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CP/PAG ZENN ZUZON
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PAG CLEM ASENCIO
RY 1994-95



PAG NARDS TEVES
RY 1995-96



PAG BOY RIVERA
RY 1996-97



ROMY SALAZAR
RY 1997-98



ED DUMARAN
RY 1998-99



JOE LUCAS
RY 1999-2000



RAYMUND SALAZAR
RY 2000-01



MAR YAP
RY 2001-02



MANNY YAPHOCKUN
RY 2002-03



BOY OTANES
RY 2003-04



TITO VALDEZ
RY 2004-05



HENRY ASENSE
RY 2005-06



RONNIE SECHONG
RY 2006-07



CARLING GANADOS
RY 2007-08



NOEL T. NINTE
RY 2008-09



RENATO B. BELGA
RY 2009-10



JESS CAMPOS
RY 2010-11



MARC SALAZAR
RY 2011-12



JOSE VALENZUELA
RY 2012-13



SONNY BALINGBING
RY 2013-14



PAG ERICO UY
RY 2014-15



JUGGER LLIDO
RY 2015-16



ORMAN MANANSALA
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RY 2017-18



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RY 2018-19



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Sunshine Greetings



August 24—PP Joe Lucas



Aug. 27—Rtn. Jun Dacut & Ann Tata Dacut

ATTENDANCE & MAKE-UP CARD

Rotarian	Rotary Club of
Classification	Position

Please give this Rotarian Attendance credit for attending the Regular Fellowship meeting last _____.

Club Secretary Paolo Acharon



6TH REGULAR MEETING AUGUST 22, 2019



Programme

Host / Moderator	PP Jigger Llido
I. Call To Order	Prexy Joshua Salazar
Rotary Grace & Philippine National Anthem	Vice Pres. Romeo Pastor
Rotary Hymn	PE Roy Ballena
Declaration of Rotary Code of Conduct	Asst. Sec. Fernan Ocat
Introduction of Rotarians Spouses & Visiting Guest	PAG Eric Uy
Sunshine Greetings	PP Jigger Llido
II. Secretary's Report	Sec. Paolo Acharon
III. Treasurer's Report	Tres. Mar Yap
IV. President's Time	Prexy Joshua Salazar
V. Other Matters	Prexy Joshua Salazar
VI. Adjournment	Prexy Joshua Salazar

Reminder:

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Editor - in - Chief

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CP/CPAG Zenn Zuzon
Secretary Paolo Acharon
Treasurer Mar Yap
PP Joe Lucas
PP Noel Ninte



ROTARY GRACE

Thank you, Father, for the gift of Rotary and each other. May we be ever mindful of those in need. Help us to provide food to the hungry; to heal the wounds of hatred with our love; comfort those in sorrow; bring peace to those living in areas of unrest. Through our service to all we thank you for all our gifts. Amen.



ROTARY CODE OF CONDUCT

AS A ROTARIAN I WILL :

- ◆ Exemplify the core value of integrity in all behaviors and activities
- ◆ Use my vocational experience and talents to serve in Rotary
- ◆ Conduct all of my personal, business and professional affairs ethically, encouraging and fostering high ethical standards as an example to others
- ◆ Be fair in all our dealings with others and treat them with the respect due to them as fellow human beings
- ◆ Promote recognition and respect for all occupations which are useful to society
- ◆ Offer my vocational talents to provide opportunities for young people to work for the relief of the special needs of others and to improve the quality of life in my community
- ◆ Honor the trust that Rotary and fellow Rotarians provide and not do anything that will bring disfavor or reflect adversely on Rotary or fellow Rotarians
- ◆ Not seek from a fellow Rotarian a privilege or advantage not normally accorded others in a business or professional relationship

JOE - KINGLY YOURS

PP Joe G. Lucas



Teacher: Okay class, anong number ang sunod sa 9?

Juan: Ma'am! 10 po!

Teacher: Wow Juan! Himala! Salamat sa Diyos may tama kang sinagot. Sino ang nagturo sayo nyan?

Juan: Eh ma'am yung tatay ko po. Hehehe.

