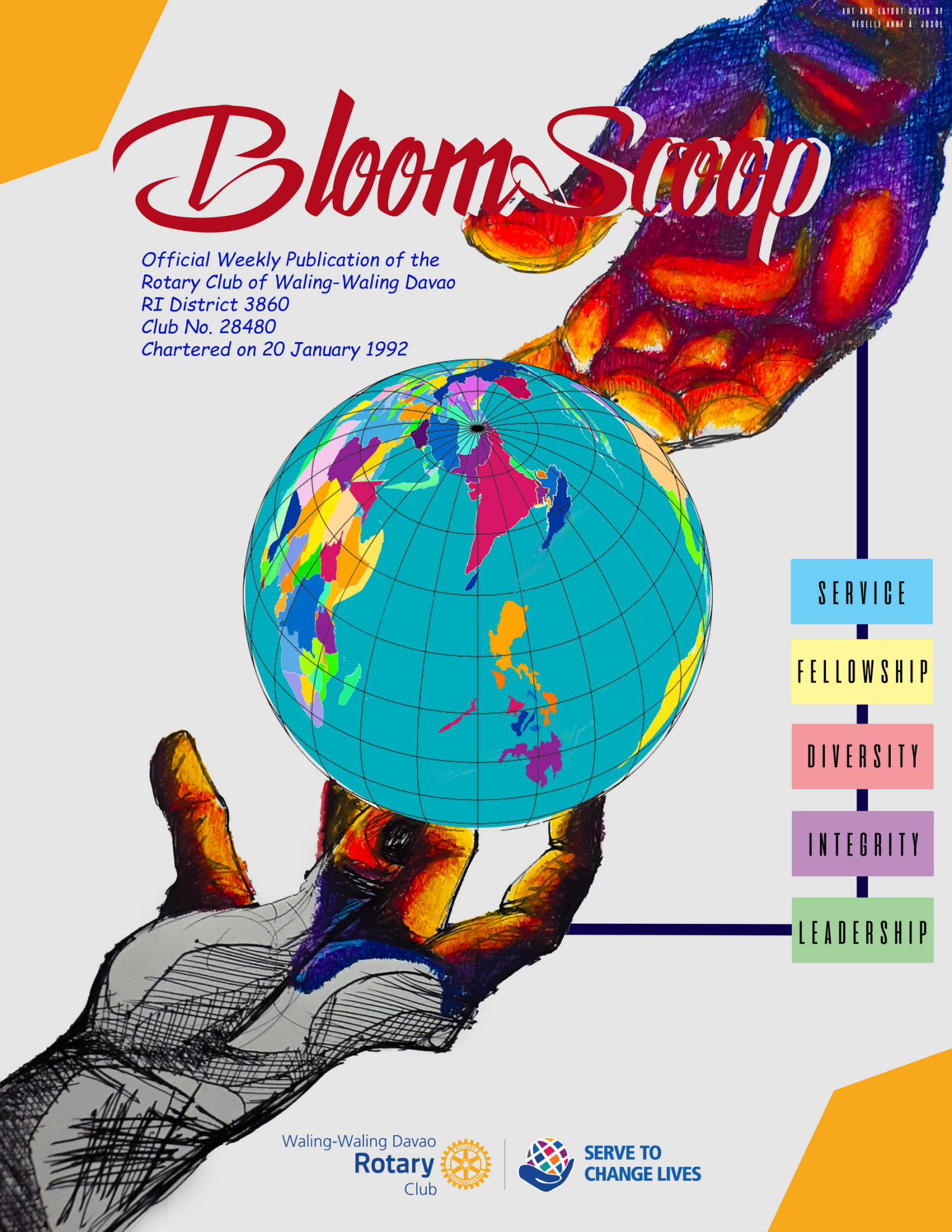


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Zoom Etiquette (Do's and Don't's)

- Log in at least 5 minutes before the start of the meeting.
- Please keep your audio on mute.
- Use video whenever possible.
- Raise your hand if you have questions using the 'RAISE HAND' button found on the lower center under 'REACTIONS.' Wait for the host or moderator to call you.
- Make sure your background is appropriate when your video is on.
- Control background noise to the best of your ability.
- Position the camera well.
- No eating while the meeting is ongoing.
- Wear appropriate clothes.
- When the speaker is talking, he/she may not be able to let anyone in during their time as they become the host of the Zoom meeting. Kindly wait patiently in the waiting room. As soon as the controls are transferred again to the President, Working Secretary, or Moderator, you will be let in.

