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We thank you for the rest & shelter of the night, and for each new pleasant morning light; for food and loving care, and all that makes the day so fair.

Help us to do the things we should, to be to others kind and good; In all we do, in work or play, to grow more loving every day.

For love and friends, and for everything Your goodness sends.

AMEN

Ralph Waldo Emerson - 1803-1882

**APRIL : Maternal & Child Care Month**



### 38th Regular Meeting PROGRAMME

**Call to Order** Pres Gigi Espiritu

**Turnover of proceedings to the Programme**  
**Moderator** PP Nen Santos

**Invocation** Rtn Myriam Tan

**Pambansang Awit** A V P

Introduction of the Guest Speaker PP Mae Dolendo

**House of Hope Foundation's digital fundraising initiative**  
**Plant for Hope, a live-selling fundraising activity on April 23, 2021.**

**OPEN FORUM**

**Awarding of Certificate of Appreciation by**  
**Pres Gigi Espiritu**

**Secretary's Time** Sec/PP Baby Vilela

**President's Time & Adjournment** Pres Gigi Espiritu

## Thursday Thoughts

For several years, APRIL was considered Magazine Month.

Why RI changed the month's theme remains a mystery to me.

Being future Rotary leaders, be aware that at least 10% of your Rotary life will be devoted to writing (i.e. messages, speeches, etc) and it is very important to know the hows, the when and the what.

Of course you can still employ a ghost writer, but still, a good speech or a good literary is something that comes from your heart

The Filipino's penchant for voraciously reading issues especially showbiz oriented ones has been a source of big income for tabloid magazines all over the country. We have to wonder though why some reporters or as they call themselves feature writers can get away with maligning other people's reputation on the pretext that they are just doing their job, ... düh !

There are a lot of things we really want to know, like when and where does responsible journalism start and end? Do journalists also consider text messages as gospel truth worthy of printing? I hope somebody can enlighten us more on this because in my opinion, some "journalists" are really big in abusing this what they called press freedom.

Enjoy the fruitful afternoon with our dear RCWWD friend PP Arleen Aportadera. She will talk on our club's pet project, The House of Hope.

– and don't forget...

THE PEN IS MIGHTIER THAN THE SWORD.  
So watch what you write.  
You might end up hurting someone you love.



### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

01 April Alex Könst

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

18 April PP Che & Jun Gomez



**Volunteers**  
are not paid  
because they are  
worthless,  
they are not paid  
because they are  
**Priceless!**



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RCWWD members' TRF  
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Monthly Host Group /  
Rotary Club Meetings  
Schedule Davao Clubs)

## Guest Speaker

### ARLEEN SAN JOSE APORTADERA

Address: First St. Horseshoe Drive, Jereza Subd.,  
Bajada, Davao City, Philippines

Age 66 years old  
Retired Banker



#### EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT:

- Graduated Elementary at Tagum Pilot Elementary School,
- Graduated High School at the University of Mindanao, Tagum Branch
- Graduated College, BSC with Banking & Finance Major at the University of Mindanao, Davao Main. A JET scholar

#### AFFILIATIONS:

**Rotary International, District 3860** -  
Active member of RC Downtown RY 1993-1998

- President of the Rotary Club of Pag-Asa Davao RY 2000-2001 & RY 2017-  
A Multiple Paul Harris Fellow (+ 5)

Held various positions in the Club the District of RI, District 3860.