Teacher: Wow galing naman, O sige Juan e ano sunod sa 10?

Juan: Edi Jack po! Tapos queen saka king!



MALIIT NA BOSES

Tutoy: Ate bat maliit boses ko? (boses bata)

Ate: Kasi Tutoy di kapa binyagan (tule) dun ka nga sa kuya mo may ginagawa ako.

Kuya: Haay naku Tutoy di kapa nga tule. Kay nanay ka nga magtanong.

Tutoy: Nay, nay. Bat maliit boses ko?

Nanay: Kasi nga di kapa binyagan. Dun ka nga sa tatay mo, nagluluto ako.

Tutoy: Tay, tay. Bat maliit boses ko?

Tatay: (Sumagot pero maliit din ang boses) Ano ka ba kita mo nagbabasa ako ng dyaryo!



Zenncerely yours...



CP/PAG Zenn Zuzon

The month of August is almost over and until now we have not heard from any Rotarians inviting new qualified members into the membership of our club. This is a big challenge to all of us. We need new and young members if we want to do more and search more projects to benefit the underprivileged in our community.

"How can I become acquainted with Rotary?" is a question many new Rotarians may ask. It's a question worth answering, for if the continued growth desired for Rotary is to be achieved, it will be the result of an intelligent understanding of Rotary by the individual Rotarian and a practical application of this knowledge in all his Rotary activity and in his personal business and community life.

To help our new Rotarians seeking such information and also to members whose Rotary knowledge might have gone due to senior moments, here are some questions and answers.

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What is Rotary International? - Rotary International is the association of Rotary Clubs throughout the world.

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Is a Rotarian a member of Rotary International? — No, the Rotarian is a member of a Rotary Club and the Club is a member of Rotary International.

To be continued....

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Hugot....

Some men dream of worthy accomplishments, while Rotarians stay awake and do them!

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Paningit....

4 Anns meet 40 years after a school reunion.... one goes to take food while the other 3 start to talk about how successful their son became. No. 1ann says her son studied economics, became a banker and is so rich, he gave his best friend a Ferrari. No. 2ann said, her son became a pilot, started his own airline and became so rich, he gave his best friend a jet. No. 3ann said, his son became an engineer, started his own development company became so rich, he built his best friend a castle. No. 4ann came back with a plate full of food and ask what the buzz is all about. They told her how successful their sons became and ask her about her son. She said her son is a gay and works in a gay bar. The 3 said, she must be disappointed with her son for not becoming successful. Oh no! Said the No. 4ann, he is doing good. Last week on his birthday he got a Ferrari, a jet and a castle! All the 3 Anns fainted!

THE OBJECT OF THE ROTARY

The 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;

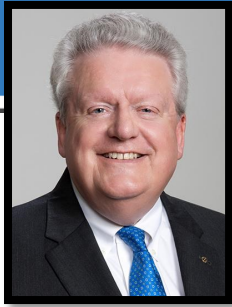
SECOND: High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

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 INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE



During 2019-2020, I am encouraging Rotarians and Rotaractors to grow Rotary. We must grow our service, we must grow the impact of our projects, but, most importantly, we must grow our membership so that we can achieve more.

Let us try a new approach to membership, one that is more organized and strategic. I am asking every club to form an active membership committee consisting of people of different backgrounds who will look methodically at the leadership of the community.

Your club's membership committee will then apply Rotary's classification system — designed to ensure that the range of professions in your community is well represented — to identify potential leaders with the skill, the talent, and the character that will strengthen your club. If your club's membership committee is unsure how to proceed, look to the club membership committee checklist on Rotary.org for clearly defined steps to organizing its work.

How else will we connect to grow Rotary? We will also form new types of clubs — either independent clubs or satellite clubs — with different meeting experiences and engaging service opportunities, not just where there is no Rotary, but also where Rotary is already thriving. No Rotary club in the world can possibly serve all segments of its community. Therefore, we must organize new clubs to engage the community leaders who cannot connect with our existing clubs.

