

THE ROTARY CLUB OF PASIG

HANDOVER & 5 3 RD INDUCTION CEREMONIES

JULY 3, 2023 (MONDAY), 6:00 PM EDSA SHANGRI-LA HOTEL, GARDEN BALLROOM, MANDALUYONG CITY INCOMING PRESIDENT OUTGOING PRESIDENT ADOLFO D. ARAN, JR. JOSEFINO M. PALOMA **EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITIES**

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ROTARY YEAR 2023-2024

HANDOVER & 53RD INDUCTION CEREMONIES

Call to Order	IATP Josefino M. Paloma
Invocation	NU Chorale
National Anthem	NU Chorale
4 Way Test	PE Bernard Dy
Acknowledgement of RC District Officers, Spouses, and Special Guests	PP Jun Zafra
Welcome Remarks	PRID Rafael M. Garcia
RCP videos	
Dinner	
Intermission	NU Chorale
Valedictory Address	IATP Josefino M. Paloma
Acknowledgement of Charter Members	
Presentation of Club Awards	IATP Josefino M. Paloma
Presentation of Tokens to Outgoing President	IATP Josefino M. Paloma HCP Adolfo D. Aran, Jr.
Introduction of Incoming Club Officers and Directors	Hosts
nduction of Club Officers and Directors	Cong. Roman T. Romulo
Furnover Ceremony	IATP Josefino M. Paloma HCP Adolfo D. Aran, Jr.
Inaugural Talk	HCP Adolfo D. Aran, Jr.
Keynote Speaker	Cong. Roman T. Romulo
Introduction of the District Governor	PP Peter John Javier
Message from the District Governor	DG Ronald O. Solis
Presentation of Tokens to IPDG Arturo C. Tanyag and DG Ronald O. Solis	IATP Josefino M. Paloma HCP Adolfo D. Aran, Jr.

Masters of Ceremony: PP Rel Gomez & PP Nick Guzman



THE FOUR-WAY TEST

of the things we think, say or do

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Is it the **TRUTH**?



Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?



Will it build
GOOD WILL
and BETTER
FRIENDSHIPS?



Will it be **BENEFICIAL**to all concerned?

INVOCATION

God Our Father

From whom all authority emanates, bless those entrusted with leading
The Rotary Club of Pasig the gift of passion and commitment. Aware that leaders are built from the inside out, may they approach leadership not just as a position but as a relationship and a way of service.

Teach us to focus on a higher purpose: the mission and vision of the Organization above personal interests.

And for all of us, may we appreciate how collaboration with a purpose can enable us to reach and execute better decisions.

Allow us to collectively embrace and appreciate the value of synergy, teamwork and participation in order to carry out our mission.

We ask this through Christ Our Lord.

Amen







MESSAGE FROM THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR

RONALD "POPE"
O. SOLIS

pouse Tita Vcky and I extend our warmest felicitations to the Rotary Club of Pasig on its Handover and 53rd Induction Ceremonies.

At the outset, we would like to congratulate the outgoing IATP President Josefina Paloma and his entire team of club officers for their accomplishments and meaningful service to our communities for the past Rotary year! We also bid good wishes and all the good luck they need to the Hope Creating President Adolfo "Adolf' De Jesus Aran, Jr. and his entire Hope Creating Team for their year of service to Rotary, to our communities and to the world. May you continue the proud traditions and laudable achievements of your club all these years!

Please remember what I told you during the DISTAS in Baguio City—that in our year together, the district leadership would wish to engage you more in substance than in form. More than the glitz and the glamor, the fine clothes we wear, and the bountiful food we share in our fellowship events, we should focus and give more importance to a discussion of what meaningful and impactful projects that your club can undertake for the greater good, and what is it that the district leadership could do to make them happen.

Altogether, let's Create Hope in the World! Mabuhay ang Rotary!

RONALD "POPE" O. SOLIS District Governor, RY 2023 - 2024







RAFAEL "RAFFY" M. GARCIA



ou can already tell that the new Rotary year is almost here. I'm traveling through Europe now but I have to rush back because it's time for Rotary charter anniversaries, club and district inductions, and handovers.

And of course, there's the Rotary New Year on July 1 that the late Past Rotary International President MAT Caparas encouraged all of us to celebrate every year with children!

And tonight, we celebrate the Handover and 53rd Induction of the Rotary Club of Pasig, the largest Rotary Club in D3800!!

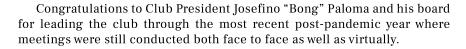
The Rotary Club of Pasig has always had the reputation of being a large but insular club that cared little outside of its own interests. It was even known once to eat district governors for lunch! Yet, it has also been a leader in contributions to the Rotary Foundation and was at one time the fifth in TRF giving among all clubs in the world.

It has led Zone 10A through seven D3800 AKS members three of whom were RC Pasig members, all from the only family in the Rotary world with three AKS members: PRID Rafael "Raffy" Garcia III and spouse Minda (Foundation Circle), PP Rafael "Ramy" Garcia IV and spouse Djoanna (Trustee Circle), and PP Dr. Nick Guzman and spouse Susanna "Nana" Garcia Guzman (Trustee Circle).

And tonight we have the handover of the reins of the club from Bong Paloma, an IT specialist (after the term of Garrick Ang, one of the leading Corporate Information Officers - CIO, in the country) to Adolf Aran, Jr., a food services specialist!







We expect the term of incoming club president Adolf Aran, Jr. to be more face to face so that we can all take advantage of great food preparations that our new club president specializes in and can arrange for.

We must consider the possibility of moving our club meetings to a venue where our incoming president can arrange for the club to have a more varied selection of menus so that more Rotarians may be interested to attend in-person.

We have gone through the "Serve to Change Lives" year of Shekhar Mehta, to the "Imagine Rotary" year of the first woman RI President, Jennifer Jones, and now we are into the "Create Hope in the World" year of Gordon McInally.

Let us continue to "Lead the Way" as we pursue our objective to "Make a Difference", and "Light the World" while we provide "Service Above Self" to our communities in need!!

Good luck to the Hope Creating board of Club President Adolf Aran, Jr. I am looking forward to a belly-filling year!!

Cheers!!

RAFAELM. GARCIA PRI Director, RY 2018-2020





MESSAGE FROM THE IMMEDIATE PAST DISTRICT GOVERNOR

ARTURO "BOBBY" C. TANYAG



y heartfelt congratulations to all the dynamic Rotarians and Spouses of this very premier and most outstanding club, the Rotary Club of Pasig on your 53rd Induction and Handover Ceremony. In all the glorious years of your existence, the Rotary Club of Pasig has greatly contributed to changing lives in the communities.

Of the 108 Rotary Clubs in District 3800, I consider your Club as the Ideal Model for earnestly espousing the core values of Rotary, Service, Integrity, Fellowship and Leadership. Your Community Service Projects are most ideal in terms of the number of beneficiaries, and the greatest number of project outcomes.

Congratulations for having established a distinct heritage of outstanding Rotary Leaders who have elevated themselves to more challenging positions not only in District 3800 but in Rotary International. We are all eagerly awaiting for our PRID Raffy to be elected as the Second Filipino President of Rotary International. Your club has maintained and retained Membership numbers to become of the biggest and most vibrant club perhaps not only in our District but in all of Philippine Rotary that ensures effective and efficient delivery of all your planned humanitarian service projects.