A Letter from the Editor-in-Chief



Ma. Alessandra
Elisabeth Könst

Adviser for the Rotaract
Club of Waling-Waling
Davao • Membership
Committee Member

December is the Rotary month of Disease Prevention & Treatment Month. Last week, we had our guest speaker, Ma. Delta San Antonia-Aguilar, MD, DPPS, DPIDSP, who specializes in Infectious and Tropical Diseases in Pediatrics. While I was unable to attend her talk last week due to conflicting schedules, I'm sure her talk enlightened members who attended the regular meeting on the different diseases that children can get, which is definitely in-line with the Rotary theme of the month.

Our December schedule is jam-packed with other events, such as our upcoming elections, semi-annual reporting of our accomplishments, and Christmas party. We are ending the year 2021 with a bang!

Cheers!

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MONTHLY OBSERVANCES IN ROTARY

- AUGUST - Membership & Extension Month
- SEPTEMBER - Basic Education & Literacy Month
- OCTOBER - Economic & Community Development
- NOVEMBER - The Rotary Foundation Month
- DECEMBER - Disease Prevention & Treatment Month
- JANUARY - Vocational Service Month
- FEBRUARY - Peace & Conflict Prevention/Resolution Month
- MARCH - Water & Sanitation Month
- APRIL - Maternal & Child Care Month
- MAY - Youth Service Month
- JUNE - Rotary Fellowship Month

DECEMBER CELEBRATIONS

BIRTHDAYS

- December 1 - Marivic Jimenez
- December 8 - Mae Dolendo
- December 9 - Evelyn Ong
- December 16 - Luchi Aportadera
- December 21 - Gina Espejo
- December 30 - Vangi Schwendener

WEDDING

ANNIVERSARIES

- December 1 - Marivic & Ely Jimenez
- December 20 - Luna & Odi Gaviola
- December 21 - Gigi & Binot Espiritu
- December 27 - Mae & Gabriel Dolendo

MEMBERSHIP

MILESTONES

- December 5, 2002
 - Malou Jacinto
 - Luna Gaviola
- December 28, 1996
 - Fe Boiser
- December 31, 1999
 - Tess Yñiguez

Programme

Call to Order	Pres. Jannette Valderosa
Turnover of Proceedings to the Moderator	PP Vegloure Maguinsay
Invocation	AVP
Pambansang Awit	AVP
Report of Club Accomplishments from July to December 2021	Pres. Jannette Valderosa
Treasurer's Report	Treas. Maribel Chua
Declaration of Club Election Results	PE Vanessa Madayag
Secretary's Time	PP/Sec. Estela Maribel Vilela
President's Time & Adjournment	Pres. Jannette Valderosa



Dear God,

Being in Rotary allows us to serve others. We ask that you help us remember always the Four Way Test as we work today and everyday towards the Seven Areas of Focus. Help us to serve humbly and willingly as we elect new officers for the needs of our organization and community. Thank you for our Past Officers and Working Officers for shaping our club in what it is today. We lift up to You the gifts and help us to use them wisely.

Amen.

Contributed by Dir. Emmanouelle Zhang

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President's Tillage



*Pres. Jannette
Valderosa*
Club President

Waling-Waling (Davao)
Rotary
Club



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

The most wonderful time of the year is upon us! Beautiful tree lights can be seen from people's windows, Christmas carols echo in the air, and families gather to enjoy full house feasts.

December is where the story of a year stops. When it all concludes and we see where the line is drawn between an ending and a new beginning, we choose what to hold on to, to bring along on our new ride, what to let go of, and what to leave behind.

It is hard to have a clear mind when we're deep into the middle of something. Our judgment gets clouded by the feelings ruling us at the moment, but after the storm passes, we can look back and start to analyze, pinpoint our mistakes, and know the right calls. What better month than December, the last month of the year, to figure this out. Before we wrap up our year, let's reflect on the things we did learn from them, and embrace it all to move ahead in life.

Let's get out and enjoy. Let's make it a December to remember.

