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**AUGUST is Membership Development
& Extension Month**



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Rotary  **Invocation**

Father in heaven, I stand before You today in Your Omnipotent presence to ask that You grant me strength.

Please give the strength to power all of the tasks today - whether little or big.

It is by Your will that I live oh Lord.

And I know it is also by Your will - I will not go weak today.

I will not go lazy nor will I fall to do all things set before me because You strengthen me.

Thank You for Your everlasting presence Lord.

AMEN

(shared by PP Ja Valderosa)

**Ninth Regular Meeting
PROGRAMME**

Call to Order Pres Gigi Espiritu

Turnover of proceedings to the Programme Moderator Rtn Elsa Villagomez

Invocation & Rtn Belinda Fernandez

National Anthem A V P

Introduction of Guest PP Che Gomez

HAPPINESS by Rtn Happy T. Rosales

OPEN FORUM

Awarding of Certificate of Appreciation

Announcements from Directors

Secretary's Time PP Baby Vilela

President's Time and Adjournment Pres Gigi Espiritu

Editors' Note

Membership Month is over and to re-cap, we did not do badly, given our situation now.

We have 3 new young prospective members which I can say can give that OMAMI (different flavors) in our club's dynamics. And then we have the reinstatement of former member Vida Konst. Welcome back Vids.

But first and foremost... ORIENTATION is the key. Too often we hear new members tell us they do not know anything. Rotary's journey does not end after the induction ceremony as what is happening in our club in the past or NOW presently. We just do not see the new members. All Rotarians are busy people so absence is not an excuse for missing a meeting or attending community service. I hope that is also a topic worth discussing during the orientation.

Second is commitment to become future club leaders.

It is disconcerting for a past president to always beg from a member to lead the club for the next RY. We are compelled to make promises we should keep.

We are not complaining. We are here to support ... all the way. But we need members who have the initiative to be a volunteer leader.

That is what Rotary is all about.

Let us keep our fingers crossed and hope for the best for RCWWD and for Rotary.

September is here... AUTUMN

Aquamarine your turn to shine.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Aug. 6	Spouse Rtn Pacquing Santos
Aug 16	PP Lisa Ponce Enrile
Aug 22	Spouse Louie Jacinto
Aug 25	Honorary Member PP Nonoy Aquino
Aug 29	Spouse Ponchit Ponce Enrile

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Aug. 18 :	Dir Vanessa & Milky Madayag
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MEMBERSHIP MILESTONES

Pres Gigi Espiritu	Aug. 1, 2000
PP Nen Santos & Rtn Belinda Fernandez	Aug.2006
Rtn Gina Espejo	Aug. 8, 2006
Dir Vanessa Madayag & PP Elisa Lapiña	Aug. 16, 2013
PP Lisa Ponce Enrile	Aug. 25, 2011

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Pres Impression

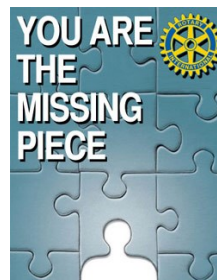
sharing these **Ideas to Develop Membership Retention and Recruitment Strategies**

The reason why Rotary is such a successful organization is because it is full of members that have one trait in common - the passion to make a difference in the world. All of us share this passion and it's what drives us to work together. Today, a growing population of youth are not even aware of what the organization is or does while those that do are unable to join for a variety of reasons. Granted, we've made many changes to combat this challenge such as the introduction of eClubs, relaxed attendance requirements, more meeting time options, etc. but we still have ways to go. Members continue to leave and clubs continue to struggle to recruit.