During our IMAGINE ROTARY YEAR, the Rotary Club of Pasig, under the leadership of IATP Bong Paloma has brought your Club to higher levels of achievement with the implementation of high impact and sustainable service projects. My best wishes to President Adolf Aran, Jr. as he kindles hope and love to all lives that he will touch.

My thanks for your continued support to the Rotary Foundation, with the record highest contribution level of your Club Members to the ROTARY Foundation. May you continue to be a blessing not only to your members but to all the communities within your reach.

I salute the dynamic Rotarians of Pasig. You are truly the Creator's humble gift to mankind!

Mabuhay ang Rotary Club of Pasig!

ARTURO "BOBBY" C. TANYAG Immediate Past District Governor, RY 2022-2023







MESSAGE FROM THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR ELECT

ROBERTO "BOBBY" B. ZAMORA

y Spouse Raquel and I would like to extend our heartfelt greetings and congratulations to one of the premiere and well-respected clubs in our district - the Rotary Club of Pasig on the occasion of their 53rd Induction and Handover Ceremonies.

Congratulations to your Imaginative Amazing Team headed by IATP Bong Paloma for an outstanding year of service and fellowship. You have lead your club to new heights, creating opportunities and difference in the lives of people you all served in your communities. I have always admired and have very high regards to your club for being one of the clubs in our district who have been implementing quality and high impact projects. You have produced high caliber and well respected Rotary leaders not only in our district but in the international level as well that is in the person of the pride of Philippine Rotary – PRID Raffy Garcia. I wish your club more success and blessings for your club to be a blessing to others as well.

I would like to extend my best wishes and good luck to your Hope Creating Team headed by President Adolf Aran, Jr. May you have a very successful term as you all will be inspired by this year's theme: Create Hope in the World. With your able leadership, constant guidance of your past leaders, full support and cooperation of all your members, I am sure your club will continue its legacy of excellence and passion in Rotary service and fellowship.

More power to the ROTARY CLUB OF PASIG!

ROBERTO Bobby B. ZAMORA
District Governor Elect, RY 2024-2025
Rotary Club of Kalookan North





MESSAGE FROM THE DISTRICT GOVERNOR NOMINEE

GINA T. SANCHEZ



reetings!

It gives me great pleasure to greet you a joyful 53rd Handover and Induction ceremonies. You are just two years shy of your Emerald anniversary. Your unselfish years of service are true testimonies of your commitment and dedication to the object of Rotary, to foster and encourage the ideals of Service above Self.

Every Rotary year, we give emphasis on SERVICE, given that Rotary is most needed by the communities we serve and be able to share God's given time, talents, and treasures.

As People of Action, your Club that is led by dedicated officers and members has exemplified over the years the strategic priorities of the Rotary International in increasing the impact and expanding the reach of the Club. This is done through various signature projects serving the communities in providing quality education, improvement of health, and alleviation of poverty where the members of the club strongly feel the great impact not only on the participants but also meeting the expectations from Rotary.

I would like to extend my warmest congratulations to Immediate Past President Josefino Paloma for a well-deserved successful, amazing, and imaginable Rotary year.

Your club's successes over the course of five-decade history, gives inspiration to the next set of officers, led by Hope Creating President Adolfo Aran, Jr., to continuously do together as one of the most dynamic and prestigious Rotary Clubs in District 3800.

I wish that your Club continue to inspire, motivate, and unite your members and program participants to pursue the set goals of the club with unyielding passion to Create Hope in the World!

Love God and Serve People!

CONGRATULATIONS! Mabuhay ang Rotary Club of Pasig!

otheranches GINA T. SANCHEZ

District Governor Nominee, RY 2025-2026









CONG. ROMAN T. ROMULO

y warmest congratulations to Adolfo Aran, Jr. on his election as President, together with the incoming Officers and Directors of the Rotary Club of Pasig! Over the course of 53 years, this esteemed club has left an indelible mark on the city of Pasig, through its invaluable community service programs and the cultivation of ethical business professionals. With your exceptional leadership, I am confident that the Rotary Club of Pasig will continue to embody its commitment to service, embracing the noble ideals we all aspire to achieve. I wish you all the best in this endeavor as God guides you through it all.

I would also like to extend my heartfelt congratulations to President Bong Paloma and the outgoing Officers and Directors for a successful term. I wish you all the best in your next chapter.

Congratulations again to President Adolf, the incoming Officers and Directors, and to the Rotary Club of Pasig. My best wishes for another year filled with impactful service. We are proud to have you as our partners in our advocacy of enriching the lives of everyone in the community. May we all continue with our unwavering commitment to Service Above Self.

Mabuhay ang Rotary Club of Pasig!

Mabuhay ang Lungsod ng Pasig!

(Sgd.) HON. ROMAN T. ROMULO

District Representative Pasig City, Lone District







MAYOR VICO SOTTO



armest greetings to my fellow members of the Rotary Club of Pasig on the occasion of our Handover and 53rd Induction Ceremonies!

This activity – the passing of torch from the current set of officers to the next – marks a milestone for Rotary Club of Pasig. To President Bong Paloma and his outgoing officers, job well done in shepherding the organization for the past two years! To President Adolf Aran and his newly elected officers, congratulations and we will continue to expect great things from the Rotary Club of Pasig under your leadership!

Transitions can be quite challenging, but it need not be. I trust that both President Bong and Pres. Adolf's teams have worked and will continue to work hand-in-hand to facilitate seamless transition and to lead the organization in achieving its vision: maintaining a sustainable and dynamic organization of like-minded members who live by Rotary's motto of "Service Above Self" with the common purpose alleviating the life condition of the people of Pasig City.

With this, let me take this opportunity to thank my fellow Rotarians for their contribution to the City of Pasig through the conduct of various outreach activities in our communities such as the *Pagpupugay sa Kabayanihan ng Pasig Pulis Awards*, the Alpabasa Reading Project, the RC Pasig GK Village and the Luxid Rotary Microfinance and Credit Cooperative.

More than ever, initiatives of organizations like Rotary are welcome in Pasig City as we in the City Government acknowledge that a whole-of-city approach must be employed to improve the quality of life of the Pasigueños.

Thus, we look forward to continue working with the Rotary Club of Pasig in striving for a Pasig City, where communities enjoy a high quality of life and nobody will get left behind – para patuloy na umagos ang pag-asa sa Lungsod ng Pasig!

Muli, maraming salamat at maligayang pagbati sa mga miyembro ng Rotary Club of Pasig!

HON. VICO SOTTO

Pasig City Mayor







MESSAGE FROM THE
IMAGINATIVE AMAZING TREASURE
PRESIDENT

JOSEFINO M. PALOMA

t brings me great pleasure to extend my heartfelt congratulations to the new President, Adolf Aran, Jr. The role of President is a challenging one, however, I have no doubt that Adolf possesses all the qualities required to excel in this position.

As I step down from this position, I am confident that the incoming President's ability to continue our club's legacy of service and commitment to our community will be unwavering. As members, we are responsible for supporting our new President as we work towards achieving our shared goals.