Growing Rotary is all about taking the connections that make our organization unique in the world and strengthening and multiplying them. Let us commit ourselves to growing Rotary and to welcoming the next diverse generation of women and men as *Rotary Connects the World*.

Mark Maloney
MARK DANIEL MALONEY
President, Rotary International
2019-2020



MIDTOWNERS IN ACTION



Rotary
Club of Midtown
General Santos



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About our District Governor

DG Philip N. Tan



Our **District Governor's** becoming a Rotarian is one for the books. Upon the invitation of a drinking buddy, he unknowingly accepted with his innocence that drinks and food are free during Rotary meetings. That was in 2000 and the rest they say is history.

Convinced of the ideals and principles of Rotary, he became **CONNECTED** as an active member and eventually became the **45th President** of the **Rotary Club of Cebu West**, seven years after his induction. His stint as President gave honor to his Club with the following recognitions: **Area 1-C Most outstanding Club President** and **Highest TRF Contribution, District's Outstanding Club**

Secretary and the most prestigious **Rotary International Presidential Citation**.

Through the years, he has transcended his leadership from the **Club** to the **District** level, serving Rotary in various **major** positions, amongst others as **Assistant Governor, District Trainer, District Secretary, District Finance Chair, Paul Harris Fundraising Chair** and the latest **Chairmanship of District Rotary Foundation Committee (DRFC)**.

He also put his money where his mouth is -- He is a **Paul Harris Society** member and a **Major Donor**. He believes that this **financial contribution demonstrates his commitment to serve others**.

Aside from being a **Rotarian**, he is also actively involved in other socio-civic and religious organizations. He is currently the **Vice Chair - Visayas** of Philippine Business for Social Progress (**PBSP**); **Board of Regents** of Cebu Technological University (**CTU**), a certified **Fellow** of the Institute of Corporate Directors (**ICD**), **Past President** of the **Mandau Chamber (MCCI)** and eleven other prestigious civic, religious and non-governmental organizations, both local and national.

His dedication to serve the country was twice recognized by former **President Gloria Macapagal Arroyo**, for promoting productivity and innovations in his advocacy and contributions that benefited businesses groups, government agencies, LGU's and particularly, the **Department of Labor and Employment**. In 2014, former **President Benigno Aquino III** appointed him as one of the **Management Representative** to the **Regional Tripartite Wages and Productivity Board of DOLE Region 7**. In 2016, **SGV / Ernst and Young** awarded him **INNOVATION ENTREPRENEUR OF THE YEAR** in the Philippines. He was conferred the honorary degree as **Doctor of Philosophy in Technology Management** by **Cebu Technological University**, with concurrence by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) for strengthening Vocational Technology education.

As an **entrepreneur**, he started his micro business from scratch with limited financial resources and no formal education in **Engineering**. Slowly but surely, he brought his company to success without sacrificing the betterment of his employees, which includes **PWD's**. He is the founding **Chairman, President & Chief Executive Officer** of **Wellmade Motors & Development Corporation**, an **ISO-9001:2015** international certification in respect for its quality management system, manufacturing and metalworking technologies, with **subsidiary companies, joint ventures** and **franchisees** in the **Philippines** and **South East Asia**.

A servant leader, he is happily married to spouse **Judith**, raising four children and with their first newly born 4th generation **grandson**. His eldest son, **Jeffrey**, is also an awarded **Rotarian** and an active member of the **Rotary Club of Cebu Port Center**.

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ROTARIAN PROFILE

Midtown General Santos

Rotary Club



Rotary Year 2019-2020

Club No. 29494 | Area 3F

Date Chartered : May 25, 1993

Schedule of Meeting: Every Thursday, 6:30 p.m

Venue: Hotel San Marco, Laurel East, General Santos City

Website: [https://www.facebook.com/Rotary-Club-of-Midtown-](https://www.facebook.com/Rotary-Club-of-Midtown-General-Santos-428278681351913)

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CLUB OFFICERS

ROTARY CLUB OF MIDTOWN GENERAL SANTOS SET OF OFFICERS RY 2019 - 2020

JAN JOSHUA RAY D. SALAZAR
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ROMEO PASTOR
Vice –President

