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Rotary Connects The World: this rotary years theme aims to lead and live as an inspiration to humanities. We connect passionate people with diverse perspectives to exchange ideas, forge lifelong friendships, and, above all, take action to change the world.

The Rotanews of Rotary club of Tagum North provides information and activities of the club. This is also one of our avenue to provide information to people of the different activities and information about Rotary.

Similarly, in the human society, civilisation can evolve only if people with the right thought and right action pool in their resources together to move towards the right direction. When an engineer takes care of the construction of the new cellphone tower, he needs the cooperation of the associate engineers, product suppliers, transporters, people in the vicinity of the tower and of course, his friends and family. Once again, we are talking about togetherness making a difference.

When people come together for the right purpose and under the right leadership, what results is sheer magic. Right values are necessary if togetherness or unity is to yield the right results.

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CLUB PROFILE



Date Chartered	December 09, 1988
Sponsor Club	Rotary Club of Tagum
Charter President	Seng Beng "Danny" Lee+
Club No.	26110
Current No. of Members	30
Meets every	Tuesday @ 7:00 P.M.
Meeting Place	Miko's Brew
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The Cover

The Golden ROTANEWS cover showcases The Department of Health (DOH) ceremonial polio immunization and signing of a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Rotary International's 10 Districts to heighten polio awareness and vaccination campaign in light of the reemergence of poliomyelitis in the country.

Editorial

October

Rotary Economic and Community Development Month, is a great opportunity to leverage your vocational skills to help meet the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goal 8: promote inclusive and sustainable economic growth, employment, and decent work for all

Empower others during Rotary Economic and Community Development Month.

According to the United Nations, global unemployment increased from 170 million people in 2007 to nearly 202 million in 2012, about 75 million of whom were young women and young men. October, Rotary Economic and Community Development Month, is a great opportunity to leverage your vocational skills to help meet the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goal 8: promote inclusive and sustainable economic growth, employment, and decent work for all. Read on for ideas on how to empower members of your community.

Generate income and savings

- Partner with a local microlender to improve access to financial services and provide financial infrastructure within a community.
- Offer training on mobile banking resources. Mobile phones, which can be used to make deposits and transfer funds, can increase access to banking systems in developing communities.

Empower members of your community through jobs and entrepreneurship

- Provide training in skills and leadership for young people and women.
- Host an event for business networking and professional development.
- Send a vocational training team to teach business leaders in developing communities how to create a business plan and maintain accurate financial accounting.
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Support economic and community development projects on Rotary Ideas and join a Rotary discussion group to share your expertise with fellow members.

Rotary Club of Tagum North

Council Member : Provincial Advisory Council Davao del Norte
Provincial Police Office
Council Member : Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and
Management Council of Davao del Norte
Council Member : Local School Board – Tagum City
Council Member : Pink Tagum


Program

14th Regular Weekly Meeting Miko's Brew, Tagum City October 01, 2019

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Invocation	AVP
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Reaffirmation of Object of Rotary & 4 Way Test	Rtn. Dexter C. Consolacion
Introduction of Visiting Guests & Rotarians	PP Norman Adlawan
Fellowship Song	Rtn. Michael Bryan A. Briones
Secretary's Report	Sec. Marlou P. Fulo,RFSM4
Treasurer's Report	PAG Arnold M. Nicolas,PHF+6
Presidents Time	Pres. Renie P. Siscon,PHF
Adjournment	Pres. Renie P. Siscon,PHF
Emcee	PP Ramel A. Lintuan,PHF+2

Updates:

Hot Lunch Plus Year 21
Pink Tagum Series of Event
End Polio Now Fun Raising



WE ARE THIS CLOSE TO ENDING POLIO

Now is our chance to change the world. To make sure no child is disabled by polio ever again.

Join in. Speak out. Donate. Be a part of history.

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Tagum North Rotary Club

Michael Bryan A. Briones
Member
Rotary Club of Tagum North

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Mark Daniel Maloney

President 2019-20

October 2019

Rotary's long-term, sustained battle against polio has defined our organization for decades. We have a right to be proud of all that we have accomplished through the years.

Our progress is real and noteworthy. In 1988, polio was endemic in 125 countries, with more than 350,000 new cases a year worldwide. Since then, Rotary and our Global Polio Eradication Initiative partners have reduced the incidence of polio by more than 99.9 percent, vaccinated more than 2.5 billion children against the virus, and prevented 18 million cases of paralysis. Over the years, Rotary has helped country after country move into the polio-free column. This includes India, which some considered impossible not long ago. Of the three types of poliovirus, type 2 has been eradicated and type 3 could soon be certified as eradicated. Nigeria has not reported a case of wild poliovirus in nearly three years. If this trend holds, we will be down to just one type of wild poliovirus in only one section of the world, Afghanistan and Pakistan.

There are major challenges in that region. But it is crucial that we remain optimistic. Look at all that we have accomplished so far. This is no time to get discouraged or to think that the task is impossible. We will end polio forever, but only if we remain steadfast and vigilant. World Polio Day is a time for Rotarians from all over the globe to come together, recognize the progress we have made in our fight against polio, and plan the action we must take to end polio forever. The key word is action, because we still have important work to do.

This year, we want to see as many Rotary clubs as possible holding World Polio Day events around the world. Need some ideas? How about organizing a viewing party for friends and club members to watch Rotary's Online Global Update? You could also dedicate a club meeting to World Polio Day or create a fundraising event. Remember, every dollar raised is matched 2-to-1 by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

Once you have created an event, register it at endpolio.org/register-your-event. Then promote it using the World Polio Day toolkit, available at endpolio.org/world-polio-day.

Mark your calendar to tune in to Rotary's World Polio Day Online Global Update on 24 October. This year we will stream our program on Facebook in multiple time zones around the world. Visit the Rotary International Facebook page to RSVP to your region's program. And do not forget to follow the event on social media and share it with your network.

When we reach our goal, polio will become only the second human disease eradicated on the planet, and Rotary will receive international acclaim. But what matters most is the children who will never again have to face this terrible, disabling virus. Rotary must continue to connect the world in the effort toward polio eradication. It is up to us. Let us finish the job.

Trustee chair's message

October 2019



Gary C.K. Huang

Trustee Chair 2019-20

Friends, World Polio Day is this month and we are facing a major challenge. The news out of Afghanistan and Pakistan tells us that we have more work to do. It tells us that polio will not die out quickly or easily.

Most of all, it tells us that we are needed now more than ever. Success will require us to remain steady and show that there is no time limit to our commitment. We are in this to the end, and we will conquer this terrible disease. We will give life back to children and families, and restore hope to communities.

We are fortunate to have great friends in the Global Polio Eradication Initiative — including the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, which continues to match every donation 2-to-1. We have already eradicated wild poliovirus type 2, and type 3 could soon be wiped out. India is polio-free. All of Africa may soon be polio-free.

The most important factor in ending polio forever is you. The people of Afghanistan and Pakistan have faced so much hardship in recent years. Polio is just one more challenge. To them, it could all feel overwhelming. But not to Rotarians. We do not feel overwhelmed. We feel challenged, and, as people of action, we rise to challenges.

In the words of Confucius: "If one is virtuous, one will not be left to stand alone. It is certain that associates of like mind will come and join with one." In Rotary, we understand these words very well. When we say "Service Above Self," we take a stand for this virtue. We know that our like-minded brothers and sisters around the world will join us. We have been drawn together by our need to do good in the world.

We can rid the world of a disease forever. And you will be the ones to do it, through your continued commitment and generosity.

