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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 Governor
 District 3860



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 District Executive
 Secretary



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 Assistant Governor
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 Learning Facilitator



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 Young Leaders Contact



PAUL HECTOR QUIANZON
 Adviser



GALILEO CELLONA
 Adviser

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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



This November, as we celebrate The Rotary Foundation, I invite you to consider not only what we give but why we give. The Foundation is more than a fund for projects. It is the beating heart of our promise that service, rooted in trust and friendship, can create lasting change.

Our Action Plan calls us to increase our impact, and the Foundation is how we make this vision real. Since 1988, Rotary and our partners have immunized nearly 3 billion children against polio. We have committed more than \$2.6 billion to this cause, and last year alone we directed \$146 million toward the final push for eradication. These numbers are significant, but the true impact is not in statistics – it is in the lives of children who will never again fear polio. It is in the hope restored to families and the peace built in communities once defined by disease.

But polio is only one story among many. Each year, Rotary Peace Centers train new generations of leaders who will transform conflict into dialogue and division into understanding. In 2023-24, nearly 100 new fellows began their studies, continuing a legacy of more than 1,800 peacebuilders from over 140 countries. When we invest in them, we are planting seeds of peace that will bear fruit for decades to come.

The Foundation also touches lives through district and global grants, supporting projects large and small. A clean water well for a rural community, scholarships for young professionals, medical care in the wake of disaster – these are not temporary gestures, but steps toward dignity, resilience, and opportunity. This is how Rotary service becomes lasting impact. And when natural disasters strike, our Foundation allows Rotary to act quickly with disaster response grants.

Our Foundation is not about what we can do alone but what we can do together. Each contribution, no matter its size, joins with others to create a collective act of faith in humanity and in the future. The last mile of any great journey is always the hardest. We see this in our final steps toward ending polio, in our work for peace, and in every project that seeks to lift people out of despair. Yet every time we give, we declare that our work will continue regardless of the challenge.

This November, let us give with gratitude, with joy, and with hope. Through our Foundation, we Unite for Good, and in doing so, we leave behind not only projects but a legacy of peace, trust, and Service Above Self.

FRANCESCO AREZZO

Rotary International President



PRESIDENT'S NOTES

Service becomes most meaningful when it is personal.

Project Xavier in Carigara goes beyond the distribution of eight wheelchairs—it represents the restoration of dignity, independence, and opportunity. Each home we visited was not just a point of delivery, but a reminder that real impact is felt when service reaches people where they are, in ways that directly change how they live.

With the support of Ed Ong, this initiative was able to reach families who needed it most. But what defines this effort is not only the partnership—it is the intention behind it. Every interaction, every conversation, and every moment shared with beneficiaries reflected a deeper purpose: to restore not just mobility, but confidence and hope.

This initiative also challenges us to think beyond the act itself. Providing assistance is essential, but sustaining dignity requires continuity—ensuring that individuals remain supported, included, and empowered long after the initial intervention.

Project Xavier reflects the kind of service we strive to uphold—direct, compassionate, and transformative. Because in the end, it is not the scale of what we give that defines us, but the lives we are able to move forward.

WINSTON U. YAO CABIGON

President, RY 2025-2026

Rotary Club of San Juanico Tacloban



MUNICIPAL MAYOR'S TESTIMONIAL

On behalf of the people of Carigara, I extend my heartfelt gratitude to the Rotary Club of San Juanico for bringing Project Xavier to our community. The wheelchairs delivered to our residents are more than just mobility aids—they are instruments of independence, dignity, and renewed hope.

This initiative truly reflects the spirit of service and compassion that the Rotary embodies. I am proud to witness the positive impact on the lives of our constituents and I look forward to more projects that uplift and empower our community.

