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# LIGHTS HERALD

THE OFFICIAL WEEKLY PUBLICATION  
OF ROTARY CLUB OF STA. ANA, DAVAO

CLUB 17130, AREA 2B DISTRICT 3860

The Rotary Club of Sta. Ana (Davao)  
meets every Wednesday, 7:00 PM at the  
Grand Men Seng Hotel, A. Pichon Street,  
Davao City.

Chartered on the 9th of June, 1980, Club No.  
17130, Area 2B, District 3860.



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**ROTARY CLUB OF STA. ANA (DAVAO)**

Club No. 17130, Area 2B, District 3860

**2nd General Membership Meeting**

JULY 08, 2020 via Zoom, 8:00 PM

**P R O G R A M M E**

Call to Order President Joseph H. Soliva

Invocation PP Arellano O. Espanto, Jr  
National Anthem  
Rotary Hymn

Treasurer's Report PP Arthur B. Galendez

President's Time President Joseph H. Soliva

**AGENDA :**

- Welcoming our New Members
  - Updates / Concerns on our incoming Hand-over/ Induction ceremonies
  - Upcoming Projects
  - Overview of RI / District challenge to be presented by PP Corina Y. Guerrero
- Other Matters

Adjournment President Joseph H. Soliva

**Fellowship\*Fellowship\*Fellowship**

PN Andrew Paul A. Virtucio  
Emcee



## INVOCATION

Heavenly father, We come to you tonight asking for your guidance, wisdom and blessings as we gather here for our second weekly meeting for this rotary year. Grace us with your vision and gift us with your humor and humility so that this Rotary year will be successful as always. Let our discussions be charitable and our conclusions fruitful. Let our deliberations tend to your glory.

Lord, blessed us all as well as our families, that we will always be safe and protected from all sickness, harm and calamities. Blessed also our fellow Rotarians that cannot attend tonight's meeting due to some personal matters to attend to. All this we ask in Jesus Name, Amen.

## 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  
Thru Rotary, I shall dedicate my all  
World understanding shall be my cherished goal

Refrain:

With the Four Way Test  
I'll pursue my quest  
And if I, in a way, help obtain  
Peace in the world  
I shall have not lived in vain.

I observe Service Above Self  
Lend 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  
(Repeat Refrain - substitute "I" with "We")

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

(Repeat Refrain - substitute "I" with "We")

CODA: Peace be achieved  
So we shall not have lived in vain.

## I'll Make The Difference

**I'm the one who can make the Difference  
Yes, I will make the difference Against all odds  
I can live to share my love with others**

**Yes, I will make the difference  
I can make it take my hand  
As we make this journey across the land**

**I'm the one who can make the difference  
Yes, I will make the difference against all odds**

**I can live to share my love with others  
Yes, I will make the difference  
I will make it take my hand**

**As we make this journey  
Across the Land**

**I had the courage to keep goin' on  
I had the faith when all hope was gone  
I had the strength to keep holdin' on  
I can make the difference (3x)  
Yes I can**

**Cause' I'm the one who can make the difference**

**Yes, I will make the difference against all odds  
I can live to share my love with others  
Yes, I will make this journey  
Across the Land**

**We're the ones who can make the difference  
Yes, we will make the difference against all odds**

**We can live to share our love with others  
Yes, we will make the difference  
We will make it take my hand  
As we make this journey  
Across the Land**

**We will make the difference across the land  
(3x)**

**We will make it, Take my hand!**



## Rotary Pin

Do you know where your Rotary pin is? It might cost you at the next meeting if you don't have it.



