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EDITOR'S NOTE :

ARNOLD M. NICOLAS, PHF +8
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF



Rotary Opens Opportunities: 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 friendship, 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 latest information to people of the different activities and information about Rotary.

Similarly, in the human society, civilization 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 take 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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Tagum North Rotary Club



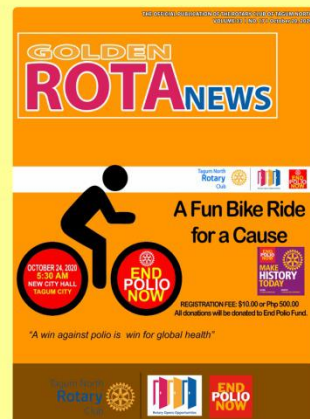
Club Profile

Date Chartered	December 9, 1988
Sponsor	Rotary Club of Tagum
Charter President	Seng Beng "Danny" Lee
Club No.	26110
Current No. of Members	33
Meets Every	Tuesday @ 7:00PM
Meeting Place	Miko's Brew, Apokon Road, Tagum City
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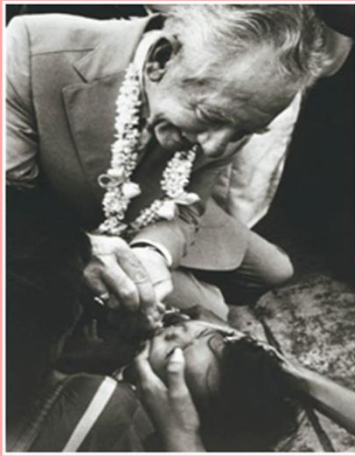
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The Cover

The cover of the Golden ROTAnews, Our goal. Rotary has been working to eradicate polio for more than 35 years. ... As a founding partner of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative, we've reduced polio cases by 99.9 percent since our first project to vaccinate children in the Philippines in 1979.

EDITORIAL



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.

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

ROTARY CLUB OF TAGUM NORTH 17th Regular Weekly Meeting October 20, 2020, 7:30PM

Call to Order	Pres. Mae T. Dalisay,PHF+5
Invocation	Audio Visual Presentation
National Anthem	Audio Visual Presentation
Rotary Hymn	Audio Visual Presentation
Object or Rotary & 4 Way Test	PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio,PHF+3
Introduction of Guests & Rotarians	PP Ramel A. Lintuan,PHF+3
Rotary Information	PP Darwin B. Ravelo,PHF+7
Treasurer's Time	PAG Arnold M. Nicolas,PHF+8
Secretary Time	Sec. Marluo P. Fulo,RFSM6
Presidents Time	Pres. Mae T. Dalisay, PHF+5
Adjournment	Pres. Mae T. Dalisay, PHF+5
Emcee	PAG Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio,PHF+3

Updates:

Zone 10A Polio Summit 2020
RCTN Family Fun Ride to End Polio
Orientation of Prospective members
District Public Image Seminar
Water for Life
Housing Project funded by RC Godeok
Breast Cancer Awareness Activities
Area 2D Tree Planting

Prayer:

Almighty God, we beseech Thy guidance and wisdom for this world-wide organization of Rotary International. Devoted to Service Above Self, may each one of us be inspired to respond to the opportunities for better serving our fellow man. And may these provisions of Thy bounty, so graciously given, be thankfully received. Amen



HOLGER KNAACK
Rotary International President
RY 2020-2021



RODEL RIEZL SJ REYES
District Governor, District 3860
RY 2020-2021



CARY H. BEATISULA
District Executive Secretary
RY 2020-2021



NEAL M. ARARAO
Assistant Governor, Area 2D
RY 2020-2021



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President 2020-2021



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President Elect



REVEDOR R. PEREYRAS
President Nominee



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Vice President



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Secretary



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Auditor



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Sgt. At Arms



PP CHARLES ALDWIN M. CARPIO
Membership



PP DARWIN B. RAVELO
Club Administration



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Service Project



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Public Image



PP RAMEL A. LINTUAN
The Rotary Foundation



MICHAEL BRYAN A. BRIONES
The New Generation



KEVIN ANH
International Service



IPP RENIE P. SISCON
IPP



PP SALVADOR MICHAEL B. MALBOG
Protocol Officer



PAG JOSE ALVIC P. SUAYBAGUIO
Club Adviser

During a recent Zoom meeting with Rotarians and Rotaractors, I looked at the smiling faces on my screen and realized how much our organization has changed in a short period. It is clear that there is no going back to the "old normal" in Rotary — and I see that as an exciting opportunity!

Innovation and change are happening at so many levels as we rethink and remake Rotary. Rotary's new flexibility is blending with digital culture to drive change in ways that many of us have never seen before. We can learn a lot from Rotarians like Rebecca Fry — who, at age 31, already has 15 years of Rotary experience. I see Rotary as a phenomenal platform to change the world. I believe I can have the greatest influence by empowering others to create the change they wish to see in the world. I've gained leadership insights through my experiences in RYLA and Rotaract, and now, as charter president of the Rotary Social Impact Network, a new e-club.

Engaging Rotary program alumni is key in forming new clubs. Our club is proof that Rotaractors and other alumni want to join Rotary — but sometimes they can't find the Rotary club that's right for them. Our club has 31 members, all between the ages of 23 and 41, and almost all of them are alumni of Rotary programs. We need to be able to integrate and align Rotary with the other personal and professional goals we're pursuing. In chartering this club, we set out to design a personalized model of Rotary that is focused on added value for our members. We have also sought to leverage connections — through Rotary Fellowships, Rotary Action Groups, and other international partnerships — in order to elevate our members' experiences beyond the club.

