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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



Mary Christine Chua
District Executive
Secretary



Bonifacio Tordillo Jr.
Assistant Governor
Area 3B



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President



MICHAEL VICTOR TEZON
Vice - President



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Public Image Chair



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Service Projects Chair



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to the President



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Auditor



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Membership Chair



RICHARD A. UY
Learning Facilitator



SOCRATES SABUCO
Young Leaders Contact



PAUL HECTOR QUIANZON
Adviser



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



This month's special issue of Rotary magazine is all about happiness, that most elemental of human yearnings. More than a feeling, though, this state of positive well-being, and the conditions necessary to create and sustain it, should be considered a universal right.

December also marks Rotary's Disease Prevention and Treatment Month, when we highlight our members' work to promote health and wellness, including mental wellness. Globally, nearly 1 in 7 people have a mental health disorder, according to a recent World Health Organization report. Yet only 9 percent of people with depression receive adequate treatment.

We are fortunate in Rotary to have a powerful way to support emotional well-being and happiness: friendship. The connections we build in Rotary can be a powerful force for change. I know this from personal experience.

When my fellow members first proposed that I become club president, I demurred. I had a stutter. I was terrified of speaking. But having club members who supported me and surrounded me with affection enabled me to face my fear, and I found a way to stand confidently before a crowd. Today, I regularly address audiences — some numbering in the thousands — in a language that is not native to me. The Rotary members in my life helped me create lasting change within myself.

That fellowship gives us the courage and means to create lasting change in the world as well, and mental health services are in desperate need of improvement. The WHO reports that governments on average devote only 2 percent of their health budgets to mental health, and only 11 percent of that funding reaches community-based services. In some countries, only one trained mental health professional is available for every 100,000 people. The WHO has called for strategic and urgent action to close the gap.

Rotary can answer that call by championing mental health awareness in our clubs, working with local health systems, funding training for community health workers, and supporting initiatives that bring care to places where none exists. Even small investments in mental health yield enormous returns in productivity, public health, and happiness.

While we are creating lasting change in the world, we cannot forget to take care of each other. Past RI President Gordon McInally wisely reminds us that we must go beyond asking, "How are you?" We owe it to each other to instead ask, "How are you really?" As we transition to a new year filled with new possibilities, let us Unite for Good — for healing, friendship, and access to happiness.

FRANCESCO AREZZO

Rotary International President



PRESIDENT'S NOTES

Service is often approached in parts—but its true strength lies in how it connects. Our participation in Department of Labor and Employment's Project Angel Tree and the collaborative Job Fair reflects a more complete view of service: one that responds to immediate needs while also creating pathways for long-term growth. Supporting children with essential resources addresses today's realities—but providing opportunities for employment begins to shape tomorrow.

This raises an important consideration for us as a club: are we designing initiatives that solve isolated concerns, or are we building interventions that address the full cycle of community development?

Because real impact is not singular. It is layered. It supports the child in need, the student in transition, and the individual seeking opportunity. It recognizes that empowerment is not a one-time act, but a continuous process.

What we witnessed in both initiatives is a shared commitment—to ensure that no one is left behind, whether in access to basic needs or in opportunities for growth. And this commitment is strengthened through collaboration, where partnerships expand both reach and relevance.

Moving forward, the challenge is to sustain this approach—to create programs that do not only provide relief, but also enable progress. Because service, at its highest form, is not just about helping people where they are—it is about helping them move forward.

