

RCM's 19th for Rotary Year 2019-2020

Thursday, November 21, 2019, 12:00 pm, Manila Polo Club McKinley Room
Officer-In-Charge/ Program Moderator : VPE "Thad" Liamzon

"A Joint Meeting of the Rotary Club of Manila (RCM) with Upsilon Sigma Phi (USP)"

PROGRAM TIMETABLE

11:00 AM Registration

12:15 PM Bell to be Rung: Members and Guests are requested to be seated

12:20 PM Program Proper
 Call to Order

OIC/Moderator : **VPE "Thad" Liamzon**
RCM Pres. "Jackie" Rodriguez and
USP Secretary/SDG "Caloy" Ocampo

Singing of the Philippine
 National Anthem
 Invocator

RCM WF Music Chorale
SDG "Caloy" Ocampo
 USP Secretary/Rotary Club of Pasay
RCM WF Music Chorale
All Rotarians

RCM Hymn/ Rotary Hymn
 The Four (4) Way Test Credo

12:30 PM Introduction of Guests/Visiting
 Rotarians and
 Personalities seated at the Presidential Table
 Welcome Song

Rtn. "Ricky" Guevara
RCM WF Music Chorale

12:35 PM Brief Remarks/Message

Rtn. Walter Borfritz
 Colorado, USA

12:38 PM Maligayang Bati (RCM Birthday Celebrants)
 Nov. 21...**PD Knud Hedeager, Rtn. Jun-Jun Capistrano**
 Nov. 24...**Rtn. Ricky Laurel**
 Nov. 25...**Rtn. Tony Lopez**
 Nov. 27...**PDSAA Tony Lopa**
 Happy Birthday Song

RCM WF Music Chorale

12:43 PM President's Time

Pres. "Jackie" Rodriguez

Update Report on the National
 Tree Planting Project

CP Pinky Redoble
Rotary Club of Makati Lumina

12:55 PM Introduction of Guest of
 Honor and Speaker

DE/Dir. "Caloy" Reyes

Address : **Daniilo L. Concepcion, BS, LL.B., LL.M.**
Professor and Dean of the College of Law
21st President, University of the Philippines

Public Forum

2:00 PM Response, Presentation of Token of Appreciation to
Daniilo L. Concepcion, BS, LL.B., LL.M.
 & Meeting Adjournment

Pres. "Jackie" Rodriguez and
USP Sec./SDG "Caloy" Ocampo

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**AGRICULTURE SECRETARY
 ADDRESSES FOOD SECURITY**

**RCM HOSTS TRF RECOGNITION
 GALA NIGHT**



GUEST OF HONOR AND SPEAKER



Hon. DANILO L. CONCEPCION, BS, LL.B., LL.M.

President

University of the Philippines

KABALITA

After an enlightening talk on food security and an evening of grandeur at The Rotary Foundation Recognition Gala Night, it's time we lend our ears to the Top Brass of the country's premier state university as he brings his scholarly ways to Asia's First Rotary Club.

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Danilo L. Concepcion, BS, LLB, LLM
President
University of the Philippines

Atty. Danilo Lardizabal Concepcion, Professor and Dean of the College of Law and 21st president of the University of the Philippines, was born on February 7, 1958 in Manila, the fourth of seven children of Raymundo Wilfredo Concepcion and Natalia Santiago Lardizabal.

Concepcion graduated valedictorian in 1970 from Bancal Elementary School in Meycauayan, Bulacan, and again in 1974 from

the Araneta University Foundation high school, where he excelled as a campus leader, journalist, and editor. He applied for the full national scholarship offered by the National Science Development Board, taking agricultural engineering at the Gregorio Araneta University Foundation (later renamed De La Salle-Araneta University). He graduated summa cum laude in 1979, topping the board exam that same year. He continued to work throughout college as a member of the Sangguniang Bayan ng Valenzuela and president of the Kabataang Barangay Federation of Metro Manila from 1976 to 1978, and as an elected member of the Interim Batasang Pambansa representing the Youth Sector from 1978 to 1984.