# Secretary's Report

By: PE / Sec. Andrew Paul A. Virtucio

ATTENDANCE REPORT	JULY 01, 2020	JULY 08, 2020		
Club Activities	1 <sup>st</sup> Virtual General Membership Meeting	2 <sup>nd</sup> Virtual General Membership Meeting		
	Davao City	Davao City		
Membership Base	20	20	20	20
Members under Rule of 85	1	1	1	1
Members on Sick Leave	1	1	1	1
Net Membership Base	18	18	18	18
Attendance	12	13		



**ROTARIAN**

**July 10**

AMELIO BATOHANON

**SPOUSE**

**July 23**

MANOLETE GUERRERO

**ROTAKIDS**

**July 05**

CRYSTELLE RAINE TANCONTIAN

**July 15**

NASHILLE TYSSIAN ANG

**July 16**

CHRISTIANA ROMA TANCONTIAN

**July 31**

MICAELA FRANCESCA GUERRERO

**July 18**

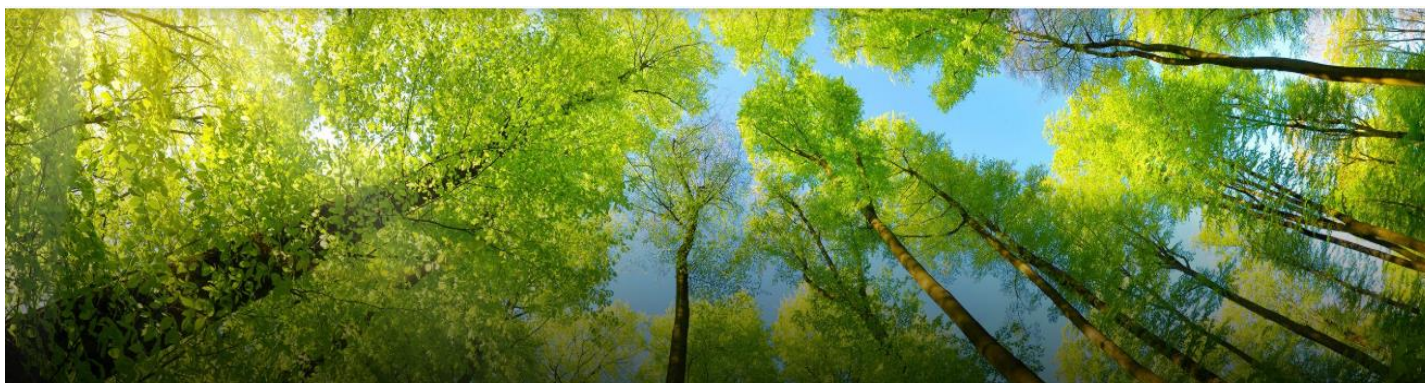
RAMESES and CHISTIENORA  
TANCONTIAN

**July 28**

JOSEPH and JAI SOLIVA

# ROTARY INFORMATION

## Supporting the environment becomes a new area of focus



**The Rotary Foundation Trustees and Rotary International Board of Directors have both unanimously approved adding a new area of focus: supporting the environment.**

**More than \$18 million in Foundation global grant funding has been allocated to environment-related projects over the past five years. Creating a distinct area of focus to support the environment will give Rotary members even more ways to bring about positive change in the world and increase our impact.**

**RI President Mark Maloney says that during his travels around the world as a Rotary senior leader he encountered many Rotary members and Rotaractors who advocated for the environment to be an area of focus.**

**“I believe strongly that our Rotary Foundation programs now have a valuable added dimension to our efforts,” says, Maloney.**

**Foundation Trustee Chair Gary C.K. Huang says that with the global population reaching near eight billion, protecting the environment is increasingly important.**

**“It is time for us to use our collective resources to invest in a smart and efficient way to protecting our environment,” says Huang. “We are qualified to take this initiative because we are a global group of problem solvers with diversified talents.”**

**In 1990-91, RI President Paulo V.C. Costa made the environment one of his primary causes, creating the Preserve Planet Earth subcommittee, which looked at ways clubs and members could conduct environmental initiatives.**

**“We have finally caught up to Costa [his vision],” says Past RI President Ian H.S. Riseley, chair of the Environmental Issues task force, which championed the new area of focus.**

