



# BloomScoop

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Rotary  Invocation



Lord bless this gathering of fellow Rotarians today.

Please help us to see those in need and give us the strength and wisdom to serve our community as we should.

Help us to lift the burdens of others while we maintain the dignity of humankind.

Soften our hearts to be sensitive and loving as we serve together as Rotarians.

Amen.

(Rtn Micki Kaye, RI District 6980)



## Fourth Regular Meeting

### PROGRAMME

**Call to Order** Pres Tess Yñiguez

**Invocation & National Anthem** A V P

**Introduction of visiting Rotarians and Guests**

**MOODSETTER:** Marquise Cut Hosts

**Secretary's Time** PP Baby Vilela

**Sisterhood Agreement Signing between RC Commonwealth D-3780 and RC Waling-Waling Davao D-3860**

**Short Message** Pres Nicolae Gonzalez RC Commonwealth

**President's Time and Adjournment** Pres Tess Yñiguez

## MESSAGE

**Gary C.K. Huang**  
Trustee Chair 2019-20



### July 2019

*I am so excited to have this opportunity to communicate with you every month in my new role as chair of The Rotary Foundation Trustees.*

*When I look at the amazing work that the Foundation has ahead of it this year, I'm astonished.*

*We are making such an enormous, lasting impact on the world. In the near future, polio will be wiped off the face of the earth — **all because of you.***

*I see my role as chair much like the position I played on my high school basketball team. I was the point guard.*

*It was my job to bring the ball up court and make sure my teammates received the ball when they were open. Nothing made me happier than to see them make shots.*

*We didn't have the high-five back when I played, but I would have loved to give out high-fives for every basket. Now I'm eager to give them to you.*

*Think about it:*

*There is so much you can do to give a high-five to the Foundation. I started out by getting all five members of the Huang family in Rotary — my wife, three children, and myself — and keeping us donating year after year to the Foundation.*

*Now, let's see how many high-fives all of us can give in the next year. Whether you write five more checks, hold five more fundraisers, find five new donors, or simply give five more dollars, every high-five counts.*

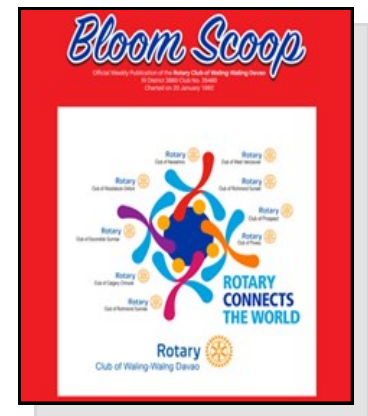
*This year, I am going to fill my Social media accounts with all the Rotary Foundation high-fives I give around the world and tell the stories of the generous people who are bringing us closer to our goals.*

*Join me on Facebook (@garyckhuang) and share your stories. And feel free to give your own high-fives.*

*Let's reach our goals and keep going.*

*Clubs have great projects — they are counting on us. And the children of the world are counting on us.*

*Right now — you're open!*



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PP Zony  
shares .....

*do  
something  
today  
that your  
future self  
will thank  
you for.*



# PresScoop



**TERESITA P. YñIGUEZ**  
Club President

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Last Thursday's meeting was made lively with the production number prepared by the Marquise Cut group, dressed in all white, led by team leader Dir Luna Gaviola. The other host groups are now surely intimidated, what with the surprises the Marquises have been giving these last 3 weeks. Good job ladies for making our meetings fun.

Much appreciation and thanks also to Honorary Member PP Nonoy Aquino for the lechon.

After the regular meeting, the Board of Directors including some members and Past Presidents held the first Board of Directors' meeting. The agenda was the Plans and Programs for RY 2019-20. Thank you PP Nen Santos for helping the club's Plans & Programs less difficult for each director.

In celebration of the National Disability Prevention & Rehabilitation Week, RCWWD in partnership with Davao City Water District supported and participated in the Sayawitan 2019 (modern and folk dance competition) wherein 2 members PP Marivic Jimenez & PP Jannette Valderosa sat as judges in the competition.

**Thank you** PP Malou Jacinto for making it possible for DCWD to donate snacks and drinks to 1,000 children with special needs & their parents.

Today, let us all welcome our distinguished guests, President Nicolae Steven Londres Gonzalez and Secretary Orlydon Bautista of the Rotary Club of Commonwealth as we renew our Sisterhood Agreement with them.

