

# GOLDEN ROTA NEWS



## 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
Facebook Page	Rotary Club of Tagum North

## Editorial Board

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### The Cover

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# EDITORIAL



Water is essential for life. No living being on planet Earth can survive without it. It is a prerequisite for human health and well-being as well as for the preservation of the environment. However, four of every ten people in the world do not have access to even a simple pit latrine; and nearly two in ten have no source of safe drinking water. Every year millions of people, most of them children, die from diseases associated with inadequate water supply, sanitation, and hygiene. According to the World Health Organization, each and every day some 3,900 children die because of dirty water or poor hygiene; diseases transmitted through water or human excrement are the second-leading cause of death among children worldwide, after respiratory diseases. Water scarcity, poor water quality, and inadequate sanitation negatively impact food security, livelihood choices, and educational opportunities for poor families across the world. Water-related natural disasters such as floods, tropical storms and tsunamis exert a heavy toll in human life and suffering. And all too regularly, drought afflicts some of the world's poorest countries, exacerbating hunger and malnutrition.

## 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 28th Regular Weekly Meeting

January 19, 2021, 7:30PM

### VIRTUAL

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	Rtn. Albert Ng, Sr., PHF
Introduction of Guests & Rotarians	Rtn. Joseph B. Low
Rotary Information	PE Revedor R. Pereyras, PHF+2
Treasurer's Time	PAG Arnold M. Nicolas,PHF+8
Secretary Time	Sec. Marluo P. Fulo,PHF
Presidents Time	Pres. Mae T. Dalisay, PHF+5
Adjournment	Pres. Mae T. Dalisay, PHF+5
Emcee	PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio,PHF+3

### Updates:

1. Water for Life @ Purok 7, Barangay La Filipina, Tagum City
2. Housing Project in Rotary Village Magsaysay, Davao del Sur
3. RYLA 2021
4. District Grant Project Application @ Sitio Mondol, Davao del Norte
5. Borderless Opportunities in 2021: Global Market Outlook & Philippine Business Prospects hosted by Rotary Club of Makati McKinley

### Prayer:

*We are thankful for this day that you have given us, for its blessings, its opportunities, its challenges. May we appreciate and use each day that comes to us. We pray for strength and guidance for each day as it comes, for each day's duties, for each day's problems. May we be challenged to give our best always, and may we be assured of your presence with us. 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



**MAE T. DALISAY**  
President 2020-2021



**REVEDOR R. PEREYRAS**  
President Elect



**ANDRES P. GENTUGAYA**  
President Nominee



**PAG GLENN A. PONO**  
Vice President



**MARLOU P. FULO**  
Secretary



**PAG ARNOLD M. NICOLAS**  
Treasurer



**DEXTER C. CONSOLACION**  
Auditor



**NORMAN J. ADLAWAN**  
Sgt. At Arms



**PP CHARLES ALDWIN M. CARPIO**  
Membership



**PP DARWIN B. RAVELO**  
Club Administration



**JESS M. OSORIO**  
Service Project



**PP RONALD S. BORDIOS**  
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



**HOLGER KNAACK**

President 2020-2021

**January 2021**

January is finally here. As we look forward to 2021, our thinking doesn't have to stop at the end of these 365 days. Are you thinking ahead about what you will be doing in 2022, 2023, and beyond?

We cannot foresee the future, but we can steer ourselves where we want to go. I think it is important that every Rotary club hold a strategic meeting at least once a year. Past RI Director Greg Yank, who has a lot of experience working with clubs on their plans, shares his viewpoint.

A famous aphorism states, "By failing to prepare, you are preparing to fail." Planning is essential to achieving success in all areas of life, including Rotary, and we're getting better at it every year.

Strategic planning for Rotary clubs works. I have helped many clubs find that pathway by working with them to build what I call a blueprint, a multiyear plan that answers the fundamental question: "What is our vision for our club?" The best plans I have seen are those that are focused, when a club concentrates its resources on the best opportunities it has. Your Rotary club cannot be all things to its members and to the community it serves; it has limited human, financial, and time resources. A successful plan factors in assets and limitations to chart the desired pathway for your members.