Jannette

Club Express

HOUSE OF HOPE



PP/Sec. Estela
Maribel Vilela
Club Secretary



Last December 1, 2021, food rations were delivered to the House of Hope. 16 patients and 19 carers received these generous donations. Below is the list of what was given:

- 16 pieces of whole dressed chicken donated by the RCWWD members; and
- 5 trays of antibiotic-free eggs donated by PP Vegloure Maguinsay (3) and HM Dave Vilela (2).



FIELD OF DREAMS

Last December 1, 2021, food donations were provided for the Field of Dreams in the form of:

- 6 trays of eggs from Rtn. Maria Vida Könst (2 - weekly pledge) and Friends of Rotary (4);
- 3 pieces of whole-dressed chicken from PP/Sec. Estela Maribel Vilela (2) and Friends of Rotary (1); and
- 3 kilograms of adobo cuts from Friends of Rotary.



CELEBRATING THE GIFT OF LIFE (PP MARIVIC JIMENEZ) WITH THE CHILDREN AT FIELD OF DREAMS



Rotary Voices

Notice of Annual Club Officer Election of the Rotary Club of Waling-Waling Davao December 16, 2021

Election Rules and Regulations

- **COMELEC**
 - The Committee shall consist of Immediate Past President, Incumbent President, and President-Elect, who shall be the presiding officer.
 - **President-Elect Vanessa Madayag** is the presiding officer.
- **Criteria for Nomination**
 - President Nominee and Vice-President Nominee must be:
 - an active member of good standing (no outstanding account) for at least one year;
 - an incumbent member (elected) of the Board;
 - committed to Rotary goals; and
 - must have an attendance record of 60% during the year.
- **Other Officer Nominees / Director Nominees must be:**
 - an active member of good standing (no outstanding account) ;
 - committed to Rotary goals; and
 - must have an attendance record of 60% during the year.
- **Qualified for Nomination for President Nominee & Vice President**
 - Cecile Diaz
 - Gina Marie Espejo
 - Teresita Fitzback
 - Chona Lamparas
 - Maribel Chua
 - Belinda Fernandez
 - Luna Gaviola
 - Leticia Tai
 - Emmanouelle Zhang
- **President Nominee Bai Zainal is President for RY 2023-2024**
- **Qualified for nominations for other positions / BOD**
 - All of the above names, plus
 - Sylvia Austria
 - Ma. Alessandra Elisabeth Könst



SERVICE ABOVE SELF

Rotary Voices

Member Satisfaction Survey (Second Part)



Rtn. Sophiya
Anneska Avisado
Membership Committee
Member

3. How would you rate the following aspects of our weekly meetings?

Q: Rotary International updates:

A: 50% Good; 7.1% Fair; 42.9% Excellent

Q: Length

A: 28.6% Excellent; 64.3% Good; 7.1% Fair

Q: Meeting time and day

A: 60.7% Excellent; 35.7% Good

Q: Speakers and programs

A: 64.3% Excellent; 32.1% Good

Comments:

- Since it is still the pandemic, it is very hard to socialize.
- Online meetings have advantage of being interactive at meetings at the comfort of each members' home/office
- Start and end on time
- A good venue for exchange of ideas and fellowship
- Need more love and encouragement
- Since our meeting is through zoom, it is inevitable that sometimes we get disconnected because of poor internet connections or sometimes our internet is really not up to par so we fail to attend the meeting. Before the Covid 19 pandemic, our meetings were really fun, interesting and enjoyable. Something we look forward to every Thursday.

4. What are your opinions about our club's service projects?

Q: Total number of service projects

A: 96.4% Just right

Q: Number of community service projects

A: 100% Just right

Q: Service projects are well organized

A: 96.4% Agree

Q: Service projects make a difference in the community or the world

A: 100% Agree

Q: Service projects are meaningful to me

A: 100% Agree

Comments:

- Everything is in order.
- I love to participate in community service projects.
- We make sure that all our service projects would help our communities
- Solicit proposals from members for new projects.
- We have very good service projects
- Satisfied with current club projects
- RCWWD never run out of service projects that are worthwhile

5. Thinking about communication and responsiveness in our Rotary club, indicate your agreement with the following statements.

