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PROGRAM

RCM'S 29th for Rotary Year 2017-2018

February 8, 2018, Thursday, 12Noon, New World Makati Hotel Ballroom

Officer-In-Charge/ Program Moderator : PVP Fausto Preysler

P R O G R A M T I M E T A B L E

11:30 AM	Registration & Cocktails (WINES courtesy of RCM Dir.-elect/Dir. "Bobby" Joseph)	
12:10 PM	Bell to be Rung: Members and Guests are requested to be seated by OIC/Moderator : PVP Fausto Preysler	
12:15 PM	Call to Order	Pres. Jimmie Policarpio
	Singing of the Republic of the Philippines National Anthem	RCM World-Famous Music Chorale
	Invocation	PP Francis Juico
	➤ RCM Hymn	RCM World-Famous Music Chorale
	➤ The Four Way Test Credo	All Rotarians led by Rtn. Manny Blanco
12:20 PM	Introduction of -Guests, Visiting Rotarians & Personalities at the Head Table	DE Albert Alday
	➤ Welcome Song	RCM World-Famous Music Chorale
12:25 PM	Maligayang Bati (RCManila Birthday Celebrants) Feb. 9 ... Rtn. "Cris" Acosta, Rtn. "Dong-Dong" Benedicto; Feb. 10.. VP "Chito" Zaldarriaga, Rtn. "Rosel" Doval Santos; Feb. 14.. Rtn. "Willy" Lim; Feb. 14.. Rtn. "Val" Araneta	
	➤ Happy Birthday Song	RCM World-Famous Music Chorale
12:30 PM	Project Presentation	Cheer Up Missions, Inc.
12:40 PM	Memorandum of Agreement Signing Ceremony between the Philippine College of Physicians and Rotary Club of Manila, One Rotary, One Philippines, One for Marawi Project Committee	Pres. Jimmie Policarpio; Dr. Kenneth Hartigan-Go, DE Raffy Alunan III, Chairman, One Rotary, One Philippines, One for Marawi Project Committee
12:45 PM	Brief Message	R.I. D-3810 Gov. Emmanuel A. Loy Cosico
	Presentation of District Governor's Fund to Gov. "Loy" Cosico	Pres. Jimmie Policarpio

	Response, Presentation of bell & gavel of appreciation to R.I. D-3810 Gov. Emmanuel A. "Loy" Cosico	Pres. Jimmie Policarpio
12:50 PM	President's Time 1. Presentation of the proclamation No. 413 declaring July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019 as the " Year for the Celebration of the Centennial Anniversary of the Rotary Club of Manila & the Rotary Movement in the Philippines and in Asia ", by H.E. Pres. Rodrigo Duterte 2. Presentation of a bell & gavel of appreciation to Cheer Up Missions, Inc. and Rotary Club of New Orleans	Pres. Jimmie Policarpio Pres. Jimmie Policarpio, IPP Teddy Ocampo, Rtn. Emyl Eugenio
12:55 PM	Introduction of the Guest of Honor and Speaker Address: Hon. Jose Ma. A. Concepcion III; Presidential Consultant for Entrepreneurship; RFM Corporation President and CEO and Philippine Center for Entrepreneurship – Go Negosyo Founder Public Forum	Rtn. Johnny Chotrani
	Response, Presentation of bell & gavel as a token of appreciation to Hon. Jose Ma. A. Concepcion III	Pres. Jimmie Policarpio
2:00 PM	Adjournment	

PRESIDENTIAL TIMELINE



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February 2, 2018 - Former National Security Adviser and Former Parañaque Representative PVP Roy Golez was a participant in the "Roundtable: A Blueprint for Fisheries & Environmental Cooperation in the South China Sea" at the ADR Institute, Manila Golf Club in Makati City. Principal Presentor was Greg Poling, Director of the Asia Maritime Transparency Institute. US Ambassador Sung Kim gave the opening remarks during the said event.

February 3, 2018 - DE/Dir. Issam Eldebs visited DE/Dir. Bobby Joseph at the Cardinal Santos Medical Center in San Juan.

February 5, 2018 - Rotary Club of Manila Fund Coordinator and member of the Secretariat, Mayvelyn Ponce-Patajo passed away.

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February 8, 2018 - Welcomes Hon. Jose Maria “Joey” Concepcion, III, Presidential Consultant on Entrepreneurship, who will talk on Micro-Entrepreneurship, among other current issues

- Governor’s Visit to the Rotary Club of Manila where we welcome DG Emmanuel “Loy” Cosico and his Executive Committee (EXECOM)

GUEST OF HONOR AND SPEAKER'S PROFILE



JOSE MA. A. CONCEPCION III

PRESIDENTIAL ADVISER FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP
CHAIRMAN – ASEAN BUSINESS ADVISORY COUNCIL PHILIPPINES
FOUNDER– PHILIPPINE CENTER FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP (GO NEGOSYO)
PRESIDENT AND CEO – RFM CORPORATION

Joey Concepcion is one of the country's leading business figures. Known for his dynamic entrepreneurial skills and aggressive market-driving approach, Joey was able to take the family business, RFM Corporation, to the next level after transforming the company from a once commodity-oriented business to one of the country's leading branded consumer food and beverage corporations.

