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Meets every Thursday, 7:30 PM  
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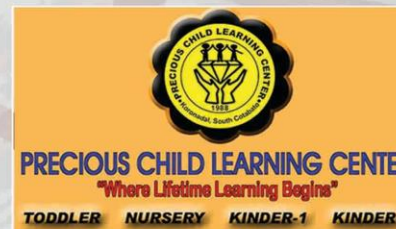


**PP Antonio M. Vicente**



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### Our Mission

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

### Our Core Values

Our values are an increasingly important component in strategic planning because they drive the intent and direction of the organization’s leadership.

**CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE**

*This document certifies that*

\_\_\_\_\_ (Name)

of the Rotary Club of \_\_\_\_\_ has attended the club’s General Membership Weekly Meeting and Fellowship on \_\_\_\_\_ held at EMR Center, Morales, Koronadal City, South Cotabato, Philippines.

**RTN. ANDREW ROBERT ATKINS**  
*President-Elect/Secretary*

## 4<sup>th</sup> Regular Weekly Meeting & Fellowship PROGRAMME

- I. Registration and Dinner
- II. General Membership Meeting

Proposed Agenda:

- ✓ Updates from the 1<sup>st</sup> BOD Meeting
- ✓ Area 3H Bloodletting Activity on July 28, 2019
- ✓ Club support to the Induction of RC Koronadal Central and RC Central Polomolok
- ✓ Other matters

Call to Order .....	Pres. Philip Escueta
Invocation & National Anthem.....	Rtn. Evelyn Tampus
Rotary Hymn .....	AVP
Four-Way Test and Object of Rotary.....	PAG Carlo Precioso
Acknowledgement of Visiting Rotarians/Spouses/Guests	
Community Singing .....	PP Lito Prudencio
Rotary Information.....	Rtn. Rem Rivera
Secretary’s Report/Updates .....	PE/Sec. Andy Atkins
<i>Discussion/Open forum</i>	
President’s Time & Adjournment.....	Pres. Philip Escueta

### III. Fellowship

Rtn. Boy Par  
*Moderator*

### PRA YER



Almighty and Loving Father, send us Your Holy Spirit to \_\_\_\_\_ and give us the wisdom to understand every topic that we are going to discuss. Enlighten our minds and let your love be upon us. May this meeting bring success and growth to our club for us to be of more service to the humanity. We thank you Father for this precious time that you have given us. Amen.

# 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?



## 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

## ROTARY CODE OF CONDUCT

As a Rotarian I will:

- ✓ Act with integrity and high ethical standards in my personal and professional life.
- ✓ Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect.
- ✓ Use my professional skills through Rotary to: mentor young people, help those with special needs, and improve people's quality of life in my community and in the world.
- ✓ Avoid behavior that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians.

# ROTARY OBSERVATION MONTHS

**JULY IS NEW LEADERSHIP MONTH**  
"To improve is to change; to be perfect is to change often."  
-William Z. Foster

**AUGUST IS MEMBERSHIP & NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT MONTH**  
"Rotary's strength lies in the sincerity of purpose of its members."  
-Elias Sandoz, Rotary Club of Portland, Oregon, 1921 Rotary Observation

**SEPTEMBER IS BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY MONTH**  
"The more you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go."  
-Dr. Seuss, "I Can Read With My Eyes Shut!"

**OCTOBER IS ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH**  
"To the world you may be one person, but to one person you may be the world."  
-Dr. Seuss

**NOVEMBER IS ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH**  
"If we can conquer space, we can conquer childhood hunger."  
-Barry Aldrin

**DECEMBER IS DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT MONTH**  
"The prevention of disease today is one of the most important factors in line of human endeavor."  
-Charles Mayo

**JANUARY IS VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH**  
"Rotary's greatest strength will always be the individual Rotarian. No other organization has such powerful human resources."  
-Past 51 President Glen W. Kinross, 1997-98

**FEBRUARY IS PEACE AND CONFLICT PREVENTION/RESOLUTION MONTH**  
"Imagine all the people living life in peace..."  
-John Lennon

