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Chartered 20 January 1992

Service

Fellowship

Diversity

Integrity

Leadership



Waling-Waling Davao

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Club



**Rotary Opens
Opportunities**

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Dear Lord, as we enter this new month,
we ask that You draw us closer to You than we
knew was possible.

Please lead us and guide us.

Please go before us and make the rough roads
smooth.

Help us to order our days to live to the fullest
and to take nothing for granted.

We ask thank You for knowing our needs
before we ask and for being by our side.

May we be a blessing to others and point the
way to You.

Lord, we commit this day and month to Your
hands.

AMEN

(shared by Rtn Alex Könst)



30th Regular Meeting

PROGRAMME

Call to Order Pres Gigi Espiritu

Turnover of proceedings to the Programme
Moderator PP Fe Boiser

Invocation Rtn Chona Lamparas

Pambansang Awit A V P

Meeting Activity :
BUY ME
Facilitator: Rtn Vida Könst

Secretary's Time Sec/PP Baby Vilela

President's Time & Adjournment Pres Gigi Espiritu

Editor's Note

A Message Worth Sharing



"A friend is someone
who knows the song
in your heart, and
can sing it back to
you when you have
forgotten the words."



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Dir Luna Gaviola
05 February

PP Fe Boiser
15 February

PP Jannette Valderosa
22 February

MEMBERSHIP MILESTONE -

PP Vangi Schwendener
02 February 2002

TWO GOLDEN RULES TO A HAPPY MARRIAGE:



- 1, The wife is always right.
- 2, When you feel she is wrong slap yourself and read rule number 1 again.

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Pres Impression



Good day WalingWaling ladies !

We just celebrated our 29th anniversary. It is the first time that we had a simple Charter Anniversary celebration.

We usually party all night, but since we are not allowed to have that, we just had a simple celebration.

We inaugurated our Friendship Center extension and we hope that we will be accredited by CSWO to be converted into a Day Care Center.

If we could all be there at the day care you will be in awe. The friendship center and the kitchen extension is well made and clean.

The cemented flooring that looks like bricks under the covered roof that is between the two buildings made the surroundings look really clean.

We unveiled our marker at the RCWWD Day Care Center 1 in celebration of its 20 years anniversary.

It has served more than 1500 pupils.

In fact the daughter of Teacher Beth a former pupil of our day care has graduated from college and is currently working at the DSWD as a social worker.

The RCWWD has already produced college graduates.

Many former pupils enrolled their children at our Day Care.

We are blessed and fortunate that our very own Teacher Beth is dedicated and devoted to the Day Care and her pupils.

Governor Riz and the District team present told us that our RCWWD Day Care Center is the envy of their respective clubs

We have sustained it's existence and we do have our annual projects and community service without fail.

It is only this year that we missed our annual medical and dental services.

But at the start of this school year, I gave teacher Beth dental kits for the kids who has enrolled in the day care for this year.

In celebration of our Charter Anniversary food platters were brought to our respective houses.

It was prepared by the husband of PP Lisa Ponce Enrile. I would like to thank PP/Hon member Nonoy Aquino for sponsoring our food, PP/Treas Lorna for letting her driver deliver 24 of the food packs to the members.

I Thank PP Remie and PP/Treas Lorna for the site visits they made at Tibungco before the inauguration. Thank you DT/PP Malou for the snacks that was served at Tibungco. Thank you too to those who were present at the RCWWD Tibungco Day Care last Thursday, Sec/PP Baby Vilela, PP/DT Malou Jacinto, PE Janet Valderosa, Dir Luchie Apprtadera, Dir Ces Diaz, Rtn Vida and Alex Konst.

Thank you too DT Malou for our birthday Cake. VP/PP Marivic sponsored the tokens given to our Governor and his team DS Cary and DSCRF Ed.

PP Vangie from the bottom of my heart I would like to thank you for always producing our weekly BloomScoop magazine. As always it is well edited and beautifully done.

To all the Ladies in Red, I appreciate all the help and support you give to our club in your own special way.





DIR MAEM CUA-ZHANG
(Public Image)

January 30, 2021 is a great day for RCWWD because we get to celebrat Looking back, we commemorate the success of the Tibungco Day Care Center established in 2000. The ROTARY FRIENDSHIP CENTER constructed at Tibungco Relocation by Rotary Club of Waling Waling Davao District 3860 with the support of Rotary Club of Narashino Japan and Rotary International - World Community Service District 2790 - Chiba Japan together with the Department of Social Services and Development Office Tibungco Resettlement Homeowners Association was the start of the success story we now see progressing.