Leading a Rotary club requires determination, dedication, and a passion for serving others. I do not doubt that our new President embodies these attributes. I am sure he will inspire us all to continue making a positive impact in Pasig and beyond.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank my board of directors and advisers for their invaluable support throughout my tenure as President. The journey has been fulfilling, exciting, and full of wonderful memories I will forever cherish.

Congratulations again to President Adolf, and I wish RC Pasig all the best as we welcome a new leadership chapter within our club.

JOSEFINO M. PALOMA

Imaginative Amazing Treasure President







ADOLFO D. ARAN, JR.



2 great years of Rotary Club of Pasig. 54 great presidents.

Thank you, Immediate Past President Bong Paloma and your Board of Directors, for your service. It wasn't an easy task to bravely hold the fort of one of the best Rotary clubs in the Philippines. The tradition of greatness is something that we constantly need to uphold, despite the annual change of leadership.

More than just a handover from one leadership to another and more than a swearing in of the new board for RY 2023-2025, I dream of today's event as part of history unfolding. The remarkable history was written by the amazing men before us, who may still be with us or have left before us. We are privileged to be the writers of the next glorious years of the RC Pasig. The possibilities are limitless. One thing for sure, SERVICE ABOVE SELF remains utmost in the minds of our Pasig Rotarians as we embark on this daunting task for all of us.

I accept this opportunity to lead this great Rotary Club of Pasig with humility and pride. With the past Presidents as my guide and my inspiration, we hope to take Rotary Club of Pasig to even greater heights.

Let's create hope in this world. And use that hope to serve, to effect significant change in the city of Pasig, in our community, in the Philippines, and in the world.

Mabuhay ang Rotary Club of Pasig!

ADOLFO D. ARAN, JR. Hope Creating President





ROTARY CLUB OF PASIG OFFICERS & DIRECTORS



OFFICERS

Adolfo D. Aran, Jr. President

Bernard Dy

Vice President

PP Peter John Javier Secretary

Damito Magpantay Treasurer

> **Jake Oh** Auditor

Peter Pancho Director for Public Image

DIRECTORS

Anson Tan

Club Administration

Bernard Dy Membership

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PP Jun Zafra The Rotary Foundation

Rov Quejada

New Generation

IPP Iosefino M. Paloma

Ex-Officio





ROTARY CLUB OF PASIG PRESIDENT'S PROFILE

ADOLFO D. ARAN, JR. **Hope Creating President**

orn in Rizal Provincial Hospital (now known as Rizal Medical Center), Pasig City, he is the Rotary Club of Pasig's 55th President. He joined the club in 2019, and was sponsored by PP Peter John Javier.

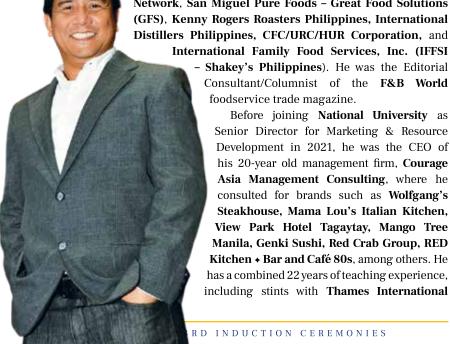
With more than 30 years of work experience, his fields of specialization include marketing, business development and corporate training. He held management positions in Super Sumo Sam Foods

> Inc., Food & Hospitality Events Specialist, Inc., **PHINMA** Education

Network, San Miguel Pure Foods - Great Food Solutions (GFS), Kenny Rogers Roasters Philippines, International Distillers Philippines, CFC/URC/HUR Corporation, and

> - Shakey's Philippines). He was the Editorial Consultant/Columnist of the F&B World foodservice trade magazine.

Before joining National University as Senior Director for Marketing & Resource Development in 2021, he was the CEO of his 20-year old management firm, Courage Asia Management Consulting, where he consulted for brands such as Wolfgang's Steakhouse, Mama Lou's Italian Kitchen, View Park Hotel Tagaytay, Mango Tree Manila, Genki Sushi, Red Crab Group, RED Kitchen + Bar and Café 80s, among others. He has a combined 22 years of teaching experience, including stints with Thames International

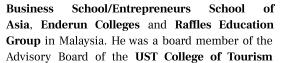












and Hospitality Management. He is a founding member of the International Council of Small Business (ICSB), an honorary member of Association of Hospitality Educators and Practitioners of the Philippines (AHEPP), a founding member of

the Philippine Culinary
Heritage Movement,
and a member of the
Slow Food Movement
Philippine Chapter.
Together with his spouse
Ana Marie Aran, he is the
Singles For Christ (SFC)
coordinator in the South
B Chapter.

A graduate of the **University of the Philippines** (BA Political Science), he took higher

studies in Nottingham Trent University, Malaysia (MBA), Asian Institute of Management (AIM, Customer Experience Management), and Ateneo de Manila University (ADMU, Professional Managers' Program).











ROTARY CLUB OF PASIG OFFICERS & DIRECTORS PROFILE



Adolfo D. Aran, Jr. - President

dolf is a marketing educator, a foodservice management consultant, a food storyteller and a serial restaurant operations analyst. His love for training has taken him to more than 50 cities all over the Philippines, covering areas of specialization such as F&B industry updates, entrepreneurship, customer experience management, event management, brand activation and corporate leadership. As the Senior Director for Marketing & Resource Development of NATIONAL UNIVERSITY, with a current network of 10 campuses, he's in charge of its brand reputation, its digital space presence, and its overall communications programs. His corporate fundraising functions cover the areas of the university's sports, scholarship and research programs. He is married to Ana Marie and a father to 2 boys, Alissandro Joaquin and Andreas Javier.



Bernard Dy - Vice President

t first impression, we see a multifaceted leader with remarkably varied and diverse fields of interest. Bernard leads companies in Safety, Health, and Environment, I.T. security, and Construction. Looking deeper, we understand that he is only limited in his endeavors by his life mission and philosophy of `Saving Lives, Property and the Planet', adopted as the mission statement of one of the companies he founded, Panpisco Technologies Inc.

For Bernard, joining the Rotary is a blessing of congruence with his beliefs and principles. As one of the `Pandemic boys' of RCP, he looks forward to many years of being more and more `Rotarized' to put his life mission into action.

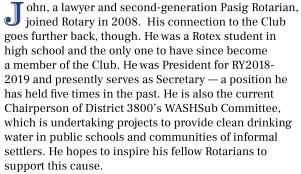
Jesuit trained in his formative years, Bernard graduated with a degree in Marketing from U.P. Diliman. He also gained his Master's degree from the Asian Institute of Management. He counts cycling, golf, good food, and time with his family as his 'soul joy'.







PP Peter John Javier - Secretary



An enthusiastic traveler, John enjoys taking detours around well-worn paths. He also likes eating as the locals do, whether it's tucking into horse sashimi in a divey Fukuoka bar, slurping hot pho in a hole-in-the-wall in Hanoi, or digging into a po-boy sandwich in an offbeat neighborhood in New Orleans. He hopes the future will bring more of such travel experiences.