Our club meets and manages most of its projects online, using Microsoft Teams to engage 24/7 in topics that interest our members. This also means our club is not geographically bound to any one location: Although many of us are in Australia, we also have members in Germany, Italy, Mexico, Tanzania, and the United States.

Also key for our club is measuring the impact of our projects. For Plastic Free July this year, we created an awareness campaign promoting ways that individuals could reduce their use of plastics, and we reached more than 6,000 people. It's a project with a tangible impact that anyone can take part in wherever they are. I'm proud that, through our club, we are bringing people together for a new type of Rotary experience. I am excited for our future.

All Rotary clubs have the opportunity to be innovative clubs, just like Bec's club. Let's trust those clubs, learn from them, and lend them our support. Change in Rotary happens at the grassroots level, as clubs lead the charge, defining what this new Rotary can be.

Change is constant, and we have more work to do in many areas. It is important that we celebrate the contributions of people of all backgrounds and promote people from underrepresented groups so that they have greater opportunities to participate as members and leaders in Rotary.

The tools to make Rotary more inclusive, more relevant, and more fun for everyone are at our fingertips. Let's use them now, and we will see how Rotary Opens Opportunities for ourselves and for those yet to discover us.



HOLGER KNAACK

President 2020-2021

October 2020

Trustee Chair's Message

In the early 1990s, polio was still a concern in my country. As the Sri Lanka Polio-Plus Committee chair, I was part of a task force of Rotarians, government officials, and UNICEF representatives that drove all polio eradication efforts, including National Immunization Days (NIDs).

But those were difficult days; civil war was raging in Sri Lanka. The government said NIDs could happen only outside conflict zones. This meant one-third of the country's children would not be vaccinated — an unacceptable proposition.

Rotary stepped in with UNICEF to engineer a cease-fire. Establishing contact with one of the world's most feared and elusive rebel leaders was not easy, and we were careful to maintain Rotary's good name during negotiations.

A few weeks later, my secretary delivered a letter to my office, her hands shaking. Signed by the rebel leader himself, it read: "Dear Mr. Ravindran: If you can persuade your government to stop the war for two days, then we are willing to lay down our guns for two days too, for our war is not with children."

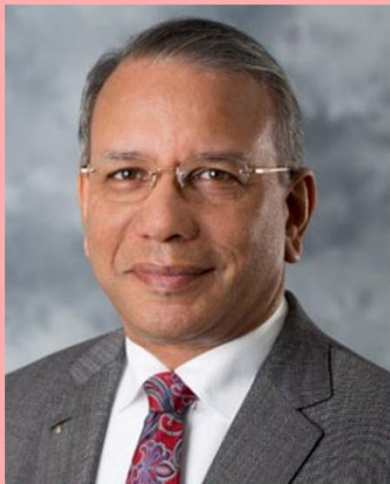
Soon the NID was on, and vehicles bearing the Rotary emblem traveled to the vaccination booths in the areas occupied by insurgents, receiving the same respect and courtesy as the Red Cross.

Obstacles can seem insurmountable until we overcome them.

In March 2020, the polio program made the tough decision to temporarily suspend polio immunizations while the polio infrastructure that Rotary members had helped build was used for COVID-19 response. But with the wild poliovirus now banished from the African region and circulating in just two remaining countries, we continue to move forward. Our history shows that we can overcome even the most difficult situations. But we can't do it without your help.

World Polio Day is 24 October, and it's the greatest opportunity we have to raise funds and awareness for Rotary's polio eradication efforts. Visit endpolio.org/worldpolioday to get tools for planning virtual events and fundraisers, and to register your club's event.

Please consider making a donation to End Polio Now, to be matched 2-to-1 by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. In the face of a pandemic, there is a serious risk of further spread of polio. Your support is more important than ever, and it will ensure that together we can tackle the remaining obstacles and achieve a polio-free world.



K.R. Ravindran
Trustee Chair 2020-21

October 2020

President's Corner

"Even the smallest of things that we do for others may bring a big impact to the lives of those whom we serve in the community."

Last week, we had another chance to help our community and the nearby communities of the Province of Davao del Norte. Together with Ms. Rae Katherine Apura, RN of the City Health Office of Tagum, we were invited to give out information on Polio and Measles through PTVDAVNOR 48, a local radio/tv program of the Philippine Information Agency in time for the celebration of the World Polio Day on October 24 and the Measles-Rubella Supplemental Immunization which will be scheduled on October 26- Nov. 25, 2020. This happened on October 14, 2020 at the Provincial Capitol of Davao del Norte. On the same day, PAG Arnold Nicolas and I had a quick visit to the City Health Office to turn-over KN-95 face masks and Surgical face masks for the Health workers who will be involved in the Polio Immunization and Measles-Rubella Supplemental Immunization.

On October 15, 2020, PAG Arnold Nicolas and I helped in the supervision of the installation of tarpaulins prepared by the Rotary Club of Tagum North for the campaign "BIDA, SOLUSYON SA COVID 19" at the Information Kiosk at the Robinson's Place of Tagum. This was formally opened in the afternoon of the same day with the Regional Director of the Philippine Information Agency, Ms. Frances Mae Macapagat, as guest of honor. Doing the honor for the "cutting of the ribbon" were myself, as President of RCTN, and Ms. Macapagat.

Indeed, we are lucky that God has provided us with good health and continuous opportunities to carry out the projects of RCTN.



