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Water and
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Economic and
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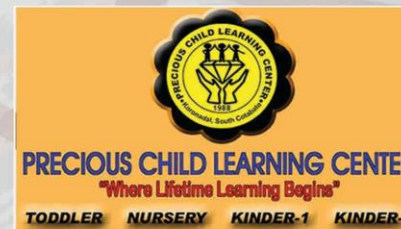


PP Antonio M. Vicente



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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

33rd General Membership Meeting and Fellowship

PROGRAMME

I. Registration and Dinner

II. General Membership Meeting

Call to Order	Pres. Philip Escueta
Invocation & National Anthem.....	Rtn. Ilah Labrador
Rotary Hymn	AVP
Four-Way Test and Object of Rotary.....	PAG Carlo Precioso
Acknowledgement of Visiting Rotarians	
Community Singing	PAG Gerry Cruz
Secretary’s Report/Updates	PE/Sec. Andy Atkins

Agenda:

- Updates re: March 6 Bloodletting Activity of Rotaract Club of Korbel
- Turnover of 11 units wheelchairs to DSWD Gensan on March 13, 2020
- Area 3FGH Sports Festival on April 2020
- Board Resolution nominating/endorsing PP Rolan Alajar to Koronadal City Water District BOD
- Other matters

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

III. Fellowship

Rtn. Rem Rivera
Moderator

MARCH: WATER AND SANITATION MONTH

PRAYER

O Lord who knows our need. Help us fulfill our Rotary Creed. We live to serve you every day
In all we think or do or say.
Accept our prayers for this wonderful fellowship.
Restore, Forgive, Inspire, and Heal us all and those who are at home. This we ask in Your most Holy Name, 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

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."
— Russ Swanson, Rotary Club of Portland, Oregon, 2011 Rotary Club member

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
"In the world you may be one person, but to one person you may be the world."
— Dr. Seuss

NOVEMBER IS ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH
EVERY ROTARIAN EVERY YEAR
"If we can conquer space, we can conquer childhood hunger."
— Bruce Aldrich

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 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." — Mrs. J. Edgar Hoover

JUNE IS ROTARY FELLOWSHIPS MONTH
"Don't adventures ever have an 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



Happy Thursday RC Marbel family!!

I. We are all invited tomorrow at DSWD Gensan Office, 3 PM in the afternoon, for the turnover of the wheelchairs that Area 3FGH purchased for selected PWD Recipients. Each club of Area 3FGH contributed 1 wheelchair, for a total of 11 units. More donations and pledges for wheelchairs are expected in order to aid more PWDs.

II. As discussed in our ACOM last Sunday March 8, a sportsfest is being organized. This is to be participated by Area 3FGH clubs, and is being spearheaded by Prexy Jing Montecillo. This would be an excellent way for us to bond with our fellow Rotarians in the area, as well as showing our physical skills in the spirit of friendly competition. This is to be held sometime in April. I will be updating our club when more information is available.

III. PP Rolan Alajar has declared that he is serious in his intent to be a nominee for the vacant CKWD BOD position. Let us support PP Rolan in this worthy endeavour to serve our community. We will be formalizing his nomination through a Board Resolution that will be submitted to the CKWD.

IV. Lastly, in light of the n-Cov situation particularly in Luzon, I am encouraging everyone to include our brothers and sisters in Luzon in our prayers that they may persevere through this predicament. Also, let us pray that the virus would not spread to Visayas and here in Mindanao. Let us also be vigilant and actively promote proper sanitation and hygiene, especially in social media, in hopes of limiting the spread if not totally preventing the infection.

Thank you to everyone for your continued participation in our regular meetings, and in your participation in our activities.

THE SECRETARY'S REPORT

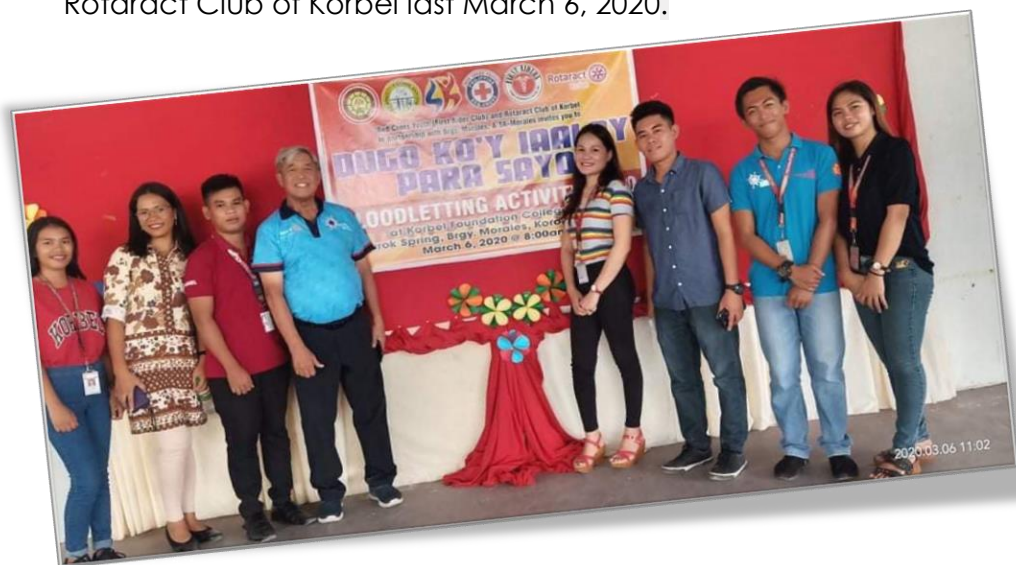
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- Greetings to those who already celebrated their birthdays – Rtn. Ian Fedoc, Rtn. Fr. Joean Paez, PAG Carlo Precioso, and Rtn. JM Daraug. Also, to the incoming birthdays of Rtn. Jay de Jesus, Spouse Henriette dela Peña and the wedding anniversaries of PP Tony and Spouse Grace and PAG Carlo and Spouse Trixy.