**MARCH IS WATER AND SANITATION MONTH**  
"Clean water, the essence of life and a birthright for everyone, must become available to all people now."  
-Bill Gates, Co-founder

**APRIL IS MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH MONTH**  
"It is health that is real wealth and not pieces of gold and silver"  
-Mahatma Gandhi

**MAY IS YOUTH SERVICE MONTH**  
"We cannot talk about the future without talking about children. They are our future."  
-Miguel Jimenez, 1966-67

**JUNE IS ROTARY FELLOWSHIPS MONTH**  
"Don't adventures ever have an end? I suppose not. Someone else always has its story on the story."  
-J.R.R. Tolkien, The Fellowship of the Ring

## CLUB PILLARS

<u>Rotary Year</u>	<u>Past President</u>	<u>RI Theme</u>
1980-1981	Gerardo "Gerry" Calaliman	"Take Time to Serve"
1981-1982	Benjamin "Bing" M. Garcia	"World Understanding and Peace Through Rotary"
1982-1983	Pedro "Pete" Torres	"Mankind is One-Build Bridges of Friendship Throughout the World"
1983-1984	Tranquilino "Jun" Araral, Jr.	"Share Rotary - Serve People"
1984-1985	Bernardo "Jun" Dignadice, Jr	"Discover a New World of Service"
1985-1986	Gerardo "Gerry" S. Cruz	"You are the Key"
1986-1987	Perfecto "Pitok" B. Sueno, Jr.	"Rotary Brings Hope"
1987-1988	Romulo "Romy" Rafael†	"United in Service Dedicated to Peace"
1988-1989	Jose "Peps" Barroso	"Put Life in Rotary - Your Life"
1989-1990	Benjamin "Ben" D. Pajaro	"Enjoy Rotary"
1990-1991	Claro "Caloy" Precioso	"Honor Rotary with Faith and Enthusiasm"
1991-1992	Pio "Pio" Mariñas	"Look Beyond Yourself"
1992-1993	Nazario "Boy" Grecia	"Real Happiness is Helping Others"
1992-1993	Antonio "Tony" Vicente	"Real Happiness is Helping Others"
1993-1994	Delfin "Bong" Riego de Dios	"Believe In what You Can Do - Do what You Believe In"
1994-1995	Emmanuel "Manny" Reinoso	"Be A Friend"
1995-1996	Edgardo "Ed" Barrios	"Act with Integrity - Serve with Love - Work for Peace"
1996-1997	Loreta "Loring" Sy	"Build the Future with Action and Vision"
1997-1998	Jose "Joe" Cagampang	"Show Rotary Cares"
1998-1999	Arnold "Nonoy" G. Garcia	"Follow Your Rotary Dream"
1999-2000	Alfredo "Fred" E. dela Peña	"Act with Consistency, Credibility, Continuity"
2000-2001	Suzanne "Zanne" Araquil	"Create Awareness...Take Action"
2001-2002	Floro "Puyot" Calixton	"Mankind is Our Business"
2002-2003	Rolan "Rolan" A. Alajar	Sow the Seeds of Love"
2003-2004	Roland "Roland" Asperga	"Lend a Hand"
2004-2005	Noel "Noel" N. Dungca†	"Celebrate Rotary"
2005-2006	Camilo "Toto" L. Dajay	"Service Above Self"
2006-2007	Datu Tungko "Dats" Saikol	"Lead the Way"
2007-2008	Mark Marie "Mark" G. Bantug	"Rotary Shares"
2008-2009	Jessie "Jessie" P. Cruz	"Make Dreams Real"
2009-2010	Marie Antonina "Junette" Hurtado	"The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands"
2010-2011	Juanito "Johnny" C. Cueva	"Building Communities, Bridging Continents"
2011-2012	Leodegario "Leo" R. Santos, Jr.	"Reach Within to Embrace Humanity"
2012-2013	Antonio "Tony" Vicente	"Peace Through Service"
2013-2014	Carlo "Carlo" S. Precioso	"Engage Rotary Change Lives"
2014-2015	Leandro Ador "Ador" A. Dizon	"Light Up Rotary"
2015-2016	Nolito "Lito" B. Prudencio	"Be A Gift to the World"
2016-2017	Randy "Randy" S. Baldeovar	"Rotary Serving Humanity"
2017-2018	Jason Anthony "Jay" Y. Garcia	"Rotary: Making a Difference"
2018-2019	Leween Jan "Leween" P. Santos	"Be The Inspiration"

## MESSAGE FROM THE CLUB PRESIDENT

Philip Leonard T. Escueta



Good day my RC Marbel Family!