WINSTON U. YAO CABIGON

President, RY 2025-2026

Rotary Club of San Juanico Tacloban

SECRETARY'S REPORT

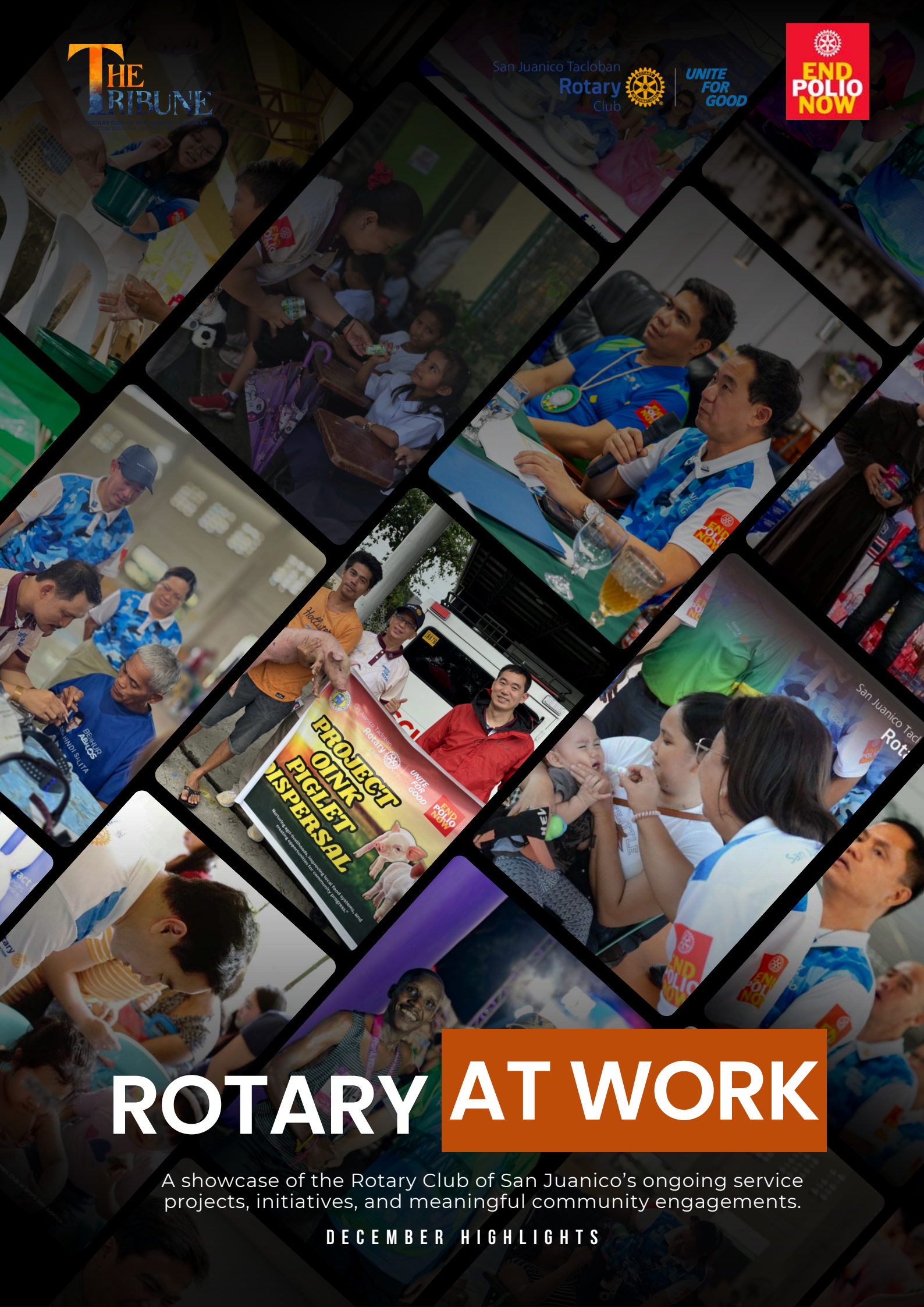
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	JOB FAIR: ROBINSON	11 TH REGULAR MEETING
Quianzon	Paul Hector		Present
Cellona	Galileo	Present	
Mercado	Zarathustra		
Darang	Francisco		Present
Yao Cabigon	Winston		Present
Villasin	Nestor		Present
Brosas	Joerge		Present
Cumpio	Edito	Present	Present
Yu-Restor	Marjorie		
Dy	Irvin		Present
Sabuco	Socrates		Present
Cañete	Angelito		Present
Yu	Jorge		Present
Abrematea	Nestor	Present	Present
Villasin	Raissa	Present	
Que	Jonell Martin		Present
Ruiz	Estefano		Present
Claros	Mariel		Present
Uy	Richard	Present	Present
Cabigon	Carl Aldrich		
Go	Johny		Present
Mercado	Mark		Present
Aquino	Rosalyn Ruth		
Alcala	Erwin Vincent		
Pascual	Jayson		Present
Uyping	Hazel Olive		
De Jesus	Edward		
Militante	Benedicto		Present

SECRETARY'S REPORT

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	JOB FAIR:ROBINSON	11 TH REGULAR MEETING
Tolentino	Jessie		Present
Beringuel	Arturo		
Tezon	Michael Victor		Present
Ong	Eduardo		
Quianzon	Pablo		Present
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.

DECEMBER HIGHLIGHTS



December 5, 2025

ROTARY CLUB OF SAN JUANICO JOINS PROJECT ANGEL TREE AND JOB FAIR, BRINGING HOPE AND OPPORTUNITIES TO LEYTE COMMUNITIES

The Rotary Club of San Juanico (RCSJ) actively joined the Department of Labor and Employment's (DOLE) Project Angel Tree, a heartwarming initiative designed to bring support and joy to 50 identified child laborers across Leyte. Through this program, RCSJ, together with fellow Rotary and Rotaract Clubs, helped distribute school bags filled with supplies, nutritious food packs, and other essential items, ensuring that each child received both care and practical assistance. By participating in this effort, RCSJ reinforced its commitment to nurturing communities and advocating for the welfare of children in need.

On the same day, RCSJ further extended its service to the youth and working communities by participating in a collaborative Job Fair organized with DOLE, Rotary and Rotaract Clubs from Areas 3B and 3C, and the Leyte Council. The event provided a dynamic platform for job seekers from Tacloban and nearby municipalities to connect directly with employers, explore career opportunities, and take steps toward meaningful employment. RCSJ's presence helped ensure that participants received guidance, encouragement, and access to resources that can transform their professional futures.

Through its involvement in both Project Angel Tree and the Job Fair, RCSJ demonstrated a holistic approach to community service—addressing immediate needs while creating pathways for long-term growth and empowerment. From supporting vulnerable children to opening doors for aspiring professionals, the club's participation highlighted its unwavering dedication to fostering hope, resilience, and opportunity in every corner of Leyte.





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Job Fair - Robinsons North Tacloban
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11th REGULAR MEETING

RC San Juanico Club House | December 06, 2025



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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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”



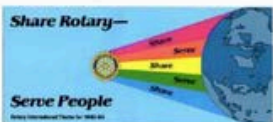
JOE LLAMES
 RY 1984-1985

“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”



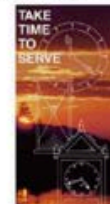
JORGE D. YU
 RY 1981-1982

“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”



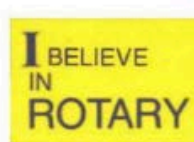
DODIE TIBE JR.
 RY 1977-1978

“Serve To Unite Mankind”



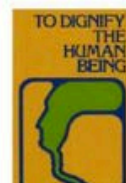
GRACIANO J. MILITANTE
 RY 1976-1977

“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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