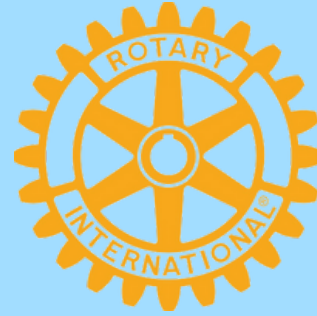


# THE MAGIC OF ROTARY

Together, let's continue to spread the magic of Rotary, illuminating darkness with light, and making our world shine brighter for generations to come. "This message highlights the transformative nature of Rotary's work and dedication of its members to create positive change in the world".

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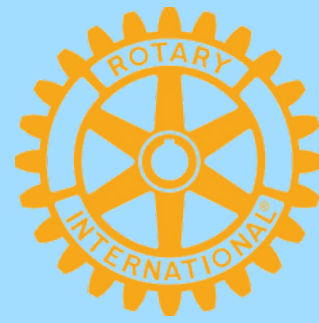
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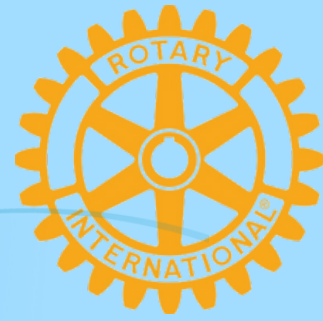
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## ABOUT THE CLUB

*The South Digos Rotary Club was founded on July 30, 2003, with a commitment to serving the local community and beyond. For over two decades, our club has brought together dedicated individuals with a passion for humanitarian service, ethical leadership, and global peace.*



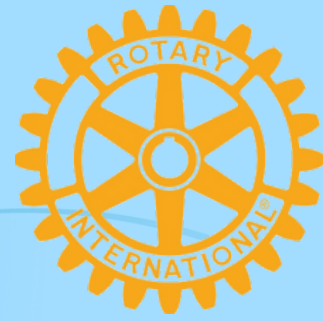


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PAST PRESIDENTS**

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>ROTARIAN</b>	<b>RI THEME</b>
2003-2005	PAG PERLA MAY "PEARL" GRIFFIN (CHARTER PRESIDENT)	"Lend a Hand"
2004-2005	PAG PERLA MAY "PEARL" GRIFFIN	"Celebrate Rotary"
2005-2006	PP RYE GLENN "RYE" TRINIDAD	"Service Above Self"
2006-2007	PP ERWIN "WIN" LIANOS	"Lead the Way"
2007-2008	PP LANI "LAN" GABUTERO	"Rotary Share"
2008-2009	PP WOODY "WOODS" CABARDO	"Make Dreams Real"
2009-2010	PP GENABELLA "GENA" SOSMEÑA	"The future of Rotary is in your hand"
2010-2011	PP PETER PAUL "PETE" SARABIA	"Building Communities Bridging Continents"
2011-2012	PP FLORENTINO "BOYET" DE LEON JR.	"Reach Within to Embrace Humanity"
2012-2013	PP ZANDRO "DROZAN" TORREON	"Peace through Rotary"
2013-2014	PP ROGEL "PONG" PANGANIBAN	"Engage Rotary Change Lives"
2014-2015	PAG ALEJANDRA "BING" CABARDO	"Light up Rotary"
2015-2016	PP TEODORICO "JOJO" DOFELIS	"Be a Gift to the World"
2016-2017	PP ATTY. ENGELBERT "ENG" CALGAS	"Rotary Serving Humanity"
2017-2018	PAG AMELITA "AMY" ALQUIZA	"Rotary: Making a Difference"