This week, I would like to highlight two (2) important activities connected to our club's development and public image.

First of all, we just finished our Board of Directors (BOD) Meeting, wherein future plans and directives for our club were discussed. This will soon be shared to all of you once finalized.

Also, I am soliciting ideas from all of you for projects that we can conduct, may it be small community projects, or major ones which may be passed on to our future presidents for continued implementation and improvement.

Secondly, our first district-wide project which is the Bloodletting Activity, to be held this Sunday July 28, at CityMall Koronadal. The activity will begin at 9:00 AM, and will be done in cooperation with our neighbor clubs in Area 3H. This activity aims to promote the noble cause of donating blood, which is really a difference-maker in the lives of those with medical conditions. I am urging everyone to support this cause, if you aren't able to donate then I hope you can influence someone else to! Let's donate blood and save lives!

Through a collective and connected effort of each of us, I am very confident that we will be able to serve humanity more.

## THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE

My fellow “**Champion**” Club Officers and Rotarians,

This is going to be a very exciting Rotary journey for the District and your Club. I know that with our joined efforts, we CAN and WILL be able to share each Rotarian’s aspirations in life. Let us work to achieve our goals and make this Rotary year the most significant and memorable one.


At our Governor’s training held during the International Assembly in San Diego, USA, I had the privilege of joining more than five hundred of our Rotary leaders who lead their respective Districts. Together, we committed to the vision of our **Rotary International President Mark Maloney** who encouraged us to live by the theme: “**Rotary Connects the World**”. Reflecting on it and our work as Rotarians throughout a century of doing good, I realized that at the heart of our Rotary experience is to make **innovative** and **sustainable CONNECTIONS** with our members, people of different cultures, traditions and religions. Once connected with our fellow partners in service, they will be persevered to make a difference in our communities and provide professional opportunities we would otherwise not encounter if not through Rotary.

This year, we shall work towards four essential priorities: **First**, is to grow Rotary – by **strengthening membership**, both at the **Club** and **Rotaract** levels. **Secondly**, is to allow Rotary meetings become more **flexible**, **closer** to our homes and **involve** our Family in our service projects or activities. **Third**, is to **develop** leaders beyond the club level and provide opportunities for them to grow. And **fourth**, **broadening** projects related to the SIX Areas of Focus in alignment and partnership with the United Nations.

By the end of the Rotary year, we hope to be able to address Rotary’s major priorities on supporting **The Rotary Foundation (TRF)** through our personal and continuing contributions to the Annual Programs Fund and the End Polio Campaign. With greater emphasis to expand our presence, it is only through our **Public Image** initiatives would our community be able to value and appreciate the good deeds that we Rotarians have been doing in the past 100 years.

Thank you for being part of my Champion Team and May God continue to bless us for our enduring love to **SERVE BEYOND OURSELVES**.