STRATEGIES:

- Analyze results from past exit interviews to see what members cited as their reason for leaving the club. Often, you can immediately see a pattern to act upon.
- If your club doesn't conduct exit interviews, consider contacting ex-members from the past few years to ask them for feedback on what they feel the club could've done better
- Make sure every member has some role to play. Every member in your club joined to become part of something big, and if they aren't being given a chance to make a contribution to the club, slowly but surely, their satisfaction level will begin to decline. Consider giving each member some sort of responsibility at every meeting (ex: introduce/thank speaker, contribute jokes of the week for the club newsletter, etc.).
- Focus on happiness: happy members are those that are motivated to do good for the club. There are many ways to keep members happy. Sometimes just being asked means a lot, so in your next meeting, have every member anonymously write changes that they would like to see in the club which would make them happy. Such a simple act shows your members that you care about their presence in the club

- Promote your open door policy everywhere you can - on your website, social media and even at your meeting location (example, at the entrance of the building, near the elevators, staircase, etc.)
- Put up flyers welcoming visitors pointing them to where you meet, time, etc. The more signs prospective members see, the more you've alleviated their fear of trying something new.
- All of us know at least one person that might be a good fit for Rotary, whether that person be a colleague, family member or friend - all we have to do is ask.
- Create a **club designation** to recognize members that recruit the most members. Then for every 2 or 3 new members that join, the recruiter receives the special club designation title. Plus take advantage of [Rotary's New Member Sponsor Program](#).
- List the benefits of joining your club right on your site. Add a video showcasing the fun your members have so as to evoke a feeling of being part of a team.



- Ask your guests and speakers to join your club, even if they choose to join as honorary members.

Screen Capture

8th Regular Meeting of Rotary Club of Waling Waling on August 20, 2020 via physical meeting and zoom online.

There's always a first time and to us RCWWD, this was a fun compelling first time to incorporate both physical meeting and a zoom meeting which turned out to be fruitful and fun.



It was hosted by our dedicated and wonderful PP Fe from the Teal group. PP Zony was best dressed for the observation of #kadayawan and we also get to celebrate membership month by the fabulous game idea of PP Zony by getting to know each other more.



Everyone had their turn of giving out questions and answering in return. We started with Rtn Quennie as the newest member and the ball started to roll from there. Everyone went crazy after PP baby's question which was definitely a good way to break the mood. PP Lorna even shared one of her favorite bible quotes. Kudos PP Zony for a refreshing and enjoyable idea.

During Club Secretary time, Secretary baby updates on the ongoing Pamalengke Para sa #HOH with the generous support from PP Lorna. The "Gunting at Suklay Pangkabuhay" was a big win for everyone while #HOH got a hair cut they also got a training for hair cutting plus were provided with Kits which they can use for start up. While in Marilog Day Care Center, Pres Gigi, Dir Terry, Dir Ces and Rtn Chona were active in supporting this project of bringing books. Grateful to the savvy expertise of PP Vangie, our #Bloomscoop is always a treat to read.

Thank you for all your time and effort ladies.



... Dir Maem Zhang (Public Image)



8TH REGULAR MEETING	
AUGUST 20, 2020 ; 1:00 P.M.	
PROGRAMME	
• Call to Order	Pres. Armi Geralyn G. Espiritu
• Invocation	Dir Cecile Diaz
• Pambansang Awit	AVP
• Rotary Quiz Show	PP Zony Reyes
• Secretary's Time	Sec. Estela Maribel Vilela
• President's Time	Pres. Armi Geralyn Espiritu
• Adjournment	



Jennifer E. Jones makes history, becomes first woman named Rotary president-nominee

Jennifer E. Jones, a member of the Rotary Club of Windsor-Roseland, Ontario, Canada, has been nominated to become Rotary International's president for 2022-23, a groundbreaking selection that will make her the first woman to hold that office in the organization's 115-year history.

Jones will officially become president-nominee on 1 October if no other candidates challenge her.

Jones says she sees Rotary's Action Plan as a catalyst for increasing Rotary's impact.