May this partnership bring about Goodwill and Better Friendships and be Beneficial to both our clubs especially as we work on the different projects and activities where we can mutually be of help to one another.

We also welcome the presence of Area 2B Assistant Governor Boy Batohanon ... thank you for taking the time to be with us today.

Next Thursday, there will be no meeting here at the Grand Men Seng Hotel, instead our club, with the participation of the Department of Health, Southern Phil. Medical Center and Davao City Health Office will conduct a whole day Medical and Dental Mission under the Health Project of the Rotary Foundation Global Grant No. 1640035 at Barangay Tibungco, Davao City.

This activity will benefit about 594 children of our RCWWD Day Care Center and the neighboring Patrocinio Deles Day Care, as well as Pichon Elementary School.

I encourage everyone to please be around to be counted!

Let us all give a part of ourselves by sharing our individual skills talents and resources.

Hope to see you all there inspiring beautiful ladies as together we all discover the joys of community service



### 3rd Regular Meeting -

Marquise Cut hosts came in all white ....

et voilà ♥



thank you Rtn Maribel Chua for your contribution to TRF (new PHF)

Also given TRF pins during our 29th Induction were:

- |                     |         |
|---------------------|---------|
| PP Fe Boiser        | PHF + 5 |
| PP Malou Jacinto    | PHF + 3 |
| Dir Luna Gaviola    | PHF + 2 |
| Rtn Elsa Villagomez | new PHF |



### First BOD Meeting - July 18

Thank you PP Nen for your support in putting together the Plans and Programs

**PP Maribel T. Vilela**  
 Club Secretary  
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## what's up?

### Happy Birthday:

Dir Jo Liamzon	5 July
Elisa Lapiña	
Vanessa Madayag	
Dir Ces Diaz	6 July
PP Malou Jacinto	27 July
PP Zony Reyes	31 July

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Honorary Member PP Nonoy & Linda Aquino  
 14 July

**13 July:** 29th Installation & Turnover Ceremonies  
 Men Seng Hotel

**NDPR Week : 14 - 19 July**  
**19 July** - Sayawitan SM Activity Center  
 Ecoland

### 30 July:

- **10 AM: Sharing of love from July celebrants**  
 visit to the Missionaries of Charity  
 Home for the Aged & Destitute
- Nutrition Month Celebration @ RCWWD Day  
 Care Center Tibungco

### 1 August:

Medical/Dental Activities @ RCWWD Day  
 Care Center in Tibungco Relocation  
 Area (whole day from 8AM)

### 12 August

District Bloodletting Activity @ MDMRC

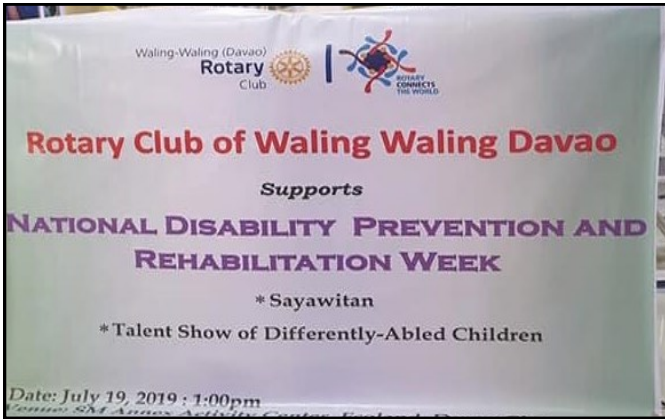
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	<b>Membership Base 40 Rule 85 - 7 No of members for attendance computation -</b>	<b>Present / Make up</b>	<b>Average Attendance</b>
<b>4 July</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>21 + 1</b>	<b>67%</b>
<b>13 July</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>88%</b>
<b>18 July</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>19 + 7</b>	<b>79%</b>
<b>25 July</b>	<b>33</b>		



# the HEELS are alive!

a look into RCWWD's activities week 3...

Grace under pressure !!!



Sayawitan judges PPs Marivic & Jaja





## ABOUT ROTARY E-CLUBS



### What is the purpose of a Rotary e-club?

*To extend Rotary business, professional & community leaders in any Rotary district who are unable to meet traditional attendance requirements*

*Inability to attend traditional Rotary club meetings could be the result of demanding business or professional commitments, extensive travel, confinement due to ill health or disability or residence beyond reasonable distance from any existing Rotary club.*

A **pure Rotary e-club** conducts 100% of its Rotary business on the Internet.