**“As a lifelong environmentalist, I’m delighted that our great organization has recognized that the environment is a worthy and appropriate destination for our project activity,” says Riseley. “This is an exciting moment in Rotary history.”**

**Supporting the environment becomes Rotary’s seventh area of focus, which are categories of service activities supported by global grants. It joins peacebuilding and conflict prevention; disease prevention and treatment; water, sanitation, and hygiene; maternal and child health; basic education and literacy; and community economic development.**

**Grant applications for projects will be accepted beginning on 1 July 2021. Gifts and commitments from Rotarians and others will be sought to provide global grant support for the new area of focus.**

**<https://www.rotary.org/en/supporting-environment-becomes-new-area-focus>**

## **A Look at the History of the Rotary Club of Sta. Ana Davao**

### ***Organization***

The dawning of new day in the life of Rotary International in Davao unfolded when 36 prominent men – business executives, captains of industry and top professionals – led by Mr. Sebastian “Anggie” L. Angliongto met in February 1980 to form a rotary club to be named the Rotary Club of Sta. Ana (Davao), the Club for brevity.

Months preceding that historic meeting, Mr. Angliongto was tapped by the pillars of the Rotary Club of Central Davao (RCCD), namely PP Emilio “Miming” Palma Gil, PP Alfonso “Al” Lopez and PP Jose “Peping” Abella, to organize the new club. With his vast experience in developing and managing a world-renown civic group such as the Jaycee International (JCI), which he once served as the world’s executive vice president, Mr. Angliongto readily accepted the challenge.

Through the sponsoring and nurturing of RCCD, the Club was chartered on August 8, 1980 under the jurisdiction of Rotary International (RI) District 3860 with Club Identification No. 17130 issued by the RI.

### ***Core of Charter Members***

Mr. Angliongto’s stature in the business community and his known deep involvement in civic work led him to meet and develop friendship with the who’s who in the business sector. They were the very ones whom he had invited, including two prominent Dabawenyos who volunteered to join the Club and be among its core charter members.

Worthy of honor and remembrance in those glory days of the Club were the prominent personas present in that historic organizational meeting. They included Mr. Angliongto, Atty. Wilgefortes Escudero, Atty. Jose Sevilla, Mr. Edmundo N. Madrazo, Mr. Pedro Durano, Atty. Martin Suelto and John Y. Gaisano Jr., all seven of them past presidents of the Davao City Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Inc. (DCCCII), the sole organization of Davao City’s top businessmen, traders, industrialists and agriculturists. To this day, the Club enjoys the distinction of being the only club led by seven past presidents of the Davao City Chamber.

Mr. Henry Tek Seng Lim, owner of the NCCC Supermarket and known philanthropist, Mr. Dante Abaca, senior vice president of United Coconut Planters Bank and hotelier, and Mr. Roman J. Cuison Jr., a practicing lawyer and owner of the Cuison Hotel, were also part of the core group.

Also worth mentioning is the fact that Atty. Escudero and Atty. Sevilla had served as district governor and district deputy governor, respectively, of Lions Club International, before volunteering to join the Club.

The Club had elected Mr. “Anggie” Angliongto as Charter President and Atty. “Joe” Sevilla as Charter Secretary.

Later in the Club’s existence, two of its past presidents –PP “Mart” Suelto and PP Pedrito “Pedring” Salvador were elected members of the Davao City Council, the law-making body of the city.

In the span of 14 years from the Club’s chartering date, 12 of the charter members had the opportunity to lead the Club as Presidents.

### ***Meeting Places***

The venues of Club’s weekly meetings during the last 36 years were the following places:

1. Chicken’s Delight at Villa-Abrille St., every Saturday at noon time.
2. Cuison Hotel along J.P. Laurel Avenue in Bajada, every Saturday at noon time.
3. Hotel Maguindanao at Claro M. Recto Avenue, every Wednesday in the evening.
4. Grand Men Seng Hotel at Antonio Pichon Sr. Avenue (formerly Magallanes Avenue), every Wednesday in the evening.