Anson Tan
- Club
Administration

A nson Tan is VP operation for NAPPCO. Married with 4 children who are now managing Ajiichiban Philippines.



Jake Oh - Auditor

ake Oh is an IT Solutions specialist and a graduate of engineering from DLSU. In his spare time, he likes to surf the internet, play games, bike, and play badminton. He joined Rotary because he was inspired by its work, service (to the community) and camaraderie. He wanted to be part of a group who delivers lasting and meaningful services to our less fortunate brothers and sisters. Because he is blessed, he also wanted to give back to the community.

Being a part of Rotary has allowed him to engage various disadvantaged community thru service and giving, at the same time, Rotary has enabled him to build long-lasting and valuable friendships.







Peter Pancho - Director for Public Image

Peter is connected with Signify, the principal and global owner of the Philips lighting brand. He is currently the Commercial Director, and leading marketing and sales for Signify's B2B.

Recently transferred home to Pasig in 2022, Peter seeks to explore opportunities to serve and contribute to society, while having peerrelationships with varied leaders and professionals in the Rotary Club. He enjoys the vibrant life at Kapitolyo, together with his wife Maan, and kids, Primo. 10, and Amanda. 7.



Damito Magpantay - Treasurer

amito "Demy" Magpantay is a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) by profession. He currently serves as the Vice President for Finance of National University Inc (NU). He is concurrently Assistant Vice President for Finance/Special Projects at SM Investments Inc (SMIC). He's been with SM Group since 2009.

He plans to continue his PhD in Business at DLSU-Main in SY'2023-2024. He got his MBA from DLSU-Main and graduated with a degree in BS Accountancy at the Colegio de San Juan de Letran (CSJL) in Manila.

He is married to Jenny (baking professional/ enthusiast) and has a daughter, Sabrina Mae, who studies at La Salle Greenhills.



Tet Mallare
- Service Projects

Tet is an Industrial Engineering graduate from the University of Santo Tomas. He is a contractor by profession and is engaged in his own construction company that he established in 1997. He is also interested in other businesses such as trading, food, retail, HMO, and heavy equipment rental. Tet loves to travel to explore different cultures and discover new cuisines.

Tet joined the Rotary to widen his reach in serving others which he started on his 40th birthday thru his company's corporate social responsibility. He finds Rotary's outreach services and fellowships fun and meaningful.







PP Jun Zafra
- The Rotary
Foundation

un is a businessman and a dedicated Rotarian. Although already in his senior years, he never stops attending meetings and doing Rotary community service.

Jun is a widower of 4 years, and his friends tell him that the upside to being a widower is that he becomes an HVT – High Value Target of the young and beautiful women seeking scholarship program. However, Jun insists that despite being an HVT, he is fully committed to his family, businesses, civic work, and church.



Roy Quejada - New Generation

oy is a Restaurant Operations and Business Strategy Expert. He has over 25 years of impressive history in the restaurant industry. He is currently the Group COO of Kuya J Food Holding Inc. - leading the team that includes Kuya J, Popeyes, Landers Central, Doppio, and Majestic.

Roy also worked for Yellow Cab Food Corporation, his claim to fame as the COO made the brand one of the most loved restaurants in the Philippines.

Roy joined the RTC of Pasig at the height of the pandemic and believed that joining the club at that period maintained his mental and emotional balancegiving back and meeting fantastic club members.

An Education grad from UP Diliman, Roy loves to bike, play badminton, read books, and practice mindfulness that allows him to stay driven.



IPP Josefino M. Paloma - Ex-Officio

B ong is a Philippine IT industry veteran with a wide range of knowledge in hardware infrastructure, networking and security, wireless and broadband, software, IoT, cloud, and digital transformation. He is a speaker at various IT conferences here and abroad. Currently, he is the Executive Vice President of AMTI and is responsible for technology, sales, and marketing.

Bong actively serves his church and community. Thus, joining Rotary is a natural extension for him to further his service reach and create a lasting impact and change in the various communities in Pasig and other parts of the country.

Bong loves to drink wine, is an avid cook, and enjoys traveling with his family locally and internationally.





PAST PRESIDENTS



TOTOY ANGELES RY Jan - Jun 1971



TEDDY YABUT RY 1971 - 1972



MIKE AMPIL RY 1972 - 1973



ILIO FRANCIA IV 1973 - 1974



ESTO LICHAUCO RY 1974 - 1975



JUSTO MANALO RY 1975 - 1976



KATIPUNAN DELOS REYES RY 1976 - 1977



BING BASILIO RY 1977 - 1978



BOBBY PATERNO RY 1978 - 1979



ED GAMBOA RY 1979 - 1980



LINO CONCEPCION RY 1980 - 1981



BOBBIT SANCHEZ RY 1981 - 1982



TOM PORTILLO RY 1982 - 1983



BENNY DE GUZMAN RY 1983 - 1984



TACIO DELOS REYES RY 1984 - 1985



RODY CRUZ RY 1985 - 1986



JING JOSE RY 1986 - 1987



PETER JAVIER RY 1987 - 1988



TOTOY BARTOLOME RY 1988 - 1989



JOHNNY FUENTES RY 1989 - 1990













PETE SY-QUIA RY July - Oct 1990



BERT TAYENGCO RY 1990 - 1991



BERT ALBANO RY 1991 - 1992



ROMY MANUEL RY 1992 - 1993



AL PO RY 1994 - 1995



CHITO REGINO RY 1995 - 1996



DEL VIOLA RY 1996 - 1997



VAL CHUA

RY 1993 - 1994

VICAOUINO RY 1997 - 1998



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RHETT ERMITA RY 1999 - 2000



TITO HENSON RY 2000 - 2001



CELSO YLAGAN II RY 2002 - 2003



MIKE SEHWANI RY 2003 - 2004



ARJAN RAMNANI RY 2004 - 2005



ED BOLINAO

RY 2005 - 2006



RAFAEL M. GARCIA RY 2006 - 2007



CONDRAD CUESTA RY 2007 - 2008



SONNY SAMSON RY 2008 - 2009



TOPAX COLAYCO RY 2009 - 2010



BERT BLANCAFLOR RY 2010 - 2011



REL GOMEZ RY 2011 - 2012



HERMIE ORBE RY 2012 - 2013



DUCKY PAREDES RY 2013 - 2014



RAMY GARCIA RY 2014 - 2015



NER LAINO RY 2015 - 2016



ROGELIO S.P. LIM RY 2016 - 2017



IESS ACANTILADO RY 2017 - 2018



PETER JOHN JAVIER RY 2018 - 2019



NICK GUZMAN RY 2019 - 2020



RENATO ERMITA RY 2020 - 2021



GARRICK ANG RY 2021 - 2022



BONG PALOMA RY 2022 - 2023





THE HISTORY OF ROTARY CLUB OF PASIG

The Beginnings

In 1970, a group of Rotarians from the Rotary Club of Mandaluyong organized a new club for the municipalities of Pasig and Pateros, then within the Mandaluyong club's jurisdiction. They included Jess Solomon, Emil Ozaeta, Kishu Sehwani, Ito Carlos, and Ernie Paje, togetherwith then Extension Officer of RI District 380, Mon Hechanova of the Rotary Club of Quezon City. A new group began to take shape from a series of preliminary meetings at Madrid Restaurant along EDSA with prospective recruits. By November 1970, this group was sufficiently organized to attain a "provisional club" status, meeting at noon every Tuesday at the Madrid Restaurant. A charter list with 29 names was sent to Rotary International, and on January 18, 1971, a charter formally recognizing the new club was signed by then RI President William E. Walk. It became Club No. 16913 of Rotary International. Thus, was the Rotary Club of Pasig born.

