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# 11th Regular Weekly Meeting

October 26, 2022 \* Tebow Cure Hospital \* 12:00NN

# Program

## I. Opening:

# II. Programme Proper

## III. Closing

Announcements / Adjournment

# **PP Norma Monfort**

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**?
- 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 of profession, I am expected to:

- Consider my vocation to be another opportunity of service;
- 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.
- Do all in my power to dignity 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;
- 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;
- Adhere to honesty in advertising and in all representations to the public concerning my business or profession;
- 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

O God, thank you for helping us gather here safely as we discuss another projects and events to come in our community in your name. Please help us do your work through our organization. Please guide us and keep our intentions honest, and keep us away from the temptations of sin. Without your love, we would not be able to experience real, true love in our own lives. Please help us spread your love, your word, and your messages throughout our community as you continue to guide us to lead pure and clean lives. In Jesus' name, Amen.

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### **ROTARY HYMN**

I want to be a Rotarian for the world Make the Rotary flag as the flag of peace unfurled I shall serve my community Help achieve universal unity.

Through Rotary I shall dedicate my all World understanding shall be my cherished goal With the 4-Way Test, I'll pursue my quest And if I, in a way, help obtain peace in the world I shall not have lived in vain

I observe service above self Lend a hand to all who need my help I'll get my spouse to involve in Rotary And in Rotary ways I will train my family

With the 4-Way Test, we'll pursue our quest And if we, in a way, help obtain peace in the world We shall not have lived in vain

Build a bridge for tomorrow's youth Strengthened by nothing but the truth Let's join our hands, there's no reason we'll divide We shall all understand why the good Lord is our guide

With the 4-Way Test we'll pursue our quest And if I, in a way help obtain Peace in the world We shall not have lived in vain Peace be achieved we shall not have lived in vain.

# Rotary Information...

# Rotary and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation extending fundraising partnership to eradicate polio

Partnership will infuse an additional US\$450 million into global polio eradication effort

**EVANSTON, III. (October 18, 2022)** – Rotary and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation are renewing their longstanding partnership to end polio, announcing a joint commitment of up to \$450 million to support the global polio eradication effort.

"We've made tremendous progress, but the world is facing multiple pandemics, and vaccine hesitancy is on the rise. Recent polio outbreaks in Malawi and Mozambique, plus detection of poliovirus in Israel, the UK, and the United States prove that if polio exists anywhere, it threatens children everywhere," said Ian Riseley, chair of the Rotary Foundation and Past President of Rotary International. "Partnering with the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation helps us ensure that children in polio-affected countries get the lifesaving vaccines they need to be protected from polio for life."

This pledge comes on the heels of **Rotary's announcement at the Global Citizen Festival** pledging an additional US\$150 million towards polio eradication.

Rotary is committed to raising \$50 million per year over the next three years, with every dollar to be matched with two additional dollars from the Gates Foundation. This expanded agreement will translate into up to a total of \$450 million to support the Global Polio Eradication Initiative.

"Eradicating polio requires the dedication and generosity of nations and individuals around the world, and Rotarians are again leading the way," said Melinda French Gates, co-chair of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. "Rotary International and Rotarians continue to be the heart of GPEI – and have been since the beginning. Together, we are moving closer to our shared goal of ending polio and ensuring that families will never have to fear this disease again."

"As the first organization to envision a polio-free world, Rotary is more committed than ever to delivering on our promise that one day, no child will ever again be paralyzed by polio," said Rotary President Jennifer Jones. "Our partnership with the Gates Foundation helps us eliminate any impediment to conquer polio now."

The Rotary Foundation Board of Trustees recently approved a \$50 million grant for AFRO surveillance, Afghanistan, Pakistan and Outbreak Response. These grants will support ongoing immunization activities to reach children under the age of five with an emphasis on improving community awareness and engagement—promoting vaccine acceptance, reducing the number of missed children—and ensuring robust surveillance capacity to quickly detect poliovirus transmission.

Polio—a paralyzing and sometimes deadly disease—is on the verge of becoming the second human disease in history to be eradicated. This critical funding helps ensure that children in at-risk countries are protected from polio, and that the wild poliovirus is eliminated in the last two countries that continue to report cases.

While only Afghanistan and Pakistan continue to report cases of wild poliovirus, the remaining challenges to global eradication—like difficulty reaching children amid insecurity and conflict and weak health systems—have proven to be the most difficult. To meet these challenges head-on and ensure the continuation of program efforts, funding and support from donors and world governments are imperative.

Rotary has contributed more than \$2.6 billion to fight polio, including matching funds from the Gates Foundation, and countless volunteer hours since launching its polio eradication program, PolioPlus, in 1985. In 1988, Rotary joined in partnership with the World Health Organization, UNICEF, and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to form the Global Polio Eradication Initiative. The Gates Foundation and Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance later joined. When the initiative launched, there were 350,000 cases of polio every year. Today the incidence of polio has plummeted by more than 99.9 percent.

