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Marbel



# *The* **CORE**

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# 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.

## ROTARY CODE OF CONDUCT

- 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 behaviour that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians
- Help maintain a harassment-free environment in Rotary meetings, events, and activities, report any suspected harassment, and help ensure non-retaliation to those individuals that report harassment



# 12<sup>th</sup> General Membership Meeting and Fellowship

## PROGRAM FLOW

**PART I. Registration, and Dinner**

**PART II. General Membership Meeting**

Call to Order

**Rtn. JANINE FRANCESCA C. PRING, PHF**  
President, RY 2024-2025

Invocation

Overture

Philippine National Anthem

Overture

Rotary Hymn

Overture

Four Way Test and Object of Rotary

**Acknowledgement of Guests and Club Members**

Secretary's Report

**Rtn. BALTAZAR A. FRESCO, JR., PHF**  
President-Elect, RY 2025-2026

**Agenda:**

1. Book Donation Drive 2024
2. Move to End Polio on October 19
3. Breast Cancer Awareness Activity on October 26
4. Governor's Night on October 30
5. Dates to Remember
6. Other Matters

**Open Forum**

**Adjournment**

**Rtn. JANINE FRANCESCA C. PRING, PHF**  
President, RY 2024-2025

**PART III. Fellowship**





## Invocation

Loving Almighty Father, as we gather today for our 12th General Membership Meeting, we pause to express our gratitude for the gift of fellowship and service. Thank you for the strength of our community and the dedication of each member present.

We ask for Your guidance in our discussions and decisions. Grant us wisdom to make choices that reflect our commitment to service and the betterment of our community. May our hearts be open to collaboration, understanding, and support for one another.

Help us to remain steadfast in our mission to uplift those in need and to embody the spirit of Rotary in all our endeavors. Bless our efforts and inspire us to continue making a positive impact.

In Your name, we pray.



The foundation upon which Rotary  
is built is friendship; on no less firm  
foundation could it have stood.

— Paul P. Harris —



# Presidential Message

## Stephanie A. Urchick Rotary International President 2024-25



With World Polio Day on 24 October, I'm proudly rooting for Rotary as we team up around the world to End Polio Now.

I had the honor of attending a Strike Out Polio event in July at PNC Park, home of the Pittsburgh Pirates MLB team. The Rotary Club of Delmont-Salem hosted the event, which raised \$1.3 million for PolioPlus.

Later in the summer, I joined members of our Rotary family in supporting the Más Millas Menos Polio (More Miles Less Polio) bike ride. Felipe Meza Chávez and his team rode all the way from Ciudad Juárez, Mexico, to One Rotary Center in Evanston, Illinois, to raise money and awareness. The ride took 12 days, and Felipe and his team collected more than \$100,000 to support the fight against polio. It was a joy to greet them as they arrived in Evanston.

And I was thrilled to see Team End Polio raise global awareness around the 2024 Paris Olympics. This world-class roster of athletes, global leaders, and polio eradication supporters came together to advocate for a world where no child has to live in fear of being paralyzed by polio. Some of the athletes on Team End Polio are polio survivors themselves, adding weight to their advocacy.

These are just a few examples of the many ways Rotary has teamed up recently to End Polio Now. It is vital that we continue to seek out and recruit teammates in polio eradication, especially after the challenges our eradication efforts have faced this year.

The Rotary world was heartbroken to learn about the tragic passing in August of Aidan O'Leary, director for polio eradication at the World Health Organization.

I knew Aidan and worked with him directly. He was a tireless advocate in the fight against polio and a kind, genuine man. We will remember him both for his advocacy and his warmth.

But where there is hardship, there is also hope. I feel hopeful whenever I consider the countless ways Rotary supports the fight every day to eradicate polio.

As people of action, we don't have the luxury of giving in to despair, even in the face of tragedy. The best way to honor Aidan's memory is by teaming up and reaching our goal to End Polio Now.

We made a promise to the children of the world and their families. It is incumbent upon us, together with our global partners, to end this threat once and for all.

There are so many ways we can team up to eradicate polio. You can donate to the End Polio Now campaign, join or initiate a PolioPlus Society in your club or district, or take inspiration from the fundraisers I mentioned above.

I encourage Rotary members around the world to continue to seek out new teammates, so that together, we end polio.