Typically, members have one face-to-face dinner meeting per year, usually at the RI Convention. Members are likely to come from a wide geographic area which may be global. Rotary service is undertaken in the community where a member lives, or groups of members collaborate and work together as teams on service projects in needy communities where no member resides.

**Rotary E-Club One** is a good example of a pure Rotary e-club.

A **hybrid Rotary e-club** conducts most of its Rotary business on the Internet, but meets face-to-face once a month for a dinner meeting. A hybrid Rotary e-club is a good option when all the members live within a relatively compact geographic area that enables them to travel to the monthly face-to-face meeting. Rotary service projects are undertaken within the geographic area and beyond.

**Rotary E-Club of 3310 Singapore** is a good example of a hybrid Rotary e-club.

### What is the Rotary International naming policy for Rotary e-clubs?

The Board of Directors of RI has mandated that the generic name is Rotary e-clubs.

This requires "**e-club**" to be in lower case letters with a hyphen included as shown.

The word "Rotary" must always precede the word "e-club". When referring to the name of a specific Rotary e-club, as named upon its charter document, the letter e must become upper case, for example Rotary E-Club of District 3310.

There has been some confusion about this RI naming protocol because it is inconsistent with the international standard which is *eTrade, eHealth, eBanking, eSecurity, eCommerce, eClub* etc with no hyphen separating the e.

### What is the URL naming protocol for a Rotary e-club?

The typical method is [www.rotaryclubxxxx.org](http://www.rotaryclubxxxx.org) the xxxx being the Rotary District number, or the geographic location of the Rotary e-club. Here are two examples:

<http://www.rotaryclub3310.org> • <http://www.rotaryclublatinoamerica.org>

### Can a Rotary e-club admit a new member from a country where Rotary does not exist?

No it cannot. Rotary International expressly forbids membership of any person domiciled in any country where Rotary does not exist.

### Why does a typical Rotary e-club have a public website for visitors and make-up attendance, and a separate members' clubhouse that is closed to visitors?

Internet security is of paramount importance. We must protect our members and their immediate families from identity theft and other fraudulent activity that could threaten their privacy, their security, or their personal safety.

Personal details of each member, and a member's immediate family, are stored in the Clubhouse which also contains the club's Board minutes, financial reports, service project administration, and discussion forums for every member to access and read. Information is stored in a secure database protected by AES 256-bit encryption security.

**IMPORTANT NOTE** - Information security, in the context of Rotary e-club administration, must be given top priority. Many countries have stringent privacy laws in relation to the collection, use, disclosure, security and access to personal information.

### For how long must a visiting Rotarian log-in to a web-based Rotary e-club to qualify for a make-up credit?

You must visit the website of the Rotary e-club for a minimum of 30 minutes.

Please note that this is 30+ continuous minutes.

You cannot claim a make-up credit if you have 6 x 5 minute visits in a week.

Many visiting Rotarians stay longer than the minimum 30 minutes because website content is very interesting and informative.



## “Friends of Rotary”

(first discussed 5 July 2018 with  
The Rotary Club Waling Waling Davao Officers  
and Board of Directors And The General Assembly)



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**Friends of Rotary** There is a need to create better awareness of Rotary and to bring more people into RCWWD to participate in Club projects and activities. In line with this, the guidelines for **Friends of Rotary** classification is hereby proposed:

- A potential “Friend of Rotary” can be nominated by an RCWWD member and go through the following process:
  - Accomplish a “Friend of Rotary” form and a nomination form by the RCWWD club member.
  - Routing of curriculum vitae and approval as Friend of Rotary by club membership.
- Friends of Rotary may include but not limit to
  - Past club members
  - Individuals with past Rotary experience such as RYLA students, GSE team members, past Rotaractors
  - Friends of club members who wish to participate in club programs and activities without the commitment of membership to the club
  - Family of Rotary
- Once approved and recognized by RCWWD, a Friend of Rotary shall pay annual dues of PHP 5,000 and meal assessments upon attendance.