Anyone can be a part of the fight to end polio and have their donation to Rotary matched 2-to-1 by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. Visit **endpolio.org** to learn more and **donate**.

About Rotary: Rotary brings together a global network of volunteer leaders dedicated to tackling the world's most pressing humanitarian challenges. We connect 1.4 million members from more than 46,000 Rotary clubs in almost every country in the world. Their service improves lives both locally and internationally, from helping those in need in their own communities to working toward a polio-free world. Visit Rotary.org and endpolio.org for more about Rotary and its efforts to eradicate polio.



# **Secretary's Report**

Ailleen Joy C. Adora
Club Secretary

# Comparative Weekly Attendance

	Oct. 12	Oct. 21
CLUB MEMBERSHIP	21	21
HONORARY MEMBER	05	05
PRESENT	12	16
ON LEAVE	00	00
ABSENT	09	05
MADE UP	04	00
ATTENDANCE % BASE	21	21
WEEK AVERAGE	76.19%	76.19%

#### Thank you for making-up:

VP Sonja Garcia Sec. Apple Adora Dir. Bhing Shimizutani Rtn. Glaiza Canada

#### Guests:

Mr. Tim Gard Mi

Mr. Dante Cadave

Ms. Emely Bortado

Mr. Edward Pelotos

## **Happy Birthday!**

Nov. 9 – CDTO Harold Abellana 22 – Rtn. Glaiza Canada

# **Happy Anniversary!**

Nov. 28 – PP Rudy & Sp. Ana Abellana

## Reminder:

Nov. 2, 2022 - NO MEETING

Nov. 5, 2022 – Bowling practice 3:00PM, SM Lanang

Nov. 9, 2022 – Bowling practice 4:00PM, SM Lanang

Nov. 13&20, 2022 – Bowling Tournament SM Lanang

Dec. 10, 2022 - RCSD Christmas Party 6:00PM

Dec. 14, 2022 – Annual Election of Officers & Directors



# The President's Corner Virgie Albaera

Club President

Month of November is to celebrate and focus on The Rotary Foundation.

The Rotary Foundation transforms our gifts into projects that change lives both close to home and around the world. As the charitable arm of Rotary, we tap into a global network of Rotarians who invest their time, money, and expertise into our priorities, such as eradicating polio and promoting peace. Foundation grants empower Rotarians to approach challenges such as poverty, illiteracy, and malnutrition with sustainable solutions that leave a lasting impact......

Through our Foundation, Rotary members have supported thousands of projects to provide clean water, fight disease, promote peace, provide basic education, and grow local economies. We've also been a leader in the fight to eradicate polio worldwide.

The Rotary Foundation enables Rotarians to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education, and the alleviation of poverty.

We participated Patak Polio program of our Government. Ending polio forever Rotary has been working to eradicate polio for over 35 years, and our goal of ridding the earth of this disease is in sight. We started in 1979 with vaccinations for 6 million children in the Philippines. Today, Afghanistan and Pakistan are the only countries where polio remains endemic.

We will apply to TRF for a district grant. We are working on it now for the Lumads in Mapula Paquibato District specifically in their Weaving Center. Hopefully RCSD can apply for a Global Grant in the near future also. That's why it is so important to donate to TRF ... to help fund life-changing projects.

Let's donate to The Rotary Foundation, be Blessed and be a Blessing to less fortunate people.

# Our Guest of Honor & Speaker...

#### PETER COWLES

- CEO/Executive Director of CURE Philippines, DBA Tebow Cure Hospital
- Founder/CEO of Seeds of Dignity Ministries, Inc. (USA 501(c)(3) USA non-profit
- Founder/CEO of Seeds of Dignity Ministries Mindanao, Inc. (Philippine NGO)
- Worked for 26 years in Executive leadership roles in the USA
- Past President 2x of the Rotary Club of Pag-Asa Davao
- Member of Paul Harris Society and a Major Donor Level I

### **EDUCATION:**

- BS Biology/Minor in Chemistry California State University Stanislaus Summa Cum Laude
- MA in Organizational Management University of Phoenix
- Certificate in Health Care Management Cornell University

## **GRANT EXPERIENCE:**

- Primary coordinator of 7 Global Grants and 3 Matching Grants via Rotary Foundation
- Secured grants from several other foundations and corporations
- Married with four children and five grandchildren
- Living consistently in the Philippines since 2008 now a Permanent Resident

### PINK OCTOBER: Breast Cancer Awareness...

Oct. 16, 2022, Waterfront Insular Hotel

















Patak Polio with RC East Davao at Agdao Health Center. Oct. 19, 2022



### **End Polio Now Zumba...**

participated by RCSD Rotaract Community Based at Victoria Plaza Oct. 23, 2022

PDDG Arthur Uy donated 200pcs. of eggs.





Halloween Fellowship... Tadakuma Toril, Oct. 21, 2022

















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