He earned his Bachelor of Laws (LLB) degree from the UP College of Law, graduating cum laude in 1983. Later, he received a grant to study for a year in the UK through the Chevening Scholarship offered by the British Foreign and Commonwealth Office. He earned his Master of Laws (LLM) degree from the University of London, Queen Mary College in 1986. He decided to come home and was recruited in 1987 as a regular faculty member of the UP College of Law by then Dean Bartolome S. Carale. There, he met Ms. Gaby Roldan, whom he eventually married in 1992.

In time, he became a member of the Board of Trustees of what was then the Gregorio Araneta University Foundation. He became president of De La Salle-Araneta University from 2000 to 2002, just as his four-year term as an Associate Commissioner of the Securities and Exchange Commission ended. Later, he became a Regent of the Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Valenzuela, a position he holds to this day.

He briefly served as Vice President for Legal Affairs during UP President Alfredo Pascual's term before becoming Dean of the UP College of Law in June 2011. He immediately instituted reforms to improve the UP College of Law's performance in the Bar Exams. He addressed staff issues and raised employee benefits, and built up a fund to support faculty development and student activities. He also improved the College of Law's physical structures to create an environment more conducive to higher learning. He assumed the presidency of the University of the Philippines on February 10, 2017.

Concepcion sees UP embracing its role as the national university, serving its various constituencies and the Filipino people by producing world-class education, research, and public service—upholding honor and excellence with compassion.

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Dear Fellow Rotarians,

For those of you who have contributed and helped in the great success of The Rotary Foundation Recognition Gala Night at the Grand Ballroom of OKADA MANILA in Parañaque City, I would like to thank and congratulate you for your wonderful efforts in assuring the night's fantastic event. Special thanks go to the charming Chair VP Hermie Esguerra and the beautiful Vice Chair SDG Joyce Ambray. To the many guys who gave donations and advertised in our souvenir program, thank you, thank you and thank you. The show was amazing. Gracias Hermie. You did a great job. You made me proud to be a member of such a great club. RCM had, but, two weeks to deliver the program, the souvenir magazine, and to sell four hundred (400) tickets. Amazing work. Congratulations and thank you to every single one of you.



Today we have a very special guest in the person of Prof. Danilo Concepcion, President of the University the Philippines.

Expect to learn about the history of the University of the Philippines, what steps have been taken to make our educational system better and many more items that our club members want to learn about. We have requested the members of the UP Alumni Association to take hold of this meeting and to deliver a wonderful program. You are at the helm, Upsilonians, with the UP President being an Upsilonian himself.

Next Thursday, we have as a Guest Speaker Dr. Willy Ong. I expect to learn much from this great crusader for good governance. Don't miss this meeting.

There will be a wonderful Christmas party at the Fairmont Hotel. The details are now being prepared and will be announced properly. I am also requesting for more fellowships, especially, fireside chats.

Best,

Jackie



AGRICULTURE SECRETARY ADDRESSES FOOD SECURITY

Agriculture Secretary William Dar, a horticulturist, focused on a self-sufficient food security provided the needed resources are available. Speaking before Asia’s First Rotary Club, he noted that food security is gradually becoming the overarching goal of agriculture which can be achieved by complementing a robust local palay production with importation to fill the gap. Local production, according to him, is vastly affected by irrigation. Hence, the country’s “BUILD BUILD BUILD” program im infrastructure should include building irriga- tion facilities. Likewise, to provide assistance to farmers which they need to improve their harvest and eventually lower the production cost of palay in the country, he is in favor of the Rice Tariffication Law and that President Duterte has the authority to increase the rice importation tariff so as not to compromise the production of local farmers. With proper im- plementation of the P10-B Rice Competitive Enhancement Fund, this will go a long, long way in making the rice farmer very competi- tive.