Q: My club does a good job communicating to members

A: 71.4% Agree; 28.6% Somewhat Agree

Q: My club does a good job listening to members

A: 67.9% Agree; 32.1% Somewhat agree

Q: My club seeks input and ideas from members

A: 78.6% Agree; 21.4% Somewhat agree

Q: My club regularly acts upon members' input and ideas

A: 67.9% Agree; 32.1% Somewhat agree

Q: I am comfortable with the pace of change in my club

A: 85.7% Agree; 10.7% Somewhat agree

Q: My club works to update club processes and rules to meet the needs of its members

A: 64.3% Agree; 32.1% Somewhat agree

Comments:

- Explore more strategies on fund raising ·our club listens to all members suggestions and new ideas
- A fee members do not express their opinions clearly
- RCWWD is one club where many of the past presidents are still very much active in the planning activities. While I think this makes our club successful, I think that past Presidents should take the role of good advisers only so that the younger members will be able to take in more responsibility.
- To work on revisiting the club processes & rules for needed changes. Some members need to acquire good listening skills.
- Make time to contact & reconnect w/ Members who are on the roster who seldom attend meetings. As an RCWWD their attendance & presence is as important as paying their dues.
- Club board is sensitive to members
- I think we are evolving which is a good thing.
- Address all concerns immediately
- Hopefully, we can make a handbook available to our new members to know what are the dos and don'ts as well as pertinent information. It may be done electronically.
- Open communication to members specially those who dont attend meetings regularly.
- I somewhat agree as there is still room for improvement
- Relationship is crucial
- The club has really involved its members in its undertakings, projects and activities and has sought and listened to the members ideas and suggestions.





YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR
**CHRISTMAS
PARTY**

16TH THUR DEC 2021

Time: 1 - 2 PM

Where: held virtually via Zoom




During our Christmas party, we want everyone to join the festivities. As such, we will be having a program, composed of the following:

-  A Christmas Dance to Remember
-  My Red Manita (exchanging of gifts)

Make sure to deliver your gift to your manita before the day of the Christmas party!

There will also be **winners for A Christmas Dance to Remember**, so come prepared! This will be sent via **video to the Working Secretary** not later than Wednesday, December 15, 2021, 12NN, or your group will be DISQUALIFIED. This will be presented on the day of the Christmas party. The judges will be Rtns. Sophiya Anneska Avisado and Ma. Alessandra Elisabeth Könst, both of whom will choose the BEST CHOREOGRAPHY, BEST COSTUME, and MOST ENTERTAINING. We will announce the winners soon after! Prizes are in store, so what are you waiting for?

Attend, too, in your most festive outfits. Each group will have a color theme to wear during our party. They are as follows (be as creative as you can be!):

-  The Trailblazers: Rudolph the RED-nosed Reindeer (**RED**)
-  The Pathfinders: BLUE Christmas (**BLUE**)
-  The Changemakers: WHITE Christmas (**WHITE**)

We will be giving prizes to the top three (3) best outfits (1 per group), so flaunt your stuff!

See you then, Ladies in Red!



The Rotary Foundation

RCWWD Club Recognition Summary

AS OF SEPTEMBER 2021

Total All Time Giving: USD 144,315-

Active Members

Multiple Paul Harris Fellows

Name	Amount	FRP
Ma. Luisa Jacinto	USD 9,000.00 +8	5400
Lorna Llamas	USD 9,000.00 +8	400
Divina Fe Boiser	USD 8,054.42	-
Remie Calaguas	USD 8,007.88	700
Estela Maribel Vilela	USD 7,371.01	2800
Armi Geralyn Espiritu	USD 6,079.88	1000
Marivic Jimenez	USD 5,546.38	500
Mae Dolendo	USD 5,337.38	2000
Teresita Yñiguez	USD 5,058.92	1700
Leonida Santos	USD 4,404.65	-
Vangi Schwendener	USD 4,159.88	300
Gina Marie Espejo	USD 4,152.38	1400
Luna Gaviola	USD 4,054.38	300
Ma. Luisa Aportadera	USD 4,044.38	100
Vegloure Maguinsay	USD 3,494.38	300
Ma. Corazon Reyes	USD 3,349.38	300
Marilou Baarde	USD 3,044.38	1100
Jannette Valderosa	USD 3,244.38	200
Myriam Tan	USD 3,110.82	600
Maribel Chua	USD 3,107.92	300
Elisa Lapiña	USD 3,077.38	1100
Belinda Fernandez	USD 3,074.88	-
Letty Tai	USD 2,657.96	1300
Corazon Cuison	USD 2,477.38	600
Elsa Villagomez	USD 2,256.38	500
Sylvia Austria	USD 2,194.38	200
Evelyn Ong	USD 2,157.38	200
Teresita Fitzback	USD 2,054.38	700
Cecille Diaz	USD 2,033.46	300
Josephine Liamzon	USD 2,022.38	300