As the checkered business history of Davao City would have it, the first three venues are now defunct, save for Grand Men Seng Hotel which has remained the meeting place to this very day.

### ***Projects Undertaken***

The Club has been the wellspring of meaningful community service projects. Among its award-winning projects is the medical and dental services conducted with regularity in the hinterlands with members of the indigenous tribes as beneficiaries and the scholarships granted to poor and deserving students.

### ***Club Distinctions Received from RI District 3860***

In the almost four decades of its existence, the Club has notched several major accomplishments in each decade.

#### ***In the First Decade (between 1980 and 1990):***

- In 1982 and 1983, Charter President Anggie Angliongto was appointed District Youth Chair and concurrently Special Governor's Representative.
- In 1983, the Club hosted the District Conference (DISCON) of District 3860 in Davao City, the first three-year old club to achieve such a feat in the annals of Philippine Rotary.
- Immediately thereafter, the Club forged Sisterhood covenants with Rotary Clubs (RCs) in other parts of the country such as RC Cagayan de Oro, RC Downtown Manila and RC Malabon.
- Forged Sisterhood agreements with foreign Rotary Clubs, namely RC Korabane in Japan, and RC Sampare in Melbourne, Australia.

#### ***In the Second Decade (between 1991 – 2000)***

- In 1997-1998, during the term of President Cerio "Cerg" B. Javellana, the Club garnered the highest District awards given by District 3860:
- Awarded the Club as the "Most Outstanding Club" in Category II (Club with less than 35 members).
- Awarded President Cerio "Cerg" B. Javellana as the "Most Outstanding President" in Category II.
- Awarded Secretary Alfredo "Fred" I. Gelua as the "Most Outstanding Secretary" in Category II.
- In that same year, the Club won as the Championship for the bowling tournament of all the 23 Rotary Clubs in Davao City.
- In 1998-1999, District 3860 awarded President Alfredo "Fred" I. Gelua as the "Outstanding Club President".

#### ***In the Third Decade (between 2001-2010)***

- In 2008 – 2009, during the term of President Cary "Cary" H. Beatisula, District 3860 awarded the Club as the "Most Outstanding Club in Mindanao".
- In 2008 – 2010, the Club won twice as the Champion for the bowling tournament of Rotary Clubs in Davao City.

#### ***In the Fourth Decade (between 2011 – 2016)***

- In 2011 – 2015, won four times as the Champion for the bowling tournament of Rotary Clubs in Davao City.
- In 2011 – 2012, District 3860 awarded President Felix "Allan" T. Fabian the "Meritorious Service Award" as the Chair of District Fund Raising Raffle.
- In 2014 – 2015, during the term of President Amelio "Boy" P. Batohanon, PHF, District 3860 conferred to the Club the honor as a "100% Paul Harris Fellow Club".
- In that same year, the Club forged Sisterhood agreement with RC Dadiangas.

### ***First District 3860 Governor from the Club***

A high point in the Club's glorious history was the election of one of its illustrious leaders –Past President Remegio "Boy" Salanatin – as District Governor of RI District 3860, an unprecedented event in the life of the Rotary Club of Sta. Ana (Davao).