The club tried different places and times for weekly meetings in its early years. Aside from Madrid Restaurant, there was a hall in the provincial capitol, the Light House at Meralco, the Manila Chronicle (Benpres) Building cafeteria, the Marco Polo Restaurant on Shaw Blvd,





and for many years, the Green Valley Country Club. In 1985, it moved its meeting to the Valle Verde Country Club, where it has continued to meet every Thursday at noon for the past thirty-seven years.

The Line of Presidents

Fifty three illustrious gentlemen have led the club as president, Jose V. Angeles, Teodoro M. Yabut, Miguel V. Ampil, Julio B. Francia Jr., Ernesto E. Lichauco, Justo E. Manalo, Katipunan M. de los Reyes, Virgilio O. Basilio, Roberto M. Paterno, Edilberto C. Gamboa, Rizalino C. Concepcion, Augusto S. Sanchez, Tomas V. Portillo, Benjamin P. de Guzman, Anastacio A. de los Reyes, Rodolfo V. Cruz, Ignacio S. Jose Jr., Peter M. Javier, Achilles G. Bartolome, Juan Y. Fuentes Jr., Pedro M. Sy-Quia Jr., Alberto S. Tayengco, Alberto M. Albano, Romeo B. Manuel, Valentin T. Chua, Alfonso L. Po, Lorenzo R. Regino III, Delfin M. Viola III, Victor A. Aquino, Jose F. Mabanta, Renato R. Ermita, Antonio A. Henson, Edgardo M. Bolinao, Celso P. Ylagan II, Monico S. Sehwani, Arjan N. Ramnani, Jose L. Jota, Rafael M. Garcia III, Conrado L. Cuesta, Delfin B. Samson, Francisco Colavco, Alberto Blancaflor, Aurelio Gomez, Herminio Orbe, Horacio Paredes, and Rafael Garcia IV, Ner P. Laiño, Rogelio S.P. Lim, Jesus B. Acantilado, Peter John U. Javier, Nick C. Guzman, Renato Carlos H. Ermita, Jr., and Garrick L. Ang. The 54th president during this Imaginative Year is Josefino M. Paloma.

Of the original 29 charter members, 3 are still members of the club, namely Esto Lichauco, Peping Mabanta, and Arjan Ramnani. Many have come and gone. Today with 100 members, it is the largest and only century-mark club in District 3800.

Unsteady First Steps

As often happens with new organizations, the first years saw the club flounder unsteadily in fledgling infancy, trimming down to the dedicated core of members and groping uncertainly for meaningful





direction. The dogged patience and persistent enthusiasm of the charter officers led by Charter President Totoy Angeles, as well as the second set that took over in July 1971 led by Teddy Yabut and the third led by Mike Ampil in 1972, saw the club through these growing pains. Some old-timers remember walking into meetings with less than ten in attendance. Under its second administration, however, the club felt sufficiently organized to stage a fund-raising show, Promises, at the Cultural Center of the Philippines.

Good second-generation recruits took the place of the charter members who had lost interest, and the club gradually grew in strength and number. Under the third set of officers (1972-73), the club held a successful Youth Manpower Development and Training seminar and started performing some services for the Rizal High School.

Service to the Community

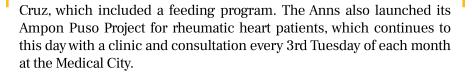
During its first years, the club made tentative efforts to tackle the drug abuse problem. This was soon given up with the declaration of Martial Law in September 1972, and capital punishment threatened the more serious drug offenders.

The first significant lasting monument to these community service efforts was the setting up free pre-schools for disadvantaged children, the first during Julito Francia (1973-74) at Barrio Rosario and the second at Barrio Pinagbuhatan under the presidency of Esto Lichauco (1974-75).

In November 1975, the Rotary Anns, or wives of the Pasig Rotarians, organized a large and highly successful bazaar to raise funds for the improvement of the pre-schools. In 1977, these schools were sufficiently organized and stable, so the club decided to turn them over for continued operation to the newly formed Association of the Rotary Anns of Pasig. The club and the Anns supported a Kindergarten at Barangay Santa







At Rizal High

The scholarships are prominent among the club's continuing contributions to the community, especially at the Rizal High School. The number of scholars supported by the club during any year has varied. In the mid-1980s, the whole scholarship program was rationalized, systematized, and intensified, especially its selection and monitoring aspects. To make the scholarships more meaningful, the grants were made to cover not only school expenses but also included a modest monthly stipend for the students' other necessary expenses. These grants were made to maintain awardees throughout four years of High School, provided they kept specific performance requirements. Advice and counsel are also given by designated Rotarians. At present, the club supports about sixty to seventy scholars at all levels every year.

Occasionally, the club has given more assistance to young people in formal vocational training programs, so some scholarships were established at the Meralco Foundation Institute and other venues for the technical and technician programs. The club also supported a few college students at the Philippine School for Business Administration.

Rizal High School and its youth have provided the arena for many of the club's services. A major infrastructure project improved the water supply system of the school in 1980, benefiting its 16,000 students. In 2009, the club once again began a massive project to improve the school's water and toilet system with the help of the United Laboratory's Bayanihan Foundation. More recently, the club rehabilitated the students' drinking fountain system.





Rotarians visit the senior or junior class and give career guidance lectures. The club has also regularly donated equipment and books as teaching aids for the vocational program and occasional requirements like garbage receptacles. In 1996, the club completed the construction of a two-classroom building for the Rizal High School Annex at Arkong Bato, Barangay Kapitolyo. In 2008, the club, in partnership with U.S.A.-based National Relief Charities, donated more than thirteen thousand books to the school and followed this up with bookshelves to house them in better conditions. Another shipping container arrived at the end of 2010.

Over the years, other youth activities in the community have included the organization and guidance of an Interact Club at Rizal High School and a community-based Rotaract Club in the eighties, camping, athletic competitions, essay, oration, and art contests.

There are also projects to help Rizal High's teachers, such as free vaccination for cervical cancer and seminars on savings and personal financial management to help them improve their quality of life.

Other Community Service Projects

In response to the call of the first Filipino RI President Matt Caparas, the club organized two Rotary Village Corps groups, among whom the club carried out several livelihood projects. The club got involved with the barangay school in connection with its work with the RVC at Ilugin. In 1991, the club built a concrete two-room schoolhouse providing expanded classroom facilities for an additional two hundred schoolchildren. The structure doubled as a community center for residents of the community. In 1993, the club completed another major construction project at the school, adding a second story to a completely renovated main building. Next came a two-storeyed building for a permanent medical and dental clinic. This clinic was operated regularly, making basic medical and dental





treatment and health education available to the neighborhood. Then the first building was torn down due to termite infestation and was completely rebuilt with two storeys and four classrooms. The students of the Ilugin Elementary School at Barangay Pinagbuhatan were also recipients of various feeding programs of the club. The city government recently tore down these buildings to replace them with a new complex, providing the club space for a medical-dental clinic. In 2010, the club agreed with The Medical City General Hospital to provide pediatric medical care in this community center in Ilugin. The Ilugin Community Center has expanded its services so that it is now a busy health-focused community center.