PAOLO JAY S. ACHARON
Secretary

FERNAN ANGELO OCAT
Asst. Secretary

MARCELO YAP
Treasurer

ROY ANGELO MALALUAN
Auditor

JAMES CARPE
Protocol Officer

DESIDERIO ALABA
Sgt. at Arms

ROBERTO BALLENA JR.
President Nominee

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

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Public Image

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The Rotary Foundation

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ROMAN SALAZAR
Banner Projects

RAYMUND SALAZAR
End Polio Foundation

ROGER RIVERA
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Immediate Past President

MEMBERSHIP & NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT

Exchange ideas. Do you have successful membership strategies that have worked well in your community? Share them on the Membership Best Practices Discussion Group.

We Are Rotary. Using the hashtag #WeAreRotary, post photos to Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, or Vine of your club members at work in your community or abroad to show how Rotary makes a positive impact in the world.

It's Now or Never. Join us on August 13 at 10:00 Chicago time (UTC-5) for our Membership: It's Now or Never webinar. It will feature international membership expert Nikki Walker discussing innovative ways of thinking about membership.

Making a difference. Rotary clubs are known for the high-impact service projects they undertake locally and globally. Share stories about your service projects and how they improve lives on Rotary Showcase. Be sure to follow us on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram to see what Rotary members around the world are doing to celebrate Membership Month.

What does Rotary mean to you? Rotary members have pushed polio to the brink of eradication, delivered clean water to those in need, improved their local communities, provided scholarships to the next generation of peacemakers, and continued to do good in the world.

Rotary News
1-Aug-2014

MEMBERSHIP & NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT

AUGUST IS

MEMBERSHIP AND NEW CLUB DEVELOPMENT MONTH

“Just as Rotary itself can never keep its place unless it is constantly growing, so each individual Rotary club cannot afford to stand still while the stream of life moves onward.” Past RI President 1940-41 Armando de Arruda Pereira

The National Rotarians World

Rotary 

TAKE ACTION:
Join Rotary, Be a People of Action

August is Membership Month, which means it's time to celebrate your Rotary club, your members, and the good you do in your community and around the world.

There are many ways to join in the celebration, but here are a few activities to get you started:

Say it loud, say it proud! Let everyone in your social network know that you are a proud member by changing your Twitter and Facebook profile to the I'm a Proud Member, I'm a Proud Rotaractor, or I'm a Proud Interactor graphic. Copy and save the graphic as your profile picture for August.

Watch and share. Download RI President Gary C.K. Huang's video on membership from Rotary's Vimeo page. Watch it at your next meeting or club event to highlight the vital role membership plays in maintaining a strong and active club.

ABOUT US

WHO WE ARE

Chartered in 1993, the Rotary Club of Midtown General Santos is home to more than 30 community-minded individuals dedicated to serving above self and participating in Rotary International's mission to promote understanding, goodwill, and world peace.

OUR MISSION

To change lives in our local and world communities through service and financial support.

OUR VISION

To cultivate a dynamic membership that enhances our club values to serve our local and world communities, providing systemic and enduring change.

OUR CORE VALUES

Rotary Belongingness – When we work together, we are a hundred times stronger. We are of and for each other; and stand for our unified ideals.

Caring Relationship – We love, trust and respect each other and our spouses. We believe that when our relationship is strong, we become unbreakable.

Joyful Service – We do not carry service as a burden because we take passion in doing so. This makes all our endeavors joyful and wholehearted.

Cheerful Giving – We give with devotion and without tire. We do not seek reward because the act of giving itself is what makes us happy.

