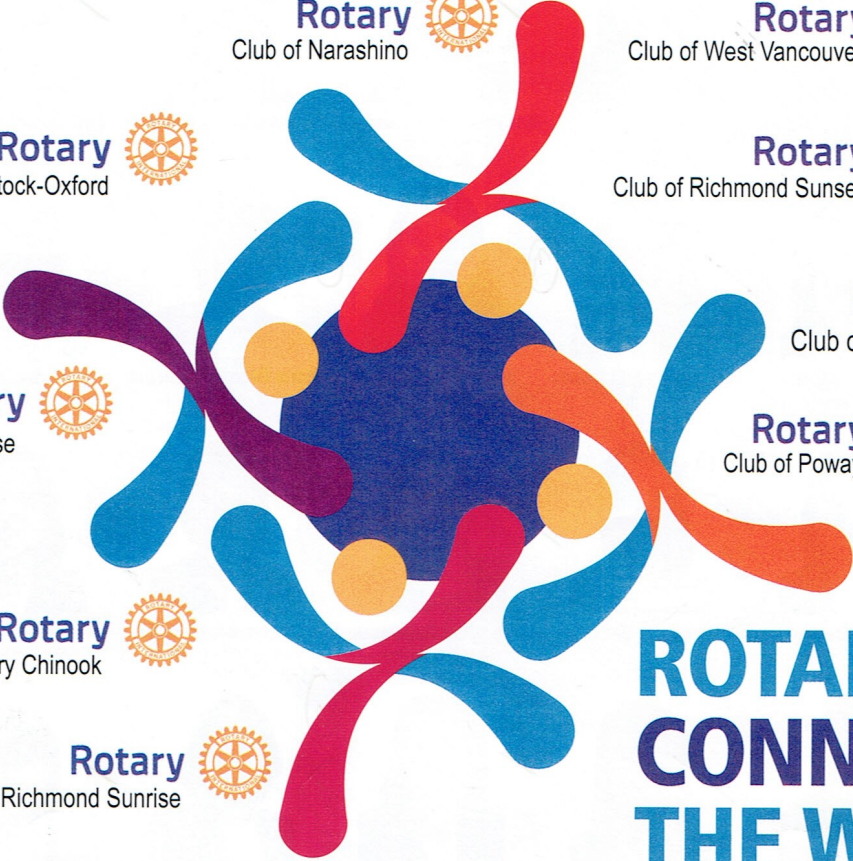





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Lord, in a world where many are lonely,
we thank you for friendship and community;

In a world where many are despairing,
we thank you for hope;

In a world that many find meaningless,
we thank you for faith.

May all our actions lead us to have peace of mind so that we may spread peace in the world and may our own friendliness help spread happiness to all we meet, and in so doing, encourage us to conduct our days in the true spirit of Rotary.

Amen

Call to Order Pres Tess Yñiguez

Turnover of proceedings to Programme Host

Invocation & National Anthem : A V P

Introduction of visiting Rotarians & Guests

Moodbreaker Victorian Group

INDUCTION CEREMONY

Introduction of the Inductee: PP Fe Boiser
Charging

Induction : Pres Tess Yñiguez

Pinning of Rotary Pin

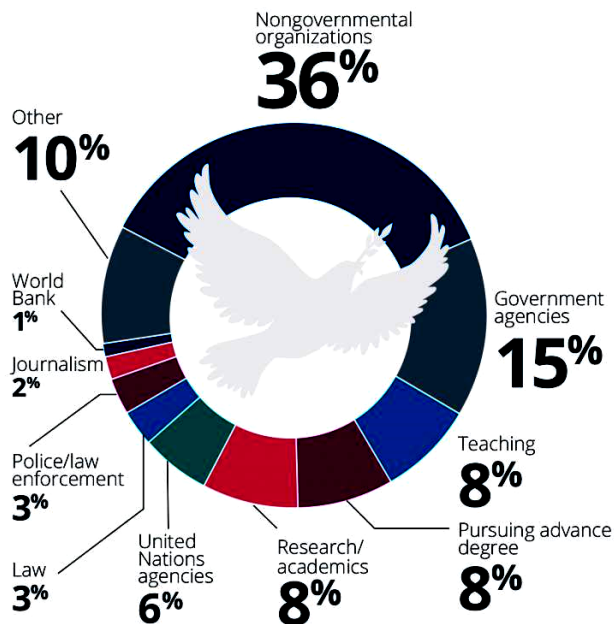
Short Response: Rtn Mercy Tanoy

Secretary's Time PP Baby Vilela

Presidents Time & Adjournment Pres Tess Yñiguez



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GIVING & GRANT: HAPPY BIRTHDAY ROTARY

Using your District Designated Funds

Districts can support life-changing activities by spending their District Designated Funds.

