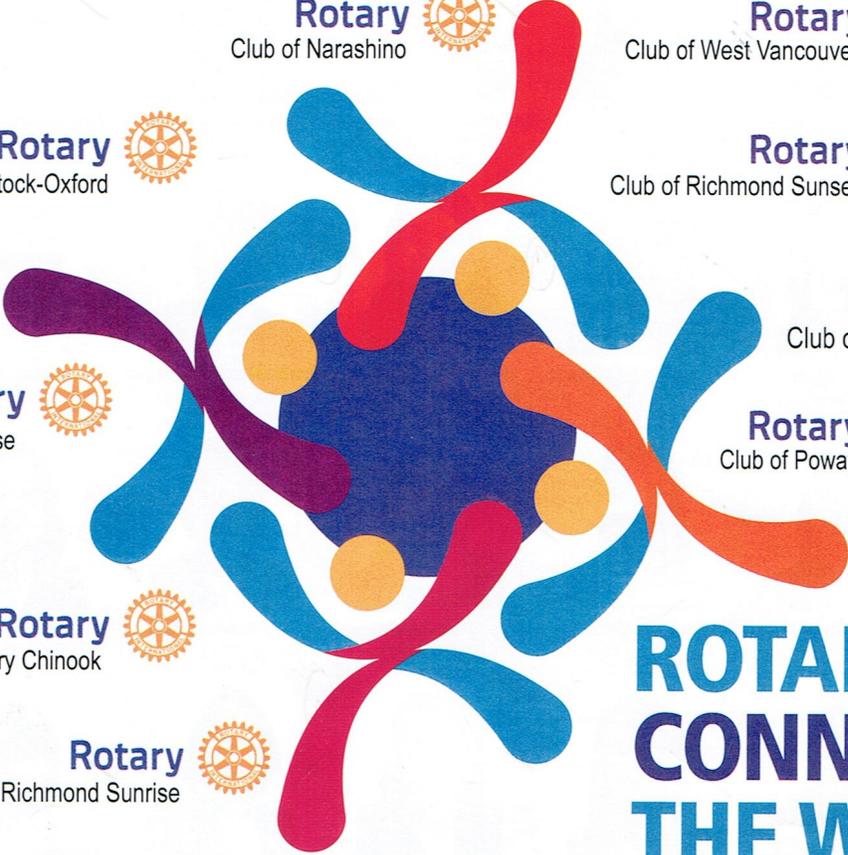


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## Prayer for Kindness

May we be ...

Generous in prosperity, and thankful in adversity;  
fair in judgment, and guarded in speech;

a lamp unto those who walk in darkness and a  
home to the stranger;

eyes to the blind, and a guiding light unto the  
feet of the erring;

a breath of life to the body of humankind,  
a dew to the soil of the human heart, and  
a fruit upon the tree of humility.

AMEN

<http://www.beliefnet.com/prayeroftheday>



RCWWD turned over paddle boats to Leyte fisher folks affected by typhoon Yolanda RY 2017-17

## 13th Meeting First General Assembly

**Call to Order** Pres Tess Yñiguez

**Turnover of proceedings  
to Programme Host**

**Invocation &  
National Anthem** A V P

**Introduction of  
visiting Rotarians  
and Guests**

**MOODSETTER:** Marquise Cut Hosts

**Presentation Of Plans & Programs for RY 2019-20  
& Approval of Annual Budget**

**Secretary's Time** PP Baby Vilela

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

**OCTOBER is Economic & Community  
Development Month**

## Editor's Note

Through my years as a Rotarian, I have learned that “dole-outs” hardly have an impact on the disadvantaged people, but teaching them “how to fish” instead of “giving them fish” is a better alternative to make a significant difference in their lives. (ADAP page 9)

It actually is up to the people we help, how they can make use of what we offer them through our support, guidance, and assistance – things, I think we are good at in our club.

During my term as President, when every club was excited and tense over the upcoming InterRotary Bowling Tournament, I was asked if we already have our club bowling uniform or have we been practicing yet?

My negative response solicited an unbelievable HUH ???