Where is Tibungco? Tibungco is a barangay in Bunawan, Davao City. The TIBUNGCO RESETTLEMENT AREA was awarded in 1991 to 1322 urban squatters, including garbage dwellers. There was lack of access to basic essentials like health, transportations, water, jobs and day care center.

From a barren area, the building of a RCWWD Day Care Center, Construction of Water Reservoir and the Rotary Friendship Center which is being transformed and upgraded into another RCWWD Day Care Center II produced lifetime benefits the community can use to improve their lives and the lives they touch. Since 2000 RCWWD Day Care has accomplished graduates of around 1500 students with an average yearly enrollment of 75 students who are under 5 years of age, Education level offer are in Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten classes and full accreditation by the CITY SOCIAL SERVICES and DEVELOPMENT OFFICE. A heartfelt gratitude to teacher Elizabeth Arguilla for her full time dedication that supports the advancement of children’s growth and development.

This project also engages parents and guardians to participate in the wholistic program through formal PTA membership and Rotary Village Corps. RCWWD together with The Rotary Club of Narashino, help support the LITERACY, HEALTH & NUTRITION, MOTHER’S CLASS ON REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH (to name a few).

This Rotary year 2020-2021 led by inspiring President Gigi Espiritu, despite challenging conditions, together with the support of RCWWD members, DG Riz Reyes (D-3860) and RC Narashino, we celebrate the **29th Charter Anniversary** with enthusiasm and determination to uphold service above self.





PP Maribel T. Vilela
Club Secretary

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Rotary Opens Opportunities

"Pamalengke Para Sa House of Hope"

A COVID-19 pandemic response project providing weekly food rations to kids with cancer and their carers at the House of Hope, Southern Philippines Medical Center

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



Running a Rotary club

Rotary is a grassroots organization, and its service efforts are carried out at the club level. Effective club operations include both administrative and service responsibilities.



An effective Rotary club is able to:

- Sustain or increase its membership base
- Implement successful projects that address the needs of their community and communities in other countries
- Support The Rotary Foundation through both program participation and financial contributions
- Develop leaders capable of serving in Rotary beyond the club level

Club Leadership Plan - Your Club Leadership Plan is a collection of best practices intended to strengthen clubs — the first priority of the RI Strategic Plan.

Rotarians can make their club more vibrant and engaging by developing a club leadership plan that includes the best practices of effective Rotary clubs. For a club leadership plan, consider adapting these best practices in ways that work for your club:

Developing long-range goals or a strategic plan that addresses the elements of an effective club

- Convening regular club assemblies
- Maintaining open lines of communication
- Involving all club members
- Ensuring continuity in leadership
- Amending bylaws to reflect current club practices
- Providing opportunities for networking and socializing
- Offering regular, consistent training
- Assigning committees that support your club's needs

Rotary club meetings

Club meetings allow Rotarians to learn more about Rotary, provide opportunities for fellowship, and develop future leaders.

Weekly club meetings

Club meetings give members an opportunity to enjoy fellowship and provide them with the information and motivation they need to increase their participation in activities that serve the club, the community, and the world.

Weekly meetings should feature interesting programs that enhance members' Rotary knowledge, reinforce the value of continued membership, and increase awareness of local and global issues.



The **club administration** committee is responsible for developing weekly programs under the direction of the club president

Club assemblies

A club assembly is a meeting that all members attend to discuss club programs and activities. Most clubs hold four to six assemblies per year.

Club board meetings

Board meetings should be held at least once a month. The club's board of directors is the governing body of the club and is responsible for all committee and club decisions.

Its members are typically the president, vice president (s), president-elect (or president-nominee, if no successor has been elected), secretary, treasurer, immediate past president, and additional directors, as specified in the club's bylaws.

(Rotary Training Tips www.rotary.com)





Conflict and violence displace millions of people each year. Half of those killed in conflict are children, and 90 percent are civilians.

We refuse to accept conflict as a way of life. Rotary projects provide training that fosters understanding and provides communities with the skills to resolve conflicts.

How Rotary makes help happen

Through our service projects, peace fellowships, and scholarships, our members are taking action to address the underlying causes of conflict, including poverty, inequality, ethnic tension, lack of access to education, and unequal distribution of resources.



Prevent Domestic Violence

Australia Rotary clubs raise awareness and funds to prevent domestic violence and support its victims.



Training

We help leaders learn how to prevent and mediate conflict.



In action

Rotary supports peace building in communities and regions affected by conflict.

We wage peace

The Rotarian Action Group for Peace gives Rotary members resources and support to advance world peace and turn ambitious ideas into life-changing realities.

- Help us wage peace
- We support peace

With your help, our foundation can promote peace through projects and education.