#### District 3860 positions held

Alumni Chairman

Rotary Foundation Committee RY 2013-2014

Member, Editorial Board-Dist. 3860, RY 1999-2000

District Rotaract Chairman for Mindanao, for 4 years, RY 2001-2005

Asst. Governor for Zone 2A for 2 yrs RY 2006-2007; 2007-2008

District Chairman for Membership – Mindanao Area RY 2009-2010

District Rotaract Chairman, VizMin RY 2010-2011

District 3860 GSE Team Leader to Sydney, Australia RY 2010-2011

#### Davao Children's Cancer Fund, Inc

Secretary, 2013 – 2014  
Treasurer, 2015- 2016

#### House of Hope Foundation for Kids with Cancer, Inc. – Treasurer, 2017 - August, 2020

August 2020 to present – Fundraising Manager

Foundation Project Coordinator: August, 2019 -  
Dinner For A Cause Souvenir Program

Fellow – ALSAC/St. Jude Jumpstart Global Fellowship Class of 2020-2021

#### WORK EXPERIENCE:

1975 - 1977 = Loyola Life Plan, Inc.

1977 – 1996 = Traders Royal Bank (now Bank of Commerce)

◦ rose from the ranks and held the last position of Manager and Branch Head of then Traders Royal Bank, Davao Main

1996 – 2000 = Pirated by then Fareast Bank and Trust Company, Bajada Branch as Branch Manager

2000 to 2015= until its merger with Bank of the Philippine Islands in 2000  
Held the position of Relationship Manager,  
Preferred Banking of BPI-Davao Corporate Center, D.C., Tagum Pioneer and Quirante Branches  
Preferred Banking of BPI-Davao JP Laurel,  
BPI-Gaisano Mall and  
BPI-Abreeza Mall Branches

February, 2015 Retired as Senior Manager

SPOUSE: ATTY ALBERTO RAFAEL "Albert" L. APORTADERA

2 children and 3 grandchildren

Rotary Club of Waling-Waling Davao

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# 37th Regular Meeting

April 8, 2021 | 1:00 PM via Zoom Meetings

Meeting ID: 8914022162 | Passcode: rcwwd

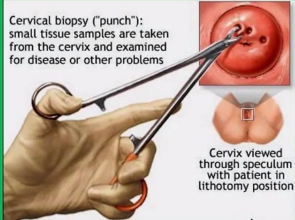


**Topic: "Women Matters- Screening for Cervical Cancer"**

**Dr. Gina Lopez-Batuto**  
Guest Speaker

**Kung positibo sa screening...**

Cervical biopsy ("punch"): small tissue samples are taken from the cervix and examined for disease or other problems



Cervix viewed through speculum with patient in lithotomy position

**BIOPSY sa CERVIX ang kinakailangan upang MAPATUNAYAN na may CERVICAL KANSER**

POGS Women's Reproductive Health Advocacy

Thank You Dra. Gina for a highly educational and entertaining afternoon.

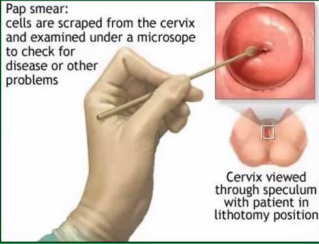
We learned a lot and fear has slightly diminished knowing that there is a chance for a cure.

**Paano malalaman at maaagapan ang Cervical Kanser?**


REGULAR NA SCREENING

**1. PAP SMEAR**

Pap smear: cells are scraped from the cervix and examined under a microscope to check for disease or other problems




Cervix viewed through speculum with patient in lithotomy position



**Paano malalaman at maaagapan ang Cervical Kanser?**


REGULAR NA SCREENING

**2. Visual Inspection with Acetic Acid (VIA)**




Sankaranarayanan et al Int J Gynaecol Obstet 2005; 89 Suppl 2: S4-S12


**Pamamaraan ng gamutan:**



**OPERASYON**



**RADIATION**



**CHEMOTHERAPY**

POGS Women's Reproductive Health Advocacy





**PP Maribel T. Vilela**  
Club Secretary



**"Pamalengke Para Sa House of Hope"**

**FOOD RATION  
DELIVERED MARCH  
30, 2021  
CHICKEN LEG  
QUARTERS  
ANTIBIOTIC FREE  
EGGS  
FISH  
VARIOUS FRESH  
VEGGIES  
SOTANGHON  
NOODLES**