### Guidelines

- A Friend of Rotary may attend Club meetings, projects and fellowship activities. Contributions to such activities by a Friend of Rotary must be consistent with the Four Way test and spirit of service above self.
- He/She may receive a Club bulletin
- A Friend of Rotary is not a member of Rotary. He/she is not allowed to vote or hold any position in the Club
- He/She may be identified by a “Friend of Rotary” badge but is not allowed to wear any insignia with the Rotary Wheel or brand.
- A Friend of Rotary may become a member of RCWWD and undergo the process of regular members
- An RCWWD member who chooses to be a Friend of Rotary must resign from the Club first.
- A Friend of Rotary status is subject to annual review and renewal.

Subject for review and approval by the General Membership

### References:

<http://rotarydistrict9800.org.au/images/D9800%20Friends%20of%20Rotary%20Guidelines.pdf>

<https://greenbayrotary.org/membership-rgb/guidelines-for-friends-of-rotary-status-rgb>

<http://www.cshrotary.org/friends-of-rotary.php>

<https://my.rotary.org/en/document/bylaws-rotary-international>





**Holger Knaack selected to be 2020-21 Rotary International president**

Holger Knaack, a member of the Rotary Club of Herzogtum Lauenburg-Mölln, Germany, has been selected to serve as president of Rotary International in 2020-21.



The Nominating Committee's decision follows the resignation last month of President-nominee Sushil Gupta due to health reasons. .

To build a stronger membership, Knaack says Rotary must focus on increasing the number of female members and transitioning Rotaractors into Rotarians.

Knaack believes that the People of Action campaign offers new public awareness possibilities for Rotary. *"This campaign conveys our global image while still respecting differences in regions and cultures,"* he says.

A Rotary member since 1992, Knaack has served Rotary as treasurer, director, moderator, member and chair of several committees, representative for the Council on Legislation, zone coordinator, training leader, and district governor.

He is an endowment/major gifts adviser and co-chair of the Host Organization Committee for the 2019 Rotary International Convention in Hamburg.

Knaack is the CEO of Knaack KG, a real estate company. He was previously a partner and general manager of Knaack Enterprises, a 125-year-old family business.

He is a founding member of the Civic Foundation of the City of Ratzeburg and served as president of the Golf-Club Gut Grambek.

Knaack is also the founder and chair of the Karl Adam Foundation.

Knaack and his wife, Susanne, are Major Donors to The Rotary Foundation and members of the Bequest Society.



**EDITOR'S NOTE**

To all my RCWWD sistahs ..



**RECIPE FOR FRIENDSHIP**

Fold two hands together and express a dash of sorrow;

Marinate it overnight and work on it tomorrow.

Chop one grudge in tiny pieces, add several cups of love;

Dredge with a large size smile and mix with the ingredients above.

Dissolve the hate within you by doing a good deed;

Cut in and help your friend if s/he should be in need.

Stir in laughter, love and kindness - from the heart it has to come;

Toss with genuine forgiveness and give your neighbors some.

The amount of people served will depend on you.

It can serve the whole wide world if you really want to.

.... Author unknown





## Laughing Out Loud

### FIFTY BUCKS:

Bill and his wife Blanche go to the state fair every year. And every year Bill would say, "Blanche, I'd like to ride in that helicopter"

Blanche always replied, "I know Bill, but that helicopter ride is fifty bucks, And fifty bucks is fifty bucks!"

One year Bill and Blanche went to the fair, and Bill said, "Blanche, I'm 85 years old. If I don't ride that helicopter, I might never get another chance."

To this, Blanche replied, "Bill that helicopter ride is fifty bucks, and fifty bucks is fifty bucks."

The pilot overheard the couple and said, "Folks I'll make you a deal. I'll take the both of you for a ride. if you can stay quiet for the entire ride and don't say a word I won't charge you a penny! But if you say one word it's fifty dollars."

Bill and Blanche agreed and up they went.

The pilot did all kinds of fancy maneuvers, but not a word was heard. He did his daredevil tricks over and over again, But still not a word... When they landed, the pilot turned to Bill and said, "By golly, I did everything I could to get you to yell out, but you didn't. I'm impressed!"

Bill replied, "Well, to tell you the truth I almost said something when Blanche fell out, But you know, Fifty bucks is fifty bucks!"