Well, we have this Rotary culture in our club that we exercise more heart and less of muscles regardless of what kind of Rotary affair it is.

For us, what matters is who we really are and what we can do and be for others or for someone and any activity beyond that is just that – an activity and not a competition. #ENJOY

Come to think of it, some of us who were invited and eventually became members of RCWWD have, in a totally weird twist of fate, the same outlook on commitment to Rotary as the charter members have. Maybe that's why we have this cohesiveness in our club.

All for one,,,One for all ♥

Rotary is not an obligation, but a commitment.

Valuing the differences between the two will help us understand that when we help people, we do it because we want to and not because we are compelled to.

People who help people are the luckiest people in the world.

OUR STRENGTH  
IS IN OUR HISTORY



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just saying...



no matter what... NEVER GIVE UP



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## PresScoop

The events that transpired last week were both sad and happy.

Sad because we mourned the death of Dr. Evelio Boiser who was the husband of our beloved member PP Fe Boiser and the father of Rotary daughter Tara Boiser-Aretaño.

*"Everytime someone in your life dies, you realize you are not invincible and you have to wonder if we're celebrating life of if we're mourning a death"*  
Emily Bett Rickards

Happy because we welcomed the arrival from the United States of America of a dear friend, Charter member Corrie Cuison. Thank you my beautiful friend for finding time to be with us even for a short visit.

Witnessing these two contrasting moments, I am reminded of an anonymous quote which states *"we think there is endless time to live, but we never know which moment is last. So we share, care, love and celebrate every moment of life."*

Last Saturday, September 28, we had a fun filled day joining in the celebration of RCC-ADAP 15th Founding Anniversary with the theme "Kahiusa Ipadayon Para sa Kalamboan"

Indeed our RCC-ADAP has gone a long way in its pursuit of a better life for its members and is a testament that if everyone is united in purpose and works together towards a common vision, great things can be accomplished.

Congratulations RCC-ADAP for being self-sustaining, proving to one and all that life's handicaps are not obstacles to becoming productive members of our society.

Thank you for the warm welcome and for the hospitality that you have shown,

Thank you also to the members you came with me to participate in this activity.



*tyñiguez*



## October 2019

*Rotary's long-term, sustained battle against polio has defined our organization for decades. We have a right to be proud of all that we have accomplished through the years. Our progress is real and noteworthy. In 1988, polio was endemic in 125 countries, with more than 350,000 new cases a year worldwide.*

*Since then, Rotary and our Global Polio Eradication Initiative partners have reduced the incidence of polio by more than 99.9 % vaccinated more than 2.5 billion children against the virus, and prevented 18 million cases of paralysis. Over the years, Rotary has helped country after country move into the polio-free column.*

*This includes India, which some considered impossible not long ago. Of the three types of poliovirus, type 2 has been eradicated and type 3 could soon be certified as eradicated. Nigeria has not reported a case of wild poliovirus in nearly three years. If this trend holds, we will be down to just one type of wild poliovirus in only one section of the world, Afghanistan and Pakistan.*

*There are major challenges in that region. But it is crucial that we remain optimistic. Look at all that we have accomplished so far. This is no time to get discouraged or to think that the task is impossible. We will end polio forever, but only if we remain steadfast and vigilant.*

*World Polio Day is a time for Rotarians from all over the globe to come together, recognize the progress we have made in our fight against polio, and plan the action we must take to end polio forever. The key word is action, because we still have important work to do.*

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

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

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

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

*Let us finish the job.*

**RI President Mark Mahoney**  
RY 2019 - 2020



## Trustee chair's message

### October 2019



Friends, World Polio Day is this month and we are facing a major challenge.

The news out of Afghanistan and Pakistan tells us that we have more work to do. It tells us that polio will not die out quickly or easily.

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

We are fortunate to have great friends in the Global Polio Eradication Initiative — including the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, which continues to match every donation 2-to-1.

We have already eradicated wild poliovirus type 2, and type 3 could soon be wiped out. India is polio-free. All of Africa may soon be polio-free.