- In support to Pres. Philip's invitation, all members are enjoined to attend the Turnover/donation of Wheelchairs to the PWDs scheduled on March 13, 2020, 3:00 PM at the DSWD General Santos City. Attendees are expected to move off from Koronadal City earlier and please wear your club uniform.

- Thank you for the support extended to the Bloodletting Activity of the Rotaract Club of Korbel last March 6, 2020.



MARCH



March 4
Rtn. Ian Fedoc



March 7
Rtn. Fr. Joean Paez



March 8
PAG Carlo Precioso



March 9
Rtn. JM Daraug



March 14
Rtn. Jay de Jesus



March 23
Spouse Hen dela Peña



March 26
PP Tony & Spouse Grace Vicente



March 28
PAG Carlo & Spouse Trixy Precioso



**Adopt-a-Harelip Project 2020
(Medical/Surgical Mission with RC Johor Bahru)**

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

District Conference (DISCON) 2020

May 13-15, 2020 | Cebu Grand Convention Center, Cebu City

RI Convention 2020

June 6-10, 2020 | Honolulu, Hawaii

RC Marbel 41st Induction & Handover Ceremonies

August 8, 2020

2020 Singapore Rotary Institute

Zones 1B, 9, 10 (A,B,C)

December 4-6, 2020 | Suntec Singapore Convention & Exhibition Center
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RI PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Mark Daniel Maloney

MARCH 2020



March is the month we celebrate Rotaract — and this has been quite a year for our young partners in service.

Last spring, the Council on Legislation elevated Rotaract in our constitution: Rotary International is now the association of both Rotary clubs and Rotaract clubs. Then in October, the Rotary Board of Directors eliminated the artificial Rotaract age limit and took other steps to break down barriers that were preventing Rotaract from growing in some parts of the world.

These steps were long overdue, because Rotaract is a vision of what Rotary must become. Not only do we need to open our doors to our young colleagues, but we also have to open our ears and minds to the Rotary experience they find most engaging. That is one of the best ways we will meaningfully grow Rotary.

When I say grow Rotary, I mean it in many ways. We need to grow our service and to grow the impact of our projects. Most importantly, however, we need to grow our membership, so that we can achieve more. Rotaractors provide this opportunity, not only because they can transition to Rotary at the time that is right for them, but also because they understand what it will take to attract others like them.

Business as usual will not work for us anymore. Bringing in more members to replace the ones we lose is not the answer. It is like pouring more water into a bucket full of holes. We need to address the root causes of member loss in many parts of the world: member engagement that is not what it should be, and our member demographic that skews steadily older.

It is time to make some fundamental changes. We already know what the barriers are to an engaged and diverse membership. It is time to act on what we know: creating new membership models, opening new paths to Rotary membership, and building new Rotary and Rotaract clubs where the existing clubs do not meet a current need.

New club models represent an opportunity to connect with a more diverse group of individuals — particularly those who are unable or unwilling to join our traditional clubs. While new club models have been emerging for some time, it is up to district governors to make them a reality. In January at the International Assembly, our incoming district governors took part in an exercise called Build Your Own Club Model. It was a wonderful experience that put them in the right frame of mind for the work ahead.

Ultimately, however, it will be up to Rotaractors and young Rotarians to create new club models that are most meaningful to the next generation. We may think we know what young people want from Rotary clubs in the future, but I am confident that what young people say will surprise us. It will be our job to support their innovation, for it will help us grow Rotary as *Rotary Connects the World*.

THE TRUSTEE'S MESSAGE

Gary C.K. Huang

MARCH 2020

I like to quote Confucius at many Rotary events, because his ideas are so much like ours. Confucius would have been a great Rotarian. Take this Confucius quote, for example: "The failure to cultivate virtue, the failure to examine and analyze what I have learned, the inability to move toward righteousness after being shown the way, the inability to correct my faults — these are the causes of my grief."

If you turn the saying around to positive language, it sounds exactly like the first goal of the new Rotary Action Plan. When we talk about Rotary increasing our impact, we mean investing in relationships, making decisions grounded in evidence, mobilizing our resources to create solutions that last, and always learning from our experiences.

The Rotary Foundation already does this so well and will continue to be the best possible investment in a better world as the Action Plan is put into effect. Our global grants respond to real community needs. That's because we approve them only after a rigorous community assessment. Then the projects are tailored to the information uncovered during the assessment.

Now your Foundation is making a difference on a broader scale than ever through our programs of scale grants. These are competitive grants, designed to respond to a need that a community has identified. Programs of scale will benefit a large number of people in a significant geographic area. They will be sustainable, evidence-based interventions with measurable outcomes and impact. Each grant will support, for three to five years, activities that align with one or more of Rotary's areas of focus.

Programs of scale build on our experience in the eradication of polio, and we must never forget that we still have important work to do to eliminate this disease. When I visited Pakistan in November, I was overjoyed to see so many young Rotary leaders working hard for End Polio Now.

Wonderful things are happening with our global grants, and the Rotary Action Plan will help us do more than ever. Let us continue to cultivate virtue, examine and analyze what we learn, move toward righteousness based on our new knowledge, and keep improving everything we do.



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	MARINAS, 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