Yours in Rotary Service,

  
**Philip N. Tan**  
 District Governor, RY 2019-20



## ROSTER OF MEMBERS

NAMES	CLASSIFICATION	SPOUSES
1 ADALIN, Virgilio H., PHF	Dentistry	Nancy
2 ALAJAR, Rolan A., PHF+3	Optometry	Celestina, PHF+1
3 ATKINS, Andrew, PHF	Social Work	Sherill
4 BALDELOVAR, Randy S., PHF	Life Insurance	Theresa
5 BANTUG, Mark Marie G., PHF+4	Chemical Sales & Distribution	Elizabeth, PHF
6 CERESO, Ma. Cyrille U., PHF+2	Medicine - Nephrology	N/A
7 CHIU, Christian Valeen R., PHF	Distribution - IT	N/A
8 CRUZ, Gerardo S., PHF+2	Management Services	Tessie, PHF
9 CRUZ, Jessie, PHF+3	Pawnshop Management	Nemia
10 DAJAY, Camilo L., PHF	Medicine- General Surgery	Gertrudes
11 DARAUG, John Michael D, PHF	Hotel Management	N/A
12 DE JESUS, Jesus L., PHF+4	Fuel Sales & Distribution	Nida, PHF
13 DE JESUS, Jose Mari B., PHF	Printing Services	Arianne Pauline
14 DELA PEÑA, Alfredo E., PHF+4	Real Estate Development	Maria Henrietta, PHF
15 DIZON, Leandro Ador A., PHF+1	School Administration	Farideh
16 ESCUETA, Philip Leonard T., PHF	Human Resource	N/A
17 FEDOC, Francis Ian A., PHF	Public Utilities-Electric	Ivy
18 FRESCO, Baltazar Jr. A., PHF	Water Management	Arlene
19 GARCIA, Arnold G., PHF	Auto Parts & Services	Myrna
20 GARCIA, Benjamin M., Major Donor Level 2	Telecommunication	Virginia, MD+2
21 GARCIA, Ivy Joy V.	Lumber Distribution	
22 GARCIA, Jason Anthony Y., PHF+2	Transportation-Bus	MarieneL
23 GARCIA, Josie J., PHF+1	Distribution – Veterinary Products	Gerry
24 LABRADOR, Ilah Marie L.	Government Banking	N/A
25 LAY, Eduardo C., PHF+1	Medicine, IM/Internist	Melba, PHF
26 LORICO, Michael Joseph J., PHF	Legal Services	Maria Janina
27 MARIÑAS, Lorenzo B., PHF	Farm Management	Elsa
28 PAEZ, Jose Antonio C., PHF	Religion - Catholic	N/A
29 PAJARO, Benjamin D, PHF+1	Medicine - ENT	Amelia
30 PAR, Olimpio M., PHF	Transportation- Bus	Elsie
31 PRECIOSO, Carlo S., PHF+1	School Administration	Trixy, PHF
32 PRING, Janine C., PHF	BPO-Graphics Design	N/A
33 PRUDENCIO, Nolito B., PHF	Banking - Commercial	Elsa
34 RIVERA, Remegio, Jr. D., PHF	Medicine -General Surgery	Emily
35 ROMERO, Edren Ton Julius T.	Restaurant Management	N/A
36 SANTOS, Leween Jan P., PHF+1	Distribution - Paint	Amabelle Sharon
37 SAVARIZ, Rhea E.	Gov. Service-Tertiary Education	Jay
38 SINFOROSO, Edmundo B.	Farm Management	Josephine
39 SUPLAAG, Michael M., PHF	Educational Services	N/A
40 TAMPUS, Evelyn P., PHF	Banking-Universal	Frederick
41 TAN, Maria Victoria C., PHF	Distribution - Motorcycle	Reynaldo
42 TAN, Mark Anthony C., PHF	Distribution - Motorcycle	-
43 VALERIO, Keith Alvin, PHF+1	Distribution – Agricultural Products	Gina
44 VICENTE, Antonio M., PHF+2	Distribution - Paint	Grace, PHF


**ROTARY INFORMATION**
**Rotary announces US\$100 million to eradicate polio**

**EVANSTON, Ill. (June 10, 2019)** — Rotary is giving US\$100 million in grants to support the global effort to end polio, a vaccine-preventable disease that once paralyzed hundreds of thousands of children each year.

The funding comes as Rotary and its partners in the **Global Polio Eradication Initiative** (GPEI) address the final—and most pressing—challenges to ending poliovirus transmission, and as Nigeria approaches three years without any reported cases of wild poliovirus, bringing the Africa region closer to polio-free status.

“We have the wild poliovirus cornered in the smallest geographic area in history, and now there are just two countries that continue to report cases of the wild virus,” said Michael K. McGovern, chair of Rotary’s International PolioPlus Committee. “As we work with our partners to apply innovative new strategies to reach more children, and embrace lessons learned thus far, Rotary is doubling down on our commitment to end polio for good. I’m optimistic that the end of polio is within our grasp, but we must remain vigilant in rallying global political and financial support as we push towards a polio-free world.”