Community daycare centers have also been set up invarious depressed areas of Pasig, which have not lasted. The club has also been active in emergency relief work. Fires and floods have occasionally hit parts of Pasig, and the club has responded by distributing relief goods such as the big fire at Kapasigan in 1978 and Typhoon Ondoy in 2009. There have been other special projects such as providing sewing machines for a parish educational center, tree planting, loan programs for small businesses, vocational training programs, job placement programs, vocational service award programs especially for local civil servants, and many more.

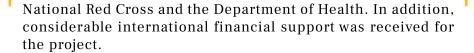
Disaster relief has occupied the club many times, especially when parts of Pasig and neighboring towns suffer from floods and after major disasters like the Mt. Pinatubo eruption, the Northern Luzon earthquake, and the recent devastation of Eastern Visayas by Typhoon Yolanda.

Medical missions with consultation, complimentary medicine, vaccinations, and dental and circumcision services are undertaken annually.

In the Rotary year 1998-99, the club, through the work of Rtn. Flor de Pano started what had the potential to become a significant national service institution, a blood bank and data bank for RH Negative and other rare blood types, in cooperation with the







To support its service activities on a more stable basis, the club set up the Pasig Rotary Club Trust Fund in 1979, with an initial fund of P122,000 drawn from earlier fundraising activities of the club and of the Anns. In 2008, the club incorporated The Rotary Club of Pasig Foundation at an initial P1 Million, which serves as the vehicle for funding the club's community service work, like the Pasig Rotary-Gawad Kalinga village had achieved scope and dimensions, making a full-blown foundation advisable.

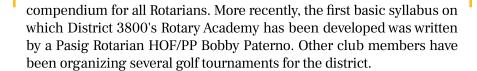
Reaching Out

In spreading the ideals of Rotary, the club has organized four other Rotary clubs within Pasig, that of Pasig South chartered in May 1982, that of Midtown Pasig in May 1985, that of Pasig East in June 1988, and that of Valle Verde in June 1991. The second has since died out, but the other three continue. It has also recently sponsored the creation of another club in Pasig, the Rotary Club of Pasig Premier, in 2018 and a club in Valenzuela, the Rotary Club of Valenzuela Sunrise, in 2020. Meanwhile, one of these three daughter clubs has established several other clubs in Pasig.

Considering the age and size of the club, the Rotary Club of Pasig's involvement beyond the club to district affairs has not been very intensive or extensive. But the club has done its part. It has produced two district governors, Dr. Miguel V. Ampil, who served in 1983-84, and Rafael Garcia III, who served in 2011-2012 and became an RI Director in RY 2019-2020. Several past presidents have been active as district officers and in district activities assisting the governors over the years. The club has hosted District Assemblies, District Conferences, and other district events. In the 1980 District Conference, the club put together and published a monumental compilation of Rotary Readings, a handy







Beyond the district, the club has sister-club relations with other Philippine Rotary clubs, and among them are RC Balayan and Downtown Batangas City, both in Batangas, RC Manila Remedios Circle, RC Makati Gems, Mutya ng Pasig and most recently, RC Legaspi North in Albay.

International Service

In the area of International Service, the club has established many so-called sister club relationships. One of the earliest was the Rotary Club of Marugame City, Japan, in 1976. Several others followed. There is a thriving relationship with the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Sunrise, which donated counterpart funds for the club to carry on feeding programs for its pre-school children. The two clubs have had exchange visits over the years. The club also has sister-club agreements with the Rotary Club of Ansan East (Seoul, Korea), the Rotary Club of Honolulu Sunset, and the Rotary Club of San Diego paradise Valley in California, the USA, with whom the club has jointly conducted three medical & dental mission at the Pamantasan ng Lunsod ng Pasig, the last in February 2017. Matching grants to assist club projects have been successfully arranged, particularly for the Anns Ampon Puso program and the Pasig Rotary GK village.

In its earlier years, the club hosted high school students from the USA and Brazil under RI's Rotary Exchange Program and also sent some, including children of Pasig Rotarians, to the USA and Canada. They all had a year's schooling and stayed with several Rotarian families.

From the early years, the club hosted foreign high school youngsters under the ROTEX program. Starting with Donna Carr from Hamilton,





Canada, in 1976-77, there were Len Cooke from Orange, Connecticut, USA, and Alex Rizzo, from Sao Paolo, Brazil, in 1980-81. Cathleen Golba from the USA in 1984-85. Tasha Randall and Wendy Wentworth from the USA in 1985-86. Shannon Tocchini, Joseph Kinson, and Matthew Baker in 1986-87. Laura Nunn from Burlington, Colorado, in 1989-90, and Benjamin Carlson from Vancouver, Washington, USA, in 1992-93. Tasha Randall had to cut her trip short due to the February 1986 EDSA Revolution. Still, Wendy Wentworth chose to experience the unforgettable tension and euphoria of EDSA by insisting on participating side by side with her Rotarian guardians and their children. Her parents recalled Laura Nunn after the Honasan coup d'etat of 1989. (It is interesting to note that in 2007, eighteen years later, Laura visited her two Pasig Rotarian host families. She and her husband had themselves become Rotarians in California.) In exchange, we have sent some of our members' children under the Rotex program to the USA and Canada, one of whom eventually became a member and President of the Club, PP John Javier. We have also participated in the Group Study Exchange Program, hosting several teams here, sponsoring at least one member of a team that went abroad, and also by having PP Benny de Guzman lead two such teams abroad, the GSE Team to Michigan and Wisconsin in 1987 and the GSE Team to London in 1995.

In the Rotary Year 2006-2007, then-President Raffy Garcia made the 71-member.

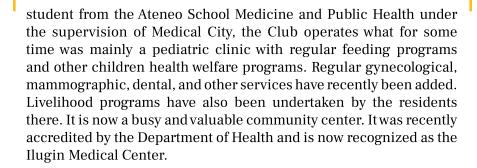
50 Years and Beyond

The Club continues to make a difference in Pasig with its many community service projects, both continuing and newly set up as it approaches its 50th year.

One of the significant continuing projects is the Ilugin Community Center at the school complex. In cooperation with the volunteer physicians from the Club and The Medical City and recently, a medical







Another continuing community service project is the Pasig Rotary GK Village located in Sitio Caliwag in Barangay Pinagbuhatan. In collaboration with Gawad Kalinga, about 150 housing units were programmed for construction in donated lands. Eighty-eight units have been completed. While the Club provided the housing units, Gawad Kalinga was to provide education, values formation, livelihood, and self-governance promotion. In addition, the Club mobilized assistance from the city government, private corporations like AGC Flat Glass Philippines, Inc., foundations like the Philippine Stock Exchange, and sister clubs like the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Sunrise and the Rotary Club of Ansan East. The residents have benefited from the medical & dental missions, feeding programs, and disaster assistance conducted by the Club. The annual gift-giving at Christmas has brought cheers to the residents.