ATTENDANCE SUMMARY

RCM Members' Attendance Report, RY 2019-2020									
November 14, 2019 - Sec. William D. Dar, Ph.D., Department of Agriculture									
All Members Present	51								
Less: Exempt from Attendance	7								
Total Active Members	44								
ADD: Make-Up *	0								
TOTAL	44								
Total # of Members	222								
Less: Exempt from Attendance	27								
On Leave	24								
Total Active Members (Total Percentage Base)	171								
TOTAL ATTENDANCE %:	26%								
Cr MAKE-UP									
TRF Gala Recognition Night	5 Rtn. Philip Recto								
1 PDG Vince Carlos	6 PD John Cenica								
2 Rtn. Noy Benedicto	7 Rtn. Warren So								
3 PP Cesar Ubaldo	8 PP Francis Juico								
4 Rtn. Marcus Dee	9 VP Hermie Esguerra								
ON LEAVE									
1 Rtn. Val Aboy	10 Rtn. Jun Bella	16 PD Knud Hedeager	23 Rtn. Noel Tanglao						
2 Rtn. Michael Go	11 PD Jun Hallare	17 PD Ner Lonzaga	24 Rtn. Joe Assad						
3 Rtn. Tony Montinola	10 Rtn. Jujut Enriquez	18 Rtn. Mike Go							
4 PVP Lance Masters	11 PD Raoul Villegas	19 DSAA Jason Bogovich							
5 Rtn. Karl Leung	12 Rtn. Jun Santos	20 AT Karlo Castro							
6 Rtn. Dennis Montecillo	13 Rtn. Rick Zalamea	21 Rtn. Ariel Abriam							
7 Rtn. Vic Garcia	14 Rtn. Romy Nones	22 Rtn. Nando Camus							
8 Rtn. Joe Assad	15 Rtn. Willie Pelino								
ATTENDANCE REPORT	11.7.2019	11.14.2019							
RCM Members	47	51							
Members' Guests	4	11							
Club Guests	2	2							
TOTAL	53	64							



HAPPY CHILDREN

Elias D. Adamos, M.D.

On November 20, 1989, the Convention on the Rights of the Child was held at the United Nations General Assembly. The historic moment, in the presence of world leaders, gave their unified commitment to protect the welfare of children throughout the world. On July

28, 2014, Presidential Proclamation No. 10661, entitled An Act Declaring the Month of November of Every Year as National Children's Month, was signed into law. This month, the Department of interior and local government, Department of Education, Department of Social Welfare, National Youth Commission, and the Department of Health join the Council for the Welfare of Children and other government agencies in the celebration of National Children's Month with the theme: "Karapatang Pambata Patuloy na Pahalagahan at Gampanan Tungo sa Magandang Kinabukasan." This year's celebration aims to recognize the gains and successes of the Philippines in the promotion and protection of children's rights.

3 Ps in the Convention on the Rights of the Child

1. Provision: Children have the right to an adequate standard of living, health care, education and services, and to play and recreation. These include a balanced diet, a warm bed to sleep in, and access to schooling.

2. Protection: Children have the right to protection from abuse, neglect, exploitation and discrimination. This includes the right to safe places for children to play, constructive child rearing behavior, and acknowledgment of the evolving capacities of children.

3. Participation: Children have the right to participate in communities and have programs and services for themselves. This includes children's involvement in libraries, community programs, youth voice activities, and involving children as decision-makers.

7 Secrets to Raising a Happy Child (Source: www.parents.com)

1. Foster Connections. "A connected childhood is the key to happiness." This is according to author Edward Hallowell, M.D. "Connectedness" means a feeling of being loved, understood, wanted, and acknowledged. Connectedness is the biggest protector against emotional distress, suicidal thoughts, and risky behaviors in children.

2. Don't try to make your child happy. Avoid putting your child in a bubble by granting him his every wish and desire. The real world does not work that way. Help him learn to deal with negative emotions. Helping your child to be strong and resilient will give him lifelong happiness.

3. Nurture your happiness. Cultivate and nurture your relationship with your spouse. Happy parents lead to happy children.

4. Praise the right stuff. Praise the effort rather than the result. Praise the creativity, the hard work, and the persistence that goes into achieving.

5. Allow for success and failure. Stand back and let them do what they are capable of doing.

6. Give real responsibilities. Let him realize his sense of self-worth.

7. Practice habitual gratitude. Other members of the family should learn to say "thank you," as a sort of "ritual," to a sibling or parent he feels to be thankful for.