# *Message from the* **Club President**

**Rtn. Janine Francesca C. Pring, PHF**

**My RC Marbel Family:**

**I want to take a moment to express my heartfelt gratitude for your tireless support and commitment to our club and its initiatives. Your dedication makes a profound difference in our community.**

**As we embark on our Book Donation Drive 2024, I encourage each of you to not only participate but to also reach out to your family and friends for their support. Together, we can inspire a love of reading and learning in those who need it most.**

**I would also like to extend a warm thank you to those who have generously sponsored the upcoming Move to End Polio event on October 19, 2024, in General Santos City. The proceeds from this event will be split, with 50% going to our club and the remaining 50% benefiting Areas 3FGH. Your support in this initiative is crucial as we work together to eradicate polio.**

**Additionally, I invite you to join us for the Breast Cancer Awareness Activity on October 26, 2024, at Robinson's Place, General Santos City. Your participation will help raise awareness and show support for those affected by this disease.**

**During the recent Areas 3FGH Committee Meeting, the Assistant Governors together with the Club Presidents and Secretaries discussed exciting details for the Governor's Night on October 30, 2024. We will keep you posted on updates as they become available.**

**Please remember these important dates, and let's continue to stand united in our mission to serve and uplift our community.**

**Thank you once again for all that you do!**





# The Secretary's Report

Rtn. Baltazar A. Fresco, Jr., PHF



I am pleased to inform you that the report for the month of September 2024 for the Rotary Club Central and District website has been successfully encoded and submitted. For the RI report, out of 17 goals, we already achieved 13. This important step reflects our ongoing commitment to transparency and accountability within our club.

Please see the screenshot below for your reference.

Monthly Report Dashboard

Club Details

Club Name: Marbel (Koronadal) | Rotary Year: 2024

J. C. Pring, President | B. A. F. Jr., Secretary

Monthly Reports

- July 2024: Latest: July 11, 2024 10:49 PM
- August 2024: Latest: August 10, 2024 10:07 PM
- September 2024: Latest: September 12, 2024 3:09 AM ✓

Date Conducted	Photo	Activity Type	Facebook Link	Attendees	Held at	Created By
September 1, 2024		Club Admin - DC		57	Online/Social Media	B. A. F. Jr.
September 3, 2024		Meetings - Others ( Club, Board, Partner, Induction, Gov Visit, Etc... )		18	Moonplate Resto and Grill, Koronadal City	B. A. F. Jr.
September 7, 2024		Meetings - Others ( Club, Board, Partner, Induction, Gov Visit, Etc... )		10	Acacia Hotel, Davao City	B. A. F. Jr.
September 12, 2024		Meetings - Others ( Club, Board, Partner, Induction, Gov Visit, Etc... )		19	Moonplate Resto and Grill, Koronadal City	B. A. F. Jr.
September 14, 2024		Meetings - ACOM/Council		3	Cinco Ninas Resto, Koronadal City	B. A. F. Jr.
September 17, 2024		Meetings - Others ( Club, Board, Partner, Induction, Gov Visit, Etc... )		5	Online/Zoom	B. A. F. Jr.
September 19, 2024		Meetings - Others ( Club, Board, Partner, Induction, Gov Visit, Etc... )		23	Moonplate Resto and Grill, Koronadal City	B. A. F. Jr.
September 21, 2024		District Wide Rotary Days of Service - District Wide - Environmental Project - DC		18	Sito Niga Bango, Barangay Saravia, Koronadal City	B. A. F. Jr.
September 21, 2024		Meetings - Others ( Club, Board, Partner, Induction, Gov Visit, Etc... )		24	Isla Jardin Del Mar, Glan, Sarangani	B. A. F. Jr.
September 24, 2024		Public Image - Rotary Video Story - DC		30	Social Media/Online	B. A. F. Jr.
September 26, 2024		Meetings - Others ( Club, Board, Partner, Induction, Gov Visit, Etc... )		11	Moonplate Resto and Grill, Koronadal City	B. A. F. Jr.

Club Goals

- Global Summary
- Trends
- Service Projects
- Resources
- Reports

## Club Goals

Choose and set the goals your club will focus on and track progress.

## Rotary Club of Marbel (Koronadal)

13 of 17 Achievement

< 2024-25 >

Enhance Participant Engagement | Increase our Impact | Expand Our Reach | Increase Our Ability to Adapt | All



# Club History

## Decades of Service Above Self

The origins of the Rotary Club of Marbel trace back to Attorney Paul Harris's vision for camaraderie among business associates, who initially convened in downtown Chicago. After rotating meeting locations, they formalized into what would become the Rotary Club - an international organization dedicated to service and fellowship, encapsulated in its motto: "Service Above Self."