"As we reflect upon our new strategic priorities, we could have never envisioned that our ability to adapt would become our North Star during what is inarguably the most profound time in recent history," Jones said in her vision statement. *"Silver linings rise out of the most challenging circumstances. Using metric-driven goals, I will harness this historic landscape to innovate, educate, and communicate opportunities that reflect today's reality."*

As the first woman to be nominated to be president, Jones understands how important it is to follow through on Rotary's Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Statement. *"I believe that diversity, equity, and inclusion ... begins at the top and for us to realize growth in female membership and members under the age of forty — these demographics need to see their own reflection in leadership,"* Jones said. *"I will champion double-digit growth in both categories while never losing sight of our entire family."*

Jones is founder and president of Media Street Productions Inc., an award-winning media company in Windsor. She was chair of the board of governors of the University of Windsor and chair of the Windsor-Essex Regional Chamber of Commerce. She has been recognized for her service with the YMCA Peace Medallion, the Queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal, and Wayne State University's Peacemaker of the Year Award, a first for a Canadian. Jones holds a Doctor of Laws (LL.D.)

A current Rotary Foundation trustee, Jones has been a Rotary member since 1997 and has served Rotary as RI vice president, director, training leader, committee chair, moderator, and district governor. She played a lead role in Rotary's rebranding effort by serving as chair of the Strengthening Rotary's Advisory Group. She is the co-chair of the End Polio Now Countdown to History Campaign Committee, which aims to raise \$150 million for polio eradication efforts.

Jones recently led the successful #RotaryResponds telethon, which raised critical funds for COVID-19 relief and was viewed by more than 65,000. Jones has also received Rotary International's Service Above Self Award and The Rotary Foundation Citation for Meritorious Service.





Community Service Updates

Supporting Spirituality, Health, Fitness and Literacy...because We Care

Last **August 20, 2020**, The Rotary Club of Waling Waling Davao in partnership with DMIRIE Foundation donated Tshirts, under-wares, shorts, towels, slippers, board games/ toys and copies of the Holy Bible to Balay PagAsa- Children's Village, a shelter that provides protection for children at risk and in conflict with the law. At present there are 104 children ages 12 to 18 years old.

Thank you to Rtn. Gina Marie Espejo and Family and to DMIRIE Foundation.



10 tips to attract and retain quality members

By Tom Gump, past president of the Rotary Club of Edina Morning-side, Minnesota, USA, and a District 5950 trainer



Since 1 July, 2016, my Rotary club has recruited and brought in new members.

The club has gone from being classified as a "medium" sized club of 68 members in our district to being classified as a "large" club of members in just over nine months.

How did this happen? Here's our tips:

- Know your club's strengths. If you meet in the morning, you will probably be a good fit for a 9 to 5 employee. But if you meet at noon, you're more likely to appeal to retirees or parents of school-age children. If someone doesn't fit your format, recommend them to another club. They won't forget you and may send you someone another day. Let all the clubs in your area know you are looking for members, and they may send you some that better fit your format than their own.
- Keep a list of potential recruits. It doesn't matter if it's a paper list or if it's kept on the desktop of your computer – it just makes you think about those people and others that may be a fit for your club.
- Make recruiting the top priority in your club. You can't do everything as a club president, and knowing that will give you some freedom to focus on the most important thing. Having new members – with new energy – will help you have more people to raise money for The Rotary Foundation, serve on your committees, and invite additional members/ more smiling faces to your meetings and fun event. Let your members know this is the top priority so they can all help.
- Create a letter that lists all the great things about your club. List your star members, the advantages of where your club meets, how many members it has, etc. Make sure to tailor the email/letter to the wants of any potential new member
- List potential areas of responsibilities. Potential members will want to know how they can fit in and what opportunities there are for serving.
- Be persistent. There will be times that it takes literally a dozen requests to get someone to a meeting. Keep asking. They may come to a meeting, or tell you they can't join now because they are too busy, or they aren't interested in joining at the moment. These are all fine answers as long as you keep track of them and keep in touch.
- Talk about Rotary wherever you go. At church, temple, work, neighborhood gatherings, family gatherings, parties, etc. You'll be amazed how easy it is after you practice for a while. Getting a lot of "no" answers built my confidence because it didn't hurt as bad as I thought and most people were actually happy I asked, even if they responded negatively. It's always a good time to recruit.
- Celebrate when you get a new member. This gets the club excited about getting more members. Our club makes a poster of the individuals after they've been voted in and we put it in the front of the room at our next meeting. We do the same thing when we induct a new member.
- Realize there is no finish-line. Even if you are at the size that your club wants to be, there are always reasons people leave. And new insights always benefit a club. You're either growing or you're dying.
- Be vibrant. Wear a turkey suit before Thanksgiving (it's only your dignity you stand to lose), wear a lanyard with lots of "flair"/Rotary pins (it gets people talking to you), make outrageous center pieces for your meeting tables (it gets people talking to each other), greet people outside the building you are meeting in and hold the door open for them (it lets people know you care).