MAE T. DALISAY, PHF+5
Transforming President

Secretary's Corner

Regular Weekly Meeting Attendance Report

October, 2020	Dates			
	06	13	20	27
Member Actually Present	09	06		
Member with valid make-up	10	13		
Member Size (Excluding Honorary members)	04	04		
Rule 85	02	02		
Net membership Base	33	33		
Tota Attendance divided by net membership	63.63%	63.63%		



Marlou P. Fulo
Transforming Secretary

Attendance: October 06, 2020

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay
Sec. Marlou P. Fulo
PP Tony Inguillo
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas
IPP Renie Siscon
PAG Jose Alvic P. suaybaguio

Spouse Neneng Inguillo

Make-up

Biking Fellowship, October 13, 2020, Mabini, Davao de Oro

AG Neal M. Ararao
Dir. Bryan A. Briones
PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio
Rtn. Mark Anthony Libuangan
PP Darwin B. Ravelo

TV & Radio Guesting at PTV48 and 91.1 Radyo ng Bayan, Tagum City, October 14, 2020

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas

Turn-over N95 and Surgical Mask Donation for Measles-Rubella Supplemental Immunization, Tagum City Health Office, October 14, 2020

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas

Opening Philippine Information Agency Kiosk at Robinson's Place Tagum, October 15, 2020

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay
Sec. Marlou P. Fulo
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas

End Polio Now Committee Meeting with STI Tagum College, October 19, 2020

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas

Pink Tagum Video Making Contest Judging, October 19, 2020

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas

Treasurer's Corner



PAG Arnold M. Nicolas, PHF+8
Treasurer

Congratulations to the following Rotarians Pay in Full Annual Club Dues

Rtn. Borg Baldonado
PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio
Pres. Mae T. Dalisay
PE Andy P. Gentugaya
Rtn. Rommel Gomito
PP Jong D. Magat
PP Ramel A. Lintuan
Albert L. Ng, Sr.
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas
PP Darwin B. Ravelo
PAG Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio

Congratulations to the following Rotarians Pay in Full Semi Annual Club Dues

PP Ronald S. Bordios
Rtn. Irvin Dick C. Emia
Rtn. Philip S. Villanueva

The Rotary Foundation Goals as of September 15, 2020

	Goals	Actual	Percentage
Annual Fund	\$ 3,200.00	\$ 3,700.00	116%
Polio Fund	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 1,800.00	120%
End Polio T-shirt Fundraising	\$ 66.00	\$ 52.00	78.78%

The Rotary Foundation Donors Rotary Year 2020-21 as of October 13, 2020

Congratulations The Rotary Foundation Donors Early Bird.

Name	Amount	New Status
PP Darwin B. Ravelo	\$ 1,000.00	Paul Harris Fellow+7
PP Ramil A. Lintuan	1,000.00	Paul Harris Fellow+4
Rtn. Rommel Gomito	1,000.00	New Paul Harris Fellow
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas	500.00	Paul Harris Fellow+8
Pres. Mae T. Dalisay	500.00	Paul Harris Fellow+5
PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio	300.00	Paul Harris Fellow+3
AG Neal M. Ararao	300.00	Paul Harris Fellow+2
PAG Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio	200.00	continuing PHF+3
PP Ronald S. Bordios	100.00	continuing PHF+1
IPP Renie P. Sison	100.00	continuing PHF+1
PE Andy P. Gentugaya	100.00	continuing PHF+1
Jess M. Osorio	100.00	RFSM6
Total Donations	\$ 5,200.00	

Congratulations!!!

PAG Arnold M. Nicolas	Rotarian	Paul Harris Fellow + 8
PP Darwin B. Ravelo	Rotarian	Paul Harris Fellow + 7
Pres. Mae T. Dalisay	Rotarian	Paul Harris Fellow + 5
PP Ramil A. Lintuan	Rotarian	Paul Harris Fellow+4
PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio	Rotarian	Paul Harris Fellow+3
AG Neal M. Ararao	Rotarian	Paul Harris Fellow+2
Rtn. Rommel B. Gomito	Rotarian	New Paul Harris Fellow
Marissa Gomito	Spouse	New Paul Harris Fellow
Ramel Brandon C. Lintuan	Rotaractor	New Paul Harris Fellow
Precious Shannel D. Ravelo	Rotakids	New Paul Harris Fellow

ROTARY'S CORE VALUES



**THIS IS WHAT
WE ARE ALL ABOUT.**

Rotary  PEOPLE OF ACTION

Announcement

ROTARY Family



Spouse Lorena C. Lintuan	05
Spouse Elay Pereyras	06
Rtn. Rommel Gomito	10
CM/PP Cock Chang F. Soo	30

*Happy
Wedding
Anniversary*

Rtn. Philip & Spouse Maymay Villanueva 07

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.