As Rotary expanded globally, members pooled their talents and resources to serve their communities. Today, there are over 46,000 member clubs worldwide, comprising 1.4 million Rotarians - neighbors, friends, and community leaders - who work collaboratively to foster positive, lasting change globally.

Initially established as the sole Rotary Club in Marbel municipality (now the City of Koronadal), the Rotary Club of Koronadal identified opportunities for expansion. Under the leadership of the late Rey Tolosa, Extension Committee Chair and Past President (PP), the club aimed to establish or sponsor another Rotary club in the growing city. In mid-1979, they began recruiting young, dynamic professionals to join this new initiative.

On June 30, 1980, Rotary International (RI) approved the establishment of the Rotary Club of Marbel. Charter President, the late Gerardo Calaliman, led the club through its formative years, establishing a name synonymous with respect and prestige, emblematic of all Rotary Clubs. Over the years, the club welcomed diverse new members, irrespective of religion, gender, or political affiliation.

The club's impactful initiatives span a wide array of projects aimed at enhancing community welfare, including medical, dental, and surgical missions; literacy programs; feeding schemes; career orientation for graduating high school students; anti-bullying campaigns; "I Love English" initiatives; establishment of Adopt-a-Day Care Centers; support for the school for the deaf at Koronadal Central Elementary School 1; annual December gift-giving and feeding programs; breast cancer awareness campaigns; bloodletting activities; End Polio initiatives; and various environmental projects such as tree planting in mountain areas like Lake Sebu and Koronadal City, and coastal clean-ups along Sarangani Bay, General Santos City, and B'lok Creek, in collaboration with different national and local government and private agencies. The club actively participates in One Rotary, One District activities and area-wide projects, amplifying its impact across broader communities.

The Rotary Club of Marbel has also nurtured youth leadership through its sponsorship of the Rotaract Club of Notre Dame of Marbel University in 1988 and the establishment of the Interact Club of Koronadal National Comprehensive High School (KNCHS) in 2014. In 2018-2019, the club expanded its youth initiatives with the formation of the school-based Rotaract Club of Korbel and the Interact Club of Korbel. During the challenging times of the pandemic in 2021, the club pioneered the establishment of the community-based Rotaract Club of Marbel, comprising young professionals committed to service and community development.

In dedication to expanding influence and promoting collaboration for the advancement of humanity, the Rotary Club of Marbel forged sisterhood agreements with the Rotary Club of Japan and the Rotary Club of Singapore, represented by Past President Dr. Oliver Henedige. Upon Dr. Henedige's return to the Philippines, he introduced Dr. Angamuthu Rajoo, Past President of the Rotary Club of Johor Bahru (Malaysia) in District 3310, which later became a sister club. In the Rotary Year 2018-2019, a sisterhood agreement was also signed with the Rotary Club of Alabang LAMPARA through the then President, Atty. Elbert S. Cruz. In 2024, another sisterhood agreement was inked with the Rotary Club of Cheonan West from South Korea under District 3620. These initiatives signify auspicious beginnings for the relationship between the clubs.



The Rotary Club of Marbel has proudly received multiple grants from The Rotary Foundation (TRF). These include a notable Adopt-a-Harelip Project in collaboration with the Rotary Club of Johor Bahru, as well as initiatives for Vitamin A supplementation and cataract operations. Additionally, the club has benefited from World Community Service projects supported by District 2790 in Chiba, Japan. These projects encompass activities such as school building construction, feeding programs, literacy initiatives, water supply and sanitation improvements, and further cataract and harelip surgeries. In 2024, the Water for Schools Project of the Rotary Club of Cheonan West provided safe and clean drinking water to the selected schools.

In partnership with international and national medical societies, the club has organized impactful medical and dental missions serving indigent communities in South Cotabato. These efforts were recognized as the Most Outstanding Project by District 3860. Furthermore, the club has earned numerous exceptional awards, including the Rotary International Citation, underscoring its unwavering dedication to community improvement and service. These prestigious awards from Rotary International and District 3860 reflect the esteemed reputation it has cultivated within the community - an undeniable testament to achieving its goals and acknowledging its significant contributions as one of the outstanding civic organizations in the community.

