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Via Zoom, Davao City

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26th Regular Weekly Meeting

March 23, 2022 * ArtisAna Restaurant * 12:00NN

Program

I. Opening:

Call to Order.....Pres. Michael Chellathurai

Invocation, National Anthem,
Rotary Hymn & Recitation of the
4-Way Test & Object of Rotary.....PP JL Solivio

Introduction of Guests &
Visiting Rotarians.....Dir. Miracel Shimizutani

Community Singing

II. Programme Proper

Rotary Information &
Secretary's Report.....Sec. Ester Gahol

President's Time Pres. Michael Chellathurai

III. Closing:

Announcements / Adjournment

PP Arthur Uy
Master of Ceremonies

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 to 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.

FOUR WAY TEST

OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY OR DO

- 1st Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2nd Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3rd Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- 4th Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Declaration of Rotarians in Business and Professions

As a Rotarian engaged in a business or profession, I am expected to:

1. Consider my vocation to be another opportunity of service;
2. Be faithful to the letter and to the spirit of the ethical codes of my vocation, to the laws of my country, and to the moral standards of community.
3. Do all in my power to dignify my vocation and to promote the highest ethical standards in my chosen vocation;
4. Be fair to my employer, employees, associates, competitors, customers, the public and all those with whom I have a business or professional relationship;
5. Recognize the honor and respect due to all occupations which are useful to the society;
6. Offer my vocational talents to provide opportunities for the relief of the special needs of others, and to improve the quality of life in my community;
7. Adhere to honesty in advertising and in all representations to the public concerning my business or profession;
8. Neither seek from nor grant to a fellow Rotarian a privilege or advantage not normally accorded to others in a business or professional relationship.

Invocation

LORD JESUS, Son of GOD, You humbled Yourself to become man in order to serve and not to be served.

We humbly ask You to teach us the ideals of service: that what matters most is not how much have we got, but how much we have given; not how we have won, but how much we have done; not how much we have saved, but how much we have sacrificed; not how much were we honored but how much have we served.

God, our Father, always uses those closest to Him. Grant us therefore the privilege and the grace to be closest to You, His Son, to be truly Your servants amidst the people we serve.
Amen.

Rotary Information...

Rotary's Network enables Rapid Humanitarian relief for Ukrainian Refugees

By Rotary International

The crisis in Ukraine is having devastating consequences on civilians as families flee their homes. According to the United Nations, **more than 3 million people**, most of them women and children, have sought refuge in neighboring countries and across Europe, while about 1 million more people have been displaced within Ukraine.

Rotary and Rotaract clubs in Europe and around the world have taken swift action and are working with members nearby to provide food, water, medical equipment, and shelter for refugees.

The European Rotaract Information Centre, a multidistrict information organization that serves Rotaractors all over Europe, created a United for Peace site that compiles information for refugees and volunteers.

- The site offers information about free rail, bus, and air transportation available to refugees and lists details about what's needed and how to help at specific national borders.
- It also has fundraising details for hospitals in the western Ukraine city of Lviv, as well as for clubs that are helping in various places and for other organizations in the region.
- The site lets Rotaractors coordinate shelter for refugees stranded at the border. Volunteer hosts can sign up through an online form and specify how many people they can house and for how long. Begun as an initiative to help fellow Rotary members leaving Ukraine, it's now being used by Rotaract and Rotary members all over Europe to offer help.
- A tool on the site links a demand for goods with available supplies. It was created within 48 hours after a team of 60 members from 10 countries met by videoconference about how to meet the most urgent needs.

Ukraine

Ukraine has 62 Rotary clubs and six satellite clubs with about 1,100 members, and 24 Rotaract clubs with more than 300 members.

- District 2232 (Ukraine and Belarus) formed a committee to help people affected by the crisis. It has launched an appeal to Rotary members

worldwide for funds to provide basic necessities.

- The city of Lviv has had an influx of people displaced from other cities around Ukraine. The Rotary Club of Lviv International, working with local authorities and major hospitals, created an online spreadsheet of relief items that can be accessed by people who want to help. Members arrange for the donated items to be delivered to hospitals and coordinate storage with local warehouses.

Poland

Poland has taken in more than a million refugees, and Rotary clubs all over the country created a central account for contributions.

- The Rotary Club of Olsztyn is collecting and managing donations for more than 150 Ukrainians who are staying at Ostróda Camp, a conference and recreation center. Most of the occupants are unaccompanied children whose parents stayed in Ukraine. Four cars full of supplies including food, clothes, toiletries, and toys were donated hours after the center began accepting refugees.
- Members of the Rotary Club of Zamosc worked with a member of the Rotary Club of Wolsztyn, who owns a medical supply distribution company, to coordinate a partnership with other organizations to collect supplies and equipment.
- The Rotary Club of Gdansk Centrum is providing accommodations for four refugee families, and members who own businesses are offering them work.