The most important factor in ending polio forever is you. The people of Afghanistan and Pakistan have faced so much hardship in recent years. Polio is just one more challenge. To them, it could all feel overwhelming.

But not to Rotarians.

We do not feel overwhelmed.

We feel challenged, and, as people of action, we rise to challenges.

In the words of Confucius: *"If one is virtuous, one will not be left to stand alone. It is certain that associates of like mind will come and join with one."*

In Rotary, we understand these words very well. When we say "**Service Above Self**," we take a stand for this virtue. We know that our like-minded brothers and sisters around the world will join us. We have been drawn together by our need to do good in the world.

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

Be a part of history!

Help us overcome the final hardship, the final challenge.

Make your donation at [endpolio.org/donate](http://endpolio.org/donate).



Doing Good In The World

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TRF Trustee Chair  
2019-20



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<b>ATTENDANCE</b>	
<b>26 Septemeber</b>	
Present	16
Make up	11
AVERAGE	84%
<b>03 October</b>	
Present	
Make up	
AVERAGE	
<b>10 October</b>	
Present	
Make up	
AVERAGE	
<b>17 October</b>	
Present	
Make up	
AVERAGE	
<b>Membership Base</b>	40
<b>Rule 85 on Maternity Leave</b>	7
<b>No. of members for attendance computation</b>	1
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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

October 2 Tess Yniguez  
October 11 Gigi Espiritu  
October 14 Lorna Llamas

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

October 16 Lisa & Ponchit Ponce Enrile

**MEMBERSHIP MILESTONE**

October 4, 2001 Jo Liamzon & Belinda Fernandez  
October 1, 2004 Mae Dolendo  
October 1, 2005 Ces Diaz  
October 18, 2007 Jannette Valderosa  
October 24, 2013 Elsa Villagomez

**Rotary Bowling Tournament:** per club: Php 7,000.-  
October 13 - Opening Free lunch for 10 pax  
Oct 20 & 27 - Finals with snacks for 10 pax

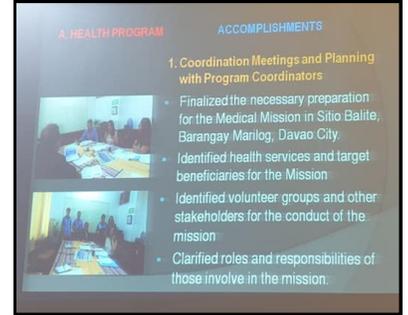
**Pink October (co- coordinator) Php 3,500 per club**

**October 14** - Attire New End Polio Shirt  
7AM Flag Ceremony @ City Hall & motorcade  
10Am proceed to SM Lanang for Patak Polio  
1PM Breast Cancer Health Forum @ Abreeza Mall with free breast screening  
6PM Zumba (contest: Best Pink Zumba attire)

**October 26** (Saturday) Rotaract MKD Orientation & Induction of Officers and members 8AM

## 12th Regular Meeting

### Global Grant Partner IPHC gives the club update on the project (IPHC Jean Santos for Literacy & Kits Birondo for Health)



the usual after meeting pa-Raffle to raise funds

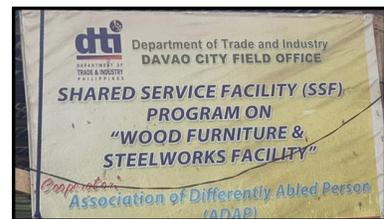
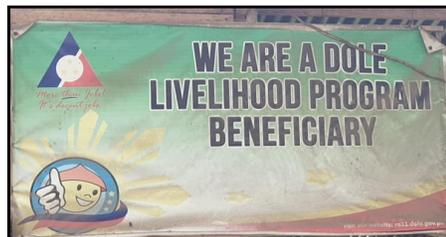


Board of Directors' Meeting

## RCC ADAP Village 15th Founding Anniversary



**Rotary Community Corps of the Association of Differently Abled Persons (ADAP) Village. In Cabantian :** Organized RY 2008-2009 Located in KM 14 Barangay Indangan, Buhangin District, Davao City the housing project known as ADAP Village, has 40 houses built by Habitat for Humanity Foundation as assistance to persons with disabilities who cannot afford a house of their own. The RCWWD sponsored trainings in cosmetology, haircutting and hairstyling have provided some trainees with opportunities to open their own business (Hair and Beauty Salon) and doing home service in the neighbouring subdivisions. Presently, RCC ADAP Village is now one of the Dept. of Education's partners in building desks and tables for public schools in Davao and Region XI