Begin building a multiyear strategic plan by brainstorming with your club, asking, "What are our initiatives and priorities for the next two to three years?" Document your answers using action-oriented language that is specific, concrete, and measurable about the goals you want to achieve.

Next, narrow down your initiatives to a core set of three to five priorities. Your club will then develop specific objectives for each initiative, outlining who will be involved, key milestones of achievement, how progress will be tracked, and a timeline for completion. Keep your plan short and simple.

Then go out and do it. Review the progress you make toward accomplishing the initiatives, and revise as needed at least once a year. Rotary has a solid template to assist clubs in their planning, which you can find at [my.rotary.org/en/document/strategic-planning-guide](https://my.rotary.org/en/document/strategic-planning-guide).

We want to enrich and enliven our clubs with new discussions and ideas. But how do we attract the diverse professionals, from different backgrounds, ages, and experiences, who are all driven by as strong a sense of integrity as we are?

Through strategic planning, we explore this question to define the very nature of our club and the value it offers to its members and to the community. Each club is different, and each club's value will be unique. During the planning process, clubs may also find that some of the activities they used to do are no longer relevant or attractive.

Once your club makes a strategic plan, it's time to take action and carry out the necessary changes. When we do that — as we engage members in vibrant and active clubs that not only have fun but also serve their communities with projects that have real and lasting impact — our clubs grow stronger. And when we discover what makes our own clubs unique and build upon those core values in all our efforts, Rotary Opens Opportunities to enrich the lives of everyone.

## Trustee Chair's Message



**K.R. Ravindran**  
Trustee Chair 2020-21

January 2021

Having grown up amid lush green forests in the mountainous landscape of Sri Lanka, I always recall the words of the great poet Rabindranath Tagore: "Trees are the earth's endless effort to speak to the listening heaven."

How sad that so often we humans insist on interrupting this conversation.

Just like every other living thing, we are a part of nature. But we are also the only species that bears the responsibility of protecting the environment for future generations. The coronavirus pandemic has shed light as nothing has before on the relationship between environmental degradation and threats to public health.

A few years ago, the government-owned electricity company in my country planned to build a second coal power plant, in eastern Sri Lanka. It would suck 93 million liters of water per hour from a bay where fragile ecosystems meet the deep sea, the site of one of the largest spawning grounds for sperm whales in the world. After processing, those 93 million liters per hour would be dumped into the ocean, now loaded with toxic chemicals that put that marine life at great risk. Learning from the lessons of the damage caused by the first plant, a coalition formed, made up of many public advocates, including Rotarians. They ran a campaign that alerted the media, the public, and the local community to the potential dangers, in addition to taking legal action. The government eventually abandoned its coal plant idea after the resulting public outcry.

We can truly move mountains when we come together.

When some of us moved to add the environment as Rotary's newest cause, we did so because of the urgency of the problem. In 1990-91, RI President Paulo V.C. Costa set forth a vision, and today we will take this work to the next level. We live in a time of great stress on our environment, of rapidly rising sea levels, massive storms, disappearing rainforests and wildlife, and destructive forest fires. Climate change touches us all, rich and poor.

We will face the challenge strategically, as with the other areas of focus. In fact, the six other areas of focus depend on this one. For what good is it to fight disease if our polluted environment causes us to become sick again?

The Rotary Foundation will be central to this work. More than \$18 million has gone toward environment-related global grants in the past five years. Building upon this work to protect the environment, we will give yet another Rotary gift to future generations. And you can be a part of it today.

## President's Corner



**MAE T. DALISAY, PHF+5**  
Transforming President

A Safe and Productive Week to all Rotarians!

Weekly Club Meetings during Tuesday nights still continue despite of the poor internet connections which occur in some areas of Tagum City. This is the main reason that most of our Club members are unable to attend. However, attendance to projects and activities present as "make up" for Club Meetings. And I am indeed thankful to each and everyone of you for your commitment.