ROSTER OF MEMBERS

No.	ID No.	Name	TRF	CLASSIFICATION	SPOUSE
1	10125797	ACHARON, PAOLO JAY S.		Legal Services	NIKKA
2	2429389	ACHARON, PEDRO JR. B.	PHF+4	Engineering - Civil Works	ROSE
3		AGDUMA, FLORANTE II		Construction	HAZEL
4	9673340	ALABA, DESIDERIO		Military Service (Retired)	CHA
5		ALFAFARA, DOMINIC P.		Dentistry	MARLYN
6	10157452	BACQUIANO, RICHARD		Construction Aggregates	JENNIFER
7	7020058	BALINGBING, SONNY		Engineering Equipment	
8	6985871	BALLENA, ROBERTO JR.		Petroleum Products Dis-	MONETTE
9		CARIÑO, DENNIS		Nursing, Governement	
10	6634413	CARPE, JAMES		Construction	GINA
11		CRUZ, LESTER S.		Automotive	CHARINA
12	9191166	DACUT, CARLITO JR.	PHF	Pest Control Distribution	TATA
13	9673335	DOMINGO, RENATO C.	PHF	Government Service	ARLENE
14	2137023	DUMARAN, IGNACIO	PHF	Petroleum Products Dis-	VIOLETA
15	8242544	GAMALO, VENANCIO JR.,A.	PHF	Pharmaceutical Distribu-	ANITA
16	2137027	GANADOS, CARLOS SR., R.		Pension House Services	TASING
17	9673803	LABUTONG, ORLANDO E.		Military Service (Retired)	NATIVIDAD
18	6460921	LLIDO, JUGGER C.		Real Estate Management	EDA JANE
19	2137036	LUCAS, JOSE G.	PHF	Government Service	ROMANA
20	6556163	MACOROL, PEDRO M.	PHF	Construction	PATRICIA
21		MADRIA, JOEY J.		Government Service	

CLUB ACTIVITIES SUMMARY

Rotary Club of:	Area	Club President	Club Secretary
MIDTOWN GENERAL SANTO 3-F	3-F	JOSHUA RAY SALAZA	PAOLO ACHARON

A. SUMMARY OF CLUB ACTIVITIES: Date Submitted /08/2019

DATE Conducted:	Indicate TOTAL number of attendees per TYPE OF ACTIVITY:						Held at:
	Regular	Board	Committed	Fellowship	Projects	AreaCom	
27-Jun-19	21/18/4						SALAZAR ESTATE
25-Jul-19	29/01/						HOTEL SAN MARCO
01-Aug-19	22/0/7						HOTEL SAN MARCO
11-Jul-19	23/08/						HOTEL SAN MARCO
25-Jul-19		15					SALAZAR ESTATE
25-Jul-19			15				SALAZAR ESTATE
26-Jul-19				19/12/			EMR MARBEL
02-Aug-19				18/07/			PHELA CONVENTION
10-Jul-19					5/0/2/5		G. ROYECA HOSPITAL
16-Jul-19					12/10/0/0		SM GENSAN
26-Jul-19					16/6/0/2		IRENEO S. ELEM SCHOOL
30-Jul-19					11/6/0/0		ROBINSON GENSA
29-Jul-19					15/0/0		SALAZAR ESTATE
11-Jul-19						2	VENUE 08 COFFEE SHOP

Club must have at least two activities

IRONMAN TRI to End Polio

IRONMAN TRI to End Polio Now Pledges

	<i>AMOUNT PLEDGE</i>
• IPP JUN GAMALO	2,000.00
• PP NOEL NINTE	1,000.00
• RTN. RENE DOMINGO	1,000.00
• VICE PRES. ROMY PASTOR	1,000.00
• PAG BOY RIVERA	1,000.00
• RTN. NICK ALFAFARA	1,000.00
• PP RONNIE SECHONG	2,000.00
• RTN. BOYET MACOROL	1,000.00
• DIRECTOR RICHARD BACQUIANO	1,000.00
• TREAS. MAR YAP	4,000.00
• PAG ERIC UY	4,000.00
• RTN. DENNIS CARIÑO	1,000.00
• PP RAYMUND SALAZAR	10,000.00
• PP ROMAN SALAZAR	10,000.00
• PP CARLING GANADOS	1,000.00
• PP BOY OTANES	1,000.00
• RTN. JOEY MADRIA	1,000.00
• RTN. NESTOR SUPLICO	1,000.00
• RTN. JAMES CARPE	1,000.00