Beyond its renowned service projects, the club has made significant contributions to The Rotary Foundation (TRF). A milestone was reached with the creation of its first Paul Harris Fellow (PHF), Rotarian Benjamin M. Garcia, in the Rotary Year 1994-1995. Additionally, the club takes pride in his achievement as the first District 3860 Governor from the club and served for the Rotary Year 2018-2019 under the RI Theme "Be the Inspiration." Through his generous donations to the Foundation, he became the club's first TRF Benefactor and reached Major Donor Level 2. Since then, annual contributions to TRF have become customary, leading to the club's recognition as a Paul Harris Fellow (PHF) Club in 2018 - a tradition of generosity that continues steadfastly today.

The strength of the Rotary Club of Marbel lies in each member's unwavering commitment to the motto 'Service Above Self' and in fostering a sense of unity within the Rotary Club of Marbel family. Whether celebrating successes through collaborative club projects or supporting each other during personal hardships, their bond remains resilient. Recognizing that maintaining membership retention is crucial for a strong foundation, continuous membership development ensures the club's enduring legacy.

The club takes pride in its members who are distinguished leaders not only in their respective professions or businesses but also in their passionate dedication to Rotary service, enriching the community through their diverse contributions.

Over 44 years, the club has dedicated time, effort, and resources to uplift those most in need, making a meaningful impact through countless projects benefiting the less fortunate members of their community.

The Rotary Club of Marbel demonstrates unwavering commitment to service. It remains steadfast in its mission to inspire and transform lives, showcasing the spirit of Rotary. Together, they envision a future where their service continues to make a profound difference in the world.







# October Celebrators

Happy Birthday!



October 7

Spouse Miles Rivera



October 8

Spouse Nemia Cruz



October 8

Spouse Trixy Precioso



October 8

Rtn. Ralph  
Calibang



October 9

AG Evelyn Tampus



October 9

PP Leween Santos



October 17

Spouse Babes Pajaro



October 18

Rtn. Cyrille Cerezo



October 18

Spouse Babie Santos



October 27

PP Philip Escueta



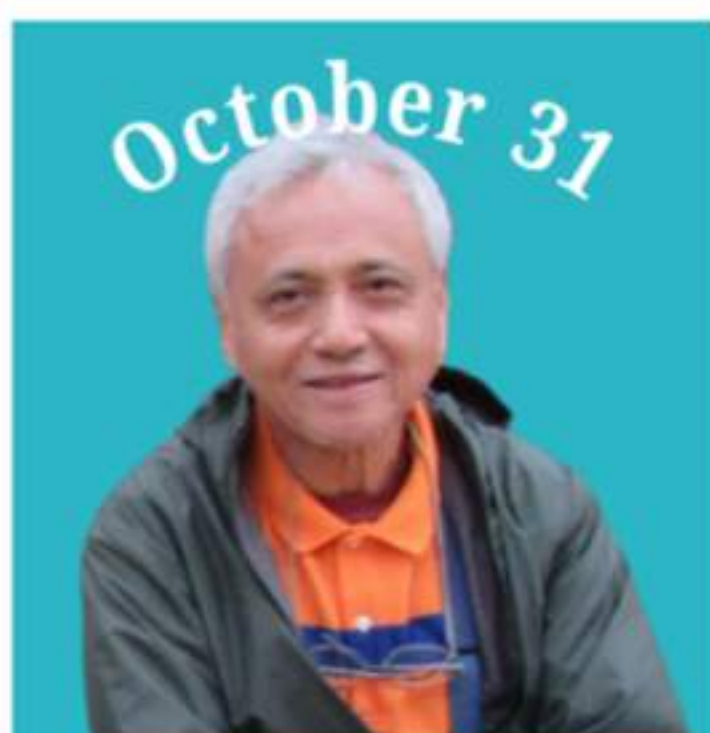
October 29

Spouse Manel Garcia



October 30

PAG Randy Baldeovar



October 31

Spouse Rey Tan

Happy  
Anniversary!