Last week, we had a Committee Meeting at Tadakuma Restaurant, Narisma Road, Tagum City to tackle our Club's District Grant Application. This pertains to our Multi-Purpose Hall Project at Sitio Mondol, Bgy. Gupitan in Asuncion, Davao del Norte. Thank you very much for the presence and wisdom of Rtn./ Arch. Jess Osorio who is the "Team Leader" of this Project; also to the other members, PP/ Engr. Darwin Ravelo, Rtn./Engr. Rommel Gomito, PAG/PP Arnold Nicolas, PP Renie Siscon, Sec. Marlou Fulo and PE Revedor Pereyras. I am also pleased for the support of Rtn. Joseph Low, and the spouses who joined us during the meeting: Elma Ravelo and Erelie Pereyras.

To top up the week's activities was the turn-over of the 160 ft deep well Water Project at Pk. 7, Bgy. La Filipina, Tagum City funded by our sister club, Rotary Godeok of South Korea. This water project benefited around 200 families in the said area. Joining us in the turn-over were PAG/PP Arnold Nicolas, PP Renie Siscon, PP Darwin Ravelo, Rtn. Eduardo Dinglasan Jr. and Officers and Members of Tagum North Palm City Rotaract Club headed by President Bryan Sulasula

We thank and glorify our God who has made us instruments to bring the love and mercy of the Father to those whom we encounter everyday. And as we continue to be good Samaritans in this time of Covid 19 Pandemic, we also thank Him for keeping us safe and healthy, and providing us with all our needs.

## Secretary's Corner

### Regular Weekly Meeting Attendance Report

January, 2020	Dates			
	05	12	19	26
Member Actually Present	06	04		
Member with valid make-up	11	10		
Member Size (Excluding Honorary members)	04	04		
Rule 85	02	02		
Net membership Base	35	35		
Tota Attendance divided by net membership	54.28%	47.5%		



**Marlou P. Fulo,PHF**  
Transforming Secretary

#### **Attendance: January 5, 2020**

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay  
Rtn. Eduardo C. Dinglasan, Jr.  
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas  
PP Renie P. Siscon

### Make-up

#### **District Grant Application Committee Meeting at Tadakuma, January 13, 2021**

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay  
Sec. Marlou P. Fulo  
Rtn. Joseph B. Low  
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas  
PND Jess M. Osorio  
PE Revedor R. Pereyras  
PP Darwin B. Ravelo  
PP Renie P. Siscon

#### Guests:

Spouse Rose Low  
Spouse Elma Ravelo  
Arslie Malipero  
Carol Malipero

#### **Water for Life Project Visit at Purok 7, La Filipina, January 15, 2021**

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay  
Sec. Marlou P. Fulo  
Rtn. Joseph B. Low  
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas

#### **CONARC & Presidential Conference, Ritmos do Brasil, La Filipina, January 17-19, 2021**

PAG Arnold M. Nicolas

#### **Water for Life Project Turn-over Ceremony at Purok 7, La Filipina, January 19, 2021**

Pres. Mae T. Dalisay  
Rtn. Eduardo C. Dinglasan, Jr.  
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas  
PP Darwin B. Ravelo  
IPP Renie P. Siscon

#### Guests :

Pres. Bryan Sulasula-RAC Tagum North-Palm City Chapter  
PE Cyrex Presilda- RAC Tagum North-Palm City Chapter  
IPP John Andrew Manlapaz- RAC Tagum North-Palm City Chapter  
Member Elijah Ross Baldonado- RAC Tagum North-Palm City Chapter  
Member Randolph Ramirez- RAC Tagum North-Palm City Chapter



# Treasurer's Corner



**PAG Arnold M. Nicolas, PHF+8**  
Treasurer

## ***Congratulations to the following Rotarians Pay in Full Annual Club Dues***

Rtn. Dan A. Bagarra  
Rtn. Borg Baldonado  
Rtn. Michael Bryan A. Briones  
PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio  
Pres. Mae T. Dalisay  
PE Andy P. Gentugaya  
Rtn. Rommel Gomito  
PP Ramel A. Lintuan  
PP Jong D. Magat  
Albert L. Ng, Sr.  
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas  
PN Jess M. Osorio  
Rtn. Marc Arden Pude  
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. Jovito B. Coderis III  
Rtn. Dexter C. Consolacion  
Rtn. Eduardo C. Dinglasan, Jr.  
Rtn. Irvin Dick C. Emia  
Rtn. Philip S. Villanueva