3 TIPS ON RETENTION

An Assignment:

- Activity is the genius of Rotary.
- It is the process by which we grow like the muscle of my arm.
- An assignment should be given to everyone, especially new members.

Membership Minute

Rotary and the Classification Principle by Darrell Portz / RC Yellowknife Canada

Virtually all membership in Rotary is based upon a "**classification**".

Basically, a classification describes the distinct and recognized business or professional service that the Rotarian renders to society.

The principle of Rotary classification is somewhat more specific and precise. In determining the classification of a Rotarian, it is necessary to look at the "principal or recognized business or professional activity of the firm, company, or institution" with which an active member is connected or "that which covers the active member's principal and recognized business or professional activity."

It should be clearly understood that classifications are determined by activities or services to society rather than by the position held by a particular individual.

In other words, if a person is the president of a bank, he or she is not classified as "bank president" but under the classification "banking."

The classification principle also permits businesses and industries to be separated into distinct functions such as manufacturing, distributing, retailing, and servicing.

Classifications may also be specified as distinct and independent divisions of a large corporation or university within the club's territory, such as a school of business or a school of engineering.

The classification principle is a necessary concept in assuring that each Rotary club represents a cross section of the business and professional service of the community.



More Ideas - New Members

- **Six-Month Plan**... Encourage every new member to bring in another new member within six months. A district in Arkansas, USA, experienced 17 percent growth using this plan.
- **Five for One Team**... Divide the Club into groups of 5. Assign each group to bring in at least one new member within three (3) months. Make this a contest with proper recognition for the winning group.

When inviting someone to a club meeting or event, Rotarians are often asked,

What is Rotary? What does Rotary do?

Some club members may be unsure about how to respond to these questions. At this point in your program, address this concern by passing out What's Rotary? cards to your club members.

(What's Rotary? [419-EN] is a small, blue, trifold card that provides an effective and concise explanation of what Rotary is, what Rotarians do, and what Rotary's main objectives are.

It can be ordered in bundles of 50 through the RI Catalog or [RI Web site.](#))

Encourage your members to give one of these cards to each person they invite to a meeting.

Handing prospective members the card is a way of sharing Rotary's mission in a simple, low-pressure way.

It also allows the prospective member to take the information home and think about it.

Sample:

ROTARY is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide, who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world.

ROTARY is the world's first service club.

The first Rotary club was founded in Chicago, Illinois, USA on 23 February 1905.

ROTARY is some 1.2 million service-minded men and women belonging to more than 28,000 Rotary clubs in virtually every nation in the world

ROTARIANS meet weekly for fellowship and interesting and informative programs dealing with topics of local and global importance.

Membership reflects a wide cross-section of community representation

ROTARIANS plan and carry out a remarkable variety of humanitarian, educational, and cultural exchange programs that touch people's lives in their local communities and our world community.