Be a part of history! Help us overcome the final hardship, the final challenge. Make your donation at endpolio.org/donate.



Renie P. Sison, PHF
Champion President



President's Corner

Good evening Champion Rotarians,

Rotary International begins its fight against polio with a multi-year project to immunize 6 million children in the Philippines.

On 29 September 1979, volunteers administered drops of oral polio vaccine to children at a health center in Guadalupe Viejo, Makati, Philippines. ... Rotary launched PolioPlus in 1985 and was a founding member of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative in 1988

Rotary is an international community that brings together leaders who step up to take on the world's toughest challenges, locally and globally. The eradication of polio is one of our longest standing and most significant efforts. Along with our partners, we have helped immunize more than 2.5 billion children against polio in 122 countries. We have reduced polio cases by 99.9 percent worldwide and we won't stop until we end the disease for good.

The DOH declared a polio epidemic or outbreak last Thursday, September 19, after it found one confirmed case of the disease in Lanao del Sur. The 3-year-old girl afflicted with polio now has residual paralysis due . The Rotary Community immediately acted the outbreak on how to mitigate the spread of the disease.

Our Club started its Oral Polio Immunization at Sitio Tapayanon, Barangay Gupitan, Kapalong last September 30, 2019. We also conducted series of radio guesting last Sept 19, 2019 at 95.1 Energy FM and DXDN Radyo Ukay last Sept. 26, 2019. On October 10, 2019 we already schedule for TV Guesting in PTV 48.

Our calendar for October is almost full, we have a lot of events for the celebration of October Pink and World Polio Day. Just update our schedule to our FB Page . Damo Kid na Salamat Champion Rotarians.

Pres. Daddy Dodz

Secretary's Corner

Regular Weekly Meeting Attendance Report

October, 2019	Dates			
	03	05	17	24
Member Actually Present	18	14	14	15
Member with valid make-up	09	10	09	04
Member Size (Excluding Honorary members)	04	04	04	04
Rule 85	02	02	02	02
Net membership Base	32	33	33	33
Tota Attendance divided by net membership	84.37%	78.78%	75.75%	63.63%



Marlou P. Fulo
Champion Secretary

Visiting Guests 13th Regular Weeekly Meeting

Spouse Lorena Lintuan

Spouse Gina Sison

Rtr. Alemar Versano, Director for Community Service.

RAC Tagum North-UM Tagum Chapter

Make-up

End Polio Fund Raising Committee Meeting, September 24, 2019,

Rtn. Norman Adlawan

Rtn. Kevin Ahn

IPP Neal Ararao

Rtn. Michael Bryan Briones

PP Ronald Bordios

PP Charles Aldwin Carpio

PE Mae Dalisay

Sec Marlou Fulo

PN Andy Gentugaya

PP Ramel Lintuan

PAG Arnold Nicolas

Rtn. Jess Osorio

Rtn. Revedor Pereyras

Pres. Renie Sison

PAG Jose Alvic Suaybaguio

Area 2D End Polio Now Radio Guesting @ Radyo Ukay, September 26, 2019,

PE Mae Dalisay

PP Mike Malbog

Pres. Renie Sison

End Polio Now Meeting with PTV 4, September 26, 2019,

PAG Arnold Nicolas

Pres. Renie Sison

Incident Command System (ICS) Executive Course, September 26, 2019,

PAG Arnold Nicolas

Pink Tagum Meeting & End Polio Meeting with Mayor Allan L. Rellon, September 27, 2019,
Sec Marlou Fulo
PAG Arnold Nicolas

Feeding Program Meeting with San Agustin Elem. School, September 27, 2019,

Rtn. Kevin Ahn

PAG Arnold Nicolas

Pres. Renie Sison

Awarding of Taekwondo Scholarship Allowance at NCCC Mall Tagum, September 27, 2019,

Rtn. Kevin Ahn

PAG Arnold Nicolas

Pres. Renie Sison

4th Regular Monthly Board Meeting @ Suaybaguio Res., September 27, 2019,

Rtn. Kevin Ahn

PP Ronald Bordios

PP Charles Aldwin Carpio

PE Mae Dalisay

PN Andy Gentugaya

PAG Arnold Nicolas

Rtn. Jess Osorio

Rtn. Revedor Pereyras

PP Darwin Ravelo

Pres. Renie Sison

Spouse Aweng Suaybaguio

Spouse Elay Pereyras

Spouse Gina Sison

Turnover of Farming Equipment & Polio Immunization at Sitio Tapayanon, Brgy. Gupitan, Kapalong, Davao del Norte, September 27, 2019,

Rtn. Norman Adlawan

PP Neal Ararao

PAG Arnold Nicolas

Rtn. Revedor Pereyras

Pres. Renie Sison

PAG Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio

Announcement

ROTARY

Family

Birthday Celebrators

- 05 Spouse Lorena Lintuan
- 06 Spouse Elay Pereyras
- 30 PP Cock Chang Soo

Wedding Anniversary

- 07 Rtn Philip & Spouse Maymay Villanueva

Organizer

October

01	On the Spot Poster & Slogan Contest, 1PM at Robinsons Mall
01	PDRRC Council Meeting, PDRRC Training Center, 1PM
01	14th Regular Weekly Meeting @ Miko's Brew, 6:30PM
02	October Pink TV Guesting, 1pm @ PTV 4
03	Grand Opening Ceremony, New City Hall Open Arena Motorcade, 3PM Pink Ribbon Human Formation, 4PM Pink Tagum Lighting, 6PM Pink Zumba, 6:30PM
07-13	Rotary Alumni Reconnect Week
08	15th Regular Weekly Meeting @ Miko's Brew, 6:30PM
10	End Polio Now TV Guesting, 2PM @ PTV 4
12	Pink Clinic @ Robinsons Place Tagum, 1PM
12	Pink Chat @ Robinsons Place Tagum, 2PM
12	Pink Zumba @ Robinson Place Tagum, 5:30PM
13	2019 ROTARY DISTRICT 3860 (AREA 2) ANNUAL BOWLING FELLOWSHIP, SM Lanang Premeire, Davao City
15	16th Regular Weekly Meeting @ Miko's Brew, 6:30PM
18	Dinner for a Cause @ City Hall Atrium, 6PM
18	Pink Runway @ City Hall Atrium, 7PM
19	Pink Zumba @ CitiMall, 6PM
20	2019 ROTARY DISTRICT 3860 (AREA 2) ANNUAL BOWLING FELLOWSHIP, SM Lanang Premeire, Davao City
22	17th Regular Weekly Meeting @ Miko's Brew, 6:30PM
24	Polio Immunization (World Polio Day)
26	5th Regular Monthly Board Meeting @ IPP Neal Ararao Res.
26	Pink Survivor's Day, 10AM
27	2019 ROTARY DISTRICT 3860 (AREA 2) ANNUAL BOWLING FELLOWSHIP, SM Lanang Premeire, Davao City
29	18th Regular Weekly Meeting @ Miko's Brew, 6:30PM Club Trick-or-Treat Party

Rotary The Four Way Test

of the things we think, say and do

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Five Avenues of Service

For years, Rotary's commitment to Service Above Self has been channeled through the five Avenues of Service, which form the foundation of club activity. To get started on a project, think broadly about how your club and its members could contribute within each avenue.

Club Service

Club Service focuses on strengthening fellowship and ensuring the smooth functioning of Rotary clubs. Learn about effective club service in Membership and Training.