Joey is appointed as Presidential Adviser for Entrepreneurship by President Rodrigo Duterte to help in MSME development. He is also the Chairman of the ASEAN Business Advisory Council in 2017 Philippine Chairmanship of ASEAN.

Joey is also the founder of the Philippine Center for Entrepreneurship – Go Negosyo . It aims to alleviate poverty by empowering entrepreneurs and eventually transform the country into an enterprising nation. Go Negosyo has become an inspiring and motivational movement that also empowers the Filipino with entrepreneurship education as the way to succeed in life and business. For PCE, this is the lasting solution to poverty.

Joey is the President and CEO of RFM Corporation, the Chairman of the RFM Unilever Ice Cream Corporation, and Director and Executive Committee member of Concepcion Industries, Inc.

Joey was also one of the Ten Outstanding Young Men of the Philippines (TOYM) in 1995, recognized in the Time Global 100 List of Young Leaders of the Millennium, given the Anvil Award of Excellence for Advocacy by the Public Relations Society of the Philippines and the CEO Excel Award by the International Association of Business Communications.

Joey was also hailed by Forbes Asia as one of the 48 Heroes of Philanthropy this 2011.

THE WEEK THAT WAS



DE "Jackie" Rodriguez as OIC/
Moderator, calls the program of
activities.



Vice Pres. "Chito" Zaldarriaga calls the 28th meeting of the Rotary Club
of Manila.



PVP "Roy" Golez delivers
an ecumenical prayer.



PP "Archit" Bartolome III
presides for the "*Special Tribute
to RCM PP Francisco V.
"Toting" Del Rosario*".

RCM WEEKLY BIRTHDAY CELEBRANTS



The RCM World-Famous Chorale led by Chairman **PP “Babes” Reyes** sings the Happy Birthday song to **PP Francisco V. “Toting” Del Rosario**.



Mrs. Marissa Blackett, daughter of **PP Francisco V. "Toting" Del Rosario**, during her brief appreciation remarks for the **del Rosario** family.



PP Francisco V. "Toting" Del Rosario responds with sincere thanks and profound gratitude for honouring him on the special occasion.



Rtn. **“Eddie” Ramos**, Former President, Republic of the Philippines, and RCM Honorary Member, VP **“Chito” Zaldarriaga** present to **PP Francisco V. “Toting” Del Rosario**, the bell & gavel as a token of appreciation. Also in photo from L-R: **PP Ed Reyes**, **PP Archibartolome**, Rtn. **Raffy Alunan** and **Mr. Danny Vasquez**, best friend of PP Toting.



Hon. Antonio Carpio, Senior Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the Philippines, gave Manila Rotarians, Visiting Rotarians and guests, the rudiments and implications of China's presence in both the West Philippine Sea and the Benham Rise.



An open forum immediately followed right after the speech of **Justice Antonio T. Carpio** with RCMers' raising questions: **Rtn. Henning Karcher**, **Rtn. Hermie Esguerra**, **Rtn. Tong Payumo** and **Rtn. Vee David**.



Vice Pres. "Chito" Zaldarriaga for the response, presentation of bell and gavel to **Justice Antonio T. Carpio**, as a token of appreciation and meeting adjournment.



In a posterity photo with Justice Carpio. From L-R: **PD Nick Locsin**, **Rtn. Jackie Rodriguez**, **PD Beda Fajardo**, **PDG Obet Pagdanganan**, **Justice Antonio T. Carpio**, **VPE Lance Masters**(back), **VP Chito Zaldarriaga**, **PVP Roy Golez** and **PE Susing Pineda**.



Former President of the Phils./Rtn. Fidel V. Ramos in a thumbs up with Manila Rotarians.



Former President/Rtn. Fidel V. Ramos and the birthday celebrant **PP Toting del Rosario**.