No.	ID No.	Name	TRF	CLASSIFICATION	SPOUSE
22	10337047	MALALUAN, ROY ANGELO		Government Service	
23	10157457	MANLUTAC, JOSEPH		Poultry	JANET
24	9540466	MORACA, WILLIAM	HM	Elementary Education	EULALIA
25	3374219	NINTE, NOEL	PHF	Metal Craft Services	MARIETA
26		OCAT, FERNAN ANGELO		Nursing, Private	
27	2137043	OTANES, DALMACIO JR.		Security Management	JULIET
28	2137044	PASTOR, ROMEO D.		Medicine Practice	ANA
29	8510148	PEÑA, VICENTE		Legal Services	MELINDE
30	9190955	QUEJADA, LLOYD	PHF	Insurance	NANCY
31	6116769	RIVERA, RITCHIE	PHF	Tuna Canning Management	
32	6116769	RIVERA, ROGER E.	PHF+1	Aquaculture Business Management	YOLANDA
33	9192438	SALAZAR, JAN JOSHUA RAY	PHF+2	Personal Health Care Services	
34	6179549	SALAZAR, MARK DOMINIC	PHF+1	Real Estate Management	
35	6198022	SALAZAR, RAY ANGELO	PHF	Repair Shop Management	MACEL
36	2137047	SALAZAR, RAYMUNDO L.	PHF+2	Civil Engineering Management	EDNA
37	2137048	SALAZAR, ROMAN L.	PHF+2	Government Service (Retired)	
38	2490805	SECHONG, RONNIE	PHF+3	Government Service	HENA
39		SUPLICO, NESTOR S.		Government Service	JOSIE
40	3139031	TAPANG, ENRIQUE		Electrical Engineering Consultancy	CONCHITA
41		TELERON, GENUS NIÑO		Health Insurance, Gov.	
42	3139039	UY, ERICO FRANCISCO JR.		Motorcycle & Engine Parts Distribution	ELENA
43		UY, ERICO		Pharmacy	
44	2137058	YAP, MARCELO O.	PHF	Electronic Equipment	LILY
45	2137001	ZUZON, ZENELITO M.	PHF	Food Catering Services	ANGGING

PRESIDENT'S TIME



Prexy Joshua Salazar

Good evening fellow Mid-townners! Welcome to our 6th regular meeting, I would like to inform you all that our schedule for our Governor Philip Tan's visit will be on september 10, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.

I would like to ask the different committee heads to please prepare yourself to report your projects or club plans with regards to your committee for the rotary year.

I would also like to inform the club that in the light of the recent official resignation from the position of President Elect of our PE Renato Domingo because of the conflict of schedule with his work next year we the General Membership have chosen BOD Roy Ballena to be the President Elect for Rotary Year 2020-2021, *Congratulations PE Roy!*

I would also like to inform the Club that we have provided Financial Assistance to the Teatro Ambahanon in their Luzon Cultural Arts and Dance Tour, the financial help would help in great lengths in providing them mean to conduct workshops in teaching dancing techniques previously only exclusive to them to children and artist alike.

What is polio?

Polio, or poliomyelitis, is a paralyzing and potentially deadly infectious disease that most commonly affects children under the age of 5. The virus spreads from person to person, typically through contaminated water. It can then attack the nervous system.

Our goal



Rotary has been working to eradicate polio for more than 30 years. Our goal of ridding the world of this disease is closer than ever.

As a founding partner of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative, we've reduced polio cases by 99.9 percent since our first project to vaccinate children in the Philippines in 1979.

We've helped immunize more than 2.5 billion children in 122 countries. So far, Rotary has contributed more than \$1.8 billion toward eradicating the disease worldwide.

Today, polio remains endemic only in Afghanistan, Nigeria, and Pakistan. But it's crucial to continue working to keep other countries polio-free. If all eradication efforts stopped today, within 10 years, polio could paralyze as many as 200,000 children each year.

By the numbers

- \$3 - average cost to fully protect a child against polio
- 430 million - children in total vaccinated in 39 countries in 2017
- \$100 million - cost to conduct polio surveillance worldwide

Reference: <https://www.rotary.org/en/our-causes/ending-polio>