Vocational Service

Vocational Service involves club members serving others through their professions and aspiring to high ethical standards. Rotarians, as business leaders, share skills and expertise through their vocations, and they inspire others in the process.



Community Service

Community Service is the opportunity Rotary clubs have to implement club projects and activities that improve life in the local community.



International Service

International Service encompasses efforts to expand Rotary's humanitarian reach around the world and to promote world understanding and peace. It includes everything from contributing to PolioPlus to helping Rotary Youth Exchange students adjust to their host countries.



New Generations Service

The Avenue of New Generations recognizes the positive change implemented by youth and young adults involved in leadership development activities, community and international service projects, and exchange programs that enrich and foster world peace and cultural understanding.



HISTORY OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

The first four Rotarians (from left): Gustavus Loehr, Silvester Schiele, Hiram Shorey, and Paul P. Harris, circa 1905-12.

The first four Rotarians (from left): Gustavus Loehr, Silvester Schiele, Hiram Shorey, and Paul P. Harris, circa 1905-12.

Paul P. Harris, an attorney, wanted to create a professional group with the same friendly spirit he felt in the small towns of his youth. On 23 February 1905, Harris, Gustavus Loehr, Silvester Schiele, and Hiram Shorey gathered at Loehr's office in Room 711 of the Unity Building in downtown Chicago. This was the first Rotary club meeting. They decided to call the new club "Rotary" after the practice of rotating meeting locations.

Within five years clubs had formed across the country, from San Francisco to New York.

In August 1910, Rotarians held their first convention in Chicago. The 16 clubs that existed at that time united to form the National Association of Rotary Clubs.

In 1912, the name changed to International Association of Rotary Clubs to reflect the addition of clubs in other countries. The name Rotary International was adopted in 1922.

By July 1925, Rotary had grown to more than 2,000 clubs and an estimated 108,000 members on six continents.

Rotary's reputation attracted presidents, prime ministers, and a host of other luminaries to its ranks — among them author Thomas Mann, diplomat Carlos P. Romulo, and composer Jean Sibelius.

As Rotary grew, members pooled their resources and used their talents to serve their communities. The organization's dedication to this ideal is best expressed in its motto: Service Above Self.



NOTABLE ROTARIANS

Rotarians are your neighbors, your community leaders and some of the world's greatest history-makers:

Warren G. Harding, U.S. president
Jean Sibelius, Finnish composer
Dr. Charles H. Mayo, co-founder of Mayo Clinic
Guglielmo Marconi, Italian inventor of the wireless radio and Nobel laureate
Thomas Mann, German novelist and Nobel laureate
Friedrich Bergius, German chemist and Nobel laureate
Admiral Richard E. Byrd, American explorer
Jan Masaryk, foreign minister of Czechoslovakia
H.E. Soleiman Frangieh, president of Lebanon
Dianne Feinstein, U.S. senator
Manny Pacquiao, Filipino world-champion boxer and congressman
Richard Lugar, U.S. senator
Frank Borman, American astronaut
Edgar A. Guest, American poet and journalist
Sir Harry Lauder, Scottish entertainer
Franz Lehar, Austrian composer
Lennart Nilsson, Swedish photographer
James Cash Penney, founder of JC Penney Co.

ROTARY HYMN



I want to be a Rotarian for the world,
Make the Rotary flag be a flag of peace unfurled;

I will serve my community,
Help to seek international unity.
Through Rotary, I will dedicate my all,
World understanding shall be my cherished goal.

Refrain: With the Four Way Test
I will pursue my quest
And if I, in a way help obtain
Peace in the world
Then I won't have lived in vain.

I'll 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.

Refrain: With the Four Way Test
We'll pursue our quest
And if we, in a way help obtain
Peace in the world
Then we won't have lived in vain.

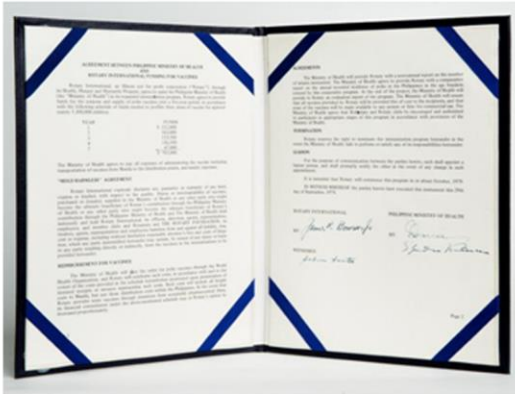
Build a bridge for tomorrow's youth,
Strengthened by nothing but the truth;
Let's join our hands, there's no reason to divide.

We shall all understand, while the good
Lord is our guide.

Refrain: With the Four Way Test
We'll pursue our quest
And if we, in a way help obtain
Peace in the world
Then we won't have lived in vain.

Peace be achieved,
So we won't have lived in vain.

The roots of Rotary's polio eradication efforts



On 29 September 1979, volunteers administered drops of oral polio vaccine to children at a health center in Guadalupe Viejo, Makati, Philippines. The event in metropolitan Manila was arranged and attended by Rotarians and delegates from the Philippine Ministry of Health.

When James L. Bomar Jr., then RI president, put the first drops of vaccine into a child's mouth, he ceremonially launched the Philippine poliomyelitis immunization effort. Rotary's first Health, Hunger and Humanity (3-H) Grant project was underway. Bomar and Enrique M. Garcia, the country's minister of health, had earlier signed an agreement committing Rotary International and the government of the Philippines to a joint multiyear effort to immunize about 6 million children against polio, at a cost of about \$760,000.

In a 1993 interview, Bomar reminisced about the trip. He recalled how the brother of one of the children he had immunized tugged on his pant leg to get his attention and said, "Thank you, thank you, Rotary."

The project's success led Rotary to make polio eradication a top priority. Rotary launched PolioPlus in 1985 and was a founding member of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative in 1988. Through decades of commitment and work by Rotary and our partners, more than 2.5 billion children have received the oral polio vaccine.



TIMELINE: PARTNERS IN ERADICATING POLIO

Rotary has been working to eradicate polio for more than 30 years. Since 1979, we have vaccinated more than 2.5 billion children. But we haven't done it alone. Here is a timeline for our partnerships.

1979-early 1980s

Rotary undertakes a series of polio immunization campaigns throughout Southeast Asia and Latin America, beginning with one in 1979 in the Philippines and followed by similar activities in Cambodia, Haiti, Morocco, Paraguay, and Sierra Leone.

1985

Rotary introduces PolioPlus – the first effort to immunize every child in the world with polio vaccine – and aims to raise \$120 million. During its 1988 convention in Philadelphia, Rotary announces it has raised \$247 million, more than double the target amount.

1988

Rotary pushes forward the global resolution to eradicate polio at the 1988 World Health Assembly in Geneva. It also spearheads the launch of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative with the World Health Organization, U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and UNICEF.

2002-03

Rotary launches the Polio Eradication Fundraising Campaign with a fundraising target of \$80 million. The campaign, netting \$135 million, eclipses Rotary's goal. The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation contributes \$1 million when it honors Rotary with its Gates Award for Global Health, its first gift to Rotary's efforts to end polio.

2007

The Gates Foundation announces its first major grant to polio eradication – a \$100 million challenge to Rotary, promising to match funds raised by Rotarians.

2009

Bill Gates pledges an additional \$255 million at Rotary's International Assembly, and Rotary increases its fundraising goal to \$200 million.

2011

Bill Gates speaks at the Rotary International Convention in New Orleans.