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MUSIC COMMITTEE MEETING



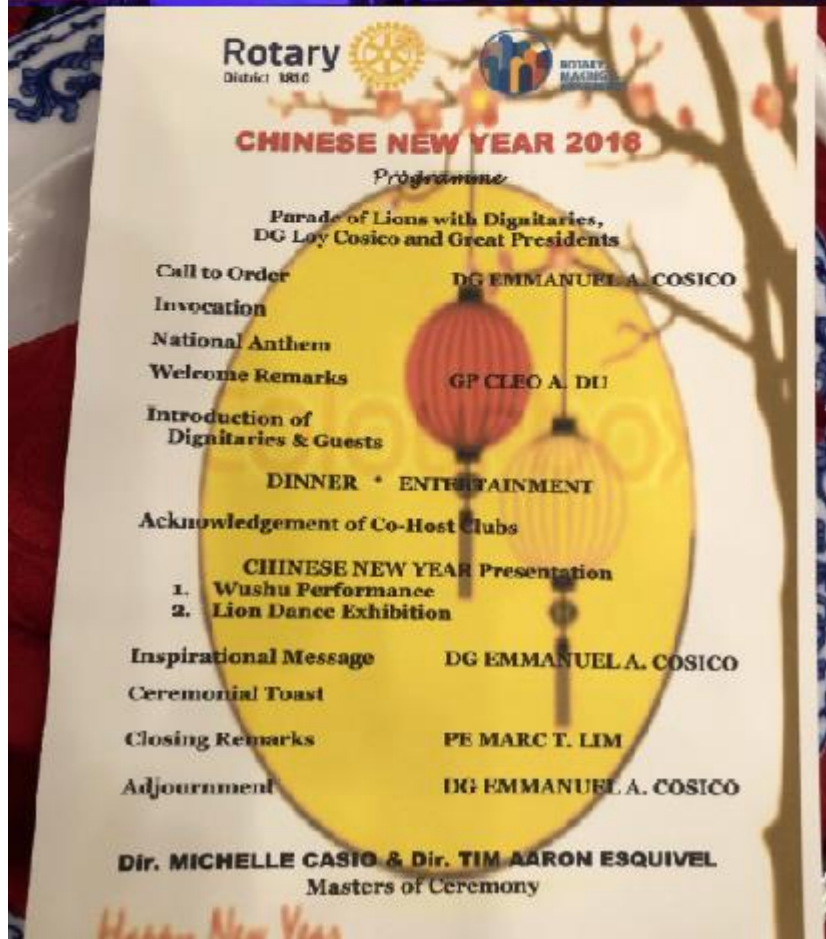
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COURTESY CALL



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condole with the family of



MRS. MAYVELYN PONCE PATAJO

May 27, 1966 - February 5, 2018

Fund Coordinator, Rotary Club of Manila Secretariat

who passed away in the grace of our Lord
at 3:30 am, Monday, February 5, 2018

Mayvelyn P. Patajo had served the club in various capacities from the time she was hired in February 1996 to December 31, 1997 and from February 15, 2008 to October 2017. She began as Committee Coordinator, Staff Assistant, Bookkeeper and culminating into being Fund Coordinator in an employment span of ten (10) years.

Wake will be held at her residence located at 1473 Lorenzo St. Sto. Rosario, Pateros, Metro Manila. Her remains will be transferred to her provincial home in Tayug, Pangasinan on Thursday, February 8, 2018.

**LET US OFFER OUR PRAYERS
FOR THE ETERNAL REPOSE OF HER SOUL**

SUNSHINE VISIT



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SPEAKERS' BUREAU



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PUBLIC HEALTH NUTRITION AND CHILD CARE



SPEND SOME TIME WITH YOUR FAMILY TODAY

Elias D. Adamos, M.D.

Inside the washroom of Café Mary Grace at the airport terminal 3 is a wooden poster that says: *“Life takes you to unexpected places. Love brings you home.”* I took a picture of the poster with the thinking that I might be able to make use of the quote. When everybody writes about sweethearts and girlfriends on Valentine’s Day, I find it very timely to write about *family* – the institution where LOVE resides from womb to tomb.

Modern family structures

Family structure in the Philippines has changed dramatically from the late 1990s. This is perhaps because of overseas employment, female empowerment, the ‘coming out of the closet’ of Filipinos with gender preferences, and maybe perhaps the worsening economic situations in some sectors of Philippine society, have created variations on the traditional Filipino family. The traditional “Pilipinong mag-anak” or Filipino family has slowly been evolving up to the point of embracing western family structures. According to mental health professional, Michelle Blessing, there exist multiple categories of family structures that have appeared in the last 50 years, namely: 1. **Nuclear family.** This is the traditional family. This family is made up of two parents and children. This is by far the ideal family institution to raise children. This type of family is long held in esteem by society. According to U.S. census, a high 80 percent of children live in a nuclear unit. 2. **Single parent family.** This type is wherein one parent is raising one or more children on his own. More common in this type is a single mother, although there are single fathers as well. This is the biggest change in family structure, as far as Filipino family, in my own opinion. In this type, household chores are divided among members and they find ways to be closer to each other by working things out to solve family problems. This limits income opportunities, compared to nuclear family structure. 3. **Extended family.** Two or more adults are related, either by blood or marriage. This family includes many relatives living together towards a common goal, such as raising children. Extended family includes grandparents, uncles, aunts, cousins, etc. Many extended families are formed due to financial difficulties. Other types include: Childless family, Stepfamily, Grandparent family, Adoptive/Foster family, Never-Married family, and Same-Sex parent family.

The family values are still the same. Put them in action.

Although family dynamics may differ from one type of family to another, family values as far as Filipino families are concerned remain the same. Important family values include: **Show love everyday, Respect for elders, Save money for the future, Learning from mistakes and failures, Work hard for success, Celebration of successes, Spend time together, Follow the guidelines of religion, honesty, patience, Avoid vices, Always do your best at work, Study well and continue to learn, Make education a priority, and generosity and extending help to family members, relatives, and friends.** *The common denominator is still LOVE inside the family.*

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