EDUARDO T. ONG JR.
Mayor, Carigara





SECRETARY'S REPORT

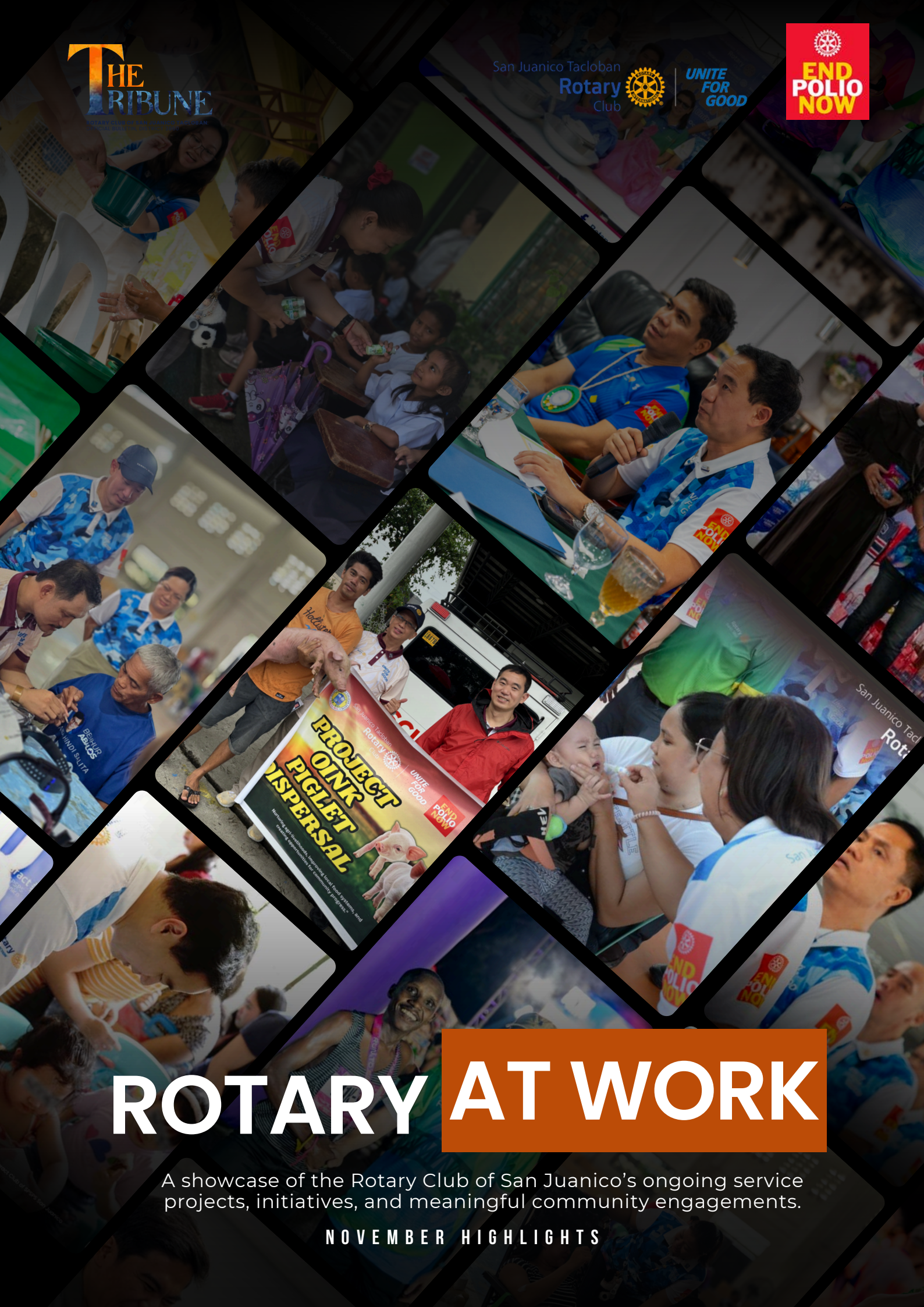
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	PROJECT XAVIER
Quianzon	Paul Hector	Present
Cellona	Galileo	Present
Mercado	Zarathustra	Present
Darang	Francisco	Present
Yao Cabigon	Winston	Present
Villasin	Nestor	Present
Brosas	Joerge	Present
Cumpio	Edito	Present
Yu-Restor	Marjorie	
Dy	Irvin	
Sabuco	Socrates	Present
Cañete	Angelito	Present
Yu	Jorge	
Abrematea	Nestor	
Villasin	Raissa	
Que	Jonell Martin	
Ruiz	Estefano	
Claros	Mariel	
Uy	Richard	
Cabigon	Carl Aldrich	
Go	Johny	
Mercado	Mark	
Aquino	Rosalyn Ruth	
Alcala	Erwin Vincent	
Pascual	Jayson	
Uyping	Hazel Olive	
De Jesus	Edward	
Militante	Benedicto	