# Rotary Club Sta. Ana Davao Members



## Where to make-up in Davao City

<b>Mon</b>	<b>RC Central Davao</b>	Grand MenSeng Hotel 7:00 P.M. Secretary Maribel: 0948-767-3228
<b>Tues</b>	<b>RC East Davao</b>	Marco Polo Davao 12:15 P.M Secretary Sheila: 0920-953-4196
	<b>RC Matina Davao</b>	Lispher Inn 7:00 P.M Secretary Rose: 0922-850-8181
<b>Wed</b>	<b>RC Davao 2000</b>	Happy Homes 6:30 P.M 295-7053
	<b>RC Downtown</b>	Grand Men Seng Hotel 12:00 P.M. Secretary Neldz: 0939-273-196
	<b>RC South Davao</b>	Marco Polo Davao 12:15 P.M. Secretary Chat2: 0922-892-7018
	<b>RC Sta. Ana Davao</b>	Grand Men Seng Hotel 6:30 P.M. Secretary
	<b>RC Pag-asa</b>	Lispher Inn 7:00 P.M. Secretary Janeth: 0923-289-1319
	<b>RC Calinan Davao</b>	M Rose 7:00 P.M.
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>RC Davao</b>	Mandaya Hotel 12:00 P.M Secretary Jackie: 227- 31075
	<b>RC Waling Waling</b>	Grand Men Seng Hotel 12:30 P.M.
	<b>RC West Davao</b>	Marco Polo Davao 12:15 P.M. Secretary Joe: 222-8840
<b>Fri</b>	<b>RC North Davao</b>	North Davao Club House 6:30 P.M. Secretary Wilma: 305-0757

## ROTARY MONTHLY THEMES

<p><b>JULY</b> New leadership Month</p> <p><b>AUGUST</b> Membership and New Club Development</p> <p><b>SEPTEMBER</b> Basic Education and Literacy</p> <p><b>OCTOBER</b> Economic and Community Development</p> <p><b>NOVEMBER</b> Rotary Foundation</p> <p><b>DECEMBER</b> Disease Prevention and Treatment</p>	<p><b>JANUARY</b> Vocational Service</p> <p><b>FEBRUARY</b> Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution</p> <p><b>MARCH</b> Water and Sanitation</p> <p><b>April</b> Maternal and Child Health</p> <p><b>MAY</b> Youth Service</p> <p><b>JUNE</b> Rotary Fellowships</p>
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### CERTIFICATE

*This serves as make-up certificate*

**Name of Rotarian:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Club** : \_\_\_\_\_

**Date/Time** : \_\_\_\_\_

**Sign by** : \_\_\_\_\_

**Attested by** : PE / Sec. Andrew Paul A. Virtucio



# CLUB OFFICERS

## ROTARY YEAR 2020-2021

<b>President:</b>	Joseph "Bong" H. Soliva, RFSM
<b>Immediate Past President:</b>	Philip "Phil" C. Dumlao, PHF+1
<b>President Elect/Secretary:</b>	Andrew Paul "Pong" A. Virtucio, PHF
<b>Treasurer:</b>	Arthuro "Art" B. Galendez, PHF+1
<b>Auditor:</b>	Christienora "Christie" B. Tancontian, PHF
<b>Club Admin:</b>	Corina "Corin" Y. Guerrero, PHF+4
<b>Protocol Officer:</b>	Vincent Edward "Ed" L. Ang, Major Donor Level 1
<b>The Rotary Foundation:</b>	Amelio "Boy" P. Batohanon, PHF+1
<b>Family of Rotary:</b>	Dahlie Lou "Dahlie" C. Ang, Major Donor Level 1
<b>Club Membership:</b>	Arellano "Jun" O. Espanto Jr., PHF
<b>Rotary Community Corps:</b>	Remegio "Boy" G. Salanatin, Major Donor Level 1 Florencio "Flo" Z. Solarte, PHF
<b>Public Image:</b>	Bernandita "Tess" A. Galendez, PHF
<b>Orientation and Education:</b>	Cary "Cary" H. Beatisula, Major Donor Level
<b>Community Service:</b>	Rameses "Ramsey" G. Tancontian, PHF+2
<b>New Generation/Youth Services</b>	Mortchill Lorraine "Rain" P. Ang, PHF
<b>Vocational Service:</b>	Milgrace "Grace" C. Driz Lenibeth "Lenny" M. Espanto
<b>International Service:</b>	Cary "Cary" H. Beatisula, Major Donor Level 1 Rosenie "Zoe" A. Phillips, PHF