RCC ADAP's partners for Economic & Community Development



**Rotary supports investments in people to create measurable and enduring economic improvement in their lives and communities.**

Unemployment, underemployment, lack of economic opportunity, lack of appropriate training, and the absence of social safety nets lie at the core of poverty. For the poor, labor is often the only asset available to improve well-being.

Creating productive employment opportunities is essential for reducing poverty and achieving sustainable economic and social development, and for providing income security and empowerment especially for women, people with disabilities, youth, and the extremely poor.

Like education and health strategies, generating income and creating opportunities for a productive workforce and entrepreneurship are essential for reducing poverty.

Tremendous progress has been made to reduce global poverty. According to the World Bank, 1.92 million people lived on less than \$1.25 a day in 1990 compared to only 1 million in 2011. In 2015, several Millennium Development Goal targets were met.

While substantial progress was made in many areas, pressing global needs still remain

Rotary clubs all over the world work with communities to enhance economic and community development.

Every community has different needs and different opportunities to serve.

Avoid going into a community with ideas of what's needed. It's easy to look around and decide what you think a community needs, especially if you live in it or near it. Instead, listen to a variety of community members and hear their community's strengths, needs, and concerns directly. You want to identify activities that respond to felt needs and generate a high level of enthusiasm from community members so that participation and ownership is ensured.

**The Rotary Foundation** enables Rotarians to invest in people by creating sustainable, measurable and long term economic improvements in their communities and livelihoods by :

- Building the capacity of entrepreneurs, community leaders, local organizations, and community networks to support economic development in impoverished communities;
- Developing opportunities for productive work;
- Supporting studies for career-minded professionals related to economic and community development



### Adopt a village

Rotary members use a multifaceted and coordinated strategy to break the cycle of poverty in extremely impoverished communities.



### Microloans

Entrepreneurs use microloans to become street vendors, rickshaw drivers, weavers, and tailors.



### Agricultural opportunities

Entrepreneurs in rural communities can borrow money to buy livestock or plant crops, or get training in sustainable farming.



**RCWWD sincerely condoles with Past President Fe Boiser and her family on the demise of her beloved spouse Dr. Evelio Boiser**



### ROTAFACT ([www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org))

In 1985, Rotary launched the PolioPlus program to protect children worldwide from the cruel and fatal consequences of polio.



In 1988, the World Health Assembly challenged the world to eradicate polio. Since that time, Rotary's efforts and those of partner agencies, including the World Health Organization, the United Nations Children's Fund, the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and governments around the world, have achieved a 99 percent reduction in the number of polio cases worldwide.

### Virus Cornered

- Today, polio exists in the smallest geographic area in history. The world has not experienced any outbreaks of wild poliovirus outside the three polio-endemic countries – Afghanistan, Pakistan and Nigeria – since August 2014.
- In 1988, there were 350,000 annual cases of wild polio virus from 125 countries. In 2017, there were 22 wild poliovirus cases reported in only two countries - Pakistan and Afghanistan. Nigeria has not seen a case since 2016.
- Only one of the three wild poliovirus strains appears to survive. Wild Poliovirus Type 2 (WPV2) was certified eradicated in 2015, and there has not been a case of Wild Poliovirus Type 3 (WPV3) detected since 2012.