## ***The Rotary Foundation Goals as of January 19, 2021***

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Annual Fund	\$ 3,200.00	\$ 4,600.00
Polio Fund	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 3,000.00
RCTN Fun Ride Fund Raising	\$ 310.00	\$ 520.00
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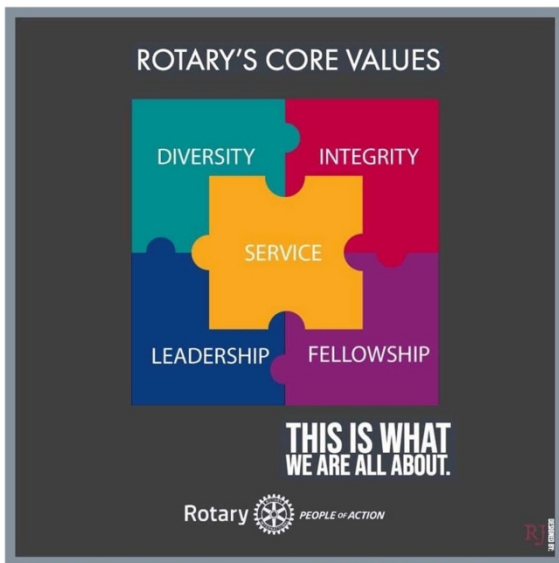
## The Rotary Foundation Donors Rotary Year 2020-21 as of January 19, 2021

***Congratulations The Rotary Foundation Donors Early Bird.***

Name	Amount	New Status
PAG Glenn A. Pono	\$ 3,000.00	New Major Donor
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. Siscon	100.00	continuing PHF+1
PE Andy P. Gentugaya	100.00	continuing PHF+1
PP Jong D. Magat	100.00	
Jess M. Osorio	100.00	RFSM6
Total Donations	\$ 8,300.00	

### END POLIO NOW A FUN BIKE RIDE TO END POLIO DONORS

Norman Adlawan	\$ 10.00	Joseph Low	10.00
Kevin Ahn	10.00	Jong Magat	10.00
AG Neal M. Ararao	30.00	PP Michael Malbog	20.00
Dan Bagarra	10.00	PAG Tweet B. Malbog	10.00
Exelsis Deo Baldonado	10.00	Albert Ng	10.00
Michael Bryan Briones	10.00	Honorary Members Wendy Ng	10.00
PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio	20.00	PAG Arnold M. Nicolas	20.00
Spouse Odessa M. Carpio	10.00	Dir. Jess Osorio	20.00
Dexter Consolacion	10.00	Spouse Rose M. Osorio	10.00
Pres. Mae T. Dalisay	20.00	Ian Paliyo	10.00
Irvin Dick Emia	10.00	PN Revedor R. Pereyras	10.00
Spouse Nerma Emia	10.00	PAG Glenn A. Pono	10.00
Sec. Marluo P. Fulo	20.00	Marc Arden Pude	10.00
PE Andres Gentugaya	10.00	PP Darwin B. Ravelo	20.00
Rtn. Rommel Gomito	20.00	Spouse Elma B. Ravelo	10.00
Spouse Marissa Gomito	10.00	PP Renie P. Siscon	20.00
Azmat Hussain	10.00	Spouse Gina P. Siscon	10.00
Tony Inguillo	10.00	PAG Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio	20.00
Mark Anthony Libuangan	10.00	CM Cock Chang F. Soo	10.00
PP Ramel Lintuan	20.00	Rtn. Philip S. Villanueva	20.00
Spouse Lorena A. Lintuan	10.00	Rotakid Mary Elyza Villanueva	10.00
Rotaractor Ramel Brandon C. Lintuan	10.00	Total	\$ 520.00



# Announcement

## ROTARY Family

*Happy  
Wedding  
Anniversary*

- 02 PAG Jose Alvic & Spouse Aweng Suaybaguio
- 09 PP Joseph Nilo & Spouse Tess Parrenas
- 21 PP Jong & Spouse Rhoda Magat

