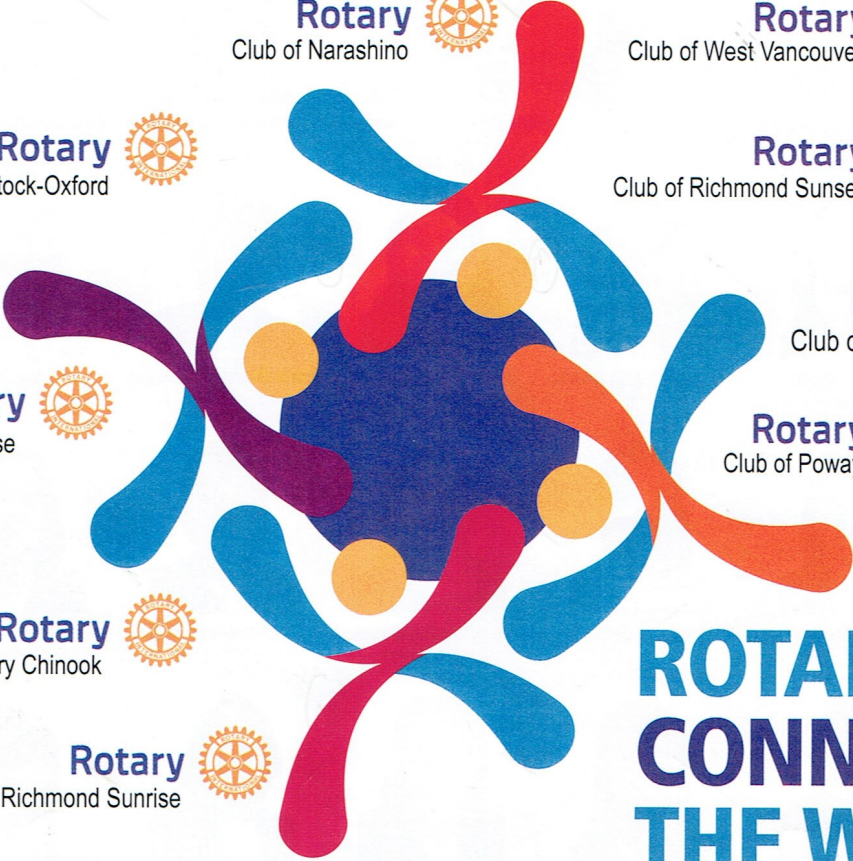





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Today we are thankful for all we've received

However we live, we firmly believe
All is a blessing that we must pass on.
No matter our status or where we have gone.
Kindness and generosity are what we impart
Showing the world what's in Rotary's heart.

May we each be thankful for the friends that surround us, the trials that strengthen us, the work of our hands, and the joy in our lives.

Amen



RCC Tambakan: RCWWD sponsored training on Bangus De-boning

14th Regular Meeting

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

Memorandum of Agreement Signing for - Water Sanitation & Hygiene (WASH) Project

Project Overview PP Zony Reyes

Short Message:
Davao City Water District - Engr. Edwin Regalado
DIHO Day are - Teacher Rosalind Marquez
Gotamco Day Care - Teacher Cristy Manatad

Secretary's Time PP Baby Vilela

President's Time and Adjournment Pres Tess Yñiguez

OCTOBER is Economic & Community Development Month

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



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just saying...

Turn it off and
READ A BOOK



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PresScoop

I've had a remarkable life !

I seem to be in such a good place at the right time.

You know, if you were to ask me to sum up my life in one word.. GRATITUDE.

I am truly grateful to our loving God for blessing me so lavishly more than I deserve.

Celebrating my 66th birthday last week was truly a wonderful day - perfect in so many ways, big and small.

Special thanks to each and everyone who took the time to wish me a Happy Birthday thru phone call, text, messenger, facebook, viber and cards.



Last Thursday, our First Club Assembly went on smoothly and well. Thanks to PP Remie Calaguas who did a very good preparation and presentation of the RY 2019-2020 Annual Budget substituting for PP Lorna Llamas who is still on vacation with her family in Europe.

This was followed with the able presentation of the RY 2019-2020 Plans & Programs by the respective club directors of the different Avenues of Service.

The RY 2019-2020 Annual Budget and the Plans & Programs with some revisions were approved with no objections from anyone of the twenty three members in attendance.