While there were only 33 cases of wild poliovirus reported in 2018, the last mile of eradication has proven to be the most difficult. Barriers to eradication—like weak health systems, insecurity, and mobile and remote populations—must be overcome. As long as a single child has polio, all children are at risk, which underscores the need for continued funding and commitment to eradication.

To support polio eradication efforts in endemic countries, Rotary is allocating half the funds it announced today to: Afghanistan (\$16.3 million), Nigeria (\$10.2 million), and Pakistan (\$25.2million). Additional funding will support efforts to keep vulnerable countries polio-free:

Chad (\$102,395)	Democratic Republic of the Congo (\$9.5 million)
Ethiopia (\$2.6 million)	Iraq (\$6 million)
Kenya (\$6.3 million)	Mali (\$1.2 million)
Somalia (\$1.4 million)	South Sudan (\$1.2 million)
Syria (\$1.7 million)	Yemen (\$2.1 million)

The **World Health Organization** (WHO) will receive \$1.3 million to conduct research, and will also receive support for surveillance activities in its Africa (\$10.9 million) and Eastern Mediterranean (\$4 million) Regions.

Rotary has committed to raising \$50 million a year to be matched 2-to-1 by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, amounting to \$150 million for polio eradication annually. Rotary has contributed more than \$1.9 billion to fight the disease, including matching funds from the Gates Foundation, and countless volunteer hours since launching its polio eradication program, PolioPlus, in 1985. In 1988, Rotary became a spearheading partner in the Global Polio Eradication Initiative with the World Health Organization, UNICEF, and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. The Gates Foundation later joined. Since the initiative launched, the incidence of polio has plummeted by more than 99.9 percent, from about 350,000 cases in 1988 to 33 cases of wild poliovirus in 2018.

**RI PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE**
*Mark Daniel Maloney*
**July 2019**


I love to travel! I even enjoy the mundane process of getting from here to there. But last year, my wife, Gay, and I had one of those experiences that would strain the optimism of even the most cheerful traveler. We found ourselves with six hours to wait, at an airport where we were not scheduled to be, on a day we had not planned still to be traveling, having woken up that morning at a hotel unknown to us the night before. It was one of those days.

As we waited at John F. Kennedy International Airport in New York City, Gay and I took a walk to people watch. We went from one end of the terminal to the other and back, looking at every gate, every destination, every group of people waiting for their flights.

Each gate was its own island of humanity. When we walked down the center of the concourse, we were in New York, moving along with everyone in one river. But when you veered off into those seats, you left that current and landed on an island. You were already in Delhi or Paris or Tel Aviv.

As we started our walk, I thought: "All these different people, all these different countries, all in one place. This is like Rotary!" But as we walked past gate after gate, I realized something. It was not like Rotary at all. Because everyone in that river was heading for an island. And every island stayed an island. The people heading to Taipei might be talking to one another, but they were not talking to the people heading to Cairo or Lagos.

Contrast that with Rotary. Rotary allows us to connect with one another, in deep and meaningful ways, across our differences. It connects us with people we would never otherwise have met, who are more like us than we ever could have known. It connects us with our communities, to professional opportunities, and to the people who need our help.

Connection is what makes the experience of Rotary so very different from walking along that concourse at JFK Airport. In Rotary, none of us is an island. All of us are in Rotary together, whoever we are, wherever we are from, whatever language we speak or traditions we follow. We are all connected to one another — part of our communities and members not only of our clubs, but also of the global community to which we all belong.

This connection is what lies at the heart of the Rotary experience. It is what brings us to Rotary. It is why we stay. Please join your fellow Rotarians on this journey as Rotary Connects the World.

## THE TRUSTEE'S MESSAGE

Gary C.K. Huang

### JULY 2019

I am so excited to have this opportunity to communicate with you every month in my new role as chair of the The Rotary Foundation Trustees. When I look at the amazing work that the Foundation has ahead of it this year, I'm astonished. We are making such an enormous, lasting impact on the world. In the near future, polio will be wiped off the face of the earth – all because of you.