### Protecting Gains

- If we don't end polio now, we could see a resurgence of up to 200,000 cases annually within a decade. The world could also risk losing the US\$50 billion in estimated savings that eradication would generate over the next 20 years
- To protect global progress, the programme vaccinates more than 400 million children across 60 countries every year, and conducts disease surveillance in more than 70 countries. Since 2001, there have been wild polio outbreaks in 41 countries that were previously polio-free. While each outbreak has been stopped, each one is a reminder that as long as polio exists, every country—and every child—is at risk.
- Through its surveillance, the programme investigates more than 100,000 suspected cases of polio each year using a community reporting network. It has also expanded environmental sewage testing to help vaccination campaigns target areas where the virus is circulating even before any child shows symptoms of polio



## This&That

### 7 reasons to embrace getting older



#### Reason to embrace getting older 1: You're all kitted out

The further we advance into old age, the more we seem to have acquired useful possessions that most people may never have even thought of. Collecting paraphernalia over the years is fantastic because it means we can do pretty much anything without having to hit the shops first to buy special items. Vintage fashion is back in? Perfect – we kitted our wardrobe out for this trend back in the 1950s. You need a melon baller? No probs – there's one in the cutlery drawer. It's so handy!

#### Reason to embrace getting older 2: Less spots and more laughter lines

As we get older our skin tends to get drier, which means less chance of spots (hooray!). This is great news as we no longer have to worry about the dermalogical impact of eating a greasy pizza when we need a little pick-me-up. We may have wrinkles instead of spots, but we don't call them wrinkles; we call them "laughter lines". Laughter lines are great because they remind us of all the times we've laughed until our ribs hurt – funny memories are one thing that plastic surgery and fillers won't give us.

#### Reason to embrace getting older 3: You're one wise owl

Grandma was right all along – it has been scientifically proven that older really does mean wiser. Researchers from the University of California scanned the brains of 3000 Californians aged between 60 and 100, and found that older people – despite having a slower reaction time – are remarkably good at making decisions because of the lower levels of dopamine in their brains. The high level of dopamine in younger brains often leads the younger generation to react to difficult situations emotionally rather than logically. Older people are less likely to be fuelled by emotion and more likely to make well-informed decisions. If anyone's facing a tough decision, just come to us.

#### Reason to embrace getting older 4: Less stress

Forget the "grumpy old man" label. As we get older, we seem to leave the hardest parts of life behind us. Finding our way through the tangled web of our teenage years, careers, and parenthood were difficult; now as we've done all that, we can relax and look back on it all with fond memories. Old age means less stress, and less stress means we have more time for family, hobbies, and general happiness. Whether it's the hummingbirds feeding on the fuchsias you planted, or the sound of the rain pattering on the shed, take advantage of the finer points of life now as you're given the chance. Don't mind if we do!

#### Reason to embrace getting older 5: Discounts, discounts, discounts.

Concessions, discounts, offers, senior citizens passes ... we don't care how they word it to avoid offending us, we're just happy to have had some kind of recognition that we've made it to this age. Don't be shy about revealing your real age when it comes to discounts – look out for places that do special offers and reap the benefits. You've lived this long, you may as well cash in on the accomplishment. That's one more part of getting older for us to do our happy dance about (if our knees can still take it).

#### Reason to embrace getting older 6: Getting away with being cheeky

As we advance into our senior years, it seems easier to get away with being cheeky by using our hearing aids or other 'old person' paraphernalia to our own advantage. If your hearing has become a little less effective than it used to be, use your hearing aid to your advantage by cracking out some cheeky one-liners such as "we need-ed to do the washing up? Oh sorry I didn't hear you - the old hearing aid's playing up. It's done now? Never mind then". Tricking people so you can get away with being cheeky is a definite plus side to getting older. Was that a slip of your walking stick, or did you really just push your way to the front of the queue?

#### Reason to embrace getting older 7: You're confident

We have finally accepted our bodies the way they are and no longer ponder how much nicer we'd look with bigger boobs or better abs like we did in our teenage years. If we go out looking a little worse for wear, others see it as endearing rather than lazy. Similarly, if we have visitors round to our homes it's okay not to have our cupboards stacked full of exotic drinks and food; for our guests, a cup of tea and a carrot cake will do just fine.