Thanks to all for making our First Club Assembly a success.

In the same meeting, Rtn Myriam Tan was recognized as a new Paul Harris Fellow and was given a Paul Harris Fellow pin. Her contribution to the Rotary Foundation to date now totalled USD 1,686.44.

I encourage everyone especially those who are not yet Paul Harris Fellows to continue to give more to the Rotary Foundation because your contribution can do a lot more to advance world understanding, goodwill and peace through the improvement of health, the support of education and the alleviation of poverty.

Your contribution will surely go a long, long way !

tyñiguez



13th Meeting - First Club Assembly

Presentation of Plans & Programs & Approval of RY 2019-20 Budget



Thank you PP Remie for presenting the Annual Budget for approval



Director MaEm for Club Administration



Director Letty for Community Service



Director Elsie for Vocational Service



Director Bai for Youth Service



PP Mae, mentor for Public Image presented the Plans & Programs in behalf of Director Jo Liamzon



PP Marivic presented the Plans & Programs of Membership Service in behalf of Director Ces Diaz



Thank you new Paul Harris Fellow Rtn Myriam for your contribution to the Rotary Foundation



October Birthday & club Milestone celebrants



PP Maribel T. Vilela
Club Secretary

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ATTENDANCE	
26 Septemeber	
Present	16
Make up	11
AVERAGE	84%
03 October	
Present	23
Make up	5
AVERAGE	88%
10 October	
Present	
Make up	
AVERAGE	
17 October	
Present	
Make up	
AVERAGE	
Membership Base	40
Rule 85 on Maternity Leave	7
No. of members for attendance computation	1
	32

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

October 2 Tess Yniguez
 October 6 Teri Fitzback & Happy Rosales
 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

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

the following photo montage of RCWWD members were taken unbeknownst ... purely random



When embracing your weakness helps you succeed

By Steve Stirling, a member of the Rotary Club of Atlanta, Georgia, USA

Posted on October 1, 2019 www.rotary.org

They are typical job interview questions: What is your greatest strength? What is your greatest weakness?

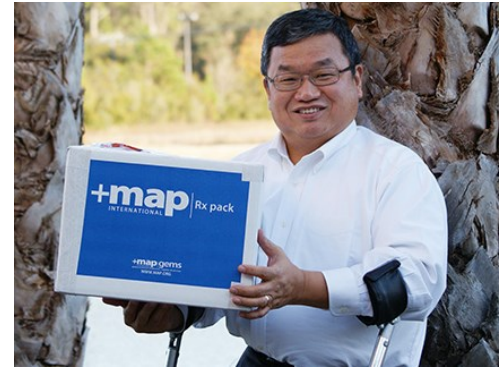
But in my case, the interviewer often hesitates. After all, how do you ask a guy who is wearing leg braces and using crutches about his greatest weakness? It seems both obvious and insensitive.

We all have weaknesses. Mine are just a bit more obvious. So I've learned to turn the uncomfortable moment around and confront the situation head on.

"My greatest strength is that I am what some people call 'crippled,'" I say, purposely using the politically incorrect word. "Some prefer to call me 'handicapped' or 'disabled.' I've heard all the terms and I'm not upset by any of them. I'm not easily offended. I've learned that my physical limitations have helped me build my mental and spiritual strength. I have an Ivy League degree and an MBA from one of the country's most prestigious schools. I've had jobs in top corporations and nonprofits. I have enjoyed great success and yet I never forget what it was like to be a child who couldn't walk, living in an orphanage. My greatest strength is what most people assume is my weakness."

You see, I walk with crutches because I had polio as a child. My life would be very different if the polio vaccine – costing approximately \$.60 – would have been available to me and my family in Korea where I was born. My passion in life is to help other children receive the medicine they need to avoid life-long illness or even death. So when I told the committee interviewing me about my strengths and weaknesses, I could honestly say that I had a lifetime to prepare for the job of helping bring medicine to those in need. I knew first hand what it meant to suffer because an inexpensive dose of vaccine was not available. Fortunately, I nailed that interview and now proudly lead an organization that brings millions of dollars of donated medicines and medical supplies to people in need around the world. It's a big job and truly miraculous path for someone who spent his early years as a forgotten child.