**Food ration delivered to  
HOH April 6, 2021  
Whole Dressed Chicken  
Antibiotic free Eggs  
Various fresh veggies  
Grated Coconut  
Lemon Grass  
Kalamansi**



# C'est la vie



## The Secret to Happiness Is Helping Others

By Jenny Santi

There is a Chinese saying that goes: *"If you want happiness for an hour, take a nap. If you want happiness for a day, go fishing. If you want happiness for a year, inherit a fortune. If you want happiness for a lifetime, help somebody."*

For centuries, the greatest thinkers have suggested the same thing:

**Happiness is found in helping others.**

**For it is in giving that we receive —  
Saint Francis of Assisi**

**The sole meaning of life is to serve humanity —  
Leo Tolstoy**

**We make a living by what we get; we make a life  
by what we give — Winston Churchill**

And so we learn early: It is better to give than to receive. The venerable aphorism is drummed into our heads from our first slice of a shared birthday cake. But is there a deeper truth behind the truism?

The resounding answer is yes. Scientific research provides compelling data to support the anecdotal evidence that giving is a powerful pathway to personal growth and lasting happiness.

Through MRI technology, we now know that giving activates the same parts of the brain that are stimulated by food and sex.

Experiments show evidence that altruism is hardwired in the brain—and it's pleasurable. Helping others may just be the secret to living a life that is not only happier but also healthier, wealthier, more productive, and meaningful.

But it's important to remember that giving doesn't always feel great. The opposite could very well be true: Giving can make us feel depleted and taken advantage of.

Here are some tips to that will help you give not until it hurts, but until it feels great:

### **Find your passion**

Our passion should be the foundation for our giving. It is not how much we give, but how much love we put into giving. It's only natural that we will care about this and not so much about that, and that's OK. It should not be simply a matter of choosing the right thing, but also a matter of choosing what is right for us.

### **Give your time**

The gift of time is often more valuable to the receiver and more satisfying for the giver than the gift of money. We don't all have the same amount of money, but we all do have time on our hands, and can give some of this time to help others—whether that means we devote our lifetimes to service, or just give a few hours each day or a few days a year.

**Give to organizations with transparent aims and results** According to Harvard scientist Michael Norton, *"Giving to a cause that specifies what they're going to do with your money leads to more happiness than giving to an umbrella cause where you're not so sure where your money is going."*

### **Find ways to integrate your interests and skills with the needs of others**

*"Selfless giving, in the absence of self-preservation instincts, easily becomes overwhelming,"*

says Adam Grant, author of *Give & Take*.

It is important to be **"otherish,"** which he defines as being willing to give more than you receive, but still keeping your own interests in sight.

### **Be proactive, not reactive**

We have all felt the dread that comes from being cajoled into giving, such as when friends ask us to donate to their fundraisers. In these cases, we are more likely to give to avoid humiliation rather than out of generosity and concern. This type of giving doesn't lead to a warm glow feeling; more likely it will lead to resentment. Instead we should set aside time, think about our options, and find the best charity for our values.

### **Don't be guilt-tripped into giving**

I don't want to discourage people from giving to good causes just because that doesn't always cheer us up. If we gave only to get something back each time we gave, what a dreadful, opportunistic world this would be! Yet if we are feeling guilt-tripped into giving, chances are we will not be very committed over time to the cause.

The key is to find the approach that fits us.

When we do, then the more we give, the more we stand to gain purpose, meaning and happiness—all of the things that we look for in life but are so hard to find.

### **Jennifer Rose "Jenny" Santi**

(born 1980) is a Filipino-born author and philanthropy advisor, former Head of Philanthropy Services for UBS in Southeast Asia, and currently the founder of the philanthropic advisory firm Saint & Partners and author of the book *"The Giving Way to Happiness: Stories & Science Behind the Life-Changing Power of Giving"*



Maternal and child care, along with household food security, adequate health services and a healthy environment is a third necessary (but in itself insufficient) precondition for adequate nutrition.

