

# The CORE

Official Weekly Bulletin of the  
Rotary Club of Marbel (Koronadal)

Club No. 17121 \* Chartered June 30, 1980  
District 3860 | Philippines



**SERVE  
TO  
CHANGE  
LIVES**

Rotary Year 2021-2022



Meets every Thursday  
7:30 PM

# 5<sup>th</sup> General Membership Meeting

Precious Child Learning Center Waiting Area  
Martinez Block 2, Zone IV, Koronadal City, South Cotabato

## PROGRAMME

### I. Dinner and Registration

### II. Meeting Proper

Call to Order .....	Pres Evelyn Tampus
Invocation .....	AVP
National Anthem.....	AVP
Rotary Hymn .....	AVP
Four-Way Test and Object of Rotary .....	PP Carlo Precioso
Acknowledgement of Attendees .....	Master of Ceremony

Agenda:

- *Launching and MOU Signing of Kabataan Pahalagahan, Kalusugan Ating Pangalagaan Project*
- *Ceremonial Planting of Gualayan sa Ugsaran*
- *Other matters*

Discussion and open forum

Secretary's Report & Updates .....

Sec. Rhy Savariz

President's Time & Adjournment .....

Pres Evelyn Tampus

### III. Fellowship

PP Toto Dajay  
*Moderator*

## INVOCATION

Gracious God, help us to work together within Rotary so that we may do Your bidding on this earth. And let us say Amen. Merciful father, as we gather together as friends in the spirit of Rotary fellowship and service, we invoke Your blessings. ... Bless all who are in our prayers, and all who should be in our thoughts. Amen





## RI President's Message

Pres. Shekhar Mehta

AUGUST 2021

As we focus on membership in Rotary this month, I ask you to help make history this year. For more than 20 years, our membership has stood at 1.2 million. Rotary is a vibrant organization with a 116-year history, members in more than 220 countries and geographic areas, and a rich legacy of work in polio eradication and other humanitarian programs. Rotary has changed so much in our own lives and the lives of others. As we *Serve to Change Lives*, don't you think Rotary could have an even greater impact on the world if more people were practicing Service Above Self?

My vision is to increase Rotary membership to 1.3 million by July 2022, and the call to action is simple: Each One, Bring One. This year, I want every Rotarian and Rotaractor to introduce a new person into their club.

We are a membership organization, and members are our greatest asset. You are the ones who contribute so generously to The Rotary Foundation. You are the ones who dream big to bring good into the world through meaningful projects. And of course, you are the ones who have put the world on the brink of eradicating polio. As we make membership a priority this year, let us focus on diversity by reaching out to younger people and especially to women. Every club should celebrate its new members, and every Rotarian who sponsors a member will be personally recognized by me. And those who are successful in bringing in 25 or more members will be part of our new Membership Society.

Even as we share the gift of Rotary with others, let us be sure to engage these new members, because an engaged Rotarian is an asset forever. And remember that engaging our current members and keeping them in our clubs is just as important as bringing in newcomers. Let us also be ready to form new clubs, especially flexible ones. I am very bullish on clubs that hold virtual or hybrid meetings, and satellite clubs and cause-based clubs can also be very effective ways of growing Rotary.

As you *grow more*, you will be able to *do more*. Let us keep *empowering girls* through our work in each of the areas of focus. Scholarships for girls, toilets in schools, health and hygiene education — there is so much we can do. Projects focused on the environment are also attracting interest the world over. Do participate in these projects locally and internationally to make this world a better place for us and for all species.

Each of you is a Rotary brand ambassador, and all of the wonderful work done by Rotarians around the world needs to be shared outside the Rotary community. Use social media to tell your friends, colleagues, and relatives the stories of Service Above Self.

Finally, I'm challenging every club, during the coming year, to plan at least one Rotary Day of Service that will bring together volunteers from inside and outside Rotary and will celebrate and showcase the work of your club in your community. Visit [rotary.org](http://rotary.org) to find out more about all of these initiatives, along with other ways to *Serve to Change Lives*.

## Trustee Chair's Message

*John F. Germ*

**AUGUST 2021**

In August, we focus on membership — exploring ways we can expand Rotary's ranks and reach. As we form new clubs and answer RI President Shekhar Mehta's call of Each One, Bring One, let's consider how these efforts will have a positive impact at every level of our organization.

Rotary's two greatest assets are its members and The Rotary Foundation, and they are linked. Our organization is made up of more than 48,000 Rotary and Rotaract clubs, and without our dedicated club members, we can't perform service. Our members also carry out the Foundation's mission of doing good in the world, by working on grassroots projects and making contributions that support countless Foundation programs and grants.