During my earliest years, I didn't even have crutches and had to drag myself around on the ground. At that point my greatest dream was to be able to go to grade school with the "able-bodied" children in the orphanage. I could never have imagined a successful life in the US or that I'd be able to write a book about my journey, "**The Crutch of Success.**"



It was truly a miracle that I was adopted by a generous American couple who loved me and provided for me, including my special needs. Their love and support changed my life, but, of course, the physical damage had already been done. I have had the wonderful privilege of growing up in a country where I received a great education, married a wonderful woman, raised two terrific children, and had a successful career. But my disability is often the first thing people see about me. I try not to let it define me in their eyes.

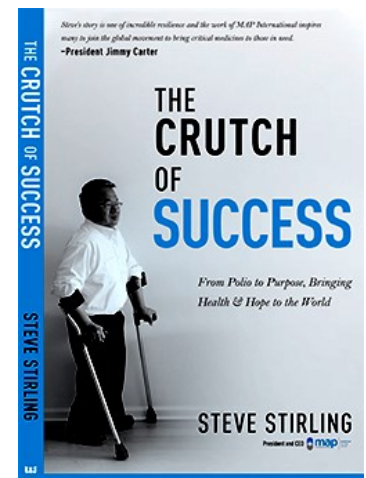
I try to put people at ease, explaining the I had polio as a child and while it affected my ability to walk, I am blessedly able in every other way. It's understandable that they first see my disability as weakness. My goal is that once they know me, they see it as my strength.

If you find yourself in that situation, I want to encourage you. Your weakness can become your strength. Whatever your weakness is – lack of education, the inability to speak clearly, a physical trait you consider unattractive, a disability – embrace it today. Decide what you can do to improve yourself. Take an evening class, join Toastmasters, ask for help.

Then dedicate yourself everyday to overcome the obstacles in your path.

About the author: *Steve Stirling is president and CEO of MAP International, an organization dedicated to bringing medicine to the world.*

He is the author of "The Crutch of Success: From Polio to Purpose, Bringing Health & Hope to the World."



Reducing poverty through economic and community development

(By Azka Asif, Rotary Service and Engagement Staff (www.rotary.org/ Rotary Service))

Globally, 836 million people still live in extreme poverty today. About one in five persons in developing regions lives on less than \$1.25 USD per day. Global unemployment has increased from 170 million in 2007 to nearly 202 million in 2012, of which about 75 million are young women and men.*

How can we change that?

By supporting projects that focus on generating income and creating productive employment opportunities, we can reduce poverty.

Providing income security and empowering women, people with disabilities, youth, and the extremely poor is essential to economic and community development.

Rotarians worldwide are committed to reducing poverty through projects that provide people with equipment, vocational trainings, and work to strengthen local entrepreneurs and community leaders, particularly women, in impoverished communities.

Growing local economies

The Constantia Rotary Club helped set up a community garden and farm training center for young residents in Khayelitsha, the largest township in Cape Town, South Africa.

The club is working with Abalimi Bezekhaya, a local organization that helps create income-producing gardening opportunities, and partnered with Rotary clubs in the United Kingdom, the United States, and Germany.

The garden yields many vegetables and herbs that supply Abalimi's Harvest of Hope venture, which sells boxes of produce to middle-class Capetonians for a monthly fee.

As the garden grew, a training facility was built for young, unemployed people, who could benefit from the knowledge of the older farmers.

The training offers both practical instruction and theory, covering topics such as soil preparation, seedling production, cross-pollination, organic growing, and climate change.



Providing vocational trainings

The Rotary Club of Panaji in India conducted a vocational training program focused on training 12 women in stitching and tailoring. The workshop was conducted over a period of ten days for four hours a day to help women gain skills to be able to earn their own living and be financially independent.

After the trainings, the women were each given sewing machines that they could use to start their own tailoring business.



Strengthening local entrepreneurs

Based on a community needs assessment, the Rotary Club of Ikeja in Nigeria concluded that traders or other local entrepreneurs interested in growing their business did not have access to funding through local financial institutions.

The club provided an interest free micro-credit loan to 20 beneficiaries to be used to enhance their businesses.

After three months, those beneficiaries passed along the money to another set of 20 people.



ROTARY VOICES



Ending polio and prejudice

By João Correa, a Paralympic athlete from Brazil and supporter of Rotary's End Polio Now campaign

My name is João Correa and I am 49 years old. Although I was not affected by poliomyelitis, I know the kind of suffering many polio victims have to endure.