2012

Rotary raises \$228.7 million, surpassing the original goal of \$200 million. In the same year, Jeff Raikes, then-CEO of the Gates Foundation, announces an additional \$50 million contribution to polio eradication efforts at Rotary's International Assembly.

2013

An announcement at the Rotary International Convention in Lisbon sets the stage for a new extension of the partnership between Rotary and the Gates Foundation. The Gates Foundation agrees to match 2-to-1 every dollar committed by Rotary, up to \$35 million per year, through 2018. Throughout the campaign, Rotary exceeds its annual fundraising goal.

2017

On the heels of the success of the 2-to-1 matching grant, Rotary and the Gates Foundation announce an increased combined pledge of up to \$450 million at the Rotary International Convention in Atlanta. Rotary's new goal is to contribute \$50 million per year over three years. With a 2-to-1 match, the Gates Foundation's contribution will increase to \$300 million if Rotary reaches its fundraising target.

Polio outbreak – The Philippines: Disease outbreak

REPORT from World Health Organization

On 19 September 2019, the Philippines declared an outbreak of polio. Two cases have been reported to date, both caused by vaccine-derived poliovirus type 2 (VDPV2). Environmental samples taken from sewage in Manila on 13 August and a waterway in Davao on 22 August have also tested positive for VDPV2.

The first case was confirmed on 14 September following testing by the National Polio Laboratory at the Research Institute for Tropical Medicine, the Japan National Institute of Infectious Diseases (NIID) and the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). The case-patient is a 3-year-old girl from Lanao del Sur in the southern Philippines. The virus isolated is genetically linked to VDPV2 previously isolated from environmental samples in Manila and Davao. This indicates that the virus is circulating.

The second case was confirmed on 19 September and is a 5-year-old boy from Laguna Province, approximately 100 km south-east of Metro Manila. Investigations and further characterization of the virus are ongoing.

In addition, VDPV1 has also been isolated from environmental samples collected on 1 July, 22 July, 13 August, and 27 August from Manila.

Vaccine-derived polioviruses are rarely occurring forms of the poliovirus that have genetically changed from the attenuated (weakened) virus contained in oral polio vaccine. They only occur when the vaccine virus is allowed to pass from person to person for a long time, which can only happen in places with limited immunization coverage and inadequate sanitation and hygiene. Over time, as it is passed between unimmunized people, it can regain the ability to cause disease. When the population is fully immunized with both oral polio vaccine and inactivated polio vaccine, this kind of transmission cannot take place. The gut immunity in people immunized with oral polio vaccine stops the virus from being passed on. Full immunization therefore protects against both vaccine-derived and wild polio viruses.

Public health response

- 1.- Acute flaccid paralysis (AFP) and environmental surveillance are being enhanced to detect poliovirus.
- 2.- Field investigation is currently underway in Lanao del Sur to define the geographic scope of the circulation of the virus and inform planning for outbreak response including mass immunization campaigns.
- 3.- The Department of Health (DOH) reinforced its recommendation that all children should be vaccinated according to the routine immunization schedule.
- 4.- WHO and other partners of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) are supporting the Department of Health and local health authorities in their detailed investigations and supporting efforts to enhance surveillance, strengthen routine immunization, communicate risk to the public and implement outbreak response in line with internationally agreed polio outbreak response guidelines.

WHO risk assessment

WHO currently assesses the risk of international spread from the Philippines to be low. However, the risk of further spread within the Philippines is high due to limited population immunity (coverage of bivalent oral polio vaccine (OPV) and inactivated polio vaccine (IPV) was at 66% and 41% respectively in 2018) and suboptimal AFP surveillance.

WHO advice

It is important that all countries, in particular those with frequent travel and contact with polio-affected countries and areas, strengthen surveillance for AFP cases in order to detect virus importation and to facilitate a rapid response. Countries, territories and areas should also maintain uniformly high routine immunization coverage to minimize the consequences of any possible polio virus introduction or transmission.

WHO recommends

that all travellers and residents in polio-affected areas be fully vaccinated against polio.

As per the advice of an Emergency Committee convened under the International Health Regulations (2005), the international spread of poliovirus remains a Public Health Emergency of International Concern (PHEIC). Countries affected by poliovirus transmission are subject to Temporary Recommendations. To comply with the Temporary Recommendations issued under the PHEIC, any country infected by poliovirus should declare the outbreak as a national public health emergency.

'Polio vaccine is very safe,' DOH reminds public amid epidemic



The DOH declared a polio epidemic or outbreak on Thursday, September 19, after it found one confirmed case of the disease in Lanao del Sur. The 3-year-old girl afflicted with polio now has residual paralysis due.

Environmental samples that tested positive for the vaccine-derived poliovirus were also found in Manila and Davao. (EXPLAINER: What is polio?)

The DOH and the World Health Organization (WHO) have since emphasized that vaccination is the only cure for the disease.

In August, the DOH kicked off its polio vaccination campaign against polio in Manila. Duque said the positive sample was found in Tondo, the largest district in Manila in terms of area and population.

The polio vaccination campaign will be focused on the National Capital Region, Davao and Lanao del Sur in October, while the campaign in Central Luzon and Calabarzon would also begin in October.

The organization, whose international counterpart has been conducting anti-polio initiatives for 30 years, said it would provide volunteers in local communities to amplify the grassroots response to polio. Ten Rotary districts throughout the country vowed to join the initiative.

Duque also said that the health department had enough supply for the first two rounds of polio immunization. He said that they were only waiting for confirmation that there would be enough supply for the nationwide rollout of the vaccination campaign, which is set to start early next year.

The DOH also urged local governments to intensify their Zero Open Defecation program and called for proper sanitation practices, like regularly washing one's hands. – Rappler.co

DOH & Rotary International ink agreement to strengthen polio awareness, vaccination drive



QUEZON CITY, Sept. 20 (PIA)--The Department of Health (DOH) today signed a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) with Rotary International's 10 Districts to heighten polio awareness and vaccination campaign in light of the reemergence of poliomyelitis in the country.

Polio eradication is one of Rotary's longest standing and most significant efforts. The Rotary Districts will provide support through fundraising, advocacy and volunteer recruitment, as DOH intensifies its health promotion activities focusing on sanitation and hygiene, and prepares for a rapid response polio vaccination campaign.

In 2018, 12 out of the 17 regions in the country were identified as high-risk areas for polio reemergence. The National Capital Region is one of the identified regions with a high-risk of re-infection due to a number of factors including low polio vaccination coverage coupled with poor surveillance of polio symptoms, ongoing practice of open defecation, and poor sanitary practices in communities. OPV coverage at the National Capital Region has been steadily decreasing from 77.25% in 2016 to 23.45% in the second quarter of 2019.

To mitigate the risk, DOH – Metro Manila Center for Health Development will conduct three (3) rounds of supplemental Oral Polio Immunization to ensure protection against polio among children under 5 years old.

DOH will also strengthen surveillance of children below five years old who developed sudden onset of muscle weakness or paralysis of the upper and lower extremities, intensify implementation of the Zero Open Defecation Program, and strengthen environmental sanitation and personal hygiene.