SECRETARY'S REPORT

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	PROJECT XAVIER
Tolentino	Jessie	
Beringuel	Arturo	
Tezon	Michael Victor	
Ong	Eduardo	Present
Quianzon	Pablo	
Cua	Alfred	
Lee	Jim Kenneth	
Domingo	Emanuel Willy	
Fustanes	Pedro	
Pascua	Maria Wilma	
Dy	Frederic	
Esperas	Victorio	
Ferrer	Luzell	
Granados	Jeric Dane	
Lim	Henry	
Abeto	Roy James	
Yao	Edrick Edwin	
Andrade	William	
Baczko	Karl	
Berenguer	Dennis	
Gasco	Edgar	
Mortera	Virgilio	
Bailo	Tadz	
Chua	Adonis	
Piczon	Rhett Caesar	



ZARATHUSTRA A. MERCADO
Secretary, 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.

NOVEMBER HIGHLIGHTS



November 20, 2025

ROTARY CLUB OF SAN JUANICO BRINGS MOBILITY AND HOPE TO FAMILIES IN CARIGARA THROUGH PROJECT XAVIER

On November 20, 2025, the Rotary Club of San Juanico brought hope, dignity, and empowerment to the families of Carigara, Leyte through its impactful initiative, Project Xavier. The project delivered eight wheelchairs directly to the homes of beneficiaries, ensuring that each recipient received more than just a mobility aid—they were met with care, compassion, and a renewed sense of independence. For many, these wheelchairs represented the ability to move freely, participate actively in daily life, and regain confidence that had been lost due to physical limitations.

This initiative was made possible through the close collaboration and support of Rotarian Mayor Ed Ong, whose dedication to serving the community helped extend the reach of Project Xavier to those who needed it most. Volunteers of the Rotary Club of San Juanico personally visited each household, witnessing the joy, relief, and gratitude of families as the wheelchairs were handed over. Every interaction highlighted the club's unwavering belief that meaningful change begins with small, personal acts of kindness.

Project Xavier is a reflection of the Rotary Club of San Juanico's mission to improve the quality of life in local communities, empower individuals, and foster hope where it is needed most. Each home visited became a story of transformation, each family a reminder that dedicated service has the power to uplift lives. Through initiatives like this, the Rotary Club of San Juanico continues to move lives forward—one home, one family, one story at a time.





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Project Xavier - Carigara, Leyte
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REGULAR MEETING 11/15/2025 01:40

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9th REGULAR MEETING

RC San Juanico Club House | November 15, 2025

11/15/2025 02:15



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.**

ROSTER OF PAST PRESIDENTS

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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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”



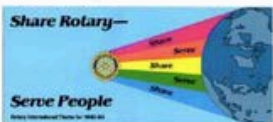
JOE LLAMES
 RY 1984-1985

“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”



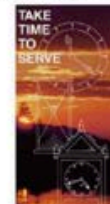
JORGE D. YU
 RY 1981-1982

“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”



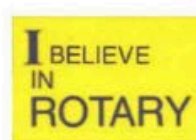
DODIE TIBE JR.
 RY 1977-1978

“Serve To Unite Mankind”



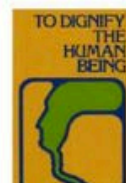
GRACIANO J. MILITANTE
 RY 1976-1977

“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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