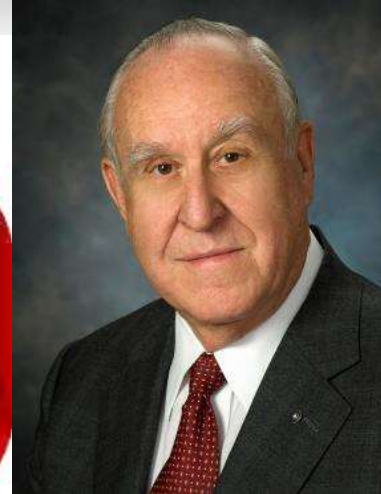
With more members in Rotary, the Foundation could do even more good in the world. We would have more hands to set up water, sanitation, and hygiene projects, so that more people could access clean water. We would have more minds to plan global grants projects that support prenatal services, so that more babies could live. We could fund more district grants that support literacy, so that more people could learn to read.

Today, roughly a third of our members actively support the Foundation through annual giving or other means. Imagine how we could extend Rotary's reach if we were to increase that engagement, even by just a little. More Rotarian contributions would mean additional funding for the Rotary Peace Centers, as well as more matched contributions to help eradicate polio, thanks to our partnership with the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

The Rotary Foundation is a powerful force that efficiently carries out impactful and sustainable projects around the world; Charity Navigator has recognized The Rotary Foundation with a four-star rating annually for 13 consecutive years. All Rotary members can be proud of this. And how great it would be if all Rotarians would support the Foundation in whatever way they could.

I have a simple request this month. Please take 10 minutes during your next club meeting to discuss ways to get more involved in the Foundation this year. It could be planning an online fundraiser to benefit the Foundation or partnering with other clubs for a global grant project.

Whatever you do, remember that our members — all of us — drive Rotary's efforts and sustain our Foundation.



## *Message from the Club President*

Pres. Evelyn P. Tampus

Wonderful day to all!

In our 4<sup>th</sup> regular meeting, happy to inform everyone that the 12,500.00 budget to support our next project focused on Maternal and Child Care was approved. This project will help the 9 identified severely malnourished children of Barangay Carpenter Hill and this initiative will be coordinated with the Local Government Unit of Koronadal City and Barangay Carpenter Hill. Our point person for the said project will be Rtn. Kano Adalin and Spouse Nancy Adalin. This will be the second project of the club after the successful Peace Initiative project dubbed as “Pag-asa sa Gitna ng Pandemya”.



We also tapped our very own spouse Dra. Emily “Miles” Rivera as resource speaker on COVID-19 update and the importance of vaccination. This is in line with the District’s campaign on COVID awareness. Attended were Rotarians, Spouses and Rotaractors to create awareness in each age group. It was a very informative presentation followed by the interactive discussions. Inquiries and hesitations were properly addressed by the speaker. It was a very productive night, indeed!

On Saturday, I am soliciting your support through your attendance on the launching and MOU signing for the supplemental feeding project and ceremonial planting for Gulayan sa Ugsaran. The activity will start at 9:00 in the morning and our City Mayor will grace also the occasion. And since we already have our new club uniform, it will be our uniform for August 28. Please be there!

Thank you.



## *The Secretary's Report*

ES Rhea E. Savariz

- A. 4<sup>th</sup> General Membership Meeting – August 12, 2021, 7:30 PM via Zoom  
Resource Speaker: Dr. Emily L. Rivera  
Topic: Updates on COVID-19 Cases in Region XII and Importance of Vaccination



- B. Attendance to Membership Seminar conducted by the District last August 14, 2021, 9AM-3PM via Zoom



**LIFE-CHANGING CLUB OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS**



**Janine Franchesca C. Pring**  
President-Elect/DTO



**Evelyn P. Tampus**  
President



**Ilah Marie L. Labrador**  
Vice President



**Andrew Robert W. Atkins**  
Protocol/IPP



**Francis Ian A. Fedoc**  
Auditor



**Rhea E. Savariz**  
Executive Secretary



**Nolito B. Prudencio**  
Treasurer



**Virgilio H. Adalin**  
DRRM



**Olimpío M. Par**  
Sergeant-at-Arms



**Philip Leonard T. Escueta**  
Club Administration



**Randy S. Baldeovar**  
Membership



**Carlo S. Precioso**  
Foundation



**Leween jan P. Santos**  
Service Project



**Maria Victoria C. Tan**  
Public Image



**Leandro Ador A. Dizon**  
Youth Service



**Rolan A. Alajar**  
Community Service



**Camilo L. Dajay**  
Vocational Service



**Alfredo E. dela Peña**  
International Service



**Josie J. Garcia**  
End Polio Coordinator



**Nida D. De Jesus**  
Fundraising Activities



**PDG Benjamin M. Garcia**



**PAG Gerry S. Cruz**



**PP Antonio M. Vicente**



**PP Benjamin M. Pajaro**

**ADVISERS:**

**SPOUSE  
COORDINATORS**



**Celestina D. Alajar**  
Community Service



**Amabelle Sharon V. Santos**  
Service Projects



**Theresa G. Baldeovar**  
Service Projects



**Maria Henrietta C. dela Peña**  
Fundraising Activities

## CLUB PILLARS (1980-2020)

<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 <sup>+</sup>	"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 <sup>+</sup>	"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"
2019-2020	Philip Leonard "Philip" T. Escueta	"Rotary Connects the World"
2020-2021	Andrew Robert "Andy" W. Atkins	"Rotary Opens Opportunities"