**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
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Elsa Villagomez	USD 2,030	300
MYRIAM TAN	USD 1,686.44	1100

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Teresita Fitzback	USD 1,630	400
Evelyn Ong	USD 1,435.50	500
Cecille Diaz	USD 1,359.08	300
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Vanessa Madayag	USD 1,260.50	200
Fely Mahani	USD 1,255.04	300
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Elsie Libron	USD 1,166.50	100
Cheryl Gomez	USD 1,107.04	100

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EMMANOELLE ZHANG	USD 555
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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*

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*attended the meeting on*

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

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**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. December, 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

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## Club Profile

Organized and sponsored in 1991 by RC East Davao and chartered on 20 January 1992 with Sylvia Marfori as Charter President, RC Waling-Waling Davao is the 11<sup>th</sup> Rotary club in Davao City and holds the distinction of being the first all-women Rotary Club in District 3860.

- Club Foundation: Light A Heart Foundation, Inc. (LAHFI)
- Club Bulletin: Bloomscoop
- Club Social Media Page: <http://www.facebook.com/groups/rcwwd/>
- Club E-mail Address: RCWWD@yahoo.com.ph
- Club Mailing List (internal): RCWWD@yahoogroups.com

In the last 28 years, RC Waling-Waling Davao has:

- accomplished 10 TRF Grants and 12 combined WCS/RC Narashino projects / 4 District Grants
- sponsored nine and hosted 11 GSE members
- sponsored one and hosted two RYE students
- hosted five Rotarians on an Individual Friendship Exchange (USA & Canada)
- forged 12 sisterhood ties with Rotary clubs in Australia, USA, India, and within the Philippines
- organized several Rotary Clubs, Interact and Rotaract Clubs, and RCCs
- spearheaded Zone and District level activities

The Light a Heart Foundation, Inc. (LAHFI) is a non-stock, non-profit, SEC registered charitable corporation organized by the Rotary Club of Waling Waling Davao (RCWWD). The Foundation serves as

the administrator of all the monies and donated goods entrusted to the club-either through donations, World Community Service, Matching Grants, or specific fund-raising projects - to undertake the various humanitarian programs of the club. RCWWD managers the implementation of the programs/projects.



### 2019-2020 OFFICERS

Chairman- PP Lorna A. Llamas  
 Vice-Chairman - PP Ma. Luisa L. Jacinto  
 Secretary - PE Armi Geralyn Espiritu  
 Treasurer- PP Remedios M. Calaguas

### TRUSTEES

IPP Marilou Baarde  
 PP Mae Concepcion J. Dolendo  
 PP Evangeline Schwendener  
 PP Estela Maribel Vilela  
 Pres Teresita Yñiguez

### Rotary International & District Leaders



**Mark Daniel Mahoney**  
*RI President*



**Philip Tan**  
*District Governor*



**Amelio Batoanan**  
*Assistant Governor Area 2B*

### Honorary Members



**PP Abdulah C. Aquino**



**Antonio VA Llamas**



**Efren Abratique**



**PP Yoshinori Ishii**  
*RC Narashino*  
*District 2790 / Chiba, Japan*



**Mario Luis Jacinto**



**Dave Vilela**



**CORE VALUES: SERVICE • FELLOWSHIP  
DIVERSITY • INTEGRITY • LEADERSHIP**

## **ROTARIAN CODE OF CONDUCT**

As a Rotarian, I will:

1. Act with integrity and high ethical standards in my personal and professional life
2. Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect
3. Use my professional skills through Rotary to mentor young people, help those with special needs, and improve people's quality of life in my community and in the world
4. Avoid behavior that reflect adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians.

### **THE FOUR-WAY TEST**

of the things we think, say or do

- Is it the **TRUTH**?
- Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned

### **THE 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, 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.

## **ROTARY'S SIX AREAS OF FOCUS**

For more than 100 years, Rotarians have joined together from all continents, cultures and industries to take action in our communities and around the world. With a commitment to achieving lasting change, we work together to empower youth, enhance health, promote peace, and most important, advance the community.

While Rotarians can serve in countless ways, Rotary has focused its efforts in six areas, which reflect some of the most critical and widespread humanitarian needs:

- Peace and conflict prevention/resolution
- Disease prevention and treatment
- Water and sanitation
- Maternal and child health
- Basic education and literacy
- Economic and community development

