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GUIDING PRINCIPLES

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 FRIENDSHIP**
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned

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 service 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

OFFICERS & DIRECTORS ROTARY YEAR 2025-2026



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Rotary International President



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District 3860



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GALILEO CELLONA
Adviser

ROSTER OF MEMBERS RY 2025-2026

Name	Classification	Paul Harris Fellow
1. Roy James Abeto	Academe	PHF
2. Nestor Abrematea	Print Media	PHF
3. IPP Erwin Vincent Alcala	Academe	PHF+8
4. William Andrade	Construction Management	PHF+1
5. Rosalyn Ruth Aquino	Legal Service	PHF
6. PP Karl Baczko	Patent Counselling	PHF
7. Anastacio Tadeo Baillo	Medical Health Care	PHF+1
8. PP Dennis Berenguer	General Engineering	PH +3
9. PP Arturo Beringuel	International Maritime	PHF+4
10. PP Joerge Brosas	Realty Management	PHF+7
11. Carl Aldrich Cabigon	Specialized Items retailer	PHF
12. Cañete, Angelito	Horizontal Construction	PHF
13. PP Galileo Cellona	Surgical Supplies Dist.	PHF+5
14. Adonis Chua	Realty and leasing company	PHF
15. PP Mariel Claros	Banking Industry	PHF+1
16. Alfred Cua	Fast Food Business	PHF
17. PP Edito Cumpio	Design & Construction Mgt.	PHF+8
18. PP Francisco Darang	International Banking	PHF +2
19. PP Edward De Jesus	Financial Intermediary	PHF +2
20. Emmanuel Willy Domingo	Real Estate Developer	PHF
21. Frederic Dy	Rice Trader	PHF
22. PP Irvin Dy	Local Government Management	PHF
23. PP Victorio Esperas, Jr.	Construction Management	PHF
24. Luzell Ferrer	Legal Service	PHF+1
25. PP Pedro Fustanes	Petron Product Dist.	PHF+1
26. PP Johny Chu Go	Fishing Supply Distribution	PHF+8
27. PP Stephen Go	Merchandise Distribution	PHF
28. PP, Edgar Gasco	Medical Education	PHF
29. PP Jeric Dane Granados	Transportation Management	PHF+8
30. Jim Kenneth Lee	Lightning Distribution	PHF
31. Henry Lim	Construction Equipment Distribution	PHF
32. Zarathustra Mercado	Financial Advisor	PHF+1
33. Benedicto T. Militante Jr.	Academe	
34. PP, Demosthenes Morales	Senior Active	PHF
35. PP Virgilio Mortera	Local Government Management	PHF
36. Maria Wilma Pascua	Legal Service	PHF+1
37. Jayson Pascual	Agriculture/Food Manufacturing	PHF
38. Rheat Caesar Piczon		
39. Jonell Martin Que	Local Government Management	PHF
40. Eduardo Ong	Local Government	PHF
41. PDG PP, Pablo Quianson	Senior Active	PHF+4
42. PAG PP, Paul Hector Quianson	Real Estate Management	PHF
43. PP Estefano Ruiz	Furniture Distribution	PHF+3
44. Socrates Sabuco	Disaster Risk Reduction and Management	PHF
45. Mark Joseph Susaya	Entertainment Industry	PHF
46. Michael Victor Tezon	Urban Planning and Development	PHF
47. Jessie Tolentino	Construction	PHF
48. PP Richard Uy	Apparel Distribution	PHF+1
49. Hazel Olive B. Uyping	Design and Construction	PHF
50. PP Nestor Villasin	Senior Active	PHF
51. Raissa Villasin	Provincial Legislation	PHF
52. Winston Yao Cabigon	Feeds Distribution	PHF
53. Edrick Edwin Yao	Food Service	PHF
54. PP Jorge Yu	Senior Active	PHF
55. Marjorie Yu-Restor	Banking Operations	PHF+1

RI PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE



Francesco Arezzo is an orthodontist in private practice and owns an agricultural enterprise that produces extra virgin olive oil in Sicily.

Arezzo is a graduate of the University of Padua and a member of the Italian, European, and American orthodontics associations, as well as the Italian and European lingual orthodontics associations. He is a dentistry graduate of the University of Cagliari, where he also received a master's in lingual orthodontics.