October 5

PAG Jay Garcia & Spouse  
Manel



October 10

Rtn. Rem Rivera &  
Spouse Miles



# Officers & Directors



**Janine C. Pring**  
Club President



**Ilah L. Labrador**  
Vice President &  
Immediate Past  
President



**Baltazar A. Fresco**  
Secretary /  
President-Elect



**Rhea E. Savariz**  
Executive Secretary



**Nolito B. Prudencio**  
Treasurer



**Francis Ian A. Fedoc**  
Auditor / Club  
Learning Officer



**Evelyn P. Tampus**  
Protocol



**Virgilio H. Adalin**  
Sgt. At Arms



**Alfredo E. Dela Pena**  
Disaster Risk  
Reduction  
Management /  
International  
Relations



**Randy S. Baldeovar**  
Club Administration



**Carlo S. Precioso**  
Foundation



**Jessie P. Cruz**  
Membership





## Officers & Directors



**Alexander G. Guyos**  
Public Image



**Daniel Norr G. Bumaras**  
Digital Transformation



**Leween Jan P. Santos**  
Service Project



**Louie O. Bernardo**  
Community Service



**Jason Anthony Y. Garcia**  
Youth Service



**Rolan A. Alajar**  
Vocational Service



**Maria Victoria C. Tan**  
End Polio Coordinator



**Nida D. De Jesus**  
Fund Raising  
Activities Chair

## Advisers



**PDG Benjamin M. Garcia**



**PAG Gerardo S. Cruz**



**PP Antonio M. Vicente**



**PP Benjamin D. Pajaro**





LABRADOR, ILAH  
MARIE L., PHF<sup>\*1</sup>

Government Banking



LAY, EDUARDO C.,  
PHF<sup>\*2</sup>

Spouse: **Melba**, PHF

Medicine - IM/Internist



LUBATON, AIDEE  
VONND.

Spouse: **Jessica**

School Administration-  
Higher Education



PAEZ, FR. JOSE  
ANTONIO CATOLICO,  
PHF

Religion



PAJARO, BENJAMIN  
D., PHF<sup>\*1</sup>

Spouse: **Amelia**

Medicine - ENT



PEPILLO, STEFANIE  
CHARISSE D.

Government Banking



PRECIOSO, CARLO S.,  
PHF<sup>\*4</sup>

Spouse: **Trixy**, PHF

School Administration  
- Primary



PRING, JANINE  
FRANCESCA C., PHF

BPO - IT



PRUDENCIO, NOLITO B.,  
PHF

Spouse: **Elsa**

Banking-Commercial



RIVERA, REMEGIO,  
JR. D., PHF

Spouse: **Emily**

Medicine - General  
Surgery



SADIANG-ABAY,  
RIONELEAN N.

Restaurant-Management



SANTOS, LEWEEN JAN  
P., PHF<sup>\*1</sup>

Spouse: **Amabelle  
Sharon**

Distribution - Paint



SAVARIZ, RHEA E.

Spouse: **Jay**

Government Service -  
Higher Education



TAMPUS, EVELYN P.,  
PHF<sup>\*1</sup>

Spouse: **Frederick**

Banking-Universal



TAN, DAVID C.

Distribution-Motorcycle



TAN, MARIA VICTORIA  
C., PHF

Spouse: **Reynaldo**

Distribution-Motorcycle



TUDIO, TIARA  
BEBONEY A.

Governmental  
Agencies



VALERIO, KEITH ALVIN,  
PHF<sup>\*1</sup>

Spouse: **Gina**

Distribution -  
Agricultural Products



VALERA, TWINKLE  
ANN R.

Education-Primary



VALERO, SHEENA  
FANTILANO

Government Service -  
Legal



VICENTE, ANTONIO M.,  
PHF<sup>\*4</sup>

Spouse: **Grace**, PHF

## ROSTER OF MEMBERS



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ADALIN, VIRGILIO H.,  
PHF

Spouse: **Nancy**

Dentistry



ALAJAR, ROLANA A.,  
PHF\*3

Spouse: **Celestina,**  
PHF+1

Optometry



BALDEOVAR, RANDY  
S., PHF

Spouse: **Theresa**

Life Insurance



BANTUG, MARK MARIE  
G., PHF\*6

Spouse: **Elizabeth,**  
PHF

Chemical Sales &  
Distribution



BERNARDO, LOUIE O.

Spouse: **Sherryl**

Banking - Commercial



BUMARAS, DANIEL  
NORR G., PHF

Spouse: **Ann**

Architecture



CALIBANG, RALPH  
GRAYSON A.