"It is unthinkable that a child will suffer from a disease that is highly preventable by vaccination. Together let us all work to protect our children and ensure their future," Health Secretary Francisco T. Duque III concluded. (PIA-NCR/DOH)

2019 ROTARY DISTRICT 3860 (AREA 2) ANNUAL BOWLING FELLOWSHIP

October 13, 20 & 27, 2019

SM Bowling Center, SM Lanang Premiere

Hosted by: Rotary Club of East Davao

A. Team Composition:

- Teams shall be composed of 5 members with at least 1 Female Bowler. Composed of Rotarians and spouses.
- 5 to play – 5 to score – 5 to count
- At least 3 Members should be Bonafide Rotarians (else blind score is credited)
- A player must be inducted to the club at least 4 months prior to the tournament.
- Clubs may merge to form a team.
- A Club may be represented by more than 1 team (1 Team = 1 registration fee)

B. Handicapping / Female players

- All female bowlers will have an additional 10 handicap points for each game played.
- A female bowler must play the whole game in order for her to avail of the additional points.
- in case the team has no female players in the lineup, BEFORE THE START OF THE GAME, the team must declare which player gets a blind score (of 60)

C. Substitution

- The names of the 5 Players must be registered with the organizing committee before the start of the games (on each playing date)
- Substitution will not be allowed once the game have started (1st Ball rolled).
- A blind score of 60 will automatically be assigned in case of a Substitution

D. Absent Player / Late player

- When the games have officially started and some named members of the team are not physically present at the venue, they may still proceed with the games. A Blind score of 60 will be used for the absent player.
- at no time should there be less than 3 players physically present at the start of the games.
- if a team member is late, he may still play provided the games have not reached the 4th frame.
 - (1) the frames he missed will get a zero (0) pin-fall score
 - (2) the actual pin-falls / score will be counted (even if it is less than the blind score)

E. Classifying Round (Play Date: October 13 -12:30 PM)

Teams will play 2 games for the classifying round. The team scores for the 2 games will be added. The top half teams will classify for the Governor's Cup while the bottom half will vie for the Presidents Cup. In case of a tie, the team who scored the better last game will be ranked higher.

Teams will draw lots to know which lanes they will be playing at. There will be a change of lanes after the first game. Even numbered lanes move 4 lanes to the right, while odd numbered lanes move 4 lanes to the left.

F. Championship Round (Play Dates October 20 & 27 – 12:30 PM)

Governors Cup and Presidents Cup will be playing 2 games on October 20, and 2 games on October 27 with lane movement every game.

F.1 On October 20 (Game 1 & 2)

Lanes will be assigned for each division. Lane occupancy for game 1 will be drawn by lots (random pairing)

Lane Movement : Teams will move 2 lanes, odd numbered lanes 2 lanes to the left while even numbered lanes 2 lanes to the right. Governor's Cup lane movement will be restricted on the lanes that will be used for the Governor's Cup, and so also with the Presidents Cup.

F.2 On October 27 (Games 3 and 4)

Games 3 & 4 – Lane assignment per division shall be based on rank (Left to right; the Team with the Highest score to the left) for the Governor's Cup , and so also with the Presidents Cup.

F.3 Winners.

The highest total pin falls after 4 games will be declared champion in their respective Divisions. The Rotary Club's name of champion Team will be engraved onto the trophy as champion for 2019.

In case of a tie, the two (2) teams will be asked to play 3 additional frames. The team with the highest score after 3 frames wins. This may be repeated only once and if a tie still persists, both teams will be declared the co-winners.

G. Awards:

Champions: The team will be crowned champion and gets the Perpetual trophy for their division. The Club keeps the trophy until the next tournament in 2020.

Minor

- Certificate of Recognition
- Highest Team Score (in one game)
- Highest Pin fall in a single game (Male and Female)
- Highest Scratch score / Pin fall (Championship round – per division)
- Fashionista – a team award given to the club with the uniform with the best impact and follows the correct rotary branding guidelines.

*** WINNER OF THE PRESIDENT'S CUP WILL BE NEXT YEAR'S HOST.**
(no longer the Governor's cup winner)

H. Masters Event – October 27 – 10 AM Registration Time

Top 16 players (determined by getting the highest average scores of each player from the classification round AND games 1 & 2 of the championship round) will be invited to participate in the Master's event.

Call on reserves will begin at 10:15am and roll-off 10:20)

The top 16 will be asked to play 3 games each. The player with the highest number of pin falls after 3 games, shall be declared the CHAMPION.

Lane Movement: Even numbered lanes move 4 lanes to the right, while odd numbered lanes move 4 lanes to the left.

In case of a tie, the top two (2) players will be asked to play 3 additional frames. The player with the highest score after 3 frames wins. This may be repeated only once and if a tie still persists, both players will be declared co-winners.

I. Opening Ceremony

On 13 October, a formal opening ceremony for the games will start at 12 noon. To be followed by pre-set lunch.

We encourage each team to have their own Banners and uniform. We recommend that this uniform be re-usable for club outreach programs and follows the correct Rotary Branding.

We also encourage clubs to bring extra food for their members (as SM does not allow us to bring in outside caterers and expenses are larger this year)

J. Registration

Each team shall be assessed Php 7,000 and this will cover:

1. Alley Fees
2. Light Lunch meal per team on 13 October and PM snacks on the 27th
 - limited to what the in-house caterer's menu offers at the bowling center
3. Incidental expenses / Trophies / awards / etc.

THE PAST PRESIDENTS AND RI LOGOS



SING BENG LEE +
1988-1989



ROGELIO ISRAEL +
1989-1990



CRISANTO MANIWANG+
1990-1991



JESUS ALBACITE +
1991-1992



REGINO O. VERGARA +
1992-1993



JIM M. OSORIO
1993-1994



COCK CHANG F. SOO
1994-1995



JOEL RETERBA +
1995-1996



ALBERT NAVALLO
1996-1997



MACARIO BERMUDEZ, II
1997-1998



SAMUEL RAYMUNDO
1998-1999



REY T. UY
1999-2000



JOSEPH NILO F. PARREÑAS
2000-2001



GEORGE SILVOSA
2001-2002



CONRADO D. MAGAT
2002-2003



FLORENCIO I. IBAÑEZ, JR.
2003-2004



LEOPOLDO D. DIAMANTE
2004-2005



MARTELINO D. BRIGUEZ
2005-2006



JOSE ALVIC P. SUAYBAGUIO
2006-2007



REYNALDO T. SALVE
2007-2008



ARNOLD M. NICOLAS
2008-2009



SALDY F. DALISAY+
2009-2010



GLENN A. PONO
2010-2011



ANTONIO R. INGULLO
2011-2012



Charles Aldwin Carpio
2012-2013



Darwin B. Ravelo
2013-2014



Salvador Michael B. Malbog
2014-2015



Christopher Donayre
2017-2018



Ramel Lintuan, PHF+2
2017 - 2018



Neal Ararao, PHF+1
2018 - 2019

13th Regular Weekly Meeting




4th Regular Monthly Board Meeting @ Suaybaguio Res., September 27, 2019




Area 2D End Polio Now Radio Guesting @ Radyo Ukay, September 26, 2019



Tagum North
Rotary
Club



ROTARY
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**END
POLIO
NOW**

**120 DAYS
FEEDING PROGRAM**

MANNAPACK RICE

**SAN AGUSTIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
TAGUM CITY, DAVAO DEL NORTE**



PDRRMO Incident Command System (ICS) Executive Course, September 26, 2019,



Awarding of Taekwondo Scholarship Allowance at NCCC Mall Tagum, September 27, 2019



The Rotary Foundation

All Time Giving : US \$ 73,347.00 as of October 01, 2019

Multiple Paul Harris Fellows (Active Club Members)