Organizer October 2020

- 01 Pink Encounters, 12:30NN, 4th Floor, New City Hall
- 03 Rotary Service Caravan at Sitio Milako & Basak, Brgy. Sto Nino, Mun. of Talainod
- 05-11 Rotary Alumni Reconnect Week
- 06 Turn-Over Modules at Tagumpay Palengskwelahan Learning Center
- 06 Turn-Over Surgical mask Korean Language Center
- 06 RC Compostela Valley Induction, 3PM
- 06 15th Regular Weekly Meeting, F2F
- 08 Journey of Hope, 8:30-10:30Pm, 4th Floor AVR
- 08 Dibdibang Usapan/ Consultation on Air, 2PM-4PM, Love TV, New City Hall
- 09 Rotary Service Caravan at Sitio Talos, Brgy. San Jose, Mun. of Sto. Tomas
- 13 16th Regular Weekly Meeting (Virtual Meeting)
- 14 Guesting at PTV48 and 91.1 Radyo ng Bayan, 8am, PTV48 Broadcast Studio
- 15 Opening Philippine Information Agency Kiosk at Robinson's Place Tagum
- 17 Deadline Submission of Video Making Contest
- 19 End Polio Campaign Committee Meeting with STI Tagum College
- 19 Judging of Empowering Live Documentary Video Making Contest, CYDO Conference Room, 4:30PM
- 20 17th Regular Weekly Meeting (Virtual Meeting)
- 20 Awarding of Empowering Live Documentary Video Making Contest, 3PM
- 21 Zone 10A Polio Summit 2020, 7PM
- 22 Virtual Jobs Fair Committee Meeting, 1 PM PEESO Office
- 22 Virtual Pink Cooking Demo, 2:00Pm, 4th Floor AVR
- 22 Virtual Pink N Fit Zumba, 4:30Pm, 4th Floor AVR
- 23 World Polio Day Immunization, 8am, Tagum City Health Center
- 24 World Polio Day
- 24 RCTN Family Fun Ride to End Polio at New City Hall Compound
- 24 I Run To Help End Polio "Virtual Race" October 24-November 24, 2020
- 26 MOA Signing Ating Dibdibin and Ceremonial Turn-over Kamay Gabay "Sariling Salat sa Suso", 7am, New City Hall
- 26 Launching of Measles-Rubella Supplemental Immunization at Barangay San Miguel, Tagum City, 8am
- 27 Orientation of Prospective Members
- 27 18th Regular Weekly Meeting and 4th Regular Monthly Board Meeting

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 Lehár, 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.



African region declared free of wild poliovirus

Rotary and its GPEI partners celebrate a monumental achievement, say global eradication of wild polio is possible with the continued dedication and persistence of Rotarians.

Story Written By: Ryan Hyland

The World Health Organization (WHO) on 25 August announced that transmission of the wild poliovirus has officially been stopped in all 47 countries of its African region. This is a historic and vital step toward global eradication of polio, which is Rotary's top priority.

After decades of hard won gains in the region, Rotary and its partners in the Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI) — WHO, U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, UNICEF, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, and Gavi, the vaccine alliance — are proclaiming the milestone an achievement in public health. They offer it as proof that strong commitment, coordination, and perseverance can rid the world of polio.

The certification that the African region is free of wild poliovirus comes after the independent Africa Regional Certification Commission (ARCC) conducted thorough field verifications that confirmed no new cases and analyzed documentation of polio surveillance, immunization, and laboratory capacity by Cameroon, Central African Republic, Nigeria, and South Sudan. The commission had already accepted the documentation of the other 43 countries in the region.

The last cases of polio caused by the wild virus in the African region were recorded in Nigeria's northern state of Borno in August 2016, after two years with no cases. Conflict, along with challenges in reaching mobile populations, had hampered efforts to immunize children there.

Now that the African region is free of wild poliovirus, five of WHO's six regions, representing more than 90 percent of the world's population, are now free of the disease. Polio caused by the wild virus is still endemic in Afghanistan and Pakistan, in the WHO's Eastern Mediterranean region.

The African region's wild polio-free certification was celebrated during a livestream event. Speakers included Nigerian President Muhammadu Buhari, Bill Gates, Rotary International President Holger Knaack, Nigeria PolioPlus chair Dr. Tunji Funsho, and representatives of other GPEI partners. The celebration was followed by a press conference.

In the program, Knaack spoke about people needing good news during the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. "The challenges ahead are formidable," Knaack said. "That's why we must recognize this great achievement and commend all the people who played important roles in reaching this milestone. It took tremendous effort over many years."

An achievement decades in the making

Not detecting any wild poliovirus in Africa is in stark contrast to the situation in 1996, when 75,000 children there were paralyzed by the disease. That year, at a meeting of the Organization of African Unity in Cameroon, African heads of state committed to eradicating the disease from the continent.

To bolster the effort, also in 1996, Rotary, its GPEI partners, and South African President Nelson Mandela launched the Kick Polio Out of Africa campaign. Using soccer matches and celebrity endorsements, the campaign raised awareness of polio and helped more than 30 African countries to hold their first National Immunization Days. Mandela's call to action helped mobilize leaders across the continent to increase their efforts to reach every child with polio vaccine.

Since 1996, countless Rotary members from across Africa and around the world have raised funds, immunized children, and promoted vaccinations, enabling the GPEI to respond to and stop polio outbreaks. More than 9 billion doses of oral polio vaccine have been provided throughout the region, preventing an estimated 1.8 million cases of paralysis. Each year, about 2 million volunteers help vaccinate 220 million children against polio multiple times in the African region.

Rotary members have contributed nearly \$890 million toward polio eradication efforts in the African region. The funds have allowed Rotary to issue PolioPlus grants to fund polio surveillance, transportation, awareness campaigns, and National Immunization Days.

Dr. Tunji Funsho, chair of Rotary's Nigeria PolioPlus committee, noted Rotarians' tremendous contributions to polio eradication efforts in Africa: "From raising funds and immunizing children, to providing 'polio plusses,' such as soap and health kits, Rotary members have shown resilience and steadfast dedication to our top priority of ending polio."

Rotary members have helped build extensive polio infrastructure that has been used to respond to COVID-19 and, in 2014, the Ebola crisis, as well as to protect communities from yellow fever and bird flu.