When I was 19, I had an accident while working in construction. I was in the hospital for a year and a half, after which I could never walk again. Since then, I have used a wheelchair to get around.

The initial shock of no longer being able to use your legs is huge. I became dependent on other people for the simplest things, because I could not reach what I needed inside my own house, let alone outside it. The doors were too narrow, the closets and cabinets were too high, the bathroom was too small, my bed was too low, and the steps of the stairs were a hindrance.

After that came losses – financial, personal, and emotional. Old friends no longer hung around because it was not “practical” to be friends with a wheelchair user. My wife, a young and pretty woman, was the next to leave, because for her having a paraplegic husband was too heavy a burden to bear. After that I lost my job.

Living without my legs and reintegrating into society was an uphill struggle which included navigating poorly paved and potholed streets, and dealing with a lack of accessibility in schools, public buildings, and on public transportation.

However, what surprised me most was the reaction of people in general.

The “different” look people used to give me as they stared at me. It was a mixture of prejudice, ignorance, and contempt. At the time of my accident, polio was claiming a lot of victims in Brazil, and people thought I had been affected by the disease as well. I was barred from restaurants by owners who used a thinly disguised excuse that “the wheelchair took up too much space.”

Today there are still those who shun the disabled, and confuse physical disability with mental disability. Those with special needs face many obstacles, not all physical. That is why I am a supporter of any effort that helps eliminate suffering and prejudice.

Rotary's work to end polio is one such effort.

Rotarians are committed to ridding the world of polio. Through their efforts, many children have been saved from this crippling disease. You can help support their work, by taking part in the [World's Biggest Commercial](#)






Paralympic athlete João Correa and members of his team.

This entry was posted in [Polio Eradication](#) and tagged [Brazil](#), [disabilities](#) by [Rotary International](#). Bookmark the [permalink](#).





Fun Facts About Your Eyes

1. Your eyes are almost the same size from the day you were born, they grow much slower than the rest of your body. But your nose and ears continue to grow. 
2. All babies are color blind when born
3. If your eyes are blue, you share a common ancestor with every blue-eyed individual in the world. 
4. The human eye can distinguish about 10 million different colors.
5. If the human eye was a digital camera, it would have 576 megapixels. 
6. Your eye has the most used muscles in your body. The muscles working and controlling your eyes are more active than any other muscles of your body.
7. Blind people can see their dreams as long as they weren't born blind. 
8. There's a word for fear of eyes. It's called ommatophobia.
9. It's impossible to sneeze with your eyes open. 
10. Using the computers doesn't damage the eyes, excess usage would just strain the eye muscles.

Sources: www.eyecare2020.com www.lastminutelenses.com

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 1,783.58	700
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 1,330	500
Elsie Libron	USD 1,166.50	100
Cheryl Gomez	USD 1,107.04	100

SUSTAINING MEMBERS:

EMMANUELLE 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

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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

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

Monthly Diamond Cut



MARQUISE (July, October, January, April)

Baby Vilela	Elsa Villagomez
Maem Zhang	Mae Dolendo
Luna Gaviola *TL	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 *TL
Maribel Chua	Ces Diaz
Gina Espejo	



RADIANT (Sept. December, March, June)

Luchie Aportadera	Marivic Jimenez *TL
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 / Feature: Dir Maem Zhang / photos : PP Ja Valderosa

Members are requested to send articles, stories, digital photographs by email no later than 12NN of TUESDAY each week. Articles should cite the source of information (print and electronic), and credit the author.

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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 11th Rotary club in Davao City and holds the distinction of being the first all-women Rotary Club in District 3860.

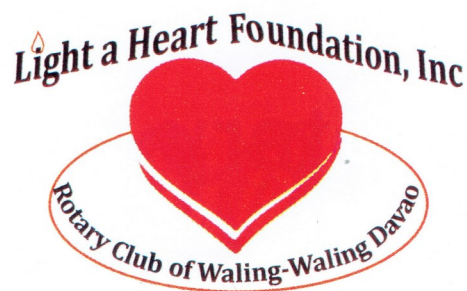
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- Club Bulletin: Bloomscoop
- Club Social Media Page: <http://www.facebook.com/groups/rcwwd/>
- Club E-mail Address: RCWWD@yahoo.com.ph
- Club Mailing List (internal): RCWWD@yahoogroups.com

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
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**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

