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**Rotary Opens
Opportunities**

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Rotary  Invocation

Heavenly Father thank you for your amazing grace and work in our lives. Thank you for your goodness and many blessings . Thank you for bringing hope even if we go through difficult times in our lives, strengthening us even in our toughest times.. Thank you for your protection during this pandemic, Thank you for your great love and care for us. Thank you for the promises that you give us and for the comfort even if we know we don't deserve it. Give us comfort at all times and Thank you for being gracious and patient to us. AMEN

Tenth Regular Meeting PROGRAMME

Call to Order Pres Gigi Espiritu

Turnover of proceedings to the Programme Moderator Rtn Vanessa Madayag

Invocation Rtn Vanessa Madayag

National Anthem A V P

INDUCTION CEREMONY

Introducton of Inductees by sponsor
Pres Gigi Espiritu

Ma. Vida Konst (reinstatement)
Classification: Group Tours Organizer

Ma. Alessandra Elisabeth Konst
Classification: Occupational Therapy

Charging: PP Zony Reyes

Induction : Pres Gigi Espiritu

Short Responses by newly inducted members

Secretary's Time PP Baby Vilela

President's Time and Adjournment Pres Gigi Espiritu

Rotary District 3860 **Rotary Opens Opportunities**

MEMBERSHIP TRAINING SEMINAR

Via ZOOM Meeting
September 19, 2020, Saturday

12:00 PM (Meeting Room Opens)
1:00 PM – 5:00 PM (Program)

District 3860 Membership Virtual Training Seminar

Sep 19, 2020 12:00 PM
Singapore

Rotary District 3860 **Rotary Opens Opportunities**

Editors' Note

One great Rotary bonding is when members go beyond the confines of club meetings and attend District functions like seminars or conventions or simply a community service activity.

Although not practical or even allowed during the COVID times, I still have to say, out of Davao City seminar destinations for instance give us the opportunity to have our usual fun chika along the way .. Not to mention the fact that we almost always have the most luxurious ride ever (thanks to PP Lorna, PP Malou & Dir Letty) .

To those members who are always up for a long ride , you know what I am talking about .

Our talks would ranged from teleserye to Kathniel to Jadine to Anderson Cooper to Rotary — not necessarily in that order... mundane conversations but it helped one to get to know the other because our talks are mostly unfiltered.

I hope other members would take time to join other Rotary activities because the only way to really know someone is to spend time with her and in as much as the little pockets of time we give to Rotary each meeting, there is still nothing like long bonding hours together, travelling to another Rotary event and I hope our new members will be given the opportunity to savor all these.

Keeping our fingers crossed.

Hope y'all can be there when the next opportunity comes.



Best wishes

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

19 September
Rtn Maribel Chua

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

9 September
Rtn Linda & spouse Boni Fernandez

MEMBERSHIP MILESTONE

PP Che Gomez
28 September 2006

Attention pls:

If you are a September celebrant and your name is not included above, please advise the club secretary or the membership director accordingly.

Thank you !!!

Have a good one ladies .



Sisters are Special.

Sometimes they steal your clothes, but they'll always be your best friend

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Pres Impression

It is Thursday once again.

How I miss our weekly meetings in Men Seng.

The greetings we give each other every time a member arrives.

We always greet each other with a warm smile and a big hug, blow kisses to each other across the room. It would be nice to do all of these again.

We were happy to see our member Happy Togonon – Rosales last Thursday.

After her long hiatus from our weekly meetings, she accepted the invitation of PP Janet to be the speaker for the day.

Her talk was so personal that it has touched a lot of members in our club.

She talked about her family, what they did during the lockdown, how they spent the best family time they have because for a long time they have been travelling back and forth from Manila to Davao.

But because of Covid 19 they have been here in Davao for 3 months straight.

It is in times like these we get to really enjoy the company of our spouses and children.

Today is a first in the history of our club.

We will be inducting today a mother and daughter tandem.

Let us warmly welcome our former member Ma. Vida Konst and her daughter Ma Alessandra Elisabeth Konst. I am glad that these two accepted our invitation to join us.

Alex will be the youngest ever member of the Rotary Club of Waling Waling Davao

August is the birth month of our Honorary member Nonoy Aquino. He turned 80 years old this year.



Let us also remember our former Honorary Member Bob England, who would have celebrated his birthday on the same day as Hon Nonoy.

THANK YOU so much PP Vangie for always giving us the best Bloomscoop,

I am eager to see our bulletin every week.



2.9.2020: on our way to Marilog Dist. for Book Donation - more photos next week

Screen Capture



... Dir Maem Zhang (Public Image)

9th Regular Meeting of #RotaryClubofWalingWaling on August 27, 2020.