# 1st Virtual General Membership Meeting via Zoom

July 01, 2020



 <b>Rotary Club</b>	 <b>Rotary Opens Opportunities</b>
<b>ROTARY CLUB OF STA. ANA (DAVAO)</b> Club No. 11130, Ana 2-8, District 3600 <b>1st Virtual General Membership Meeting</b> <b>July 01, 2020 Webinar via Zoom, 8:00 PM</b>	
<b>PROGRAMME</b>	
Call to Order	President Joseph H. Soliva
Invocation	Dir Bernandita A. Galendez
National Anthem	
Rotary Hymn	
RC Sta Ana Davao Information	PP Corina Y. Guerrero
Treasurer's Report	PP Arthur B. Galendez
<b>AGENDA :</b>	
- Sharing Insight of District Handover & Installation Ceremonies Finalization of July 10, 2020 Turnover / Induction of Officers Finalization of Induction of New Memebes Presentation of Annual Club assessment Members Retention / Club Recognition	
Other Matters	
Adjournment	Joseph H. Soliva
Fellowship*Fellowship*Fellowship	
IPP Philip C. Dumlao Moderator	



# Rotary Club of Sta. Ana (Davao)

## People of Action





# District Handover and Installation Ceremonies

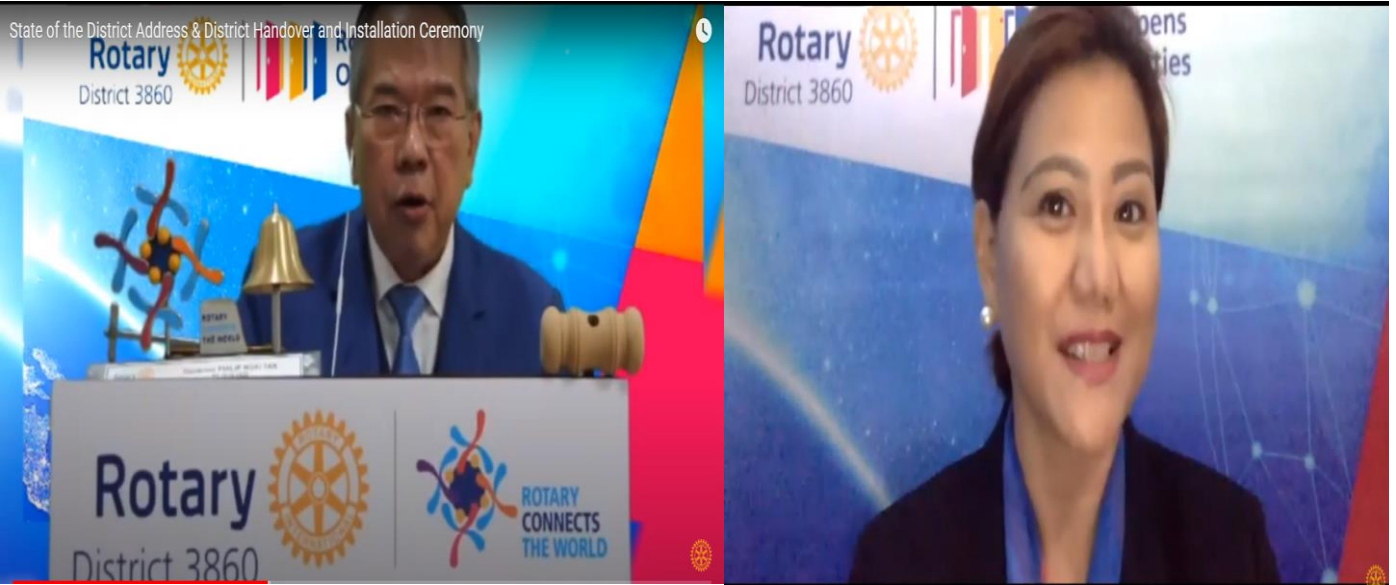
Rodel Riezl S. Reyes

District Governor, Rotary Year 2020-2021





State of the District Address & District Handover and Installation Ceremony





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