ROTARY is The Rotary Foundation, which each year provides some US\$90 million for international scholarships, cultural exchanges, and humanitarian projects large and small that improve the quality of life for millions of people

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION
RCWW D CLUB RECOGNITION SUMMARY (CRS)
AS OF JUNE 2020
TOTAL ALL TIME GIVING: USD 124,417.-



ACTIVE MEMBERS

MULTIPLE PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

	USD	FRP *
Lorna Llamas	USD 8,091.38	900
Remie Calaguas	USD 7,095.38	1100
Estela Maribel Vilela	USD 6,563.51	3000
Divina Fe Boiser	USD 6,459.33	100
Teresita Yñiguez	USD 4,894.42	1500
Ma. Luisa Jacinto	USD 4,197.65	700
Vangi Schwendener	USD 3,795.38	100
Leonida Santos	USD 3,592.15	400
Luna Gaviola	USD 3,589.88	400
Armi Geralyn Espiritu	USD 3,495.38	100
Marivic Jimenez	USD 3,468.88	200
Mae Dolendo	USD 3,247.88	500
Ma. Luisa Aportadera	USD 3,239.88	500
Ma. Corazon Reyes	USD 3,184.88	200
Gina Marie Espejo	USD 3,089.88	300
Elisa Lapiña	USD 2,914.88	1400
Vegloure Maguinsay	USD 2,789.88	200
Marilou Baarde	USD 2,489.88	1000
Lisa Ponce Enrile	USD 2,400.38	200
MYRIAM TAN	USD 2,346.82	80
Belinda Fernandez	USD 2,320.38	600
Corazon Cuison	USD 2,314.88	400
Maribel Chua	USD 2,195.42	600
Jannette Valderosa	USD 2,189.88	400
Elsa Villagomez	USD 2,089.88	300

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Evelyn Ong	USD 2,095.38	100
Letty Tai	USD 1,843.46	700
Teresita Fitzback	USD 1,789.88	500
Josephine Liamzon	USD 1,759.88	100
Cecille Diaz	USD 1,518.96	500
Sylvia Austria	USD 1,389.88	600
Vanessa Madayag	USD 1,320.38	300
Fely Mahani	USD 1,314.92	300
Cheryl Gomez	USD 1,266.92	200

SUSTAINING MEMBERS:

EMMANUELLE ZHANG	USD 714.88
BAI JOHANNA ZAINAL	USD 295.38
MARYDICT T. ROSALES	USD 289.88

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

*FRP - Foundation Recognition Points available for transfer ... Transfer of FRP can only be done by the donor concerned as it requires his/her signature. Forms can be downloaded at Rotary.org (pls be guided accordingly)

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

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 Host Colors

TURQUOISE (July, October, January, Apri)

Malou Jacinto	TL	
Mae Dolendo		Marivic Jimenez
Veg Maguinsay		Nen Santos
Vangi Schwendener		Luna Gaviola
Letty Tai		Myriam Tan
Feli Mahani		Maem Zhang
Sylvia Austria		Odessa Palma Gil
Evelyn Ong		

TEAL (August, Nov. February May)

Ja Valderosa	TL	
Remie Calaguas		Fe Boiser
Tess Yñiguez		Zony Reyes
Melot Baarde		Gigi Espiritu
Ces Diaz		Elsa Villagomez
Belinda Fernandez		Bai Zainal
Jo Liamzon		Chona Lamparas

AQUAMARINE (Sept. October, March, June)

Lorna Llamas	TL	
Baby Vilela		Elisa Lapiña
Che Gomez		Lisa Ponce Enrile
Teri Fitzback		Luchie Aportadera
Vanessa Madayag		Maribel Chua
Queen Amora		Happy Rosales
Gina Espejo		Corrie Cuison

***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

Editor : PP Vangi Schwendener
Weekly Column; Pres Gigi Espiritu / PP BabyVilela,

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.

- 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 29 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 manages the implementation of the programs/projects.

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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