Challenges still ahead

The GPEI's challenge now is to eradicate wild poliovirus in the two countries where the disease has never been stopped: Afghanistan and Pakistan. Additionally, routine immunization in Africa must also be strengthened to keep the wild poliovirus from returning and to protect children against circulating vaccine-derived poliovirus, which is rare but continues to infect people in parts of the African region.

To eradicate polio, multiple high-quality immunization campaigns must continue to be given priority. Even during the COVID-19 pandemic, it's necessary to keep children vaccinated against polio while also protecting health workers from COVID-19 and making sure they don't contribute to its transmission.

Global health officials and experts say that sustained fundraising and advocacy are still crucial, not only to protect gains in Africa, but to reach the ultimate goal of a world without polio. Rotary members still have a critical role to play in keeping the African region free of wild poliovirus and eliminating the virus in the two countries where polio remains endemic.

As Knaack said, "This is a big step in our journey to a polio-free world, but the fight is not over yet. We still need the support of our Rotary members, donors, and heroic effort of health care workers to finish the job."





ROTARY AND POLIO

Polio

Poliomyelitis, or polio, is a paralyzing and potentially fatal disease that still threatens children in some parts of the world. Poliovirus invades the nervous system and can cause total paralysis in hours. It can strike people of any age but mainly affects children under five. Polio can be prevented by vaccines, but it is not curable. Unlike most diseases, polio can be eradicated.

PolioPlus

For more than 30 years, Rotary and our partners have driven the effort to eradicate polio worldwide. Our [PolioPlus](#) program was the first initiative to tackle global polio eradication by vaccinating children on a massive scale. As a core partner in the [Global Polio Eradication Initiative](#), Rotary focuses on advocacy, fundraising, volunteer recruitment, and awareness-building.

Rotary members have contributed more than \$2.1 billion and countless volunteer hours to protect more than 2.5 billion children in 122 countries from this paralyzing disease. Rotary's advocacy efforts have played a role in decisions by governments to contribute more than \$10 billion to the effort.

Polio Today

When Rotary and its partners formed the GPEI in 1988, there were 350,000 cases of polio in 125 countries every year. Today, we have reduced polio cases by 99.9 percent, and just two countries continue to report cases of wild poliovirus: Afghanistan and Pakistan. Because of the efforts of Rotary and its partners, nearly 19 million people who would otherwise have been paralyzed are walking, and more than 1.5 million people are alive who would otherwise have died. The infrastructure we helped build to end polio is also being used to treat and prevent other diseases (including COVID-19) and create lasting impact in other areas of public health.

Challenges

Rotary and our partners have made tremendous progress against polio, but eliminating all cases is going to take even more progress and perseverance. Afghanistan and Pakistan face unique challenges, including political insecurity, highly mobile populations, difficult terrain, and, in some instances, vaccine refusal and misinformation. With sufficient resources, the commitment of national governments,

and innovations that improve access to remote areas, we are optimistic that we can eliminate polio.

Ensuring Success

Rotary has committed to raising \$50 million per year for polio eradication. The [Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation](#) has pledged to match that 2-to-1, for a total commitment of \$150 million each year. These funds provide much-needed operational support, medical workers, laboratory equipment, and educational materials. Governments, corporations, and private donors all play a crucial role in funding.

Rotary in Action

More than 1 million Rotary members have donated their time and money to eradicate polio, and every year, hundreds of member's work with health workers to vaccinate children in countries affected by polio. Rotary members work with [UNICEF](#) and other partners to prepare and distribute informational materials for people in areas that are isolated by conflict, geography, or poverty. They also mobilize to recruit fellow volunteers, assist in transporting the vaccine, and provide other logistical support.

Celebrity Support

Rotary has a growing list of public figures and celebrities who support our fight against polio, including Bill Gates, co-chair of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation; actresses Kristen Bell and Archie Panjabi; actor and wrestling superstar John Cena; supermodel Isabeli Fontana; Nobel Peace Prize laureate Archbishop Emeritus Desmond Tutu; action-movie star Jackie Chan; actor Donald Sutherland; boxing great Manny Pacquiao; pop star Psy; golf legend Jack Nicklaus; conservationist Jane Goodall; premier violinist Itzhak Perlman; Grammy Award winners A.R. Rahman, Angélique Kidjo, and Ziggy Marley; and peace advocate Queen Noor of Jordan. These ambassadors help Rotary educate the public about the disease and the fight to end polio for good.

WORLD POLIO DAY
"A FIGHT AGAINST
POLIO IS
A WIN FOR GLOBAL
HEALTH"

Tagum
Rotary
Club

Tagum North
Rotary
Club

Tagum Golden LACES
Rotary
Club

Compostella Valley
Rotary
Club

Central Panabo City
Rotary
Club

END POLIO NOW

WORLD POLIO DAY
IS 24 OCTOBER endpolio.org #endpolio

POLIO IMMUNIZATION

24 OCTOBER 2020

BARANGAY MAGUGPO SOUTH, TAGUM CITY, DAVAO DEL NORTE
8:30 AM

END POLIO NOW

**WORLD POLIO DAY
24 OCTOBER**

Rotary
District 3860

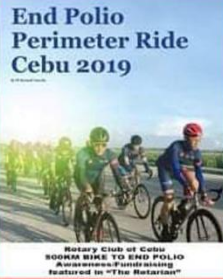


Rotary Opens Opportunities

DG RODEL RIEZL S. REYES
District Governor; RY 2020-2021



End Polio Now Logo showcases in different cities all over District 3860.