In fact, 'care' may be considered as a pivotal link between these two other conditions, representing the behavioural component of intra-household decision-making and resource use. It refers to the provision in the household and the community, of time, attention and support to meet the physical, mental and social needs of the growing child and other family members. In the child nutrition context, most importantly it involves the optimal use of household resources for child feeding, protection from infection, and care for the sick child. While the issue of 'caring capacity' refers to all the household members -- male and female -- who are potential caretakers of child in practice in India, the main responsibility for child care lies with the mother (who often also has a major role as an income-earner). Her capacity to manage the many competing demands on her time will govern the degree to which she can maintain a clean household environment, feed her children, care for them when sick as well as providing and preparing food for other household members.

In turn, this capacity will be governed by the quantity, control and use of resources such as food, income, time and knowledge. The control of such resources at a societal level may be influenced by factors such as her socio-economic and educational status. We thus start with an examination of the feeding and caring practices in the household before examining the possible basic causes relating to the role of women in Indian society and their educational status and literacy levels relative to men.

The type of care received at child birth is often critical for the health and survival of both infant and mother. A significant proportion of neo-natal deaths is attributed to poor birth practices. During 1987, only about 32% of births in rural areas and 74% in urban areas were in institutions or attended to by trained personnel (Registrar General of India 1979-86). Traditional birth attendants are unable to attend to complications and health professionals are contacted too late.

Both these factors point to the need to identify mothers at risk during the prenatal period.



Recent reports show that tetanus toxoid immunization coverage is 77% of pregnant women in India (EPI 1990)

Started in 1960, and boosted in the second half of the 1980s by the immunisation mission, this intervention is picking up as part of ante-natal care (see Figure 18). The national average of tetanus toxoid coverage however masks variations between states ranging from 16% in Assam to 99% in Kerala.

Even though abortion has been legalized in India since 1972, mortality and morbidity due to illegal abortions and birth attention by incompetent persons in unhygienic conditions remain a major problem, mainly because of ignorance of the law and inaccessibility of professional services in rural areas. Only around half a million pregnancy terminations were performed through the health services in the fiscal year 1987-88 which is around 9% of the induced abortions likely to have been performed during the same period. Since the inception of this formal facility in 1972, 5.8 million abortions have been performed under it; less than the total number of induced abortions likely to happen in one year (UNICEF 1990 p15). Induced abortions in fact reflect an unmet need of women for family planning, and highlight gaps between demand for family planning on one hand and availability, accessibility and actual use of services on the other.

India is the first country to launch an official family planning programme to control population. However, the programme has not had the desired impact. The trend in the percentage of couples protected by various methods of family planning are shown in Figure 19. The target fixed by the National Health Policy is to cover 60% couples by 2000 AD, while the present protection is 41% (all methods). Efforts must be made through different channels of mass media to propagate the acceptance of a small family norm.

**Source: Govt. of India Ministry of Health and Family Welfare**



# Rotarian Action Group for Population & Development

## Rotarians taking action to improve maternal and child health

By the Rotarian Action Group for Population and Development (RFPD)

We believe that maternal and child health is not only an important area of focus, but the most important of the six areas of focus.

Women in the twentieth century have achieved significant progress in the economically progressive areas of the world.

Meanwhile, women and girls in non-developed countries have a much more difficult life, especially in comparison to their male counterparts.

Many of these women and girls accept their inferior social status and tend to fall into traditional roles.

Economic depression often times forces extended families to live together under one roof, leaving young women who desire to make even the smallest change in their lives to fall under the subordinate customs and values of their parents and their grandparents.

In addition, many non-developed countries still commonly marry off underage girls, many of who are under the age of thirteen but the vast majority being under the age of 18.

This not only impacts their opportunity for an education, but has a profound effect on the number of pregnancy-related complications that occur for girls who are not physiologically ready to bare children.

To combat this, we must address family planning to reduce 30% of maternal deaths which will ultimately empower women and achieve a demographic dividend for developing countries.