He has served as vice president of the National Association of Italian Dentists for the province of Ragusa and was the founder and head for seven years of the Ragusa delegation to the National Trust for Italy.

Arezzo is also the owner of an agricultural enterprise and producer of extra virgin olive oil in the Monti Iblei region of Sicily. He has been vice president of the administrative council of the consortium controlling and regulating quality production of oil in that region. He owns two boutique hotel settlements there. He enjoys modern art and opera.

A Rotary member for 36 years, Arezzo has served as vice chair of the Joint Strategic Planning Committee and as RI director, chair of the 2023 Melbourne Convention Committee, learning facilitator, and district conference presidential representative, among other roles.

He is married to Anna Maria Arezzo-Criscione, an entrepreneur in the tourism field. They have two daughters and two grandchildren. His daughter Raffaella spent a year in Florida as part of a Rotary Youth Exchange. Francesco and Anna Maria are Benefactors and Major Donors to The Rotary Foundation.

FRANCESCO AREZZO

Rotary International President

PRESIDENT'S NOTES



We often talk about leadership as something to be attained –but rarely do we interrogate how it actually begins.

“Brick One: Building a Leader Within” is a compelling theme, but it also invites a harder question: what does that first brick truly consist of? Is it knowledge? Skills? Or is it the quiet, often uncomfortable decision to take responsibility before recognition ever comes?

The Basic Orientation Seminar last July 19, 2025, was not merely an introduction to Rotaract—it was an entry point into a mindset. A space where aspiring members were asked, implicitly and explicitly, to reconsider their assumptions about leadership. Not as a title to be held, but as a discipline to be practiced daily.

In my message, I emphasized that leadership, if reduced to position, becomes fragile. It relies too heavily on validation and visibility. But leadership grounded in character—anchored in integrity, accountability, and service—becomes sustainable. The question each participant must now confront is this: are you willing to lead even when no one is watching, and no recognition is guaranteed?

The presence of fellow Rotaractors, including Samantha Gosyco, reinforces another critical dimension—leadership does not develop in isolation. It is shaped through collaboration, challenged through diverse perspectives, and strengthened through shared purpose. Yet collaboration also demands clarity: what unique value are you bringing into that shared space?

As the club moves toward the next phase of its Membership and Leadership Training Series, momentum is evident. But momentum alone is insufficient. Without intentional direction, it risks becoming activity without depth.

So here is the more difficult challenge moving forward: how do we ensure that this “beginning” does not remain symbolic? How do we translate inspiration into consistency, and enthusiasm into measurable impact?

Because leadership is not ignited in a single seminar. It is tested—and ultimately proven—in the choices made long after it ends.

WINSTON U. YAO CABIGON

President, RY 2025–2026

Rotary Club of San Juanico Tacloban

ROTARY AT WORK

A showcase of the Rotary Club of San Juanico's ongoing service projects, initiatives, and meaningful community engagements.

JULY HIGHLIGHTS

July 19, 2025



BUILDING LEADERS FROM WITHIN

With the presence and inspiring message of Winston Cabigon, the Rotary Club of San Juanico, one of the Rotaract clubs under the sponsorship of the Rotary Club of San Juanico, successfully conducted its Basic Orientation Seminar on July 19, 2025, at the Manuel NGO Student Center. Anchored on this year's theme, "Brick One: Building a Leader Within," the activity gathered aspiring and current members committed to beginning their journey in leadership and service.

Pres. Winston delivered a heartfelt and motivating message to prospective members, emphasizing that leadership is not defined by position but by character, accountability, and a sincere willingness to serve. He encouraged attendees to cultivate integrity, discipline, and compassion as they take their first steps in the organization.

The seminar highlighted the core values of Rotaract—fellowship, leadership, and service—while deepening participants' understanding of their responsibilities and opportunities within the movement. As the first phase of the club's Membership and Leadership Training Series, the orientation laid a strong foundation for purposeful engagement.

The club also expressed its sincere appreciation to Samantha Gosyco, Vice President of the Rotaract Club of Tacloban, for sharing valuable insights on what it truly means to be a Rotaractor. The presence of fellow Rotaractors reinforced the importance of unity and collaboration within the district.

