as they try to maintain their business's stability while fulfilling their responsibilities as a Rotarian.

One of the unique aspects of Rotary, however, is its network of like-minded professionals who understand these challenges. Rotary membership provides an opportunity for members to support one another, sharing advice, resources, and encouragement to navigate both their community service and business pursuits. Rotarians often bring their business skills—such as project management, financial planning, and strategic thinking—to their volunteer projects, creating a natural synergy between their roles. Many Rotary clubs also promote business networking as part of their mission, allowing members to build relationships that can support their businesses. For example, a struggling Rotarian business owner might receive referrals or advice from fellow Rotarians, helping them find new clients or business opportunities.

At the same time, Rotary's commitment to ethics and integrity can positively impact a Rotarian's business. Rotary promotes high ethical standards in all vocations, encouraging members to uphold honesty, fairness, and responsibility. By practicing these values, Rotarians can build a strong reputation within their communities, attracting customers who value integrity. This emphasis on ethical business practices can serve as a valuable differentiator, helping Rotarians stand out in competitive industries. A business known for its integrity and commitment to community service can develop a loyal customer base and foster goodwill, providing an indirect benefit to Rotarians who prioritize voluntarism alongside business.

Still, for some Rotarians, the ongoing challenge of balancing voluntarism and business responsibilities can lead to tough choices. In moments of financial hardship, a business owner may have to scale back their Rotary commitments temporarily to focus on their business's survival. Rotary's flexibility, however, allows members to adjust their involvement based on their current circumstances, with the understanding that life's demands fluctuate. Many Rotarians find ways to stay connected with Rotary by taking on lighter roles, contributing financially instead of physically, or engaging in projects that align with their business goals.

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For instance, a Rotarian who owns a printing business might support Rotary projects by providing discounted services, or a restaurateur might sponsor Rotary events. In doing so, they fulfill their desire to give back while also promoting their business. This approach allows them to stay engaged in Rotary's mission without compromising their professional obligations.

The balancing act of Rotary voluntarism and business ownership is a testament to the dedication of Rotarians who choose to serve their communities despite the challenges they face in their professional lives. This commitment to service, even amid business struggles, speaks volumes about the values of Rotary members. The journey of a Rotary member who balances business and volunteerism exemplifies resilience, integrity, and a desire to create positive change, reflecting the impact that a single individual can make when they are driven by a purpose greater than themselves.

Rotary voluntarism and business struggles coexist in the lives of many Rotarians, requiring a unique blend of dedication, adaptability, and sacrifice. While the path is not always easy, the rewards are substantial. Rotary members gain personal fulfillment, build strong community ties, and create a legacy of service that transcends their professional lives. Through Rotary, members find not only a platform to contribute to meaningful change but also a community that encourages them to grow personally and professionally. Rotary's combination of service and support allows Rotarians to overcome their business struggles and emerge as leaders in both their industries and their communities, continually exemplifying the spirit of "Service Above Self."

Council of Presidents

1992-1993

CRES CHAN-GONZAGA
(Charter President)



**Real Happiness is
Helping Others**

1996-1997

NORMA MORANTE

**Build the
Future
with
Action
and
Vision**



2000-2001

FLORDELIS MENZON

**Create
Awareness
Take
Action**



1993-1994

REDIA ATIENZA

BELIEVE IN WHAT YOU DO



DO WHAT YOU BELIEVE IN

**Believe on What You Do
Do What You Believe In**

1997-1998

VICTORIA NOCON

**Show
Rotary
Cares**



Show Rotary Cares

2001-2002

EVELIA MARTIN

**Mankind
is our
Business**



1994-1995

CYNTHIA NIERRAS

**Be A
Friend**



1998 - 1999

RAQUEL SEGOVIA

**Follow
Your
Rotary
Dreams**



2002 - 2003

JULITA ALDA

**Sow the
Seeds
of
Love**



1995-1996

ARLENE SALVO

**Act with
Integrity,
Serve with
Love,
Work For
Peace**



1999 - 2000

DALISAY SEVILLA

**Act with
Consistency
Cedibility
and
Continuity**



2003 - 2004

ARSENIA MAYE

**Lend
A
Hand**

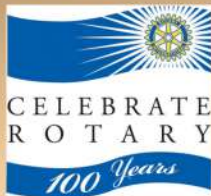


Council of Presidents

2004 -2005

VICTORIA NOCON
(Centennial President)

Celebrate
Rotary



2008 -2009

**MA. TRINIDAD
DACUYCUY**

Make
Dreams
Real



2012 - 2013

CAROLINE ANDRADE

Peace
Through
Service



2005 - 2006

DR. OLIVE CRUZ



SERVICE Above Self
Service Above Self

2009 - 2010

ATTY. IMELDA NARTEA

The Future Of Rotary
is in Your Hands



2013 - 2014

CAROLINE ANDRADE

Engage
Rotary,
Change
Lives



2006 - 2007

DEMETER PANIS

Lead
the
Way



2010 - 2011

MA ELVIE G. CASAL

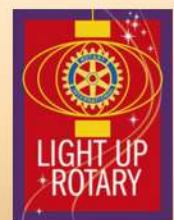
Building Communities,
Bridging Continents



2014 -2015

NAOMI ZELENT

Light
Up
Rotary



2007-2008

**CATHERINE
BONAVITACOLA**

Rotary
Shares



2011 - 2012

FLOR HENEDINA LELIS

Reach
Within To
Embrace
Humanity



2015 2016

LIZA CALDA

Be A Gift to the World



Council of Presidents

2016 -2017
MARLYN S. RUIZ

**Rotary Serving
Humanity**



2018-2019
FE MAGNOLIA ADIZAS

**Be the
Inspiration**



2020 -2021
LOLITA ESCANO

**Rotary Opens
Opportunities**



2017 - 2018
**JEAN MARGARET
C. YU**

**Rotary
Making A
Difference**



2019- 2020
LIZA CALDA
**Rotary Connects the
World**



2021- 2022
IRISH LOTEYRO

**Serve to
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