Government Banking



CEREZO, MA. CYRILLE  
U., PHF\*2

Medicine - Nephrology



CHIU, CHRISTIAN  
VALEEN R., PHF

Spouse: **Jillian**

Distribution - IT



CRUZ, GERARDO S.,  
PHF\*2

Spouse: **Tessie, PHF**

Management Services



CRUZ, JESSIE P., PHF\*3

Spouse: **Nemia**

Pawnshop  
Management



DAJAY, CAMILO L., PHF

Spouse: **Gertrudes**

Medicine - General  
Surgery



DE JESUS, NIDA D.,  
PHF\*2

Fuel Sales &  
Distribution



DELA PEÑA, ALFREDO  
E., MAJOR DONOR  
LEVEL 1

Spouse: **Maria  
Henrietta, PHF**

Real Estate Development



ESCUETA, PHILIP  
LEONARD T., PHF

Government Service -  
Social Welfare



FEDOC, FRANCIS IAN A.,  
PHF\*1

Spouse: **Ivy**

Public Utilities-Electric



FRESCO, BALTAZAR  
JR. A., PHF

Spouse: **Arlene**

Water Management



GARCIA, JASON  
ANTHONY Y., PHF\*2

Spouse: **Marienel**

Transportation Services  
- Bus



GARCIA, JOSIE J., PHF\*1

Spouse: **Gerry**

Distribution -  
Veterinary Products



GUYOS, ALEXANDER G.

Governmental  
Agencies



GARCIA, BENJAMIN M., MAJOR DONOR LEVEL 3, BENEFACTOR

Spouse: **Virginia, Major Donor Level 3**

Telecommunication Services



# Spouses Officers



**Marinel T. Garcia**  
President



**Trixy G. Precioso**  
Vice President



**Arlene L. Fresco**  
Secretary



**Elsa M. Prudencio**  
Treasurer



**Maria Henrietta  
C. Dela Pena**  
Auditor



**Celestina D.  
Alajar**  
Community Service



**Amabelle Sharon  
V. Santos**  
Service Projects



**Theresa G.  
Baldeovar**  
Community Service



**Grace V. Vicente**  
Fund Raising



# Documented Photos

SEPTEMBER 26, 2024 | 11TH GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING AND FELLOWSHIP







# Call for Support!

Rotary  
District 3860

THE MAGIC  
OF ROTARY

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS:  
EARLY DETECTION SAVES LIVES

26 Oct  
2024

JOIN NOW

## pink zumba for a cause

STARTS AT  
05:00  
AM

**Registration**  
Zumba: Php100  
Pink Zumba Shirt: Php350

**FB Page**  
Rotary Club of Greater  
General Santos

**Venue**  
Robinsons Mall, General Santos City

PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO BREAST CANCER ORGANIZATIONS

Area 3F	Area 3G	Area 3H
RC General Santos RC Midtown GenSan RC Pulmolok 101 RC Simsan Tuna Port	RC Metro Dadiangas RC Dadiangas RC Greater General Santos RC Uptown General Santos	Rotary Club of Central Palomok Rotary Club of Koronadal Rotary Club of Koronadal Central Rotary Club of Marbel Rotary Club of Metro Koronadal

## BOOK DONATION DRIVE

INSPIRING YOUNG MINDS:  
SHARING STORIES,  
SHAPING FUTURES

## MOVE TO END POLIO

OCTOBER 19, 2024 | 3AM

START/FINISH VENUE:  
OVAL PLAZA GYM, MATALAM ST,  
GENERAL SANTOS CITY, SOUTH COTABATO

3K PHP 500  
RUN: SHIRT, RACEBIB, WATER,  
SNACKS & FINISHER'S MEDAL

5K PHP 650  
RUN: SHIRT, RACEBIB, WATER,  
SNACKS & FINISHER'S MEDAL

BIB ONLY PHP 50 (STUDENTS)  
PHP 100 (PROFESSIONALS)

25K PHP 800  
BIKE: SHIRT, RACEBIB, WATER,  
SNACKS & FINISHER'S MEDAL

40K PHP 1000  
BIKE: SHIRT, RACEBIB, WATER,  
SNACKS & FINISHER'S MEDAL

PROCEEDS WILL BE USED FOR COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECTS AND ROTARY'S END POLIO CAMPAIGN

REGISTER HERE: [HTTPS://ENDPOLIO.ROTARYMARBEL.COM/REGISTER](https://endpolio.rotarymarbel.com/register)