(anonymous)

I spent half an hour trying to talk with them, wanting to learn about their culture

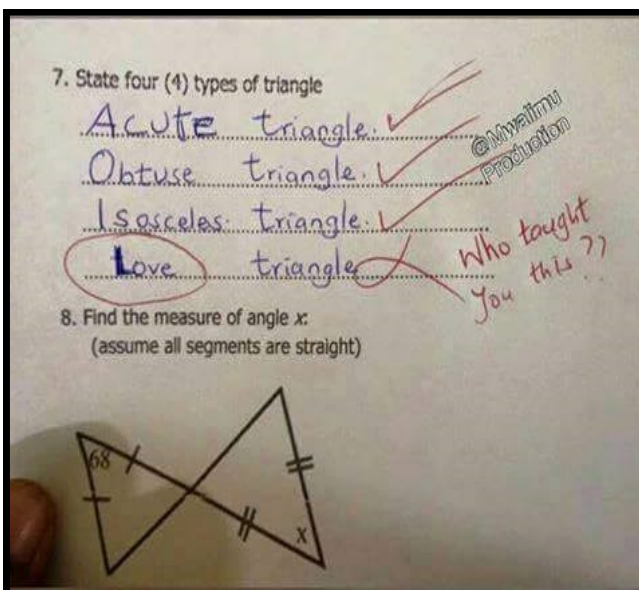


until the bartender cut me off and told me they were patio umbrellas.

### SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS!

The following questions are genuine answers (from 16/17 year olds)

- Q. Name the four seasons  
A. Salt, pepper, mustard and vinegar
  - Q. How is dew formed?  
A. The sun shines down on the leaves and makes them perspire
  - Q. What happens to a boy when he reaches puberty?  
A. He says goodbye to his boyhood and looks forward to his adultery
  - Q. Name a major disease associated with cigarettes.  
A. Premature death
  - Q. How can you delay milk turning sour ?  
A. Keep it in the cow
  - Q. What is the most common form of birth control?  
A. Most people prevent contraception by wearing a condominium
  - Q. Give the meaning of the term 'Caesarean section'  
A. The caesarean section is a district in Rome
  - Q. What is a terminal illness?  
A. When you are sick at the airport.
  - Q. What does the word 'benign' mean?  
A. Benign is what you will be after you be eight
  - Q. What is a turbine?  
A. Something an Arab or Shreik wears on his head
- (anonymous)



**THE ROTARY FOUNDATION**  
**RCWW D CLUB RECOGNITION SUMMARY (CRS)**  
**AS OF JULY 2019**  
**TOTAL ALL TIME GIVING: USD 114,337.-**



**ACTIVE MEMBERS**

**MULTIPLE PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS**

		FRP *
Lorna Llamas	USD 7,631.50	500
Remie Calaguas	USD 6,035.50	100
Divina Fe Boiser	USD 6,000.04	300
Estela Maribel Vilela	USD 5,503.63	2000
Ma. Luisa Jacinto	USD 4,037.77	560
Vangi Schwendener	USD 3,635.50	
Leonida Santos	USD 3,532.27	400
Armi Geralyn Espiritu	USD 3,335.50	
Marivic Jimenez	USD 3,210	100
Mae Dolendo	USD 3,088	300
Ma. Luisa Aportadera	USD 3,080	400
Ma. Corazon Reyes	USD 3,075	100
Teresita Yñiguez	USD 3,034.54	300
Gina Marie Espejo	USD 3,030	300
Luna Gaviola	USD 3,030	500
Elisa Lapiña	USD 2,755	1200
Vegloure Maguinsay	USD 2,630	100
Marilou Baarde	USD 2,330	900
Belinda Fernandez	USD 2,160.50	400
Corazon Cuison	USD 2,155	300
Lisa Ponce Enrile	USD 2,140.50	100
Maribel Chua	USD 2,035.54	500
Jannette Valderosa	USD 2,030	300
Elsa Villagomez	USD 2,030	300
MYRIAM TAN	USD 1,686.44	1100

**PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS**

Letty Tai	USD 1,683.58	600
Teresita Fitzback	USD 1,630	400
Evelyn Ong	USD 1,435.50	500
Cecille Diaz	USD 1,359.08	300
Josephine Liamzon	USD 1,300	300
Vanessa Madayag	USD 1,260.50	200
Fely Mahani	USD 1,255.04	300
Sylvia Austria	USD 1,230	500
Elsie Libron	USD 1,166.50	100
Cheryl Gomez	USD 1,107.04	100

**SUSTAINING MEMBERS:**

EMMANOELLE ZHANG	USD 555
MARYDICT T. ROSALES	USD 130
BAI JOHANNA ZAINAL	USD 135.50

**HONORARY MEMBERS**

PP Nonoy Aquino	Major Donor +	250
Efren Abratique	USD 2600	1200
Atty Antonio Llamas	USD 2000	100
Dr. Francisco Vilela	USD 1000	100
Mario Luis Jacinto	USD 602.27	