Today was a significant moment as we have one of our new members contribute a topic on her experiences.

She was introduced by PP Cheryl Leilani Mandap Gomez



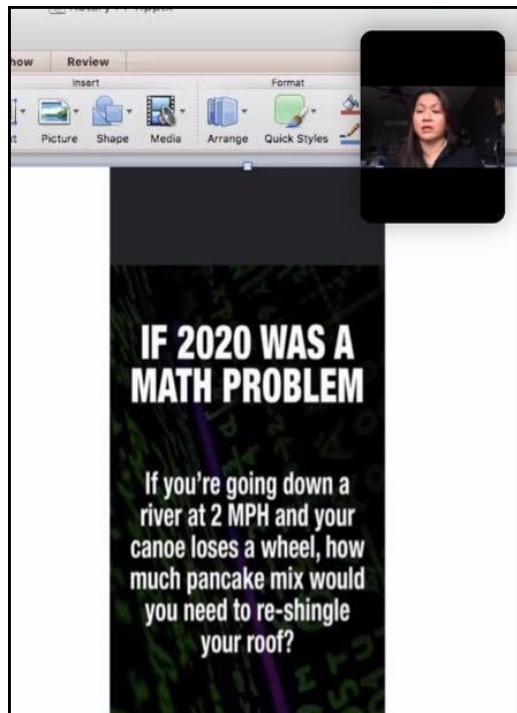
Mary Dict "Happy" Togonon Rosales a true Rotarian at heart. You are a blessing, thank you for sharing your vision with us, your employees and their children are lucky to have you there caring for them family and lives. Thank you also for sharing insights of happiness in times of covid.

Secretary's time was the update on beef and veggie delivery today for the ongoing project for pamalengke for HOH kids and their carers by club Secretary Maribel Tan Vilela

The club is every grateful to the talent and dedication of PP Evangeline C. Schwendener on our weekly wonderful #bloomscoop.

Thank you Pres Gigi for a wonderful meeting today, you are an inspiration.

Thank you to all the time and participation of the RCWWD ladies.





MA. ALESSANDRA ELISABETH S. KÖNST

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Education-

Bachelor’s Degree in Occupational Therapy
June 2019

University of Santo Tomas España Boulevard,
Sampaloc, Manila, Metro Manila

Skills-

- Can work with both children and adults-
- Has basic knowledge of pediatric, psychiatric, and physical dysfunction conditions and techniques-Organized-
- Able to accept criticism-Persistent-Good social interaction skills-Hardworking-
- Able to come up with solutions when a problem arises



Accomplishments-

- AIESEC in the Philippines Organizing Committee Vice President for Programs, National Global Village 2019 March -August 2019 Legazpi Village, Makati-
- AIESEC in UST Team Member, Incoming Exchange August 2018 –August 2019 University of Santo Tomas, España, Manila-
- AIESEC in UST Team Member, Customer Experience August 2017 –August 2018 University of Santo Tomas, España, Man
- Therapeutic Currents Features and Literary Coordinator August 2016 –May 2017 University of Santo Tomas, España, Manila-
- Therapeutic Currents Managing Editor August 2015 –May 2016 University of Santo Tomas, España, Manila-
- Academic Scholarship Santo Tomas Academic Scholar July 2014 –May 2016 University of Santo Tomas, España, Manila

IS OUR CLUB HEALTHY?

Let's all guard against the following unhealthy symptoms:

- malnutrition due to lack of commitment
- general debility due to lack of interest in participating in service projects,
- aging through loss of membership growth and vision;
- disease from carelessness in classification,
- apathy towards attendance, and
- Self above service.

(source: Winnipeg Rotary Whizz.)



Community Service Updates

PP Maribel T. Vilela
Club Secretary



August 27, 2020:

- 3 kilos ground beef,
- upo,
- sayote,
- cabbage and
- squash.

Total of beneficiaries: 62

25 Patients
37 carers





What is Rotary Literacy Month?

Rotary Literacy Month highlights literacy and education issues around the world.

Rotary Literacy Month is an excellent opportunity for Rotary clubs and districts to raise awareness about literacy, launch new literacy initiatives and projects, and recognize literacy accomplishments from the past year. Rotarians everywhere are encouraged to participate in Rotary Literacy Month by engaging in service or activities that specifically address literacy and education issues either in their communities or abroad.