On 23 February, Rotary will celebrate its 115th anniversary. Consider making a special birthday gift to The Rotary Foundation today.

When you give to the Annual Fund, you empower Rotarians like you to improve communities close to home and around the globe.





Rotary Club of Waling-Waling
 District 3860 Philippines Davao

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 Club President

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PresScoop

The Rotary Club of Waling-Waling Davao celebrated Valentine's Day during its 27th Regular Meeting on February 13, 2020 with the theme: Rotary is Family and Family is Love. To make the occasion festive, the Victorian Group decorated the venue with heart shaped red balloons of varying sizes and gave the members red roses for the Valentine's Day feel.

It is customary for the people, in observance of Valentine's Day to send messages of love and affection to loved ones, partners, family and friends. Couples send Valentine's Day cards and flowers and spend special time together to honour their love for each other.

With the many Valentine greetings that I received, this only I found so beautiful and it says "Happy Valentines! When a heart is true, there is no need for words cause even in silence, love can be heard." xxxxxxxxxxxx.

Davao City Mayor Sara Z. Duterte in Proclamation No. 01, series of 2020 issued on 14 February 2020, declared February 16 to 22, 2020 as Rotary Week in the city of Davao for calendar year 2020.

Thus, the Rotary Week celebration started on February 16 with a Holy Mass at the Assumption Church attended by Rotarians from the different Rotary clubs under Area 2. Afterwards, Rotarians proceeded to Grand Men Seng Hotel for the opening of the Rotary Window which showcases the Rotary club's various community projects on the six areas of focus such as Peace & Conflict Prevention/Resolution; Disease Prevention & Treatment; Water & Sanitation; Maternal & Child Health; Basic Education & Literacy & Economic & Community

The following day, February 17, Rotarians joined the Davao City Hall employees in the Flag Raising Ceremony at Davao City Hall with Rotary Week District Chairperson PP Malou Jacinto as guest speaker and then made a courtesy call to Davao City Administrator Atty. Zuleika Lopez, in the absence of City Mayor Sara Duterte.

On February 23, there will be a turnover of gifts to Boystown at Maa with the Rotary club of Waling-Waling Davao taking care of the snacks for the boys. RCWWD will also bring gifts consisting of slippers and underwears.

There will be Fellowship lunch, Rotary way, after the gift giving at Boystown

T. Yñiguez



- RED Passion
- ORANGE Enthusiasm
- YELLOW Hope
- GREEN New Beginnings
- BLUE Serenity
- PURPLE Enlightenment





PP Maribel T. Vilela
 Club Secretary
vilela_baby@yahoo.com



ATTENDANCE	
06 February	18
Present	2 + 1
Make up	
AVERAGE	62%
13 February	
Present	16
Make up	3
AVERAGE	52%
20 February	
Present	
Make up	
AVERAGE	
27 February	
Present	
Make up	
AVERAGE	
Membership Base	43
Rule 85	7
No. of members for attendance computation	36

Happy Birthday

Dir Luna Gaviola	05 February
Rtn Myriam Tan	13 February
PP Fe Boiser	15 February
PP Jannette Valderosa	22 February

Membership Milestone

PP Vangi Schwendener February 2002



8 February :

PETS/SETS @ the Ritz Hotel Bo. Obrero
 Registration: 1,500;pax

16-23 February:

Rotary Week (activities to be finalized)

29 February & 01 March:

8th Interact Bootcamp @ Alta Cebu Village Resort, Mactan
 Registration: 2,300 for students (incl. kit & dri fit shirt)

5 - 7 March:

District Convention @ Cebu Grand Convention Center

Rediscovering traditional justice in Africa**By George Chacha, 2013 Rotary Peace Fellow at Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand**

Before Europeans colonized much of Africa, local villagers had their own way of resolving conflicts through traditional justice systems.

The community would select a certain number of elders, who they felt most suitable for deciding cases, to handle disputes.

A distinctive characteristic of these traditional justice systems is that they primarily sought to heal relations between victims and offenders, in contrast to English Common Law, which by and large seeks to punish offenders as a deterrent to further offenses.

As English Common Law became the predominant justice system in Africa, many tribes gradually abandoned their own means of settling grievances altogether.

Unfortunately, an end result was that justice became more and more elusive, especially to those who live on less than a dollar a day.

As a Rotary Peace Fellow sponsored by the Rotary Club of Ashland, Oregon, USA, I was privileged to study peace and conflict resolution for a professional development certificate at the Rotary Peace Center at Chulalongkorn University in Thailand.

My time there in 2013 energized me to return to my native Kenya, and dedicate myself to dusting off the old justice systems that existed before English Common Law. I became dedicated to sounding the trumpet to the outside world that there were other systems that could serve as a fountain of justice and provide greater access to the disenfranchised.