I see my role as chair much like the position I played on my high school basketball team. I was the point guard. It was my job to bring the ball up court and make sure my teammates received the ball when they were open. Nothing made me happier than to see them make shorts.

We didn't have the high-five back when I played, but I would have loved to give out high-fives for every basket. Now I'm eager to give them to you. Think about it: There is so much you can do to give a high-five to the Foundation. I started out by getting all five members of the Huang family in Rotary – my wife, three children, and myself – and keeping us donating year after year to the Foundation.

Now, let's see how many high-fives all of us can give in the next year. Whether you write five more checks, hold five more fundraisers, find five new donors, or simply give five more dollars, every high-five counts.

This year, I am going to fill my Social media accounts with all the Rotary Foundation high-fives I give around the world and tell the stories of the generous people who are bringing us closer to our goals. Join me on Facebook (@garyckhuang) and share your stories. And feel free to give your own high-fives.

Let's reach our goals and keep going. Clubs have great projects – they are counting on us. And the children of the world are counting on us. Right now – you're open! Take the shot! Let's make this the Foundation's greater year yet.



## ROTARY CITATION 2019-2020

### 2019-2020 ROTARY CITATION FOR INTERACT CLUBS

The **Rotary Citation for Interact Clubs** recognizes clubs that support each of our strategic priorities by completing certain activities. Clubs have the entire Rotary year to achieve the citation's goals.

To be eligible for the Rotary Citation, Interact clubs need to be certified by Rotary International and endorsed by the district governor before 1 July 2019. Also before 1 July, an adult adviser to the club needs to provide his or her name and contact information to Rotary. Sponsor Rotary club officers or Interact club advisers will report the achievements by submitting a nomination form by 15 August 2020.

#### UNITE PEOPLE

Achieve at least 2 of the following goals:

- Hold a meeting that introduces members to Rotary programs for young leaders, such as RYLA and Rotary Youth Exchange
- Collaborate with your sponsor Rotary club or adviser to develop and participate in a career day or mentoring activity
- Engage with your sponsor Rotary club or adviser to connect graduating Interactors with university- or community-based Rotaract clubs
- Hold an activity during World Interact Week (the anniversary of Interact); invite the media and tell your club's, and Rotary's, story

#### TAKE ACTION

Achieve at least 3 of the following goals:

- Plan and carry out a project for Global Youth Service Day
- Hold an event to raise funds for, or to increase awareness of, Rotary's work toward polio eradication
- Partner with your sponsor Rotary club or adviser on a significant local or international service project in one of Rotary's six areas of focus
- Ask your sponsor club or adviser to post successful club projects, with details about activities, volunteer hours, and funds raised, on Rotary.org
- Use Rotary's brand guidelines, templates, People of Action campaign materials, and related resources

### 2019-2020 ROTARY CITATION WITH PRESIDENTIAL DISTINCTION

This year, clubs can receive the **Rotary Citation with Presidential Distinction** when they achieve the Rotary Citation plus one to three additional goals.

#### FOR ROTARY CLUBS

Achieve these goals **in addition to** earning the Rotary Citation to receive **SILVER** (1 goal), **GOLD** (2 goals), or **PLATINUM** (3 goals) distinction

- **Connect leaders.** Achieve a net gain of five or more members
- **Connect families.** Organize a family-oriented service project that connects families of your members, youth program participants, and others
- **Connect professionally.** Initiate or continue a leadership, personal, or professional development program to enhance members' skills
- **Connect community.** Show how your club's members are People of Action by promoting your club and its service activities on social media at least four times per month

#### FOR ROTARACT CLUBS

Achieve these goals **in addition to** earning the Rotary Citation to receive **SILVER** (1 goal), **GOLD** (2 goals), or **PLATINUM** (3 goals) distinction

- **Connect leaders.** Achieve a net gain of five or more members
- **Connect families.** Organize a family-oriented service project that connects families and friends of your members, youth program participants, and others
- **Connect professionally.** Initiate or continue a leadership, personal, or professional development program to enhance members' skills
- **Connect community.** Show how your club's members are People of Action by promoting your club and its service activities on social media at least four times per month