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YEAR	ROTARIAN	RI THEME
2018-2019	PP ANNA JANE "JANE" CALGAS	"Be the inspiration"
2019-2020	PP MARIA ANA "BHENG" ALTAMERA	"Rotary connects the world"
2020-2021	PAG GLADYS "GLADS" GASCON	"Rotary Opens Opportunities"
2021-2022	PP NANCY "MEGA" MIJARES	"Serve to Change Lives"
2022-2023	PP MARIA DULCE "DOLLY FANLO	"Imagine Rotary"
2023-2024	PP WOODY "WOODS" CABARDO	"Create Hope in the World"
2024-2025	PRESIDENT DIONY "DIONY" MIJARES	"The Magic of Rotary"





**The South Digos Rotary Club recently inaugurated a new Public Resting Bench as part of its ongoing efforts to improve public spaces and enhance community welfare. The ribbon-cutting ceremony, held at Digos City Public Market, brought together Rotary members, community leaders, and supporters to celebrate this simple yet impactful addition to the area.**

**The new resting bench was designed to provide a comfortable spot for community members to take a break, whether they're running errands, exploring the area, or just in need of a place to rest. Located in a central, accessible location, the bench is part of Rotary's larger commitment to creating community-friendly infrastructure that promotes inclusivity and hospitality.**





**The South Digos Rotary Club marked a significant milestone with its Charter Anniversary Celebration and the 22nd Induction of Officers and Handover Ceremonies. The event gathered members, guests, and local leaders to celebrate years of dedicated service and to welcome a new chapter of leadership.**

**District Governor Caroline "Caycay" Andrade served as the inducting officer, adding a touch of honor and significance to the proceedings. In her address, she commended the club's commitment to community service and the impact of its various initiatives over the years. She encouraged the new officers to continue this legacy of service and innovation, inspiring members to engage actively in future projects.**





**The Rotary Club of South Digos attended the “Vibrant Rotary Club Seminar”, brought together enthusiastic Rotarians from various chapters to engage in a day of inspiration, strategic planning, and community strengthening. The seminar was attended by President Diony “Diony” Mijares, along with Rotary members Rtn. Wilma Lascuña and Rtn. Astrid Gopo Brisson, who played pivotal roles in facilitating discussions and sharing insights.**



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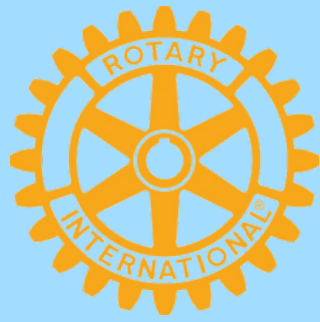


**ROTARY CLUB OF DIGOS HOSTED THE  
1ST MAYOR JOSEF FORTICH CAGAS CUP SUB 60 CHALLENGE & FUN RUN**



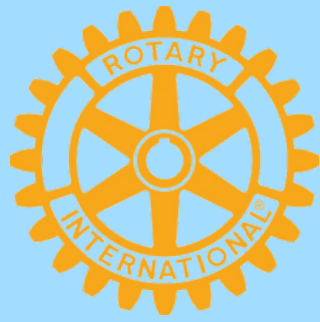
**The Rotary Club of Digos proudly hosted the 1st Mayor Josef Fortich Cagas Cup Sub 60 Challenge & Fun Run, an exhilarating event that combined community spirit, fitness, and the thrill of healthy competition. This inaugural brought together running enthusiasts, local officials, and community members from Digos and beyond to celebrate active lifestyles while honoring the late Mayor Josef Fortich Cagas's dedication to community wellness.**





**The Rotary Club of South Digos recently held a heartwarming Gift-Giving Event for the children at the City Halfway Home in Digos City. This event was a testament to Rotary's mission of "Service Above Self," as club members came together to bring smiles and joy to young residents who need it most.**





**The Rotary Club of South Digos recently conducted a Feeding Activity for the Zumba enthusiasts at Rizal Park, Digos City, adding an extra boost of energy to their morning exercise routine. The event brought together fitness and community spirit as Rotary members handed out nutritious snacks to the Zumba participants, creating a lively and supportive atmosphere for all.**





“Don’t forget to do good  
and to share what you  
have because God  
is pleased with these  
kinds of sacrifices.”

**HEBREWS 13:16**