### 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

#### January 2021

- 05 26th Regular Weekly Meeting
- 12 27th Regular Weekly Meeting
- 13 District Grant Application Committee Meeting at Tadakuma, 5:30pm
- 15 Water for Life Project Visit, 9:00am
- 16-18 CONARC & 1st Rotary International Presidential Conference 2021-Brazil
- 19 Water for Life Project Turn Over, 9am
- 19 28th Regular Weekly Meeting
- 26 8th Regular Monthly Board Meeting @ Jess M. Osorio Res.
- 26 29th Regular Weekly Meeting

#### February 2021

- 02 30th Regular Weekly Meeting
- 7-11 International Assembly, Orlando, Florida, USA
- 09 31st Regular Weekly Meeting
- 16 32nd Regular Weekly Meeting
- 22 33th Regular Weekly Meeting
- 23 Rotary's Anniversary
- 22 33th Regular Weekly Meeting
- 23 Rotary's Anniversary

## HISTORY OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

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

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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.

# WATER

## **The golden age of water is over** The water systems humans have created and rely on will look inadequate in the face of climate change

by *Charles Fishman*

I was in Charleston, South Carolina, to talk about water, and a university faculty member there explained how dramatically life has changed in the past few years in that beautiful waterfront city.

As recently as the early 2000s, she said, Charleston had experienced a few flooding events a year — eight or 10. Not even one a month.

But in the past few years, Charleston has annually had 40 to 50 intrusive flood events. The flooding is so common and so disruptive, the woman explained, that she and her husband had to plan their lives around it. Their kids went to day care in one part of the city; they worked in another part. When the low-lying streets and intersections filled with seawater — as happens on average three times a month now — they were cut off from their children.

Half of the world's hospital beds are occupied by patients suffering from waterborne diseases. More than a billion people don't have access to clean drinking water. That's very disturbing in the 21st century.

*Fatima Lahmami Langlois | Rotary Club of Montreal*  
*"Philanthropy Matchmakers," July 2019*

"We have to watch the weather, we have to watch the tides, we have to talk to the people at the day care," she said. "Because we could easily end up at the end of the day with no way to get the kids." There have been occasions when they didn't take the children to day care, because flooding was predicted during the day.

You don't have to imagine the future of water: It's here. It's happening right now, all around us.

That's the most obvious lesson from the flooding in Charleston, a single problem in a single U.S. city: The flooding is not devastating, but it is sudden, it's new, it's relentless, it's hugely disruptive, and it's not going away. When it comes to water, we aren't ready for what's happening to us right now. So we certainly aren't ready for the future.

In the past decade, we have made dramatic progress in water. In the 10 years between 2005 and 2015 (the most recent year for which there is U.S. data), the typical American went from using 100 gallons of water per day at home to using 83 gallons. If we were still consuming water at the rate we did in 2005, we would be using 5 billion more gallons of water a day than we are.

We've also made dramatic progress across the past 50 years. The United States today uses less water every day, for all purposes, than it did in 1965. We have tripled the size of the U.S. economy in that half-century without using a single new gallon of water. Which is to say, every gallon of water we use today does three times the work it did in 1965.



Farmers today use a little less water than farmers did in 1965 — but they irrigate 45 percent more land and raise twice as much food.

That's all good news. If climate change weren't transforming everything about who gets water, and how much, it would be great news — the foundation of a new water ethic. As it is, the progress we've made in the United States and around the world will cushion the impact of climate change. But that impact is likely to be so dramatic, we may not notice.

We don't often connect the dots when we talk about the impact of climate change, but it is almost all about water. Rain that doesn't fall anymore where we expect it. Rain that falls in fewer events — fewer rainy days and fewer storms — but with much more intensity and volume. Snow that now falls as rain, stealing from a kind of "water savings account" that whole regions rely on, where winter snows pile up in mountain ranges, then melt gradually through the spring and summer to provide a steady flow of water.

Every day we're seeing the dawn of a kind of brutal intensity to the climate, and to the weather, that feels all new. Fueled by one record-dry summer after another, megafires rage across the American West. Nourished by unusually warm ocean temperatures, slow-moving hurricanes in the Atlantic and supertyphoons in the Pacific explode with power and intensity just before coming ashore, where they release torrential, flooding rains.