The Club also embarked on another project, the Water Hyacinth Livelihood Project at Barangay Pinagbuhatan. Awater hyacinth harvester was acquired through a Global Grant which mechanized the gathering of the water hyacinth that clogged the waterways. These water hyacinths were then dried, processed, and weaved into various products such as bags, baskets, and other handicrafts. A Rotary Community Corps was organized at the barangay to undertake this project. Recently, the Club has partnered with the National University to improve this program further. Another worthwhile project is the Reintegration Project which aims to rehabilitate former drug users and integrate them into society





via a training program followed by employment. This joint project was launched in 2016 with the PNP's Eastern Police District, the Pasig Anti-Drug Council, the Pasig City Institute of Science & Technology, the Philippine Constructors' Association – Metropolitan Chapter, and the newly incorporated Rotary Club of Pasig, Inc.

In 2016, a scholarship program was set up for college students at the Pamantasan ng Lunsod ng Pasig (PLP), and a Rotaract Club was organized with the scholars as its core group.

In 2017 the Club, in partnership with the Luxid Foundation, Inc., organized the Luxid Rotary Micro-Finance and Cooperative. The Cooperative aims to provide means through which members' financial needs might be addressed without having to resort to loan sharks.

Investment opportunities, as well as financial literacy seminars, are also made available to members. The Cooperative currently has more than 200 associate members.

The Cooperative expects to transfer its offices to the 3-story building being constructed by the Rafael Garcia III Foundation. The building is located in Sitio Caliwag, Pinagbuhatan will be primarily used as a polyclinic to provide free medical services to the nearby communities, including the residents of Pasig Rotary GK Village.

In 2018, the Club embarked on another project, the Human Milk Bank, in cooperation with the Rizal Medical Center. The acquisition of the equipment installed at the hospital was made possible through a Global Grant. This project addresses the situation where mothers cannot supply breast milk to their children for various reasons.

Another recent project was the Mammogram Screening at Brgy. Pinagbuhatan, in partnership with Breast Cancer Imperative, Inc., the Cervical Screening Program held at the PLP and the Pasig City Jail Female Dormitory in cooperation with the Rizal Medical Center; the Cleft Palate Surgical Mission at the Rizal Medical Center, a joint project with the





Rotary Club of Makati Gems and the Alliance for Smiles brought a team of surgeons, anesthesiologists, and nurses from the USA, and the OB/GYN and Breast Screening at the Ilugin Elementary School conducted by Medical City's Kalusugan ng kababaihang Pangkabayanan, Inc. (KnKPInc). The Club also turned over a new portable ultrasound machine purchased under a Global Grant to KnKPInc.

Regular ultrasound check-ups are being conducted for pregnant women at the Ilugin Community Center.

The Club ceased its regular Thursday meetings when the National Capital Region was placed under an Enhanced Community Quarantine last March 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The meetings were resumed but were virtual on May 21, 2020, and up to now with guest speakers. As its immediate assistance, the Club raised funds to support a Feeding Program for the 50 front liners at Rizal Medical Center, providing packed meals for lunch and dinner for 103 days and another 24 days for dinner.

The continuing crisis has not prevented the Club from continuing with its school and community service projects. Internet access for online classes has been provided to the scholars at Rizal High School and at the Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Pasig by delivering them with wifi devices with a monthly internet load. For the printing of learning modules, the Club donated 620 reams of paper to the Ilugin Elementary School 80 bags with coloring books, crayons, hygiene kits, and small toys were distributed to Special Education (SPED) students at Nagpayong Elementary School under the SPED Eskuela Zone 6 project, Flu vaccinations have been conducted at the Ilugin Medical Center. In addition, the Luxid Rotary Micro-Finance and Credit Cooperative continued its recruitment and orientation programs for prospective members.

The Club has provided relief assistance to the victims of typhoon Rolly and Ulysses. Cooking implements and kitchen utensils were donated through the Rotary Club of Legaspi North for Guinobatan, Albay. Relief





goods were also provided through the Rotary Club of Tuguegarao in Cagayan. The Marikina flood victims were also provided with relief goods. The Skyhydrant donated by PRID Raffy Garcia provided potable water to some affected areas in Pasig and Marikina.

In 2021, the Rotary Club of Pasig established the Pagpupugay sa Kabayanihan ng Pasig Pulis (Ignacio Gimenez Awards) to recognize and reward Pasig City police officers who, in the performance of their duties and the conduct of their personal lives, have demonstrated the values of service, integrity, courage, and respect for the law. A total of 17 police officers and three units were chosen as the first awardees.

During his term, IATP Bong Paloma spearheaded a total of 54 commendable service projects. Among these, 19 were exclusive initiatives of RC Pasig, while 35 were collaborative efforts between District 3800 and his classmates at Zone 6. These projects not only showcased dedication to serving the community, but also fostered fellowship and camaraderie within the club, enhancing membership engagement.

The club's weekly meetings were filled with interesting discussions, featuring notable speakers from various fields such as Senators, Congressmen, Commissioners, Lawyers, Judges, Athletes, Doctors, Entrepreneurs, CEOs, Broadcasters, Educators, Financial Advisers, and Chefs. The presence of such esteemed individuals added great value to the gatherings.

IATP Bong's term also saw the second "Pagpupugay sa Kabayanihan ng Pasig Pulis" awards. Given its success and welcome reception by the Pasig PNP, the Club and the project's major benefactor, Rtn Ignacio "Chony" Gimenez, have decided to make the awards an annual event.

As an offshoot of the Pasig Police Awards, the Club undertook a joint Medical and Dental Mission with the Pasig City PNP. The start of what is hope to be a continuous collaboration between the Club and the Pasig City PNP.





The Club also implemented the Alpabasa Reading Comprehension program at the Sto Niño Elementary School to better equip our school teachers to help struggling readers. Through a District Grant, the Club installed handwashing and drinking water stations in 4 public schools in Pasig.

The Scholarship programs at both Rizal High School and Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Pasig were further strengthened. The Club now maintains 70 high school scholars at RHS and 30 college scholars at PLP. Considering the cost of inflation, the Club has increased its stipend for its scholars.

The Club also undertook the rehabilitation of RC Pasig markers and signages, alongside the continuous operations and renovation of the Ilugin Community Center.

For international service, the Club played host to Rotary Friendship Exchange guests from district 7010 of Canada, with various Pasig Rotarians welcoming the Canadian Rotarians in their homes.

Two highly attended events worth mentioning are the Christmas party in 2022 and the 52nd Founding Anniversary celebrations in January 2023. These gatherings served as opportunities for members to come together, celebrate, and reflect on the accomplishments of the year.

The term of IATP Bong concluded with a club assembly on June 28th, where he expressed his gratitude and appreciation to the clubmates who contributed to his successful term. Service Citations and special awards were given to recognize their valuable contributions. Furthermore, prestigious awards such as the Service Distinguished Award, Presidential Citation Award, New Rotarian of the Year Award, and Rotarian of the Year Award will be presented at the 53rd Annual Handover and Awarding Ceremonies happening on July 3, 2023.