PAG Glenn A. Pono, PHF+8	\$ 9,000.00
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas,PHF+6	7,420.02
PP Darwin B. Ravelo,PHF+5	6,400.00
PE Mae T. Dalisay,PHF3	4,000.00
PAG Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio,PHF+2	3,800.00
PP Joseph Nilo F. Parrenas,PHF+2	3,751.50
PP Ramel A. Lintuan,PHF+2	3,505.00
PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio,PHF+2	3,425.00
PP Jong D. Magat,PHF+1	2,825.03
Revedor R. Pereyras,PHF+1	2,600.02
IPP Neal M. Ararao,PHF+1	2,305.00
PP Cock Chang F. Soo,PHF+1	2,061.50
PP Michael B. Malbog,PHF+1	2,051.50

Paul Harris Fellows (Active Club Members)

PP Ronald S. Bordios,PHF	1,601.93
PN Andres P. Gentugaya,PHF	1,600.00
Philip S. Villanueva,PHF	1,430.00
Renie P. Siscon,PHF	1,230.00
Artemio Ian D. Palijo III,PHF	1,030.00

Rotary Foundation Sustaining Members (Active Club Members)

Dan A. Bagarra,RFSM	466.50
Marlou P. Fulo,RFSM	400.00
Mark Anthony Libuangan,RFSM	400.00
Kendric Jay Z. Tagorda,RFSM	300.00
Kevin Ahn,RFSM	200.00
Marc Arden Pude,RFSM	200.00
Azmat Hussain,RFSM	200.00
Jess M. Osorio,RFSM	200.00
Albert L. Ng,Sr., RFSM	200.00
Jess M. Osorio	200.00
Excelsis Deo Baldonado,RFSM	100.00
Irvin Dick Emia,RFSM	151.50

Paul Harris Society Members:

PAG Glenn A. Pono	4 yrs
PP Darwin B. Ravelo	3 yrs
PP Ramel A. Lintuan	2 yrs

Paul Harris Fellows (Former Members & Donors)

PAG Jim M. Osorio,PHF+4	\$ 5,026.50
PAG Leopoldo Diamante	3,210.00
PP Antonio R. Inguillo	3,200.00
+PP Saldy F. Dalisay	2,800.00
PP Reynaldo T. Salve	2,700.00
Mr. Philip A. Santiago, Jr.	2,027.00
PP Christopher Donayre	1,967.39
Mr. Alexander C. Cabahug	1,800.00
Dr. Asterio M. Ramiscal	1,610.00
PP Florencio B. Ibanez,Jr.	1,460.00
Mr. Allan L. Templa	1,405.00
PP Marty D. Briguez	1,305.00
Dr. Joel Mendoza	1,261.50
+Benjamin A. Arboso	1,210.00
PP Urbano D. Budtan	1,210.00
Engr. Bartolome A. Navalta	1,205.00
Mr. Bhagwan Chulani	1,100.00
Mr. Noel Navarro	1,110.00
Mr. Noel Navarro,Jr.	1,055.00
Engr. Gudillo R. Lapay	1,030.00
+PP Jesus Albacite	1,021.74
+Mr. Guy Polome	1,010.00
Mr. Herminigildo B. Apsay	1,005.00
+Atty. Jose T. Amacio	1,000.00
Mr. Hermis Bordios	1,000.00
Odessa Maglana-Carpio	1,000.00
Engr. Roy Castillo	1,000.00
Johann Calvin Pono Chieng	1,000.00
Mr. July A. Claveria	1,000.00
+PP Rogelio E. Israel	1,000.00
Engr. Carlo Lacson	1,000.00
+CP Sing Beng Lee	1,000.00
Engr. Eaco Buen J. Pondoc	1,000.00
Mr. Rey Pangilan	1,000.00
Mrs. Elma D. Ravelo	1,000.00
Mrs. Maricor Soo,RN	1,000.00
PP Rey T. Uy	1,000.00
De Carlo L. Uy	1,000.00



Rotary:

Rotary International is an international service organization whose stated purpose is to bring together business and professional leaders in order to provide humanitarian service and to advance goodwill and peace around the world. Wikipedia

President: Mark Daniel Maloney (July 2019 - Present)

Motto: Service Above Self

Membership: 1.22 million

Publication: The Rotarian

Founder: Paul P. Harris

Founded: 23 February 1905, Unity Building, Chicago, Illinois, United States



Rotaract originally began as a Rotary International youth program in 1968 at Charlotte North Rotary Club in Charlotte, North Carolina, United States, and has grown into a major Rotary-sponsored organization of over 10,904 clubs spread around the world and 250,792 members in 184 countries. Wikipedia

Motto: Self Development - Fellowship Through Service

Membership: 291,006

Focus: Fellowship and Service

Origins: The Rotary International Family

Founded: 13 March 1968

Headquarters: Evanston, Illinois, United States



Interact clubs bring together young people ages 12-18 to develop leadership skills while discovering the power of Service Above Self. Find out how serious leadership can be seriously fun.

Founder: Rotary International

Founded: 28 October 1962



Rotary Community Corps is a group of people who share our commitment to changing the world through service projects. Rotary Community Corps members plan and carry out projects in their communities and support local Rotary club projects but are not members of a Rotary club

ROSTER OF MEMBERS

ROTARY ID	NAME	CLASSIFICATION	SPOUSE	MILESTONES
10653559	Norman Adlawan	Photography	Jane	New
10142164	Kevin Ahn,RFSM	Past Service	Malou	1
8721076	Neal M. Ararao,PHF1	Orthodontic Dentist	Leslie	6
8537322	Dan A. Bagarra,RFSM	Orthopedic Surgery	Debbie	7
10323897	Excelsis Deo Baldonado,RFSM	Farming	Jessa	1
10673853	Michael Bryan A. Briones	Sports Equipment Retail	Claire	New
2545425	Ronald S. Bordios,PHF	Mobile Phone Retailer		15
6986525	Charles Aldwin M. Carpio,PHF2	Nursing Service	Odessa	10
10673859	Dexter C. Consolacion	Commercial Banking		New
8921443	Mae T. Dalisay,PHF3	Pediatric		2
9470314	Irvin Dick Emia,RFSM	Transport Licensing	Nelma	3
9972836	Marlou P. Fulo,RFSM	Financing		2
5983987	Andres Gentugaya,PHF	Water Supply Consultancy	Nelly	13
9972844	Azmat Hussain,RFSM	Car Dealership	Dyesebel	2
10346959	Mark Anthony Libuangan,RFSM	Local Legislation	Sarah	1
8426668	Ramel A. Lintuan,PHF2	LPG Distribution	Lorena	7
10676722	Joseph D. Low	Pawnshop Management	Rose	New
3380633	Jong D. Magat,PHF+1	Construction	Rhoda	21
6377182	Michael B. Malbog,PHF1	Cosmetic Surgery	Tweet	14
10653586	Albert L. Ng,Sr., RFSM	Plywood Manufacturing	Wendy	New
5912929	Arnold M. Nicolas,PHF+6	Insurance Consultancy		16
10419717	Jess M. Osorio,RFSM	Architecture	Rose	1
8720381	Artemio Ian D. Palijo III,PHF	Electronics Engineer	Tata	6
2057033	Joseph Nilo F. Parrenas,PHF+2	Drug Rehabilitation	Tess	24
5881882	Revedor R. Pereyras,PHF+1	Tables & Chairs Rental	Elay	11
6812841	Glenn A. Pono, PHF+8	Adult Pulmonary Medicine		11
10346963	Marc Arden Pude,RFSM	Non-Life Insurance		1
6377179	Darwin B. Ravelo,PHF+5	Heavy Equipments Rental	Elma	14
8720375	Renie P. Siscon,PHF	Surplus Auto Parts	Gina	6
1510880	Cock Chang F. Soo,PHF	Real Estate Rental	Maricor	30
5912917	Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio,PHF+2	Sanitary Engineer	Aweng	16
10323893	Kendric Jay Z. Tagorda,RFSM	Retail Store		1
5250782	Philip S. Villanueva,PHF	Computer Supplies Retailing	Melissa	19

Honorary Members

10653633	Wendy Ng
1907065	PP Jim M. Osorio,PHF+
9341312	Gov. Jayvee Tyron L. Uy,PHF
5250782	PP Rey T. Uy, PHF

Club Partners:

Rotaract Club of Tagum North-UM Tagum Chapter March 15, 1993
 Rotaarct Club of Tagum North-Palm City Chapter September 19, 2012
 Interact Club of Tagum North-UM High School
 Interact Club of Tagum North-UM Senior High School
 Rotary Community Corp-Imelda

WHY THE ROTARY YEAR BEGINS 1 JULY?