We're used to separating out our experience of water, especially in the developed world. There's the water we use every day at home, in offices and factories, on farms. And then there's the water out in the environment — the water that either comes, sometimes in destructive torrents, or doesn't come, for months that add up to drought.

Water woes

Should current trends persist without mitigation:

1. By 2030, annual global water requirements will exceed current sustainable water supplies by 40 percent.
2. By 2040, nearly 600 million children will live in areas of extremely high water stress.
3. By 2050, the number of people at risk from floods will increase to 1.6 billion from 1.2 billion.

SOURCE: National Intelligence Council; UNICEF; World Meteorological Association

Climate change is going to erase that convenient distinction. The human water systems we've created, and that we all rely on, are going to look brittle and inadequate in the face of what's coming.

The most important principle for adapting to the new world of water is this: Water does not respond to wishful thinking. Water problems don't get better on their own. Just the opposite: The longer you wait to tackle a water problem of any kind, from a leak in the ceiling of your living room to a sea-level rise in your city, the harder, and the more expensive, that problem is to solve.

That's not just true directly. Well-managed water undergirds the entire economy. But we don't appreciate that very often. A city that floods once a week, a city that has to ration drinking water, a city that has to brace for destruction with every hurricane season or every fire season: Those are not places with stable, appealing economic futures.

We need to adapt to a new world. And we need to appreciate two more key ideas when it comes to water. First, we know how to solve every water problem that exists in the world — in engineering terms. We don't need a Manhattan Project or a moon shot to tackle water. But the hardest part of most water problems is the people part. It's getting people to see the water situation in a clear-eyed way — with realism, not optimism. And then getting people to change their behavior.

The second thing to appreciate is that all water problems are local — and that's where they must be solved. The United States is a perfect example of a rich, smart country with a wild array of water problems. Not only is there no active national strategy for tackling them; in most cases there isn't even national guidance.

But that can be liberating for cities, for regions, for states. The smartest communities — in the United States and around the world — aren't waiting to tackle water and climate change. They aren't waiting for the alarm from Washington, or the guidance, or even the financing.

Especially in the developed world, we've had a century-long, highly engineered golden age of water, in which we left the management of it to the experts, and most of us never had to give water a thought. It was invisible in our daily life. We need to see the new age of water turbulence with realism, with urgency, and with a sense that water is something all of us are going to have to grapple with.

The golden age is over. Water isn't going to be invisible anymore. The future of water is now.

Charles Fishman is a frequent contributor to Rotary. His most recent book is *One Giant Leap: The Impossible Mission That Flew Us to the Moon*. He is also the author of the bestselling *The Big Thirst: The Secret Life and Turbulent Future of Water*.

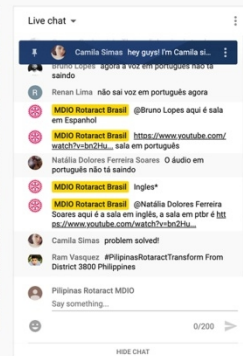
# Water for Life Project Turn Over



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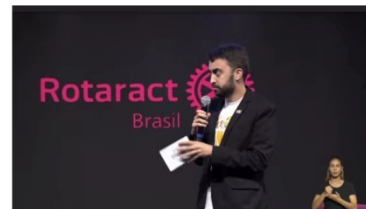
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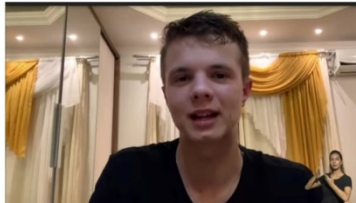
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## Water for Life Project Visit