District 3860 Participated in END POLIO NOW logo Beaming @SMX MOA

OUR CELEBRITY ENDORSERS



END POLIO NOW

10K 20K 30K 50K
Php 300.00 only

Registration Period: September 06, 2020 - October 06, 2020

Virtual Race: October 24, 2020
Number of 10 days
Registration fee: 300.00

Run from the comfort of your own roads, in your own time and pace.

**ROTARY VIRTUAL FUN RUN
I RUN TO HELP END POLIO**

DISTRICT 3860

END POLIO NOW

T-shirt Fundraising campaign
Rotarians as Walking Billboard



**Patak Kontra Polio
District 3860 World Polio Day**



A Fun Bike Ride for a Cause

OCTOBER 11, 2020 8:30 AM
NEW CITY HALL
TAGBILAR CITY

REGISTRATION FEE: \$10.00 or Php 500.00
All donations will be donated to End Polio Fund.

The Rotary Foundation

**ZONE 10A
POLIO SUMMIT 2020**

October 21, 2020 | 7 PM to 9 PM (Philippine Time)

Resource Speakers

Zoom Host: **Rotary District 3780**

1024 KM TO END POLIO

Rotary Club of Cebu Fort San Pedro
1024km to End Polio.

Why 1024? Because Our World Polio day is October 24. Part of the proceeds will go to End Polio.

End Polio Ride VR

115 Km
2,410M

VIRTUAL OUTDOOR INDIVIDUAL RIDE



END POLIO NOW

Unified facebook profile of all Rotarians in the Philippines on World Polio Day.

"END POLIO NOW mascot"

Register your Event for World Polio Day
<https://www.endpolio.org/register-your-event>
on or before October 15, 2020

TOGETHER, WE WILL END POLIO NOW AND FOREVER !



Save The Date!

INCREASE OUR IMPACT

DISTRICT PUBLIC IMAGE SEMINAR

Participants: Presidents, Presidents-elect, Secretaries and Public Image Committee Chairpersons and interested Rotarians

via Zoom Meeting
November 7, 2020
Saturday
12:15pm to 6:00pm

Attire: Club Uniform

Hosted by: Area 2B

CHIKITING LIGTAS

sa dugang nga bakuna batok tipdas ug rubella

PABAKUNAHÍ ANG TANANG BATA GA-EDAD 9 MONTHS HANTUD 59 MONTHS (O WALA PAY LIMA KA-TUIG) SA MEASLES-RUBELLA SUPPLEMENTAL IMMUNIZATION ACTIVITY! (MR-SIA)

Karong **Oktubre 26-Nobyembre 25!**
ALL DAVAO REGION PROVINCES

City Health Office-Tagum #HealthyTagum 084-2167040

Tagum Rotary Club

Tagum North Rotary Club

Tagum Golden LACES Rotary Club

LAUNCHING

OCTOBER 26, 2020
8:30 AM

BRGY. SAN MIGUEL GYM,
TAGUM CITY

BIDA-Ambisyon Nation Information Kiosk Opening at Robinson's Place Tagum on April 15, 2020. Attended by Philippine Information Agency XI Regional Director Frances Mae Macapagat; Robinsons Place Tagum Store Operation Manager, Mr. Ivan Padar; Rotary Club of Tagum North President Mae T. Dalisay and Past Asst. Governor Arnold M. Nicolas; Provincial Information Communication and Knowledge Mgmt Office, Fr. Mervin Jay Suaybaguio; Tagum City Health Education Promotion Officer, Rae Katherine B. Apura, President Ruth Grace Alegre of Information Officers Network Davao del Norte and Davao del Norte & Davao Oriental Provincial Information Agency Head, Genevieve Abangan.



End Polio Now Campaign in partnership with STI College Tagum, 24 hrs back to back LED wall along Apokon Road, fronting New City Hall, JV Ayala Avenue, Tagum City.



Turn-over of 120pcs N95 mask and 10 boxes of surgical mask at Tagum City Health Office, Tagum City on October 13, 2020.



Final Judging of Empowering Lives Documentary Video Making Contest with Direk Earl Bontuyan as Chairperson of the Board of Judges with Engr. Melina C. Avila of Living Hope Cancer Survivors Club and Mr. Leo Timogan of City Information office as members.



Polio Immunization and Measles-Rubella Supplemental Immunization TV & Radio Guesting on October 13, 2020 at PTV 48 and Radio 91.1 Radyo ng Bayan.



Rotary Code of Conduct



As a Rotarian, I will

1. Exemplify the core value of integrity in all behaviors and activities
2. Use my vocational experience and talents to serve Rotary
3. Conduct all my personal, business and professional affairs ethically encouraging and fostering high ethical standards as an example to others
4. Be fair in all dealings with others and treat them with the respect due to them as fellow human beings.
5. Promote recognition and respect for all occupations which are useful to society
6. Offer my vocational talents: to provide opportunities for young people, to work of the relief of the special needs of others, and to improve the quality of life in my community.
7. Honor trust that Rotary and other Rotarians provide and not do anything that will bring disfavor or reflect adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians
8. Not seek from a fellow a privilege or advantage not normally accorded others in a business or professional relationship

Rotary



THE FOUR-WAY TEST of the things we think, say or do

- I. Is it the TRUTH?
- II. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- III. Will it build GOODWILL
& BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- IV. Will it be BENEFICIAL
to all concerned?



Rotary

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.

