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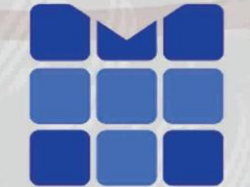
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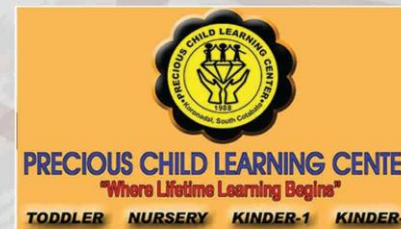


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Our Mission

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

25th General Membership Meeting and Fellowship PROGRAMME

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

Call to Order	Pres. Philip Escueta
Invocation & National Anthem.....	Rtn Chris Paclar
Rotary Hymn	AVP
Four-Way Test and Object of Rotary.....	AG Jay Garcia
Acknowledgement of Visiting Rotarians	
Community Singing	PP Lito Prudencio
Secretary’s Report/Updates	PE/Sec. Andy Atkins

Agenda:

1. Agreements during the January 14 Board Meeting re: Adopt-a-Harelip Project with RC Johor Bahru
 2. Registration to DISCON 2020
 3. Other matters
- ✓ Discussion / Open Forum

President’s Time and Adjournment..... Pres. Philip Escueta

III. Fellowship

Rtn. Kano Adalin
Moderator

JANUARY: Vocational Service Month



PRAYER

Almighty God, you graciously hear all our prayers and you promise that when two or three agree together in your name you will grant their requests. Fulfil our desires and prayers, and make all things work together for our good. Increase our knowledge of your truth, and our experience of your love. You are able to keep us from stumbling and to present us blameless before the presence of your glory with great joy. To you, our God and authority, before all time, now and forever. 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 professional persons united in the ideal of service.

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

The grid contains 12 posters, one for each month, each with a Rotary logo and a quote:

- JULY IS NEW LEADERSHIP MONTH**: "To improve is to change; to be perfect is to change often." - Winston Churchill
- AUGUST IS MEMBERSHIP & NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT MONTH**: "Rotary's strength lies in the sincerity of purpose of its members." - Elroy Greenberg, Rotary Club of Portland, Oregon, 1931 Rotary Convention
- 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." - Buzz 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 RI 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 the birthright for everyone, must become available to all people now." - Bill Clinton
- 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." - Her Majesty, The Queen
- JUNE IS ROTARY FELLOWSHIPS MONTH**: "Don't adventures ever have a end? I suppose not. Someone else always has (laugh on the story)." - E.B. White, 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" M. 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" M. 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 beloved RC Marbel Family!

I'm pleased to inform you all that our Club Officers recently had a wonderful and insightful discussion regarding our Adopt-a-Harelip Project 2020. We were able to define the scope of our project, a rough estimate of our budget, and designate several committees that will assist in expediting the various areas of our project.

This will all be presented to you all during our regular meeting, and please stay tuned for further developments. Surely, through our collective effort, this will be once again a very successful and meaningful project, and a proper send off to our fellow Rotarian PP Doctor Angamuthu Rajoo as he will be retiring already after this joint project. I would like to thank PP Fred Dela Peña and PP Camilo Dajay for taking up most of the responsibility for the project, as well as PAG Gerry Cruz for helping me facilitate the board meeting smoothly, and all the committee heads for the project.

Also, our Rotary Year is on its 2nd leg, and we wish to update our club regarding our financial standing. Hopefully our Club Treasurer will be able to give us a positive feedback so that we can better maximize our funds for other humanitarian endeavors.

Thank you all for your continued support and passion in being servants of humanity.



THE SECRETARY'S REPORT

Andrew Robert Atkins

Happy Thursday, fellow Rotarians and lovely Spouses!

- A. We have a productive Board Meeting last Tuesday, January 14, 2020 of which discussions focused on the incoming Adopt-a-Harelip Project in partnership with the Rotary Club of Johor Bahru led by PP Dr. Angga Rajoo. Please save the date!
- Project Title: **ADOPT-A-HARELIP PROJECT**
 When: **April 25-26, 2020**
 Where: **Socomedics Medical Center**
- B. The **PETS-SETS** is fast approaching. I would like to encourage PN Janine Pring as incoming Secretary to join with me on February 8, 2020.



- C. On the other hand, **happy wedding anniversary to PP Nonoy Garcia and Spouse Myrna**. May the love you have for one another continue to grow and blossom with each passing year. Wishing you endless happiness, joy, and love on your anniversary and always.

ROTARY INFORMATION

Rotary establishes peace center at Makerere University

KAMPALA, Uganda (9 January 2020) — From human rights violations to the impacts of climate change, Rotary and Makerere University are offering a postgraduate certificate program to peace and development leaders who are from or who have worked in Africa to address the underlying challenges to peace in the region.

The year-long program in Peacebuilding, Conflict Transformation and Development will emphasize issues and solutions that are of particular relevance throughout the African continent and beyond. Hands-on experience will complement coursework that addresses topics including human rights, governance, and the role of the media in conflict. Other studies will focus on refugees and migration, as well as resource and identity-based conflicts.

The program will incorporate the Positive Peace framework pioneered by the **Institute for Economics and Peace (IEP)** as well as apply concepts grounded in mediation and negotiation, African philosophy, and indigenous mechanisms for conflict resolution. "For centuries, we have looked at peace as the absence of violence, without fully considering the other drivers in play," said Olayinka Babalola, vice president, Rotary International Board of Directors. "Instead of merely examining the causes of war, Rotary Peace Fellows at Makerere University will explore the underpinnings of peace to achieve tangible measures of human wellbeing and progress." The program is designed to accommodate working professionals with at least five years of proven experience in the areas of peace and development. There will be two cohorts a year each with 20 fellows, and the first class will begin in February 2021. The online application will be available in February 2020.