## 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	CEREZO, 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, Nida, PHF	Fuel Sales & Distribution	-
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	ESCUETA, Philip Leonard T. , PHF	Human Resource	N/A
16	ESPEJO, Cezario Joel C.	Gov. Service-Social Welfare & Dev.	-
17	ESPERO, Jomer M.	Sales Handling-Online	-
18	FEDOC, Francis Ian A., PHF	Public Utilities-Electric	Ivy
19	FRESCO, Baltazar Jr. A., PHF	Water Management	Arlene
20	GARCIA, Arnold G., PHF	Auto Parts & Services	Myrna
21	GARCIA, Benjamin M., Major Donor Level 2	Telecommunication	Virginia, MD+2
22	GARCIA, Jason Anthony Y., PHF+2	Transportation-Bus	MarieneL
23	GARCIA, Josie J., PHF+1	Distribution – Veterinary Products	Gerry
24	GUYOS, Alexander G.	Educational Services-Youth	-
25	JAVELLANA, Lemuel	IT Services	Kristine
26	LABRADOR, Ilah Marie L.	Government Banking	N/A
27	LAY, Eduardo C., PHF+1	Medicine, IM/Internist	Melba, PHF
28	LEE, Wilson C.	General Merchandising	-
29	LORICO, Michael Joseph J., PHF	Legal Services	Maria Janina
30	MARIÑAS, Lorenzo B., PHF	Farm Management	Elsa
31	PACLAR, Chris Paolo	Banking-Commercial	-
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	SANTOS, Leween Jan P., PHF+1	Distribution - Paint	Amabelle Sharon
40	SAVARIZ, Rhea E.	Gov. Service-Technical Education	Jay
41	TAMPUS, Evelyn P., PHF	Banking-Universal	Frederick
42	TAN, Charles Andrew C.	IT Management	Quennie
43	TAN, David C.	Motorcycle Distribution	-
44	TAN, Maria Victoria C., PHF	Distribution - Motorcycle	Reynaldo
45	TAN, Mark Anthony C., PHF	Distribution - Motorcycle	-
46	VALERIO, Keith Alvin, PHF+1	Distribution – Agricultural Products	Gina
47	VICENTE, Antonio M., PHF+2	Distribution - Paint	Grace, PHF



AS of August 12, 2021

## THE FOUR-WAY TEST

*Of the things we think, say or do*

Is it the **TRUTH**?

Is it **FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED**?

Will it **BUILD GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?

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.

# Let's Celebrate!

## AUGUST



August 1  
Spouse Myrna ,Garcia



August 8  
PAG Gerry Cruz



August 17  
Spouse Fhar Dizon



August 22  
Rtn Janine Pring

## Rotary Hymn



I want to be a Rotarian for the world,  
Make the Rotary flag be a flag of peace unfurled;  
I will serve my community,  
Help to seek international unity.  
Through Rotary, I will dedicate my all,  
World understanding shall be my cherished goal.

**Refrain:** With the Four Way Test  
I will pursue my quest  
And if I, in a way help obtain  
Peace in the world  
Then I won't have lived in vain.

I'll observe service above self,  
Lend a hand to all who need my help;  
I'll get my spouse to involve in Rotary  
And in Rotary ways I will train my family.



**Refrain:** With the Four Way Test  
We'll pursue our quest  
And if we, in a way help obtain  
Peace in the world  
Then we won't have lived in vain.



Build a bridge for tomorrow's youth,  
Strengthened by nothing but the truth;  
Let's join our hands, there's no reason to divide.  
We shall all understand, while the good Lord is our  
guide.

**Refrain:** With the Four Way Test  
We'll pursue our quest  
And if we, in a way help obtain  
Peace in the world  
Then we won't have lived in vain.

Peace be achieved,  
So we won't have lived in vain.

## ENJOY ROTARY!

Rotary Club of Marbel Original Theme Song  
(Lyrics: PP Camilo Dajay, Composer: Ryan Gazo)

When life becomes short and complicated  
When all you see is poverty and misery  
When you are bored and discontented  
And your days seem cold and dreary  
It's time to get up, move on and make new friends  
The joy of serving others  
Is felt by each Rotarian  
Come take your place under the sun  
Join us and have so much fun

If you want to be happy  
Join Rotary  
If you want to be loved  
Embrace Rotary  
If you want peace and harmony  
Serve with Rotary

The Rotary Club of Marbel  
Our home  
Our passion  
Our family  
All for the service of humanity

Rotary Club of Marbel  
Rotary Club of Marbel  
Rotary!



## ROTARY OBSERVATION MONTHS



### AREAS OF FOCUS



WATER, SANITATION AND HYGIENE



PEACEBUILDING AND CONFLICT PREVENTION



BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY



MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH



COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT



DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT



ENVIRONMENT