Ever wonder why the Rotary year begins 1 July? The international convention initially played a key role in determining the start date of our fiscal and administrative year.

Rotary's first fiscal year began the day after the first convention ended, on 18 August 1910. The 1911-12 fiscal year also related to the convention, beginning with the first day of the 1911 convention on 21 August.

At its August 1912 meeting, the Board of Directors ordered an audit of the International Association of Rotary Clubs' finances. The auditors recommended that the organization end its fiscal year on 30 June to give the secretary and treasurer time to prepare a financial statement for the convention and board, and determine the proper number of club delegates to the convention.

The executive committee concurred, and at its April 1913 meeting, designated 30 June as the end of the fiscal year. This also allowed for changes to the schedule for reporting club membership and payments. Even *The Rotarian* changed its volume numbering system to correspond to the fiscal year (beginning with vol. 5, July 1914).

Rotary continued to hold its annual conventions in July or August until 1917. Delegates to the 1916 event in Cincinnati, Ohio, USA, approved a resolution to hold future conventions in June, mainly because of the heat in cities where most of them occurred. The next one was held 17-21 June in Atlanta, Georgia.

The term "Rotary year" has been used to signify Rotary's annual administrative period since at least 1913. An article in *The Rotarian* that July noted, "The Rotary year that is rapidly drawing to a close has been signaled by several highly successful joint meetings of Clubs that are so situated as to assemble together easily and conveniently."

Since the executive committee's decision in 1913, the end of the Rotary year has remained 30 June.

MISSION AND VISION OF ROTARY

The Mission of Rotary International, a worldwide association of Rotary Clubs, is to provide service to others, to promote high ethical standards, and to advance world understanding, goodwill and peace through its fellowship of business, professional and community leaders.

The Vision of Rotary International is to be universally recognized for its commitment to Service Above Self to advance world understanding, goodwill and peace

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 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.



of the things we think, say and do

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

AVENUES OF SERVICE

The RCTN has continuously lived its zeal to make water as a natural resource accessible to everyone. It all first started with a simple water pump project, which later expanded into a "Spring Water Impounding System" (SWIS) in Magdum, Tagum Davao. In its unending passion to provide potable water for indigent families in the remote barangays of Davao del Norte and Compostela Valley, the "Water For Life" became the Club's Centennial Project. It is a continuing project, which aims to install 100 water pumps these communities. To date, RCTN has installed a total of 81 pumps and one Water Reservoir.

The Club was a recipient of the Rotary Foundation 3-H Grant that provided the opportunity to launch the "Kasama Project" 2002. It has afforded a PhP240,000.00 soft loan to local residents that help develop and modernize and indigent-family's farm in Asuncion, Davao.

Its commitment to hasten the productivity of the local farming industry, the "Cable-Lift" project in 2004 has provided an ingeniously cable cart system used to transport farmers and convey their produce from one side to another side of the river in Asuncion, Davao del Norte.

Another community development project that RCTN took part includes "Oplan Flip Flops para sa Indigenous People" which provided 148 pairs of slippers in Barangay San Jose, Municipality of Sto. Tomas.

YOUTH PROJECTS

The RCTN has constantly helped many schools and universities organize the Rotaract and Interact clubs in this received the "Hall of Fame-Outstanding Club" award. The club President during that time was Arnold Nicolas who later garnered the honor of "Hall of Fame-Outstanding President" in RY 1993-94. Another Outstanding President of the club, Karlene Lariosa and Cyril Muring, also became DRR. Recently, the Rotaract Club of Tagum North co-hosted with RC waling-waling & Pag-Asa Davao during the Mindanao Finals of the Voice of our Youth Impromptu Speaking Contest held at UM Davao City.



PROMOTION OF INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING AND GOODWILL

The RCTN is acknowledge to have endorsed the most number of sponsored representatives of Zone 2-D to the Group Study Exchange program in D3860. The out-bound team members include: Dr. Nanette Perido (Florida, USA in 2000-01), Maricar Zamora Apsay (Canada and USA in 2001-2002 Lorenzo Mendoza (Kentucky, USA 2006-07), Dr. Glenn A. Pono (Virginia, USA in 2007-08), Mr. Stephen Manangan (Washington, USA in 2008-09) and Dr. Alvin Concha (British Columbia, Canada in 2009-2010), Atty. Ruel Cayetano Sydney, Australia 2010-2011.

In 2000, Marjorie Osorio was the RCTN's endorsed delegate who qualified for the Out-Bound ROTEX exchange student, in exchange with In-Bound ROTEX student, in Samantha Gordin of West Palm Beach, Florida, USA.

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION CONTRIBUTIONS

In 1999, the club achieved a 100% Paul Harris Fellow Rotary Foundation Sustaining Member Club and 2012 the club achieved 100% all Paul Harris Fellow Club. The club is proud to have (12) Multiple Paul Harris Fellows, (32) Paul Harris Fellows and thirty-five (35) Rotary Foundation is one of the Rotary clubs acknowledged by the Rotary Rotarian Every Year (EREY) program.

Tagum North has stood the test of time, remained strong, vibrant, and proud. The North will continue to dream and reach for greater heights. There is no doubt North is up!

ENVIRONMENT AND SANITATION PROJECTS

In harmony with the preservation of the countryside environment and natural resources, the club ventured on Mangrove Tree It is a continuing to rehabilitate the in the coastline its neighboring Through funded by the 2790 Chiba, Japan, the club initiated the program on "Tutok Kubeta" in order to facilitate empowerment and self-reliance in producing locally made water-sealed toilet bowls among the less fortunate families in Davao del Norte and Compostela Valley provinces. To date, the club handed out more than 6,000 units to these areas.



EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND LITERACY DEVELOPMENT

The club has been supportive in promoting educational and skills development programs in the area. From the initiation of its Scholarship Program in 1999, the RCTN has administered Vocational Course Scholarship grants to at least 140 graduates at the Tagum National Trade School. The program has expanded into giving High School Scholarship grants to 10 students at the St. Augustine High School in 2002. The "Adopt A School Program" was commenced in 2008, identifying Rizal Elementary School as its beneficiary.

Its compassion for education its unstopable as its extended its coverage to 65 learners both out of school youths and young adults at Barangay New Balamban, Tagum City when the Alternative Learning System (ALS) was conceived in 2008.