**RFPD meeting with the local community.**



**Mother with children in hospital.**



### The Rotarian Action Group for Population and Development (RFPD)

is a resource in the Maternal and Child Health area of focus and supports clubs and districts in initiating, planning and implementing professional projects.

Our group is headed by three dedicated leaders from around the world: Mr. Buck Lindsay of the U.S., Prof. Robert Zinser of Germany, and Dr. Emmanuel Adelodolapo Lufadeju of Nigeria.

Each has served in various leadership roles in Rotary International and has a vast network of Rotary contacts.

As an organization of 20,000 Rotary members, we address the population crisis around the world.

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RFPD agrees that more aid is needed in this area.

We are dedicated to motivating the 1.2 million Rotarians around the world in developing and implementing projects that directly address population issues.

**THE ROTARY FOUNDATION**  
**RCWWDC CLUB RECOGNITION SUMMARY (CRS)**  
**AS OF MARCH 2021**  
**TOTAL ALL TIME GIVING: USD 136,050.—**



**ACTIVE MEMBERS**

**MULTIPLE PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS**

	USD	FRP *
Lorna Llamas	USD 8,255.88	1100
Remie Calaguas	USD 7,257.88	1300
Divina Fe Boiser	USD 7,144.42	800
Estela Maribel Vilela	USD 6,728.01	3200
Armi Geralyn Espiritu	USD 6,079.88	1700
Teresita Yñiguez	USD 5,058.92	1700
Ma. Luisa Jacinto	USD 4,862.15	1400
Mae Dolendo	USD 4,337.38	1600
Gina Marie Espejo	USD 4,152.38	1400
Marivic Jimenez	USD 4,136.38	800
Vangi Schwendener	USD 3,959.88	200
Leonida Santos	USD 3,754.65	600
Luna Gaviola	USD 3,754.38	600
Ma. Luisa Aportadera	USD 3,404.38	700
Ma. Corazon Reyes	USD 3,349.38	300
Elisa Lapiña	USD 3,077.38	1500
Vegloure Maguinsay	USD 3,054.38	500
Marilou Baarde	USD 2,654.38	1200
MYRIAM TAN	USD 2,510.82	1000
Lisa Ponce Enrile	USD 2,464.88	200
Belinda Fernandez	USD 2,384.88	600
Corazon Cuison	USD 2,377.38	500
Jannette Valderosa	USD 2,354.38	600
Maribel Chua	USD 2,357.92	800
Elsa Villagomez	USD 2,256.38	500
Evelyn Ong	USD 2,157.38	200

**PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS**

Teresita Fitzback	USD 1,954.38	700
Josephine Liamzon	USD 1,922.38	300
Letty Tai	USD 1,907.96	800
Cecille Diaz	USD 1,683.46	600
Vida Konst	USD 1,400	
Sylvia Austria	USD 1,389.88	800
Vanessa Madayag	USD 1,384.88	300
Fely Mahani	USD 1,377.42	400
Cheryl Gomez	USD 1,331.42	300

**SUSTAINING MEMBERS:**

EMMANOELLE ZHANG	USD 779.38	
BAI JOHANNA ZAINAL	USD 459.88	
MARYDICT T. ROSALES	USD 456.38	
ALESSANDRA KONST	USD 300.-	
LAMPARAS, CHONA	USD 199.38	
PALMA GIL, ODESSA	USD 164.50	
QUEEN AMORA	USD 99.38	

**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	

**RCWWDC FAMILY OF ROTARY**

	USD	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 ... Transfer of FRP can only be done by the donor concerned as it requires his/her signature. Forms can be downloaded at [Rotary.org](http://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**

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**MONTHLY SPECIAL OBSERVANCES IN ROTARY**

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

## Monthly Host Colors

### TURQUOISE (July, October, January, April)

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

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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 11<sup>th</sup> 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  
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Secretary - Remedios M. Calaguas  
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**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