## Rotaract Club Officers (RY 2024-2025) COMMUNITY-BASED



**James Darel C. Dignadice**  
Club President



**April Gene A. Balajera**  
Vice President



**Jeffrey D. Tapiculin**  
Secretary



**Xerxes John R. Aguilar**  
Assistant Secretary



**Vhince R. Baltores**  
Treasurer



**Hilda Mae D. Dolaus**  
Auditor



**Jaj Honahlee Minion**  
Professional Service  
Chair



**Rica Mae D. Hurtado**  
Protocol/Club  
Learning Facilitator



**Kevin Dave R. Conejos**  
Membership Chair



**Maclaine Mia Yonnick F. Demegillo**  
Foundation Chair



**Justine C. Bestuer**  
Public Image Chair



**Victoria Jelly D. Trinidad**  
Assistant Public  
Image Chair



**Cherry Ferolino**  
End Polio Chair



**Dan Kendrick L. Artil**  
Editor in Chief (Club  
Newsletter)

## Rotaract Club Officers (RY 2024-2025) SCHOOL-BASED



**Janice P. Liston**  
Club President



**Melody F. Agulan**  
Vice President



**Novie B. Cabero**  
Secretary



**Christine Jae P. Tayong**  
Treasurer



**Lord C. Sison**  
Auditor



**Chlaryz Faye C. Clarito**  
PIO



**Sherwin A. Alimbutod**  
Public Image Chair



**Merly S. Sacopla**  
Membership Chair



# Rotary Observation Months

**JULY IS**

**NEW LEADERSHIP MONTH**

*True leaders don't create followers, they create new leaders.*

Rotary www.rotary.org

**AUGUST IS**

**MEMBERSHIP & NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT MONTH**

*"Rotary's strength lies in the sincerity of purpose of its members."*  
Ester Lindstrom, Rotary Club of Portland, Oregon - 1921 Rotary Convention

Rotary **EACH ROTARIAN REACH ONE, KEEP ONE** www.rotary.org

**SEPTEMBER IS**

**BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY MONTH**

*"Education is a social process. Education is growth. Education is not a preparation for life; education is life itself."*  
John Dewey

Rotary TAKE ACTION: Join Rotary, Get Involved

**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

Rotary www.rotary.org

**NOVEMBER IS**

**ROTARY FOUNDATION MONTH**

*"Clean water, the essence of life and a birthright for everyone, must become available to all people now"*  
Jean Michel Coateau

**EVERY ROTARIAN EVERY YEAR**

**BECAUSE WE CARE MAKE A CONTRIBUTION, BE THE DIFFERENCE**

Rotary

**DECEMBER IS**

**DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT MONTH**

*Disease prevention and treatment takes on many forms, supporting studies to helping immunize people to improving drinking water and the sanitation infrastructure.*

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**JANUARY IS**

**VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH**

*"Of all the hundred and one ways in which men can make themselves useful to society, undoubtedly the most available and often the most effective are within the spheres of their own occupations."*  
Paul P. Harris

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**FEBRUARY IS**

**PEACE AND CONFLICT PREVENTION/ RESOLUTION MONTH**

*"Peace is not the absence of conflict but the presence of creative alternatives for responding to conflict - alternatives to passive or aggressive responses, alternatives to violence."*  
Dorothy Thompson

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**MARCH DESIGNATION IS**

**WATER AND SANITATION MONTH**

*"Clean water..... is a basic need for human beings. When people, especially children, have access to clean water, they live healthier and more productive lives."*

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**APRIL DESIGNATION IS**

**MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH MONTH**

*"What is the value of the life of one child saved? No one will ever know, but if the child were our own, the price tag would be marked: Not for sale - this life is invaluable."*  
1979-80 James L. Bomar Jr

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**MAY IS**

**YOUTH SERVICE MONTH**

*"We cannot talk about the future without talking about children. They are our future."*  
Philip James L. Lacy 1998-99

Rotary **YOUTH SERVICE** www.rotary.org

**JUNE DESIGNATION IS**

**ROTARY FELLOWSHIPS MONTH**

*"What binds Rotarians together is a unity of desire and a unity of purpose to serve society and to serve mankind, a unity in diversity."*  
Past RI President C.P.H. Tenstra 1983-86