Other countries that border Ukraine

- The Rotary Club of Kisvárda, Hungary, is coordinating contributions and mobilizing members to donate necessities and deliver the items to where they're needed.
- Rotary members in Romania and Moldova have created a central fund for contributions and set up WhatsApp groups that organize food donations and coordinate shelter for refugees.
- In Slovakia and the Czech Republic, clubs have partnered with a railway and cargo company to offer transportation to nearly 2,300 refugees.

Kim Widlicki and Claudia Brunner contributed to this article.

Follow updates on how Rotary members are providing humanitarian relief on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), and [LinkedIn](#). Check back for updates on [Rotary.org](#) and [My Rotary](#).

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Secretary's Report

Ester Gahol

Club Secretary

Comparative Weekly Attendance

	Mar. 9	Mar. 16
CLUB MEMBERSHIP	18	18
HONORARY MEMBER	05	05
PRESENT	08	13
ON LEAVE	00	00
ABSENT	10	05
MADE UP	01	03
ATTENDANCE % BASE	18	18
WEEK AVERAGE	50.00%	89.00%

Thank you for making-up:

Pres. Michael Chellathurai
PE Virgie Albaera

Sec. Ester Gahol

Happy Birthday!

March 25 – PP Rudy Abellana
26 – PP Braul Lim
31 – PP Gerry Munda



Reminder:

Mar. 30 – NO Meeting

April 2 – Fellowship with the
Spouses
Madeline Hotel

Apr. 22-23 – DISTAS (GenSan)

May 27-28 – DISCON (Ormoc)

SAVE THE DATES

UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 18-19 (Fri-Sat)**
PRESIDENT-ELECT / SECRETARY-ELECT TRAINING SEMINAR 2022 (Mindanao) (PETS/SETS)
Venue: Roadway Inn, 8:00am-5:00p.m.
Trainings will be Hybrid (In Person and Virtual)
- March 26-27 (Sat-Sun)**
ROTARY YOUTH LEADERSHIP AWARD 2022 (RYLA)
1:00-5:00p.m. Virtual Event
Hosted by: RC Waling Waling Davao
- April 22-23 (Fri-Sat)**
DISTRICT ASSEMBLY 2022 (DISTAS)
Venue: General Santos City
Assembly will be Hybrid (In Person and Virtual)
- May 27-28 (Fri-Sat)**
DISTRICT CONVENTION 2022 (DISCON)
Venue: Ormoc City
Convention will be Hybrid (In Person and Virtual)
- June 4-8 (Sat-Wed)**
INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2022
Venue: Houston, Texas, USA
Convention will be Hybrid (In Person and Virtual)



The President's Corner

Michael Gerard Chellathurai
Club President

Hi Fellow Rotarians,

It's so wonderful to be able to have face to face meetings which we started last week .

Fellow Rotarians there are lots of development going on in Davao city. If you know anybody who can share with us about this present and future development in Davao city and willing to be our guest speaker please let me know .

Thank you Fellow Rotarians.

On a Wednesday Noon...

Classification talk of
Rtn. Sonja Garcia
March 15, 2022 at Apo View Hotel





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March 21, 2022

MR. MICHAEL GERARD CHELLATHURAI

President
Rotary Club of South Davao
c/o DIMDI Builders Center
San Pedro St., Davao City

Dear Mr. Chellathurai:

Greetings!

This has reference to the vacancy in the Office of the Board of Directors, Davao City Water District, due to the resignation of Justice Rogelio G. Largo, effective March 8, 2022. He represents the Civic-Oriented Service Clubs.


In compliance with the provisions of Section 12, Chapter III, Title II of Presidential Decree No. 198, as amended, we wish to solicit nomination from your club/organization to fill the vacated position for the unexpired term which will end on December 31, 2026. The qualifications of a nominee are as follows:

- Must be of voting age,
- Must be a member of the nominating association/organization,
- Must be a resident of Davao City, and
- Must not be a public official/employee.

Please submit your nomination letter to this Office on or before **April 21, 2022**. May we further request that your nomination/response to this solicitation be supported by a Board Resolution/Secretary's Certificate, indicating the qualifications of your nominee. Authorization of the Nominating Officer, by way of Board Resolution/Secretary's Certificate, is also needed.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,


Helen D. Paguican
Board Secretary



Launching of Bat Emergence (BEN) Night Tour at Fort Med, Samal island. Spouses Kathy Uy and Merelyne Chellathurai, Rotarian spouses filling in for now grown YAPis (Youth AmbATssador) Program (Kaely, Kathy, Mark). 3m during the ceremonial blessing and prayers to Ariel, the Angel of Nature prior to entering the bat sanctuary to watch the circadian flight of bats as they take off with babies to cross the channel to do their SERVICE to humanity.



Bat Mama a bday celebrant that night posing with family n staff promoting BEN tour teeshirts to popularize the event declared under resolution #871 Series 2012 an eco tourism event.



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