## District Grant Application Committee Meeting at Tadakuma



# The Rotary Foundation

**All Time Giving : US \$ 89,017.00 as of January 19, 2021**

## Multiple Paul Harris Fellows ( Active Club Members )

PAG Glenn A. Pono, Major Donor Level 1	\$12,010.00
PAG Arnold M. Nicolas,PHF+8	9,340.02
PE Mae T. Dalisay,PHF+7	8,800.00
PP Darwin B. Ravelo,PHF+7	8,430.00
PP Ramel A. Lintuan,PHF+4	5,525.00
PAG Jose Alvic P. Suaybagoio,PHF+3	4,620.00
PP Charles Aldwin M. Carpio,PHF+3	4,380.00
PP Antonio R. Inguillo,PHF+2	3,210.00
Revedor R. Pereyras,PHF+2	3,220.02
IPP Neal M. Ararao,PHF+2	3,180.00
PP Jong D. Magat,PHF+2	3,035.03
PP Ronald S. Bordios,PHF+1	2,510.93
PP Michael B. Malbog,PHF+1	2,281.50
PN Andres P. Gentugaya,PHF+1	2,210.00
PP Cock Chang F. Soo,PHF+1	2,096.50
Renie P. Siscon,PHF+1	2,050.00

## Paul Harris Fellows ( Active Club Members )

Philip S. Villanueva,PHF	1,485.00
Artemio Ian D. Palijo III,PHF	1,065.00
Albert L. Ng Sr.	1,010.00
Rommel Gomito	1,000.00
Marlou P. Fulo,RFSM	1,000.00
Marc Arden Pude,RFSM	1,000.00
Kevin Ahn,RFSM	1,000.00

## Rotary Foundation Sustaining Members ( Active Club Members )

Jess M. Osorio,RFSM	620.00
Dan A. Bagarra,RFSM	500.50
Mark Anthony Libuangan,RFSM	410.00
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
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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
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WHAT DO THESE  
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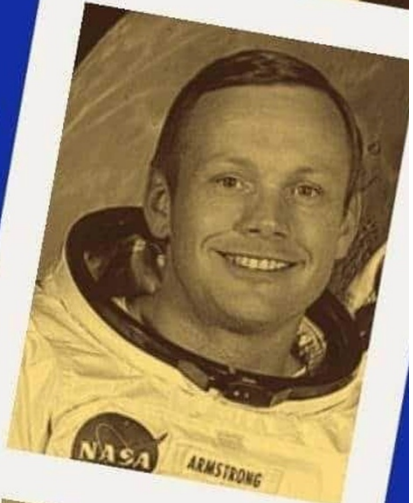


Rotary Opens Opportunities

Famous  
Rotarians

Top to bottom:  
John F. Kennedy, US President  
Neil Armstrong, First Man on the Moon  
Prince Charles, Prince of Wales

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# 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



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

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- 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.**

## 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

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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

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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:

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,PHF	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
11033599	Jovito B. Coderis III	Law Enforcement	TJ	
8921443	Mae T. Dalisay,PHF+4	Medicine Pediatric		3
10999098	Eduardo C. Dinglasan,Jr.	Restaurateur	Dyma	New
9470314	Irvin Dick Emia,RFSM	Transport Licensing	Nelma	4
9972836	Marlou P. Fulo,PHF	Financing		3
5983987	Andres Gentugaya,PHF+1	Water Supply and Treatment	Nelly	14
6693871	Rommel Gomito,PHF	Engineering Civil	Marissa	New
9972844	Azmat Hussain,RFSM	Auto Sales Used	Dyesebel	3
2057027	Tony Inguillo,PHF+2	Real Estate Broker	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+8	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,Major Donor	Adult Pulmonary Medicine		12
10346963	Marc Arden Pude,PHF	Insurance Non-Life	Kim	2
6377179	Darwin B. Ravelo,PHF+7	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
10999096	Mervin Jay Z. Suaybaguio	Government Information Services		New
5912917	Jose Alvic P. Suaybaguio,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-Club #11175  
 Rotaarct Club of Tagum North-Palm City Chapter September 19, 2012-Club #90381  
 Interact Club of Tagum North-UM High School-Club # 70360  
 Interact Club of Tagum North-UM Senior High School-Club # 218794  
 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

# 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

The mission of Rotary International is to provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through its fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.

## Diversity and Rotary

Rotary International recognizes the value of diversity within individual clubs. Rotary encourages clubs to assess those in their communities who are eligible for membership, under existing membership guidelines, and to endeavor to include the appropriate range of individuals in their clubs. A club that reflects its community's diversity with regard to professional and business classifications, gender, age, religion, and ethnicity is a club with the key ingredients to its successful future.



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### AUGUST

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