THE ROTARY CLUB OF PASIG

FELLOWSHIP & SERVICE PROJECTS





























































Join us on Sept. 22, 2022 From 12:00 noon to 2:00 pm. Venue: La <u>Colina</u> Valle Verde Country Club

> Our Guest Speaker is Hon. Nori Colmenares

Topic: emembering Martial Law

































What: Weekly Club Meeting Date : June 1, 2023 Time: 12:00 - 2:00 PM Venue: La Colina Room, VVCC

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Atty. Chel Diokno

Topic: "Uphoiding the Truth in the Age of Disinformation: The Challenge of our Time.* Atty. Chel Diokno Lawyer, Writer, Human Rights Advocate



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Date : March 23, 2023 Time : 12:00 - 2:00 PM Venue: La Colina Room, VVCC



Topic: Women Leadership in Sports,

Coaching a Winning Team



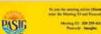
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Our Guest Speaker is Atty. Chel Diokno

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- a. Saan gagamitin ang uutangin?
- b. Saan mangagaling ang pambayad?
- c. Ang uutangin ba ay makaka-angat sa buhay ng kasapi?
- d. Maluwag at abot-kaya ba ang pag babayad sa utang?
- 2. Magkano ang maaring utangin?

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- 3. Gaano katagal puwedeng bayaran ang utang?
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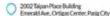


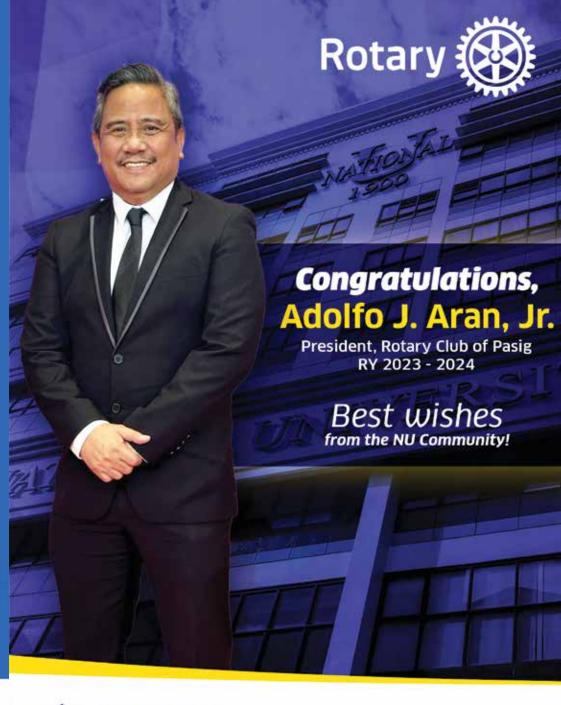














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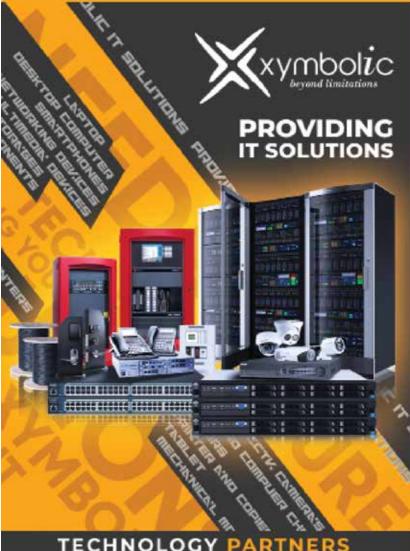
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RI president-elect announces 2023-24 presidential theme

By Etelka Lehoczky

otary International President-elect R. Gordon R. McInally called for members to capture the world's attention and lead the way toward possibilities far beyond our current expectations.

McInally, a member of the Rotary Club of South Queensferry, West Lothian, Scotland, revealed the 2023-24 presidential theme, Create Hope in the World, during the Rotary International Assembly in Orlando, Florida, USA, on 9 January. He urged members to promote peace in troubled nations, help those affected by conflict, and maintain the momentum of initiatives begun by past leaders.

"The goal is to restore hope — to help the world heal from destructive conflicts and, in turn, to help us achieve lasting change for ourselves," McInally said at Rotary's annual training event for incoming district governors.

McInally spoke about a woman he met in Ban Taling Chan, Thailand, where Rotary members helped build houses, a meeting hall, and childcare and health care facilities following the tsunami that devastated South Asia in late 2004. The woman had lost her husband, her daughter, and her son in the tsunami, as well as her livelihood. But she still had a gift to offer McInally: a beautiful seashell.

"She went on to tell me that Rotary... had restored her optimism. We gave her hope," McInally said.

"This is how Rotary brings lasting change to the world," he added, "one restored or newly created hope at a time."

Promoting peace

A significant way to bring hope to the world is to put a greater emphasis on peace, McInally said. He cited the action Rotary members have taken in the past year to support the people of Ukraine after the invasion by Russia. Rotary has made humanitarian relief a priority, attracting more Ukrainian members in the process. But McInally noted that true relief won't come without peace—not just in Ukraine, but in Yemen, Afghanistan, Syria, and dozens of other places around the globe.

"Peace is the soil where hope takes root," McInally said

McInally also emphasized the power of continuity, calling for Rotary members to continue the work of some past leaders. He pledged to maintain the Empowering Girls initiative launched by 2021-22 President Shekhar Mehta and uphold the emphasis on diversity, equity, and

inclusion throughout Rotary. He also noted recent events that underscore the importance of Rotary's continuing focus on polio. In the past year, polio cases have emerged in many areas around the world, making it more crucial than ever for Rotary members to lead the fight against the disease.

To do that, McInally said, Rotary must continue to raise at least US\$50 million each year to receive the full 2-to-1 funding match from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. Only about 1 in 12 members currently gives to the polio eradication campaign, with fewer than 1 in 5 clubs donating each year.

McInally asked the district governors-elect for support creating a new sense of urgency in their clubs to help realize Rotary's vision of a polio-free world. "This is the time for us to go beyond what's necessary year to year and make sure we provide every resource necessary to succeed as quickly as possible," he added.

Focusing on mental health

In addition, McInally said, Rotary members should offer hope to those affected by mental health challenges — a crisis exacerbated by the COVID-19 pandemic. Many people have lost family members, many more have found their social networks uprooted, and young people especially have had their educational and developmental paths interrupted. As a result, more people around the world are facing mental health issues. And yet, seeking assistance is often perceived as a sign of weakness.

"Nothing could be further from the truth," McInally said. "Reaching out for help is courageous — and continuing on a path toward wellness is even more so."

He added that Rotary will work to improve mental health services in the next year and beyond. Rotary should be known as an organization that takes care of its members as well as the people it serves, McInally said. "Any mental health professional will tell you that by helping others, we essentially help ourselves."

McInally ended his speech by describing his ideal balance of continuity and innovation. "Rotary helps create the conditions for peace, opportunity, and a future worth living," he said. "By continuing what we do best, by remaining open and willing to change, and by keeping our focus on building peace in the world and within ourselves, Rotary helps create a more peaceful world — a more hopeful world."

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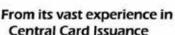
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