PETS-SETS 2020

February 8, 2020 | The Ritz Hotel, Davao City

District Conference (DISCON) 2020

March 5-7, 2020 | Cebu Grand Convention Center, Cebu City
Golf & Bowling Tournaments – March 4, 2020

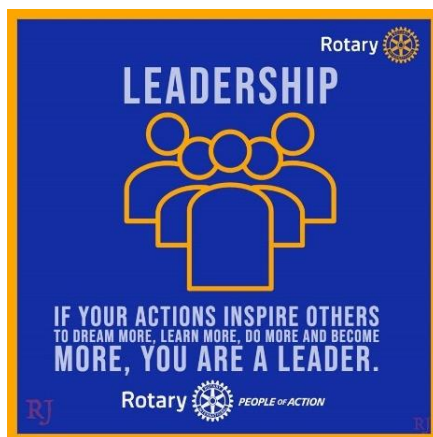
Adopt-a-Harelip Project 2020

(Medical/Surgical Mission with RC Johor Bahru)

April 25-26, 2020 | Socomedics Medical Center, Koronadal City

RI Convention 2020

June 6-10, 2020 | Honolulu, Hawaii



RI PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Mark Daniel Maloney

JANUARY 2020



People from all over the world have multiple reasons for joining Rotary. Many new Rotarians each year join for the same reason I did — because Rotary is a great way to benefit your career. When I was a new attorney starting out in Alabama, Gay and I became partners in her father's firm. He instilled in us the value of joining Rotary as a way to build relationships and demonstrate to potential clients that we were serious professionals who held firm to values even more robust than what our profession required.

Rotary's commitment to vocational service is built on the highest ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful work, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society. That last point is so important. No matter our profession, we all contribute mightily to the world when we conduct our work with integrity and always adhere to The Four-Way Test.

I have made balancing the demands of Rotary with professional and family commitments one of my priorities as president. No Rotarian should feel pressured to put in more time than a volunteer position should ever demand. This is true for several reasons, one of them being that the work we do in our day jobs is just as important to Rotary as the work we do in the organization. We carry our Rotary values everywhere, and our professional success helps build a case for Rotary every day we go into the office.

This is particularly important in our efforts to reach younger new members. We want to see a Rotary where no one is ever asked to choose between being a good Rotarian and being a good parent, business owner, manager, or employee. When we ask busy young people to join us, we should not be asking them to give up their time and freedom. We should be rewarding them with an experience that makes everything they already do even more inspiring.

Providing greater balance within Rotary will have another benefit as well: It will create opportunities for other Rotarians, including Rotaractors, to step up and take a leadership role on projects and committees. This will ensure that they remain engaged in our clubs and inspired to be Rotarians for life.

Throughout the world, Rotary is admired for its vocational service and for the time-honored values we instill in all business relationships. As we continue our work to grow Rotary, let us remember that vocational service remains a crucial selling point to potential members.

Rotary Connects the World, and by making Rotary's vocational service work known to people in more professions and at different stages of their careers, we will help grow our organization and make it stronger and more diverse.

THE TRUSTEE'S MESSAGE

Gary C.K. Huang

JANUARY 2020

Something amazing happened in Vienna in October. A runner from Kenya named Eliud Kipchoge was the first person in history to run a marathon distance — 26.2 miles — in less than two hours.

For many years, experts thought this would be impossible. They said the human body was not capable of achieving this feat. But Kipchoge succeeded because he had an incredible team working with him. He had pacers who ran with him every step of the way, and people who made sure that he had the proper fuel and hydration. Every few miles, fresh runners were sent in to keep up the pace and help him reach his goal.



Like Eliud Kipchoge, Rotary has a great support team as we approach the final mile in our marathon journey to rid the world of polio. So many amazing Rotarians have helped pace this effort along the way, donating their time and energies to bring us close to our goal. The World Health Organization has certified type 3 of the wild poliovirus as eradicated. This is big news! We have also gone three years without any wild poliovirus on the continent of Africa. It may soon be certified polio-free.

The final mile of our journey is a difficult one. Pakistan and Afghanistan are great challenges for us — but we have met so many great challenges before. Every time a goal has seemed out of reach, Rotarians have stood together and answered the call. This is no time to lose our focus or to think the race is already over. Can you imagine what would have happened to Eliud Kipchoge if all of the pacers had gone home for the final 2 miles? He might never have reached his goal.

It takes a special character to pursue a difficult task all the way to the end. These are the times that we need each other most. In the *Tao Te Ching*, Laozi wrote that the journey of 1,000 miles begins with one step. But it also ends with one step. And those final steps take just as much courage as the first.

Let's make history, Rotary — the finish line is within reach!

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

Let's Celebrate



January 2
Rtn. Rhy Savariz



January 13
Rtn. Vicky Tan



January 21
Spouse Grace Vicente



January 16
PP Nonoy & Spouse Myrna Garcia



January 28
PP Rolan & Spouse Nene Alajar

January 20
Rtn Alvin & Spouse Gina Valerio

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Thanksgiving Dinner
March 6, 2020 | 6:00 pm
Cebu Grand Convention Center
Attire: Formal Chinese-inspired

24th General Membership Meeting & Fellowship

January 9, 2020 | EMR Center, Koronadal City



Board Meeting

January 16, 2020 | EMR Center, Koronadal City