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Monthly Theme / Events

August 2020

Membership and New Club Development Month

September 2020

Basic Education and Literacy Month

October 2020

Economic and Community Development Month

5-11 October — Rotary Alumni Reconnect Week

24 October — World Polio Day

November 2020

Rotary Foundation Month

2-8 November — World Interact Week

December 2020

Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

15 December — Last day for early registration discount for the 2021 Rotary Convention

January 2021

Vocational Service Month

February 2021

Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution Month

7-11 February — International Assembly, Orlando, Florida, USA

23 February — Rotary's anniversary

March 2021

Water and Sanitation Month

8-14 March — World Rotaract Week

31 March — Preregistration discount ends for the Rotary International Convention

April 2021

Maternal and Child Health Month

30 April — Rotary International Convention registrations and ticket cancellations are due

May 2021

Youth Service Month

June 2021

Rotary Fellowships Month

11-12 June — Rotaract Preconvention, Taipei, Taiwan

11-12 June — Youth Exchange Officers Preconvention, Taipei, Taiwan

12-16 June — Rotary International Convention, Taipei, Taiwan

30 June — Rotary Citation for Rotary Clubs Award nominations are due

A look ahead to international events. All dates are tentative.

2022

16-20 January – International Assembly, Orlando, Florida, USA

4-8 June – Rotary International Convention, Houston, Texas, USA

Club Committees

CLUB ADMINISTRATION

Club Program/Attendance
FB Admin
Archive
Fellowship
Charter Anniversary
Family of Rotary

MEMBERSHIP

Recruitment/Retention
Orientation/Education
Mentoring
Membership Assessment and Planning
Alumni/ Diversity

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Media Relations
Advertising
RI Taiwan Convention
External Relations
Web and Social Media

SERVICE PROJECTS

Vocational
Community
International
RYLA
Rotaract
Interact
Fundraising for Club Projects
Water for Life
Tapayanon
Environment
Pink Tagum
Anti Dengue
Scholarship Taekwondo

ROTARY FOUNDATION

Scholarship/Stewardship
Vocational Training Team
District Grants
Global Grants
Polio

PP Darwin B. Ravelo

Sec. Marluo P. Fulo
Marc Arden Pude
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas
Dan A. Bagarra
Mark Anthony S. Libuangan
Rommel B. Gomito

PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio

Dexter Consolacion
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Irvin Dick Emia
Pres. Mae T. Dalisay
PN Revedor R. Pereyras

PP Ronald S. Bordios

Norman J. Adlawan
Dan A. Bagarra
Albert Ng, Sr.
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Artemio D. Palijo III

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Philip S. Villanueva
PE Andres P. Gentugaya
IPP Renie P. Siscon
PP Tony Inguillo
PP Michael Salvador B. Malbog
Joseph Low
Azmat Hussain

PP Ramel A. Lintuan

PAG Glenn A. Pono
PAG Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas
PAG Glenn A. Pono
AG Neal M. Ararao

Rotary Club of Tagum North Groupings

The Quenchers

Man does not live by soap alone; and hygiene, or even health, is not much good unless you can take a healthy view of it or, better still, feel a healthy indifference to it.

Gilbert K. Chesterton

Renei P. Sicson Group Leader

Arnold M. Nicolas

Kevin Ahn

Lyndon Melvi C. Sumiog

Albert Ng, Jr.

Philip S. Villanueva

Marc Pude

The Mentors

"Literacy is a bridge from misery to hope."

— **Kofi Anan**

Charles Aldwin M. Carpio Group Leader

Darwin B. Ravelo

Ronald S. Bordios

Michael Bryan A. Briones

Joseph B. Low

Jong Magat

Glenn Pono

The Planters

"The environment is where we all meet; where we all have a mutual interest; it is the one thing all of us share."

— **Lady Bird Johnson**

Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio Group Leader

Mae T. Dalisay

Dan Bagarra

Irvin Dick Emia

Rommel Gomito

Dexter Consolacion

Revedor Pereyras

Michael Salvador Malbog

The Peacemakers

War does not determine who is right - only who is left.

— **Bertrand Russell**

Ramel A. Lintuan Group Leader

Andy P. Gentugaya

Marluo P. Fulo

Tony Inguillo

Mark Libuangan

Cock Chang Soo

Azmat Hussain

Excelses deo Baldonado

Neal M. Ararao

The Rotary Foundation

All Time Giving : US \$ 85,697.00 as of October 20, 2020

Multiple Paul Harris Fellows (Active Club Members)

PAG Arnold M. Nicolas,PHF+8	\$ 9,330.02
PAG Glenn A. Pono, PHF+8	9,010.00
PE Mae T. Dalisay,PHF+7	8,800.00
PP Darwin B. Ravelo,PHF+7	8,410.00
PP Ramel A. Lintuan,PHF+4	5,505.00
PAG Jose Alvic P. Suaybagoio,PHF+3	4,610.00
PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio,PHF+3	4,360.00
PP Antonio R. Inguillo,PHF+2	3,210.00
Revedor R. Pereyras,PHF+2	3,210.02
IPP Neal M. Ararao,PHF+2	3,170.00
PP Jong D. Magat,PHF+2	3,035.03
PP Ronald S. Bordios,PHF+1	2,510.93
PP Michael B. Malbog,PHF+1	2,261.50
PN Andres P. Gentugaya,PHF+1	2,210.00
PP Cock Chang F. Soo,PHF+1	2,096.50
Renie P. Siscon,PHF+1	2,040.00

Paul Harris Fellows (Active Club Members)