#### FOR INTERACT CLUBS

Achieve these goals **in addition to** earning the Rotary Citation to receive **SILVER** (1 goal), **GOLD** (2 goals), or **PLATINUM** (3 goals) distinction

- **Connect leaders.** Initiate or continue a leadership development program to enhance members' skills
- **Connect families.** Organize a family-oriented service project that connects families of your members and others
- **Connect academically.** Work with your sponsor Rotary club or adviser to explore local Rotary club and other scholarship opportunities that are available to your club's members, and present these opportunities to the club
- **Connect community.** Show how your club's members are People of Action by submitting a video that promotes your club and its service activities to the annual Interact Video Awards



# ROTARY CITATION 2019-2020

## 2019-2020 ROTARY CITATION FOR ROTARY CLUBS

The Rotary Citation recognizes Rotary clubs that support our strategic priorities by completing certain activities. Clubs have the entire Rotary year to achieve the citation's goals.

Rotary can automatically verify many of your club's achievements as long as you keep your club and member information up-to-date in My Rotary. To be eligible for the Rotary Citation, clubs need to begin the year as active clubs that are in good standing and remain so throughout the year. Achievements will be compared with membership figures from 1 July 2019 and will be recognized after the 1 July 2020 numbers are final, on 15 August 2020.

### UNITE PEOPLE

Achieve at least 5 of the following goals:

- Appoint an active club membership committee comprised of no less than five members and report the chair to Rotary International
- Achieve a net gain in membership
- Maintain or improve your club's retention of current and new members:
  - Improve your club's retention rate by 1 percentage point or
  - If your club's retention rate was 90 percent or more in 2018-2019, maintain it
- Achieve a net gain in female members or members under the age of 40
- Conduct a study of your members' occupations, and work to align your membership with the mix of businesses and professions in your community
- Sponsor or co-sponsor a new Rotary club or Rotary Community Corps
- Sponsor or co-sponsor an Interact or Rotaract club
- Host an event for Rotary alumni, and highlight Rotary's networking opportunities
- Sponsor a Youth Exchange student or RYLA participant

### TAKE ACTION

Achieve at least 5 of the following goals:

- Appoint an active club Foundation committee comprised of no less than five members and report the chair to Rotary International
- Increase the number of members involved in service projects
- Contribute at least \$100 per capita to the Annual Fund of The Rotary Foundation
- Hold an event to raise funds for, or to increase awareness of, Rotary's work toward polio eradication
- Conduct a significant local or international service project in one of Rotary's six areas of focus
- Post successful club projects, with details about activities, volunteer hours, and funds raised, on Rotary.org
- Continue or establish a partnership with a corporate, governmental, or nongovernmental entity and work on a project together
- Use Rotary's brand guidelines, templates, People of Action campaign materials, and related resources
- Arrange for the club's members to talk with the media to tell your club's and Rotary's story

## 2019-2020 ROTARY CITATION FOR ROTARACT CLUBS

The Rotary Citation for Rotaract Clubs recognizes clubs that support our strategic priorities by completing certain activities. Clubs have the entire Rotary year to achieve the citation's goals.

To be eligible for the Rotary Citation, Rotaract clubs need to be certified by Rotary International and endorsed by the district governor before 1 July 2019. Clubs will report their achievements by submitting a nomination form by 15 August 2020.

### UNITE PEOPLE

Achieve at least 3 of the following goals:

- Achieve a net gain of one member
- Have at least 50 percent of members add their skills and interests in their profiles on My Rotary
- Establish or maintain a twin club relationship
- Host an activity or event during World Rotaract Week (the anniversary of Rotaract); invite the media and tell your club's, and Rotary's, story
- Participate in a networking event or social activity with your sponsor Rotary club

### TAKE ACTION

Achieve at least 3 of the following goals:

- Achieve an average minimum PolioPlus contribution of \$25 per member
- Hold an event to raise funds for, or to increase awareness of, Rotary's work toward polio eradication
- Partner with your sponsor Rotary club on a significant local or international service project in one of Rotary's six areas of focus
- Post successful club projects, with details about activities, volunteer hours, and funds raised, on Rotary.org
- Use Rotary's brand guidelines, templates, People of Action campaign materials, and related resources