After much work, local organizations began to take interest in a system used by the Kuria tribe called Justice Under Tree (as the hearings are conducted under a tree).

In December, the Kenyan government sent a task force from the judiciary to study this system.

Courts in Kenya will now recognize rulings/judgments rendered by these long forgotten traditional methods as long as they do not contravene the country's constitution.

There are several gains in the recognition of the Kuria justice system:

- ◇ Justice will be accessible at very low cost and affordable to everyone.
- ◇ Justice will take less than three weeks (three sittings) to conclude (as compared to 14 years that cases can take in conventional courts).
- ◇ The proceedings will be conducted in the language that local folks understand, with no legal jargon and in a friendly atmosphere.
- ◇ There will be no legal technicalities which often give an upper hand to violators over their victims.
- ◇ Sittings are conducted in the conflict area, where neighbors can be sought to verify the claims of the conflicting parties.
- ◇ Tycoons who have been grabbing land from the poor will now have a harder time doing so.
- ◇ There is more chance the end results restore relationships and strengthen the fabric of the community

I am grateful for my time at Chulalongkorn, and my Rotary scholarship that allowed me to play a part in making justice more accessible in my native country.

George Chacha received a Rotary Peace Fellowship to study at Chulalongkorn University in 2013. He is the founder and director of People for Rural Change Trust, a community organization which works on peace and cohesion, among others issues, in the western part of Kenya.

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION
RCWW D CLUB RECOGNITION SUMMARY (CRS)
AS OF NOVEMBER 2019
TOTAL ALL TIME GIVING: USD 121387.-



ACTIVE MEMBERS

MULTIPLE PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS		FRP *
Lorna Llamas	USD 8,056.50	900
Remie Calaguas	USD 7,060.50	1000
Estela Maribel Vilela	USD 6,528.63	3000
Divina Fe Boiser	USD 6,425.04	100
Teresita Yñiguez	USD 4,859.54	1500
Ma. Luisa Jacinto	USD 4,162.77	700
Vangi Schwendener	USD 3,660.50	
Leonida Santos	USD 3,557.27	400
Armi Geralyn Espiritu	USD 3,460.50	100
Marivic Jimenez	USD 3,435.	100
Mae Dolendo	USD 3,213	500
Ma. Luisa Aportadera	USD 3,105	400
Ma. Corazon Reyes	USD 3,150	200
Gina Marie Espejo	USD 3,055	300
Luna Gaviola	USD 3,555	400
Elisa Lapiña	USD 2,760	1200
Vegloure Maguinsay	USD 2,755	200
Lisa Ponce Enrile	USD 2,365.50	100
Marilou Baarde	USD 2,355	900
MYRIAM TAN	USD 2,311.44	800
Belinda Fernandez	USD 2,285.50	500
Corazon Cuison	USD 2,280	400
Jannette Valderosa	USD 2,155	400
Maribel Chua	USD 2,060.54	500
Evelyn Ong	USD 2,060..50	100
Elsa Villagomez	USD 2,055	300

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS		
Letty Tai	USD 1,808,58	700
Teresita Fitzback	USD 1,655	400
Josephine Liamzon	USD 1,625	
Cecille Diaz	USD 1,484.08	400
Sylvia Austria	USD 1,355	600
Vanessa Madayag	USD 1,285.50	200
Fely Mahani	USD 1,280.04	300
Cheryl Gomez	USD 1,232.04	200
Elsie Libron	USD 1,191.50	100
Francesca del Castillo	USD 1,030	200

SUSTAINING MEMBERS:		
EMMANUELLE ZHANG	USD 580	
BAI JOHANNA ZAINAL	USD 260.50	
MARYDICT T. ROSALES	USD 155	

HONORARY MEMBERS		
PP Nonoy Aquino	Major Donor +	400
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

FRP

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

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	Chona Lamparas

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

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(COVER LAY-OUT: PP NEN SANTOS)

Editor : PP Vangi Schwendener

Weekly Column; Pres Tess Yñiguez / photos: PP Mae Dolendo

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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.

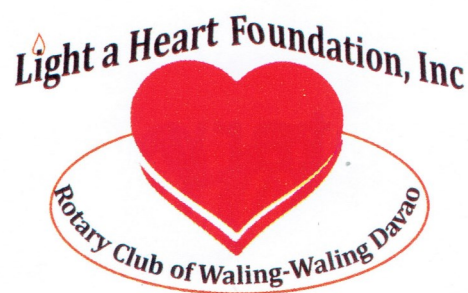
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In the last 28 years, RC Waling-Waling Davao has:

- 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

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 Secretary - PE Armi Geralyn Espiritu
 Treasurer- PP Remedios M. Calaguas

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 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

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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