Philip S. Villanueva,PHF	1,465.00
Artemio Ian D. Palijo III,PHF	1,065.00
Albert L. Ng Sr.	1,010.00
Rommel Gomito	1,000.00

Rotary Foundation Sustaining Members (Active Club Members)

Mariou P. Fulo,RFSM	610.00
Jess M. Osorio,RFSM	610.00
Dan A. Bagarra,RFSM	500.50
Mark Anthony Libuangan,RFSM	410.00
Marc Arden Pude,RFSM	410.00
Kevin Ahn,RFSM	400.00
Azmat Hussain,RFSM	235.00
Irvin Dick Emia,RFSM	186.50
Excelsis Deo Baldonado,RFSM	135.00

Paul Harris Society Members:

PAG Glenn A. Pono	4 yrs
PP Darwin B. Ravelo	4 yrs
PP Ramel A. Lintuan	3 yrs
Albert L. Ng Sr.	1 yr

Paul Harris Fellows (Former Members & Donors)

PAG Jim M. Osorio,PHF+4	\$ 5,026.50
PP Joseph Nilo F. Parrenas,PHF+2	3,751.50
PAG Leopoldo Diamante	3,210.00
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
Lorena Lintuan	1,200.00
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
Marisa Gomito	1,000.00
Engr. Carlo Lacson	1,000.00
Lorena Lintuan	1,000.00
Ramel Brandon Lintuan	1,000.00
+CP Sing Beng Lee	1,000.00
Engr. Eaco Buen J. Pondoc	1,000.00
Mr. Rey Pangilan	1,000.00
Sweet Dianne Ravelo	1,000.00
Precious Shannel Ravelo	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
Wendy Ng	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 ,RFSM	Catering Services	Jane	1
10142164	Kevin Ahn,RFSM	Past Service	Malou	2
8721076	Neal M. Ararao,PHF+1	Dentistry Orthodontics	Leslie	7
8537322	Dan A. Bagarra,RFSM	Orthopedic Surgery	Debbie	8
10323897	Excelsis Deo Baldonado,RFSM	Bottle Gas Distribution	Jessa	2
10673853	Michael Bryan A. Briones,RFSM	Sports Equipment Retail	Claire	2
2545425	Ronald S. Bordios,PHF+1	Mobile Phone Retailer		16
6986525	Charles Aldwin M. Carpio,PHF+2	Nursing Service	Odessa	11
10673859	Dexter C. Consolacion,RFSM	Banking Commercial		2
8921443	Mae T. Dalisay,PHF+4	Medicine Pediatric		3
9470314	Irvin Dick Emia,RFSM	Transport Licensing	Nelma	4
9972836	Marlou P. Fulo,RFSM	Financing		3
5983987	Andres Gentugaya,PHF+1	Water Supply and Treatment	Nelly	14
6693871	Rommel Gomito	Engineering Civil	Marissa	New
9972844	Azmat Hussain,RFSM	Auto Sales Used	Dyesebel	3
2057027	Tony Inguillo	Farming	Dafnie	New
10346959	Mark Anthony Libuangan,RFSM	Governmental Relations	Sarah	2
8426668	Ramel A. Lintuan,PHF+3	Gas Services	Lorena	8
10676722	Joseph D. Low,RFSM	Pawnshop Management	Rose	1
3380633	Jong D. Magat,PHF+2	Contractors General	Rhoda	22
6377182	Michael B. Malbog,PHF+1	Cosmetic Surgery	Tweet	15
10653586	Albert L. Ng,Sr., PHF	Plywood Manufacturing	Wendy	1
5912929	Arnold M. Nicolas,PHF+7	Insurance Consultancy		17
10419717	Jess M. Osorio,RFSM	Architecture	Rose	2
8720381	Artemio Ian D. Palijo III,PHF	Engineering Electronics	Tata	7
5881882	Revedor R. Pereyras,PHF+2	Tables & Chairs Rental	Elay	12
6812841	Glenn A. Pono, PHF+8	Adult Pulmonary Medicine		12
10346963	Marc Arden Pude,RFSM	Insurance Non-Life		2
6377179	Darwin B. Ravelo,PHF+6	Heavy Equipments Rental	Elma	15
8720375	Renie P. Siscon,PHF+1	Auto Parts Surplus	Gina	7
1510880	Cock Chang F. Soo,PHF+1	Real Estate - Rentals	Maricor	31
5912917	Jose Alvic P. Suaybagoio,PHF+3	Engineering Sanitary	Aweng	17
5250782	Philip S. Villanueva,PHF	Computer Retail	Melissa	20

Honorary Members

10653633	Wendy Ng
2057033	Joseph Nilo F. Parrenas,PHF+2
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

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. INGUILLO
2011-2012



Charles Aldwin Carpio
2012-2013



Darwin B. Ravelo
2013-2014



Salvador Michael B. Malbog
2014-2015



Christopher Donayre
2017-2018



Ramel Lintuan
2017 - 2018



Neal Ararao
2018 - 2019



Renie P. Siscon
2019-2020

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 P240,000.00 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 D3860. The outbound team 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 D3860. The outbound 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. Rucel 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 (REY) 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 Planting in 1992, project that helps rehabilitate the in the coastlines its neighboring areas. Through the project grant funded by the WCS from District 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 unstoppable 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 in Tagum City. 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 Magugpo 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 Magugpo 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 P5,000.00 for the "Lakbay Aral para sa mga batang Lumad ng 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, USA; 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, USA, 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 Rotaplan 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 focus 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 layora and assemblies throughout Davao Region.





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