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2003-2004		"Lend a Hand"	Roland "Roland" Asperga
2004-2005		"Celebrate Rotary"	Noel "Noel" M. Dungca+
2005-2006		"Service Above Self"	Camilo "Toto" L. Dajay
2006-2007		"Lead the Way"	Datu Tungko "Dats" M. Saikol
2007-2008		"Rotary Shares"	Mark Marie "Mark" G. Bantug
2008-2009		"Make Dreams Real"	Jessie "Jessie" P. Cruz
2009-2010		"The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands"	Marie Antonina "Junette" Hurtado
2010-2011		"Building Communities, Bridging Continents"	Juanito "Johnny" C. Cueva
2011-2012		"Reach Within to Embrace Humanity"	Leodegario "Leo" R. Santos, Jr.
2012-2013		"Peace Through Service"	Antonio "Tony" M. Vicente
2013-2014		"Engage Rotary Change Lives"	Carlo "Carlo" S. Precioso
2014-2015		"Light Up Rotary"	Leandro Ador "Ador" A. Dizon
2015-2016		"Be A Gift to the World"	Nolito "Lito" B. Prudencio
2016-2017		"Rotary Serving Humanity"	Randy "Rhandz" S. Baldeovar
2017-2018		"Rotary: Making a Difference"	Jason Anthony "Jay" Y. Garcia
2018-2019		"Be the Inspiration"	Leween Jan "Leween" P. Santos
2019-2020		"Rotary Connects the World"	Philip Leonard "Philip" T. Escueta
2020-2021		"Rotary Opens Opportunities"	Andrew Robert "Andy" W. Atkins
2021-2022		"Serve to Change Lives"	Evelyn "Ev" P. Tampus
2022-2023		"Imagine Rotary"	Francis Ian "Ian" A. Fedoc
2023-2024		"Create Hope in the World"	Ilah Marie "Ilah" L. Labrador
2024-2025		"The Magic of Rotary"	Janine Francesca "Janine" C. Pring



**Benjamin "Bing" M. Garcia**  
*District 3860 Governor, Rotary Year 2018-2019*  
*"Be the Inspiration"*





## Club Pillars 1980-2023

ROTARY YEAR	RI LOGO	RI THEME	CLUB PRESIDENT
1980-1981		"Take Time to Serve"	Gerardo "Gerry" Calaliman
1981-1982		"World Understanding and Peace Through Rotary"	Benjamin "Bing" M. Garcia
1982-1983		"Mankind is One-Build Bridges of Friendship Throughout the World"	Pedro "Pete" Torres
1983-1984		"Share Rotary - Serve People"	Tranquilino "Jun" Araral, Jr.
1984-1985		"Discover a New World of Service"	Bernardo "Jun" Dignadice, Jr.
1985-1986		"You are the Key"	Gerardo "Gerry" S. Cruz
1986-1987		"Rotary Brings Hope"	Perfecto "Pitok" Sueno, Jr.
1987-1988		"United in Service Dedicated to Peace"	Romulo "Romy" Rafael+
1988-1989		"Put Life in Rotary - Your Life"	Jose "Peps" Barroso
1989-1990		"Enjoy Rotary"	Benjamin "Ben" D. Pajaro
1991		"Honor Rotary with Faith and Enthusiasm"	Claro "Caloy" Precioso
1991-1992		"Look Beyond Yourself"	Pio "Pio" Mariñas
1992-1993		"Real Happiness is Helping Others"	Nazario "Boy" Grecia Antonio "Tony" M. Vicente
1993-1994		"Believe In what You Can Do - Do what You Believe In"	Delfin "Bong" O. Riego de Dios
1994-1995		"Be A Friend"	Emmanuel "Manny" Reinoso
1995-1996		"Act with Integrity - Serve with Love - Work for Peace"	Edgardo "Ed" Barrios
1996-1997		"Build the Future with Action and Vision"	Loreta "Loring" C. Sy
1997-1998		"Show Rotary Cares"	Jose "Joe" Cagampang
1998-1999		"Follow Your Rotary Dream"	Arnold "Nonoy" G. Garcia
1999-2000		"Act with Consistency, Credibility, Continuity"	Alfredo "Fred" E. dela Peña
2000-2001		"Create Awareness Take Action"	Suzanne "Zanne" Araquil
2001-2002		"Mankind is Our Business"	Floro "Puyot" D. Calixton
2002-2003		"Sow the Seeds of Love"	Rolan "Rolan" A. Alajar



## 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.

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# Enjoy Rotary!

## Rotary Club of Marbel's 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  
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## Rotary



## SEVEN AREAS OF FOCUS



PEACEBUILDING AND  
CONFLICT PREVENTION



DISEASE PREVENTION  
AND TREATMENT



WATER, SANITATION,  
AND HYGIENE



MATERNAL AND  
CHILD HEALTH



BASIC EDUCATION  
AND LITERACY



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ENVIRONMENT