Give now

www.rotary.org/RotarianActionGroupforpeace



shared by PP Zony Reyes

Love is the most sought after feeling and experience.
It has as many definitions as there are many lovers in this world.
It would be interesting to know how to express love in different languages.

Pinoys love language:

Mahal kita Proud ako sayo
Naalala kita

Swoon-worthy French words:

Fais-moill'amor (make love to me)
Embrasse-moi (kiss me)
Je veux être avec toi petour toujours (I want to be with you forever)

Russian romantic phrases

I love you with all my heart, with all my soul-
Люблю тебя всем сердцем, всей душою- LyublyU tebyA vsem sErtsem, vsEy dushOyu
I can't live without you- Не могу жить без тебя- Ne magU zhIt' bes tebyA

KOREAN love quotes

Naega nae insaengeseo mueonga jalhan ge itdamyeon dangsinege nae maeumeul jun geosida.
내가 내 인생에서 무언가 잘한 게 있다면 당신에게 내 마음을 준 것이다.
(s) if I did anything right in my life, it was when I gave my heart to you.

Dangsingwa hamkke inneun gosi naega gajang joahaneun gosimnida.
당신과 함께 있는 곳이 내가 제일 좋아하는 곳입니다.
Together with you is my favorite place to be.

Naega sarangi mwonji andamyeon dangsin deokbunimda.
내가 사랑이 뭔지 안다면 당신 덕분입니다.
(s) If I know what love is, it is because of you.

Argentinian love quotes

Eres mi todo. – You are my everything.
Besarte es como ver las estrellas. – To kiss you is like seeing stars
Te deseo. – I want / desire you.



THE ROTARY FOUNDATION
RCWWD CLUB RECOGNITION SUMMARY (CRS)
AS OF SEPTEMBER 2020
TOTAL ALL TIME GIVING: USD 130.317.-



ACTIVE MEMBERS

MULTIPLE PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

		FRP *
Lorna Llamas	USD 8,191.38	1000
Remie Calaguas	USD 7,195.38	1200
Estela Maribel Vilela	USD 6,663.51	3100
Divina Fe Boiser	USD 6,559.92	200
Teresita Yñiguez	USD 4,994.42	1600
Armi Geralyn Espiritu	USD 4495.38	1300
Ma. Luisa Jacinto	USD 4,297.65	800
Mae Dolendo	USD 4,247.88	1500
Gina Marie Espejo	USD 4,089.88	1300
Vangi Schwendener	USD 3,895.38	200
Leonida Santos	USD 3,592.15	400
Luna Gaviola	USD 3,689.88	500
Marivic Jimenez	USD 3,569.88	300
Ma. Luisa Aportadera	USD 3,339.88	600
Ma. Corazon Reyes	USD 3,284.88	300
Elisa Lapiña	USD 2,914.88	1400
Vegloure Maguinsay	USD 2,889.88	300
Marilou Baarde	USD 2,589.88	1100
Lisa Ponce Enrile	USD 2,400.38	200
MYRIAM TAN	USD 2,346.32	800
Belinda Fernandez	USD 2,320.38	600
Corazon Cuison	USD 2,314.88	400
Jannette Valderosa	USD 2,289.88	500
Maribel Chua	USD 2,195.42	600
Elsa Villagomez	USD 2,189.88	400
Evelyn Ong	USD 2,095.38	100

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

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
Vida Konst	USD 1,400	
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:

EMMANOELLE 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	

RCWWD 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
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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
 Veg Maguinsay
 Vangi Schwendener
 Letty Tai
 Feli Mahani
 Sylvia Austria
 Evelyn Ong

Marivic Jimenez
 Nen Santos
 Luna Gaviola
 Myriam Tan
 Maem Zhang
 Odessa Palma Gil

TEAL (August, Nov. February May)

Ja Valderosa **TL**
 Remie Calaguas
 Tess Yñiguez
 Melot Baarde
 Ces Diaz
 Belinda Fernandez
 Jo Liamzon
 Vida Könst

Fe Boiser
 Zony Reyes
 Gigi Espiritu
 Elsa Villagomez
 Bai Zainal
 Chona Lamparas
 Alex Könst

AQUAMARINE (Sept. December, March, June)

Lorna Llamas **TL**
 Baby Vilela
 Che Gomez
 Teri Fitzback
 Vanessa Madayag
 Queen Amora
 Gina Espejo

Elisa Lapiña
 Lisa Ponce Enrile
 Luchie Aportadera
 Maribel Chua
 Happy Rosales
 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.

2020-2021 OFFICERS

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

TRUSTEES

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

