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of Rotary Service

# METRO MEDIUM

Official Weekly Bulletin of  
ROTARY CLUB OF  
METRO DADIANGAS



## SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

Club No. 17124 Chartered in Rotary International  
on **October 31, 1980 General Santos City**

EVERY **WEDNESDAY** AT **BIGBEN'S STEAK HOUSE**  
**MICROTEL COMPLEX, GENERAL SANTOS CITY**



Rotary   
Club of Metro Dadiangas

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RY2021-2022

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# FULLY PAID MEMBERS

1ST SEMESTER OF RY 2021-2022  
(JULY—DECEMBER)

## FULLYPAID MEMBERS

**DIR KENNETH ANZANO**

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**DIR. ALEX CRUZ**

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**RTN NOEL PIDO**

**RTN BOY QUIAPO**

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JANUARY 05, 2022

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# PROGRAMME

## I. OPENING CEREMONY

Call to Order  
 Invo./Reading of Tonight's Prayer  
 National Anthem  
 Rotary Hymn  
 Object of Rotary/ 4-Way Test  
 Introduction of Visiting Guest

**PRES. OLIVER MASENDO**  
 RTN ERWIN CURVA  
 AUD RALPH SOGUILON  
 DIR JOHN ARCAMO  
 PAG KIKO LORENZO  
 PP JUN LORENZO

## II. FELLOWSHIP

Community Singing  
 Celebrity Greetings

RTN DOODS LAPIZ  
 RTN BOY QUIAPO

## III. CLUB MATTERS

Treasurer's Time  
 Secretary's Time  
 President's Time & Adjournment

TREAS. NES FONG  
 SEC. SAMUEL SIA  
**PRES. OLIVER MASENDO**

**PN ALVIN DEMONTAÑO**

Moderator



# CELEBRITY GREETINGS



**RTN VOLTAIRE TIU**  
JANUARY 13



**RTN LEO LABRADOR**  
JANUARY 22

**RTN TOTO LU**  
JANUARY 28





# METRO ACTIVITY

DECEMBER 04 | Christmas Party



# TONIGHT'S PRAYER

As the calendar turns  
 and another new year begins,  
 Let us be thankful for our Rotary friends  
 and the changes our service can bring.

Let us rise to the challenges given  
 Let us aim to give more to the cause  
 Let us continue to make the world better  
 Even if no one gives us applause.

Amen





# RI PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



## SHEKHAR MEHTA

Rotary International President  
RY 2022-2022

One of Rotary's founding principles was to use your vocation — whether as a doctor, lawyer, engineer, or another profession — to do good in the world. As we attempt to overcome and recover from the pandemic, this principle is vital in retraining people who have lost their jobs. In response, the Rotary E-Club of Tamar Hong Kong organized seminars for young people, with the aim of preparing them for the changing world of work.

This type of training must happen on a large scale. According to the United Nations, global unemployment is expected to exceed 200 million people in 2022. Women and youths are likely to be disproportionately affected.

This is why I've placed such a strong emphasis this year on projects that empower girls, and I've been delighted to see some of these projects in action. Of course, access to education and the path to employment can be blocked by a lack of water and sanitation infrastructure. A project in Pune, India, focuses on providing girls and women with an affordable, reusable sanitary pad. The project provides employment for production and distribution of the pads, and it will reduce the pollution caused by the disposal of 12.3 billion sanitary napkins in the country annually, many of which end up in India's landfills.

Others have used vocational service to advance the empowerment of women. The Rotary Club of Poona, India, conducted workshops to teach martial arts to young women, for self-defense against the threat of abuse or human trafficking.



# METRO ACTIVITY

## December 17 | Christmas Gift Giving at Sta. Maria Goretti Orphanage





# METRO ACTIVITY

## DECEMBER 22 | FUND RAISING FOR SUPER TYPHOON ODETTIE

**Metrobank** DEPOSIT SLIP

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 139-7-13953122-8

ACCOUNT NAME: DISTRICT 3860 DISASTER MANAGEMENT, INC.

DATE: 12-22-2021

CURRENCY:  Peso  U.S. Dollar  Other Currency

AMOUNT: 122,000.00

CASH DEPOSIT		
DENOMINATION	NO. OF PIECES	AMOUNT
TOTAL CASH DEPOSIT		
CHECK DEPOSIT		
BANK/BRANCH	CHECK NUMBER	AMOUNT
BPI SANITAGO	0001039956	P 122,000.00
TOTAL CHECK DEPOSIT		
TOTAL DEPOSIT		P 122,000.00

Signature: 0907 0200 647



# RI PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I've also been fortunate to use my vocation to do good through Rotary. The Indian Ocean tsunami in 2004 devastated the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, which are part of my district. Thousands of homes were destroyed, and many areas lost electricity and running water. On my visit to Little Andaman Island, the builder in me immediately wanted to build homes for the homeless islanders there. We decided to construct 500 homes on Little Andaman.

