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# Presidential Message



There are many pathways to peace, and in Rotary, we are fortunate to have Rotary Peace Fellows who demonstrate this truth time and again. Each year, Rotary awards up to 130 fellowships for leaders around the world to study peace and development, and what these peace fellows learn prepares them to work in conflict prevention and resolution and promote Positive Peace. Here are a few examples of the creative ways peace fellows advance peace:

#### Promoting sustainability

Alejandra Rueda-Zarate combined her Rotary Peace Fellowship in peace and conflict resolution with her master's degree in energy and resources to support her dream of protecting the Colombian countryside. She founded the organization NES Naturaleza in 2011 to help farmers in Colombia and across rural Latin America gain access to knowledge and training to uphold sustainable farming standards. That support has improved the lives of nearly 4,500 farmers, inspiring many of them to become entrepreneurs. And it's helped promote both natural and social sustainability throughout Latin America.

#### Ending racism

Peace fellows Geoffrey Diesel and Kathy Doherty have applied their fellowships in peace and development studies toward co-founding the Racial Equity Project, a subcommittee of Rotary Positive Peace Activators in North America committed to studying ways to create a more peaceful society through anti-racism efforts. The Racial Equity Project takes a deep look into how the eight Pillars of Positive Peace could support efforts to address racism, and it works to spread this message to communities across North America. The organization initially grew from Rotary's strategic partnership with the Institute for Economics and Peace, a global think tank dedicated to promoting Positive Peace.

#### Managing disasters using data

Through a Rotary Peace Fellowship, Jamie LeSueur earned a master's degree in social science within peace and conflict research. He now leads emergency operations for the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies, setting a management and operational framework for agency collaboration in emergency response situations.

Jamie has found that research data is a powerful tool to bring calm to the complex world of disaster response. No matter what an organization's protocols might entail, letting research be the foundation for decision making helps clarify even the most complicated emergencies.

These stories – and hundreds like them – show how Rotary is creating a generation of leaders ready and able to build peace worldwide. Nearly 1,800 peace fellows have graduated from Rotary Peace Centers, and they are applying their craft in more than 140 countries.

May the continuing work of peace fellows and the Rotary members who support them inspire you to continue to Create Hope in the World through service, fundraising, and creative thinking.





# President's Message

Greetings to all Rotarians!

It is imperative for us, as members of the Rotary Club, to embody the values of service, leadership, and integrity in all our endeavors. Through our collective efforts, we have the power to bring about meaningful change and create a lasting legacy of goodwill. Let us seize this moment to work together towards our shared goals and aspirations.

In the month of March, we have a number of important initiatives and projects lined up that require our full dedication and commitment. Whether it is organizing a fundraising event for a local charity or participating in a community service project, each and every member has a vital role to play in the success of our endeavors.

As we start this month, let us reaffirm our dedication to the principles of Rotary and work towards building a more peaceful and prosperous world for all. Thank you for your continued support and commitment to our shared vision. Together, we can truly make a difference.

**JERIC DANE GRANADOS**  
President RY 2023-2024



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## A PASSION PROJECT OF ROTARY CLUB OF SAN JUANICO

March 6, 2024



Education is a fundamental right that should be accessible to all, regardless of one's financial background. Unfortunately, many students in the Philippines are unable to pursue their education due to financial constraints. This is where the Rotary Club of San Juanico steps in, with their recent MOA signing of financial assistance to poor but deserving students under the Pantawid Pag Aaral Program.

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## Education is a fundamental right that should be accessible to all, regardless of one's financial background.

The recipients of this generous assistance include Tanauan National High School, Dulag National High School, Alangalang National High School, and Granja Kalinawan High School. These schools are home to bright and talented students who are eager to learn and succeed, but are held back by their families' financial limitations.



Through this financial assistance, the Rotary Club of San Juanico is not only providing these students with the means to continue their education, but also giving them hope for a better future. By investing in these young minds, the Rotary Club is helping to break the cycle of poverty and empower the next generation of leaders and change-makers.



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District 3860's support of this initiative further emphasizes the importance of community involvement in education. By coming together to support these students, we are not only investing in their future, but also in the future of our society as a whole.



# FOUR-WAY TEST

FOUR QUESTIONS – 24 WORDS

## THE UNIQUE STEP-BY-STEP PROCESS

## PROCESS TO ACHIEVE DESIRED OUTCOMES THAT ARE ETHICAL, FAIR AND BENEFICIAL TO ALL

### IS IT THE TRUTH?

That we do our homework to collect information and to apply critical thinking by asking questions to know the difference between facts, beliefs, assumptions, and opinions as well as know what we don't know.

- Clarity
- Transparency
- Fact checking
- Ethical behaviour

### IS IT FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED?

That we use empathy to see other points-of-view in the context of the problems to be solved and the goals to be reached.

- Inclusion
- Empathy
- Acceptance
- Belonging
- Accountability

### WILL IT BUILD GOODWILL AND BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

That the process is civil, and there is a feeling of respect and openness to ask the "dumb" question, they can lead to creative and innovative answers. Also, people prefer to work with people they like, respect and trust.

- Trust
- Do good
- Feel good
- Have fun

### WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED?

That these are the conflict transformative answers and decisions that can lead to mutually satisfying solutions, that are sustainable and scalable. This can be an iterative process as we learn more from doing and continuously improving with time.

- What if scenarios
- Trade-offs
- Being creative and innovative
- Better decision making

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 3860  
DISTRICT GRANT APPLICATION FORM

1. CLUB DE TAILS APPLYING FOR PROJECT GRANT

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

3. OTHER ROTARY / PARTNER ORGANIZATION

4. PROJECT CONTACT(S) & COMMITMENTS

5. SIGNATURES

6. SUB-TOTAL

7. PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS & SUPPLIES

8. CLUBS SECRETARY CERTIFICATION

9. CLUBS BANK ACCOUNT DETAILS

10. APPROVED

District Grant Approved RC San Juanico Taclobang

Chi Uy 6 days ago to me, Rozanne, Rodel, ...

Dear Pres Tata, I am happy to inform you that the District Rotary Foundation Committee has approved

\$3,500 or the equivalent of P192,500

For your proposed District Grant Project:

Pantawid Pag-Aaral Program

as per P55/\$1 RI Exchange Rate for the month of January, 2024. You can now implement your project. Please make sure to have these documents available and ready to expedite reimbursement once the project has been completed:

1. Canvass Price for materials or services
2. MOA/MOU with Beneficiaries and Partners
3. Resolution from your Club BOD approving the said project
4. Club's Official Bank Account
5. District Grant Final Report (Included in the DISTRICT GRANTS APPLICATION RY 2023-2024 Rev 1 file)

We would appreciate it if you can finish the project on or before April 15, 2024. This would give us enough time to





# THE OBJECT OF 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.

## 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?