**RCWW D FAMILY OF ROTARY**

Miggy Yap Aquino	USD 1200	
Bernadeth Abratique	USD 1100	100
Jorge Calaguas	USD 1000	
Bonifacio Fernandez	USD 500	
Guilbert Amaguin	USD 300	
Raul Yñiguez	USD 300	
Evelio Boiser	USD 200	
Espiridion Reyes	USD 200	
Edgardo Espiritu	USD 100	

\*FRP - Foundation Recognition Points available for transfer

**Rotary Club of Waling-Waling Davao**

**Club No. 28480 / District 3860**

*This is to certify that Rtn*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*attended the meeting on*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Thursday, 12:30PM at the*  
*Grand Men Seng Hotel*

\_\_\_\_\_  
**CLUB SECRETARY**

**MONTHLY SPECIAL OBSERVANCES IN ROTARY**

<b>August</b>	<b>Membership &amp; Extension Month</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>Peace &amp; Conflict Prevention/ Resolution</b>
<b>September</b>	<b>Basic Education &amp; Literacy Month</b>	<b>March</b>	<b>Water &amp; Sanitation Month</b>
<b>October</b>	<b>Economic &amp; Community Development</b>	<b>April</b>	<b>Maternal &amp; Child Care Month</b>
<b>November</b>	<b>The Rotary Foundation Month</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>Youth Service Month</b>
<b>December</b>	<b>Disease Prevention &amp; Treatment</b>	<b>June</b>	<b>Rotary Fellowships Month</b>
<b>January</b>	<b>Vocational Service Month</b>		

## Monthly Diamond Cut



**MARQUISE** (July, October, January, April)

Baby Vilela	Elsa Villagomez
Maem Zhang	Mae Dolendo
Luna Gaviola <b>*TL</b>	Melot Baarde
Fe Boiser	Myriam Tan
Joy Batao	Lisa Ponce Enrile
Letty Tai	Elisa Lapiña
Jo Liamzon	Corie Cuison



**VICTORIAN** (August, Nov. February May)

Malou Jacinto	Tess Yñiguez
Sylvia Austria	Remie Calaguas
Veg Maguinsay	Vanessa Madayag
Vangi Schwendener	Bai Zainal
Happy Rosales	Che Gomez <b>*TL</b>
Maribel Chua	Ces Diaz
Gina Espejo	



**RADIANT** (Sept. October, March, June)

Luchie Aportadera	Marivic Jimenez <b>*TL</b>
Nen Santos	Feli Mahani
Lorna Llamas	Teri Fitzback
Evelyn Ong	Jannette Valderosa
Belinda Fernandez	Cesca del Castillo
Zony Reyes	Elsie Libron
Gigi Espiritu	

**\*TL : Team Leader**

**please be guided accordingly**

## WHEN & WHERE TO DO MAKE-UP

DAY	TIME	CLUB / VENUE
Monday	18.30	RC Central Davao, Grand Men Seng Hotel
Tuesday	12.15	RC East Davao, The Marco Polo Hotel
Wednesday	12.15 12.15 18.30 18.30 19.00 19.00	RC Downtown Davao, Grand Men Seng Hotel RC South Davao, The Marco Polo Hotel RC Matina Davao, Apo Golf Club RC Davao 2000, Roadway Inn RC Sta. Ana Davao, Grand Men Seng Hotel RC Pag-Asa Davao, Lispher Inn (every 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month) RC Calinan JM Bargamento Hitoan RC Digos A & B Hotel
Thursday	12.15 12.30 18.30	RC Davao, RC Davao Club House RC Waling-Waling Davao, Grand Men Seng RC West Davao The Marco Polo Hotel
Friday	18.30	RC North Davao, RCND Clubhouse
Saturday	19.00 19.30	RC Digos South Pearl Convention Center RC Toril Davao, RCTD Club House
Sunday	12.00	RC Bansalan, Gem's Place

## BLOOM SCOOP

(COVER LAY-OUT: PP NEN SANTOS)

Editor : PP Vangi Schwendener

Weekly Column; Pres Tess Yñiguez and PP Baby Vilela / this week: PP Mae Dolendo . PP Zony Reyes

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