Since 1998, RCTN helped in the promotion of a reliable livelihood program. The club organized its Basic Skills Training Program promoting Basic Electronics for "Differently-Abled" individuals; Cellular Phone, Radio and TV Repair and Basic Carpentry for the out-of-school youth. The club stretched its program to the women sector by conducting Livelihood Trainings in Meat Processing, Pillow Case and Curtain Making, Cosmetology and Basic Baking in 2008.

AVENUES OF SERVICE

We channel our commitment to service at home and abroad through five Avenues of Service, which are the foundation of club activity.

- **Club Service** focuses on making clubs strong. A thriving club is anchored by strong relationships and an active membership development plan.
- **Vocational Service** calls on every Rotarian to work with integrity and contribute their expertise to the problems and needs of society. Learn more in An Introduction to Vocational Service and the Code of Conduct.

Providing avenues of learning started to be the prime commitment in its literacy program. In 1999, the club's generosity was measured when it donated, through the help of the WCS Project, from Chiba, Japan, a Braille Typewriter to the Maguppo Pilot Imelda SPED School. The compassion was contagious when RCTN further initiated and provided a brand new computer unit with printer to the Nueva Fuerza Elementary School and Maguppo Pilot ALS, Tagum City; assorted Math & Physics books for the Pipisan Maug National High School, Tagum City; and a Library, Tagum City. The club also donated PhP 5,000.00 for the "Lakbay Aral para sa mga batang Lumadng Talaingod".



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

The club has dedicated numerous innovative services to help develop and improve the conditions of its nearby communities. As a first club project of RCTN in 1988, the construction of the Rotary Landmark structure at the corner of Pioneer and Rizal Streets has repeatedly caught the attention of anybody who comes to visit Tagum City for the first time or just pass by at one of the busiest junctions of the city.

HEALTH CARE PROGRAMS

The projects dedicated to Community Service brought the club an overwhelming recognition and praise from its neighborhood communities. Since its conception, the RCTN has incessantly conducted innumerable Surgical/ Medical Dental and Optical Missions to the less privileged members of the Tagum community, to the nearby underprivileged prisoners/ parolees, and even to its farthest neighborhood communities in Davao del Norte, Compostela Valley and Agusan del Sur Provinces. The club has established a program on "Botica sa Barangay" in Asuncion, Davao del Norte that helped a total of 26 remote barangays access to cheap but effective medicines.



In 1998, the club proudly launched the "Operation New Look" program. On its 14th year as a continuing project funded by Jerome Foundation, Inc., the program has generously provided sixty-nine (69) free cleft lip and cleft palate surgeries in addition to the previous indigent 600 patients.

"Hot Lunch Plus", a feeding program for malnourished elementary school pupils at the Rizal Elementary School II that was initiated in 1999, is another continuing project of the Club that became the recipient of United Nationals Millennium Development Award given by UNICEF in RY 2006-07. This year the program has extend its services to giving free medical consultation and PPD testing to the undernourished beneficiaries.

In 2001, the RCTN coordinated with the Pediatrics Department of Davao Regional Hospital and the City Government of Tagum City in carrying out the project - "Bantay Dengue Tagum", a dengue awareness and prevention campaign program that curbed the unprecedented and scaring rise of dengue cases in Davao del Norte Province.

The "Renal Care Foundation", another continuing program of the RCTN since 2003 enables indigent patients to avail of hemodialysis treatment at a very low and affordable cost of only PHP500.00 (~US 10.00) per session. Presently, the program is taking care of 15 End-Stage-Kidney Disease patients at the Davao Regional Hospital.

• **Community Service** encourages every Rotarian to find ways to improve the quality of life for people in their communities and to serve the public interest. Learn more in Communities in Action: A Guide to Effective Projects and this Community Service presentation (PPT).

• **International Service** exemplifies our global reach in promoting peace and understanding. We support this service avenue by sponsoring or volunteering on international projects, seeking partners abroad, and more.

• **Youth Service** recognizes the importance of empowering youth and young professionals through leadership development programs such as Rotaract, Interact, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, and Rotary Youth Exchange.

The RC Tagum North has established its reputation in the district. It has likewise established linkages with other clubs in the local and international Rotary community by forging a Sisterhood Agreement with the Rotary Clubs of Acreage, Florida, USA; Port St. Lucie, Florida, U S A ; Nilai, Malaysia; Loyola Heights, Quezon City; Downtown Olongapo; Waling-Waling Davao, San Francisco and Pag-asa Davao. Recently, through the efforts of PP Arnold Nicolas, Tagum North is again expanding its horizon by building bonds of friendship with the Rotary Club of Tomioka, Japan.

The club received a manifold of matching grant projects and assistance from the various sponsoring international sister Rotary clubs of RC of Marine Sunrise, California, USAm, and from the RC of Port St. Lucie, Florida, USA. From these sister clubs, the RCTN received two (2) units of Neonatal Incubators and seven (7) units of Hemodialysis Machines which were donated to the Davao Regional Hospital, at tertiary Government Hospital in Tagum City. Through the assistance of the Rotaplant Foundation of the Rotary Club of Novato, California, USA, two (2) patients were successful beneficiaries of the Kidney Transplant Operations at the Davao Regional Hospital.

The club embarked on the Vitamin A Plus Seminar for Mindanao Rotary Clubs. Likewise, activities such as the Free Osteoporosis Screening Program, TB Screening by PPD Mantoux Testing at the Sagop Palad Foundation, Inc., Gloria Christi Regis Centers (homes for street and abandoned children), and at the Rizal Elementary School had been the main foci on disease prevention and management program.

Since 1998, the RCTN actively participated in the Anti-Drug Abuse Program for the youth through information dissemination and awareness campaign in layfara and assemblies throughout Davao Region.





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PINK TAGUM 2019
PINK SERIES OF EVENTS
#TriumphantPINK



PINK POSTER SLOGAN OCT 01

GUIDELINES IN POSTER MAKING CONTEST

- All participating contestants must be pre-registered.
- The main theme of the contest is: "Together we can Beat Breast Cancer Triumphant".
- Poster writers may include the aforementioned theme or a creative slogan related to the above, in English, but not necessary.
- The registered / participant will provide a drawing and illustration based on their slogan measuring 15" x 20" and a 1/2 size A4 sheet. Details of contest rules will be provided to the contestants for viewing or printing. All other materials must be brought by the individual contestants.
- Materials allowed for poster-making to be brought and used by the individual contestants.

Contest Category	Prize
1st Place	40%
2nd Place	30%
3rd Place	20%
4th Place	10%
5th Place	10%

ROBINSONS PLACE TAGUM | 9:30AM - 5:00PM

USAPANG Suso

PINK DISSEMINATION CAMPAIGN OCT 02 2019

1:00 - 4:00 PM

City Hall Open Area | 3:00 - 6:00 PM

Grand OPENING CEREMONY OCT 03 2019

3:00 - 6:00 PM

City Hall Open Area

PINK CLINIC OCT 12 2019

2:00 - 5:00 PM

ROBINSONS PLACE TAGUM

Runway SHOW OCTOBER 18, 2019

THE BREAST CANCER SURVIVORS

CITY HALL OF TAGUM - APKON AREA

6:00PM ONWARDS

#TRIUMPHANTPINK

Pink Dinner OCT 19 2019

for a Cause with Chef Eduardo

DINNER TIME: 8:30 - 10:30

CITY HALL OF TAGUM

PINK ZUMBA OCT 19 2019

6:00-8:00 PM

CITY HALL OF TAGUM

PINK SURVIVOR'S DAY OCT 26 2019

10AM - 3PM

Meditation House, Apokon Tagum City

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