# THE SECRETARY'S REPORT

Andy Atkins



In attendance during the 14<sup>th</sup> Induction and Hand-over Ceremonies of the Rotary Club of Polomolok 101 last July 19, 2019 held at the Municipal Gymnasium, Polomolok, South Cotabato, to wit:

1. IPDG Bing and Lady Nene
2. PAG Gerry and Spouse Neneng
3. PP Tony and Spouse Grace
4. PP Nonoy Garcia
5. AG Jay Garcia
6. IPP Leween and Spouse Babie
7. Pres. Philip
8. PE/Sec. Andy and Spouse Sherill

Thank you to those who attended the 59<sup>th</sup> Induction and Hand-over Ceremonies of the Rotary Club of Koronadal last July 20, 2019 held at the Maya Pavillion, Paraiso Verde, City of Koronadal, to wit:

1. IPDG Bing and Lady Nene
2. PAG Gerry and Spouse Neneng
3. PAG Carlo
4. PP Tony and Spouse Grace
5. PP Ben Pajaro
6. PP Nonoy Garcia and Spouse Myrna
7. PP Lito and son Ken
8. AG Jay Garcia
9. Pres. Philip
10. PE/Sec. Andy
11. VP Kap and Spouse Elsa
12. Rtn. Rhy

Encouraging all the members to also attend the incoming induction of the Rotary Clubs of Koronadal Central and Central Polomolok on July 26, 2019 and July 27, 2019, respectively.

Let us support also the Area 3H Bloodletting Activity on July 28, 2019, 9:00 AM at the CityMall Koronadal, General Santos Drive, City of Koronadal. There will be a short opening program so please come on time. Thank you!

# LET'S CELEBRATE!

## JULY CELEBRATORS



July 18  
PP Toto Dajay



July 26  
Spouse Beth Bantug



July 6  
Spouse Elsa Prudencio



July 9  
Pp Rolan Alajar

### July 5 Rtn. Ton Romero



## AUGUST CELEBRATORS

- August 1 - Spouse Myrna Garcia
- August 8 - PAG Gerry Cruz
- August 10 - VP Kap Mariñas

- August 13 - Rtn Jake de Jesus
- August 17 - Spouse Fhar Dizon
- August 22 - Rtn Janine Pring



### 7<sup>th</sup> Induction and Hand-over Ceremonies of the Rotary Club of Koronadal Central

July 26, 2019 | 6:00 PM

Maya Pavillion, Paraiso Verde, City of Koronadal

### 4<sup>th</sup> Induction and Hand-over Ceremonies of the Rotary Club of Central Polomolok

July 27, 2019 | 6:00 PM

Dole Gym, Cannery Site, Polomolok  
Attire: Formal (Black or White)

### One Rotary, One District Bloodletting (Area 3H)

July 28, 2019 | 9:00 PM

CityMall Koronadal, General Santos Drive, City of Koronadal

### Rotary Manila Institute 2019

November 29 – December 1, 2019  
Manila Marriott Hotel, Manila

### RI Convention 2020

June 6-10, 2019 | Honolulu, Hawaii

# Captured Moments

**3<sup>rd</sup> Regular Weekly Meeting and Fellowship  
July 18, 2019 | EMR Center, City of Koronadal**



# Captured Moments



Photos taken during the 59<sup>th</sup> Induction and Hand-over Ceremonies of the Rotary Club of Koronadal held at Maya Pavillion, Paraiso Verde, City of Koronadal last July 20, 2019 with Guest Speaker, South Cotabato Governor Hon. Reynaldo S. Tamayo, Jr.



# Captured Moments



59<sup>th</sup> Induction and Hand-over Ceremonies of the Rotary Club of Koronadal held at Maya Pavillion, Paraiso Verde, City of Koronadal last July 20, 2019

# Captured Moments

14<sup>th</sup> Induction and Hand-over Ceremonies of the Rotary Club of Polomolok 101  
July 19, 2019 | Municipal Gymnasium, Polomolok, South Cotabato