On the last of my seven trips to the island, I could see something glimmering below as my helicopter was about to land. I realized that what I was seeing were the roofs of new homes. I was overjoyed by the sight, and soon a realization dawned upon me. As a builder I had built many beautiful buildings. In comparison, these 500 homes were the most ordinary buildings I had ever built, and they were in a place I likely will never visit again, for people I will never meet again. And yet the satisfaction I had in handing over these houses was greater than from anything I had previously built. Probably because for once I was using my vocation to Serve to Change Lives.

You, too, may have had opportunities to use your vocation to Serve to Change Lives. I welcome your stories of performing vocational service through Rotary. Also, I want to close by congratulating every club that has engaged with the Each One, Bring One initiative, which asks every member to introduce one person to Rotary. Increasing our membership gives people from all walks of life the opportunity to share their knowledge and skills in transformational service.





# TREASURER'S REPORT



## NESTOR FONG

Treasurer

Rotary Club of Metro Dadiangas  
Rotary Year 2021-2022

JANUARY 055, 2022

Club's Fund as of November 24, 2021	PHP	430, 261.00
Club Collection December 04, 2021	PHP	56, 500.00
<u>Club Collection for Typhoon Odette</u>	PHP	<u>122, 000.00</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	PHP	<b>608, 761.00</b>

### Less Expenses:

Meals (December 04, 2021)	PHP	21, 000.00
Slicer (Christmas Party)	PHP	1, 500.00
Gift Giving at Sta. Maria Goretti	PHP	15, 000.00
Donation Drive for Typhoon Odette	PHP	122, 000.00
Paul Harris (December 07, 2021)	PHP	350, 000.00
<u>Sec. Allowance (December)</u>	PHP	<u>3, 600.00</u>
Total	PHP	513, 100.00

**CLUB'S FUND AS OF JANUARY 05, 2022 IS  
PHP 95, 661.00**



# METRO ACTIVITY

## DECEMBER 28 | FLU VACCINATION AT SANGGUNIANG PANGLUNGSOD







# NEW CLUB OFFICERS

## ROTARY CLUB OF METRO DADIANGAS OFFICERS

R.Y 2022-2023

PRESIDENT: **MARK JEROME TIONGSON**  
 VICE PRESIDENT: **SAMUEL SIA**  
 SECRETARY: **RALPH WALDY SOGUILON**  
 TREASURER: **JOHN ARCAMO**  
 AUDITOR: **EDWARD CARILLO**  
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### DERICTORS

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**PEBBIE MATONDO**

PRESIDENT NOMINEE: **ALVIN RAY DEMONTAÑO**



# SECRETARY'S REPORT



## SAMUEL SIA

Secretary  
 Rotary Club of Metro Dadiangas  
 Rotary Year 2020-2021

Date of Meeting	Total Membership (except honorary)	Number of Members Used in Calculating the Attendance	Number of Members Present	Number of Members Made-Up	Weekly Percentage
November 24, 2021	57	57	43	03	81%
December 04, 2021	57	57	50	5	96%
<b>Average Attendance</b>					<b>89%</b>





# Club President's Message



## OLIVER J. MASENDO

President

Rotary Club of Metro Dadiangas

Rotary Year 2020-2021

Good evening fellow Rotarians and Guests! Happy New Year to Everyone. Let me express my heartfelt gratitude to everyone for making our year 2021 a very fulfilling year for the Rotary Club of Metro Dadiangas. We really have a lot of projects done last year and as the calendar changes we will continue to serve to change lives'.

Before the year 2021 ends, we still managed to conduct club projects and fellowships.

December 04, 2021 | thank you to all who come and celebrate with us at our Christmas party ay LHE Compound. Also would like to congratulate all the newly elected club officers for the RY 2022-2023.

December 17, 2021 | Our club officers and rotarians organized Christmas Caroling and were able to raise funds for a club service project at Sta. Maria. Goretti Orphanage. We gave each girl a modest gift in addition to grocery goods. May they know that even in their darkest moments, there are still individuals who can bring them light and help them heal.

December 22, 2021 | in response to the call for donation drive of our D3860 Gov. Anna Louisa Bumagat. We raise a fund amounting to PHP 122, 000.00 in just two days. This amount will help those individuals that are greatly affected by the Super typhoon Odette. To all the Metro-nians thank you so much for the fast response and for the kindness and generosity.



December 27, 2021 | in partnership with Russan Marketing Corp. headed by our President Nominee Alvin Demontaño and the Sanguniang Panglungsod with our PP Ton Acharon, we managed to organized a free flu vaccination to all the employees and their family.

Lastly, would like to remind you all about our club responsibilities, since its already January it is also the 2nd semester for the RY 2021-2022.

I believe these will be all for our club matters. Happy New Year once again and please enjoy our fellowship.