As the Leadership Training on July 26 approaches, the momentum continues to build—signaling not just the growth of membership, but the rise of a new generation of service-driven leaders under the guidance of the Rotary Club of San Juanico, ready to create lasting impact in their communities. Through initiatives like this, the club proves that leadership is not merely taught—it is ignited.





July 19, 2025

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Basic Orientation Seminar at Saint Paul School of Professional Studies
Rotary Club of San Juanico - Tacloban



ROSTER OF PAST PRESIDENTS

Honoring the Past Presidents of the Rotary Club of San Juanico - Tacloban, whose leadership across the years has **built the foundation of our service today.**

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Rotary Club of San Juanico - Tacloban



VICENTE C. MAÑAS
 RY 1999-2000
 "Act with Consistency,
 Credibility, Continuity"



EDGAR COSTIBOLO
 RY 1998-1999
 "Follow Your Rotary Dream"



ESTEFANO O.V. RUIZ
 RY 1997-1998
 "Show Rotary Cares"



PEDRO V. FUSTANES JR.
 RY 1996-1997
 "Build the Future with Action
 and Vision"



ANGELITO C. CAÑETE
 RY 1995-1996
 "Act with Integrity – Serve with
 Love – Work for Peace"



DANTE CRISOSTOMO
 RY 1994-1995
 "Be A Friend"



VIRGILIO A. MORTERA
 RY 1993-1994
 "Believe In What You Do – Do What
 You Believe In"



RUFINO A. PACANAN
 RY 1992-1993
 "Real Happiness is
 Helping Others"



BOY EDILLO
 RY 1991-1992
 "Look Beyond Yourself"



CHARLIE TANCINCO
 RY 1990-1991
 "Honor Rotary with Faith
 and Enthusiasm"



NESTOR P. VILLASIN
 RY 1989-1990
 "Enjoy Rotary"



PABLO P. QUIANZON
 RY 1988-1989
 "Put Life in Rotary – Your Life"



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Rotary Club of San Juanico - Tacloban



NOEL SIOZON
 RY 1987-1988

“Rotarians – United in Service, Dedicated to Peace”



PERCY JOHNSON
 RY 1986-1987

“Rotary Brings Hope”



VICTOR A. DOMINGO
 RY 1985-1986

“You Are The Key”



JOE LLAMES
 RY 1984-1985

“Discover A New World of Service”



PABLO AMASCUAL
 RY 1983-1984

“Share Rotary – Serve People”



ROQUE A. TIU
 RY 1982-1983

“Mankind is One – Build Bridges of Friendship Throughout the World”



JORGE D. YU
 RY 1981-1982

“World Understanding and Peace Through Rotary”



JOE SALEM
 RY 1980-1981

“Take Time To Serve”



FRANKIE ANG
 RY 1979-1980

“Let Service Light The Way”



AURELIO MENZON
 RY 1978-1979

“Reach Out”



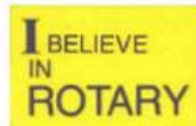
DODIE TIBE JR.
 RY 1977-1078

“Serve To Unite Mankind”



GRACIANO J. MILITANTE
 RY 1976-1977

“I Believe In Rotary”



ANTONIO MOLABOLA
 RY 1975-1976

“To Dignify the Human Being”



MONTHLY CELEBRANTS

Rotary Club of San Juanico - Tacloban

JANUARY

22-Demosthenes

FEBRUARY

3- Alfred
3- Bong
6- Jonell
8-Rj
14- Mark
16- Frederick
27 - Nestor

MARCH

28 - Raissa
30-Michael

APRIL

5-Winston
6- Soc
20-Edgar
20-Luzell
23-Jorge
24-Dennis
27-Zarah

MAY

5 - Jong
13 - William
14 - Vic
25 - Ganggang
27 - Stephen

JUNE

2 - Pete
4 - Johny
10 - Ed
11 - Wilma
29 - Pabs

JULY

27 - Jim
28 - Lito

AUGUST

21 - Erwin
23 - Art
31 - Stef

SEPTEMBER

13 - Carl
16 - Irvin

OCTOBER

7 - Henry
8 - Paul
15 - Hazel

NOVEMBER

2 - Mariel
8 - Jayson
16 - Tata
26 - Rich
30 - Frankie

DECEMBER

12 - Virgilio
18 - Edward
20 - Roe
30- Marj

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