Paul Harris Fellows

Vanessa Madayag	USD 1,482.88	400
Vida Könst	USD 1,600.00	200
Cheryl Gomez	USD 1,331.42	300
Emmanouelle Zhang	USD 1,229.38	700
Bai Johanna Zainal	USD 1,109.88	500
Alessandra Könst	USD 1,103.00	300

Sustaining Members

Name	Amount	FRP
Marydict T. Rosales	USD 456.38	-
Chona Lamparas	USD 199.38	-
Odessa Palma Gil	USD 164.50	-
Sophiya Avisado	USD 100.00	-

Honorary Members

Nonoy Aquino	Major Donor +8	1400
Efren Abratique	USD 2,600.00	1200
Antonio Llamas	USD 2,000.00	100
Francisco Vilela	USD 1,000.00	100
Mario Luis Jacinto	USD 602.27	-

*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 (please be guided accordingly).

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This is to certify that Rtn.

attended the meeting on

Thursday, 1 PM via Zoom

Miscellaneous

Monthly Host Teams

Trailblazers

(July, October, January,
April)

Chona Lamparas (TL)	Odessa Palma Gil
Remie Calaguas	Corrie Cuison
Gigi Espiritu	Jo Liamzon
Marivic Jimenez	Luchi Aportadera
Tess Yniquez	Gina Espejo
Vangi Schwendener	Vida Könst
Melot Baarde	Letty Tai

Pathfinders

(August, November, February,
May)

Lorna Llamas (TL)

Fe Boiser	Maribel Chua
Che Gomez	Belinda Fernandez
Nen Santos	Vanessa Madayag
Zony Reyes	Myriam Tan
Sylvia Austria	Evelyn Ong
Teri Fitzback	

Changemakers

(September, December, March,
June)

Ma-em Zhang (TL)	Elayza Lapina
Ces Diaz	Happy Rosales
Mae Dolendo	Elsa Villagomez
Malou Jacinto	Luna Gaviola
Veg Maguinsay	Bai Zainal
Jaja Valderosa	Alex Könst
Maribel Vilela	Sophiya Avisado

LEGEND: TL - Team Leader

When, Where, & To-Do Makeup

<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>CLUB/VENUE</u>
Monday	1830	RC Central Davao, Grand Men Seng Hotel
Tuesday	1215	RC East Davao, The Marco Polo Hotel
Wednesday	1215	RC Downtown Davao, Grand Men Seng Hotel
	1830	RC South Davao, The Marco Polo Hotel
	1830	RC Matina Davao, The Apo Golf Club
	1900	RC Davao 2000, Roadway Inn
	1900	RC Sta. Ana Davao, Grand Men Seng Hotel
Thursday	1215	RC Pag-Asa Davao, Lispher Inn
	1230	(every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month)
	1830	RC Calinan, JM Bargouto Hitoan
		RC Digos, A&B Hotel
Friday	1830	RC Davao, RC Davao Club
Saturday	1900	House
	1930	RC Waling-Waling Davao, Grand Men Seng Hotel
		RC West Davao, The Marco Polo Hotel
Sunday	1200	RC North Davao, RCND Clubhouse
		RC Digos South, Pearl Convention Center
		RC Toril Davao, RCTD Clubhouse
		RC Bansalan, Gem's Place

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 30 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.



LAHFI Officers & Trustees RY 2021 - 2022

2021-2022 OFFICERS

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

TRUSTEES

Armi Geralyn G. Espiritu
Jannette M. Valderosa
Vanessa G. Madayag
Teresita P. Yñiguez
Estela Maribel T. Vilela

Rotary International & District Leaders



Shekhar Mohita
RI President



Anna Louisa A. Bumagat
District Governor



Armi Geralyn G. Espiritu
Assistant Governor Area 2B

Honorary Members



PP Abdulah C. Aquino



Antonio VA Llamas



Eron Abratique



PP Yoshinori Ishii
RC Narashino
District 2790 / Chiba, Japan



Mario Luis Jacinto



Dave Vilela



Rotary

**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 SEVEN 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
- Supporting the Environment