Some ideas for Rotary Literacy Month activities include:

Raising awareness about literacy and education

- ♥ Invite local literacy or education experts like teachers, school administrators, government education officers, and university professors, to speak at your club's meeting about local, regional, or international literacy and education issues.
- ♥ Arrange for club members to visit local schools, universities, libraries, and tutoring centers to learn about your community's literacy and education resources.
- ♥ Facilitate a discussion session at your club's meeting about literacy and education in your community.

Take action for literacy

- ♥ Launch a new literacy project during Rotary Literacy Month
- ♥ Work with existing literacy providers to plan a literacy project
- ♥ Arrange for club members to volunteer at a tutoring center
- ♥ Begin a student mentoring program
- ♥ Encourage local businesses to offer education opportunities for employees
- ♥ Start an adult education program at a local school or community center
- ♥ Conduct a teacher training event for your district
- ♥ Conduct a literacy awareness campaign in your community
- ♥ Donate books for a community library, school supplies for under privileged students, or teaching materials for underprivileged schools

Celebrate literacy

- ♥ Arrange a community award to recognize contributions to literacy and education
- ♥ Hold a literacy ball to raise money for literacy programs in your community
- ♥ Conduct an essay contest to encourage writing among students in your community
- ♥ Arrange a literacy fair and invite local bookstores to participate, local authors to read about literacy, and local government agencies to display information about literacy and education programs

For many years, Rotarians have been active in efforts to reduce illiteracy, from building schools and paying salaries of teachers to serving as tutors to collecting and distributing books and audio visual materials to libraries.

Rotarians are working with governments to create large-scale replicable literacy projects in the developing world.

By the Way...



In 1985, Rotary declared basic literacy to be a pre-condition to the development of peace. Through this organizational emphasis, more than half the world's nearly 33,000 Rotary clubs address the full range of literacy and mathematical challenges for primary, vocational, and adult learners as well as teacher training. Many Rotary club members promote what is called "lighthouse" literacy projects – those that can be replicated easily, thereby increasing the scope of their impact.

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How Rotary makes help happen

(www.rotary.org)

Basic education and literacy is one of Rotary's six areas of focus.

We know that basic education and literacy are essential for reducing poverty, improving health, encouraging community and economic development, and promoting peace.

Consider these facts:

If all women completed primary education, there would be 66% fewer maternal deaths.

A child born to a mother who can read is 50% more likely to survive past the age of five.

If all students in low-income countries left school with basic reading skills, 171 million people could be lifted out of poverty, which would be equivalent to a 12% cut in world poverty.

The world is making good progress in this area. According to a United Nations Millennium Development Goals progress report, literacy rates among adults and youths are on the rise and the gender gap in literacy is narrowing.

But pressing global needs remain:

- 58 million children worldwide are out of school.
- Even after four years of primary schooling, as many as 250 million children cannot read and write.
- More than 775 million people over the age of 15 are illiterate.
That's 17 percent of the world's adult population.

Our goal is to strengthen the capacity of communities to support basic education and literacy, reduce gender disparity in education, and increase adult literacy. We support education for all children and literacy for children and adults.



Teacher training

We share our knowledge and experience with educators and other professionals who work with vulnerable populations.



Rotary scholarships

Rotary members invest in the future by giving scholarships to students who have the potential to change our communities.



Adult literacy

Rotary members fight adult illiteracy by working with local advocates to offer community literacy programs.



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

		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	RC Downtown Davao, Grand Men Seng Hotel
	12.15	RC South Davao, The Marco Polo Hotel
	18.30	RC Matina Davao, Apo Golf Club
	18.30	RC Davao 2000, Roadway Inn
	19.00	RC Sta. Ana Davao, Grand Men Seng Hotel
	19.00	RC Pag-Asa Davao, Lispher Inn (every 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month)
Thursday	12.15	RC Calinan JM Bargamento Hitoan
	12.30	RC Digos A & B Hotel
	18.30	RC Davao, RC Davao Club House
Friday	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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Editor : PP Vangi Schwendener
Weekly Column; Pres Gigi Espiritu / PP BabyVilela.

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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.

2020-2021 OFFICERS

Chairman- Mae Concepcion J. Dolendo
Vice-Chairman - Ma. Luisa L. Jacinto
Secretary - Remedios M. Calaguas
Treasurer- Lorna A. Llamas

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Cecile E. Diaz
Armi Geralyn G. Espiritu
Evangeline C. Schwendener
Estela Maribel T. Vilela
Teresita P. Yñiguez

Rotary International & District Leaders



HOLGER KNAACK
RI President



Rodel Riezl Reyes
District Governor



Mark Arquisa
Assistant Governor Area 2B

Honorary Members



PP Abdulah C. Aquino



Antonio VA Llamas



Efen 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