ROTARY CLUB OF MANILA

ANNUAL DUES 19-20

As of November 20, 2019

NO.	NAME	AMOUNT
1	Abastillas, Celso E.	25,000.00
2	Aboy, Valentino "Val" G.	25,000.00
3	Abriam, Ariel	25,000.00
4	Acosta, Crispiniano "Cris" G.	25,000.00
5	Alberto, Raymund Arnold S.	25,000.00
6	Alday, Albert S.	25,000.00
7	Alingog, Aldous "Rex" A.	25,000.00
8	Alunan, Rafael "Raffy" M.	25,000.00
9	Alvarez, Servando Jr.	25,000.00
10	Ampil, Renato "Boy" A.	23,800.00
11	Ang, Richard T.	25,000.00
12	Antunez, Jose Mari "Mari" M.	25,000.00
13	Aquino, Armando "Armie" A.	25,000.00
14	Arcilla, Carmelo "Teying"	25,000.00
15	Assad, Joseph	25,000.00
16	Aventura, Avenilo "Nilo" P.	25,000.00
17	Aventura, Jr., Avenilo "Jun" L.	25,000.00
18	Bartolome III, Arsenio "Archit" M.	25,000.00
19	Bautista, Jacinto "Jack" S.	25,000.00
20	Bediones, Rodolfo "Rudy" P.	25,000.00
21	Bella Jr., Geronimo "Jun" Dela Paz	24,553.57
22	Benedicto, Sixto "Noy" T.	25,000.00
23	Benitez II, Conrado "Conrad" L.	20,000.00
24	Bhalla, Pardeep "Bobby"	24,500.00
25	Blanco, Manuel "Manny" M.	25,000.00
26	Bogovich, Jason M.	25,000.00
27	Branellec, Jacques "Jack"	25,000.00
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36	Chua, Domingo "Doming" T.	25,000.00
37	Co, Ferdinand "Ferdie" C.	25,000.00
38	Coyiuto Jr., Robert "Jun" G.	25,000.00
39	Cruz, Avelino "Ave" V.	25,000.00
40	Cruz, Ramon Jose "Monch" A.	25,000.00
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Best of Quotes



PP Frank Evaristo
Weekly BALITA Associate Editor
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Life is too short to worry about stupid things.
Have fun, fall in love. Regret nothing and
don't let people bring you down.

The best response to an insult is silence.

First rule of life --- never forget those who helped you.

It doesn't matter how old you are or where you're from ---
Manners, Kindness, Compassion and Respect will always be the sign
of a decent human being.

We the people elect leaders not to rule but to serve.
By Dwight Eisenhower

When you make a mistake, there are only three things you should do
about it,
admit it and don't repeat it.

You want change, start disciplining yourself.
By Manila Mayor and RCM Honorary Member Rtn. Isko Moreno

Everything happens for a reason. Sometimes, it hurts, sometimes it's
hard
but in the end It's all for the best. Never give up --- Trusting God and His
Divine plan.

Life is short, time is fast. No replay, no revision, enjoy every moment as
it comes.

I'm not rich, I'm a simple guy, who wants to do well.
RCM Champion President Jackie Rodriguez

Love is not based on sex. Love is based on Respect,
Trust and Honesty --- one day and your hard work will pay off.

To be happy is to overcome the challenges and accept that life is imper-
fect.

People always remember your mistakes, but no one remembers the
good things you have done to them.

Never expect, never assume, never ask and never demand.
Just let it be if it's meant to be, it will happen.

When you are no longer friends with someone, respect the secrets they
shared with you, it's called integrity.



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2 November 2019

President Joaquin C. Rodriguez, Rotary Club of Manila

Dear President Joaquin,

**The Golden Jubilee Fund Raising Ball of
Rotary Club of Kowloon East**

Members of the Rotary Club of Kowloon East take pride in seeing our club reaching the half-a-century milestone this year. Our cheers and joys would be escalated highly at our Golden Jubilee Fund Raising Ball to be held on the evening of **Monday 16th December 2019** at the **InterContinental Hong Kong**, 18 Salisbury Road, Kowloon. On behalf of the Club President Mr. YIU Ching-on, may I cordially invite your goodself and Rotarians of your prestigious club to join us and add colours for our celebration.

In the light of the current unrest incidences, while we hold high hope for an improving situation, we would err of the side of being caution by focusing our effort in hosting the ball without staging a welcome dinner for our visiting guests from overseas sister clubs like you. Instead, we are prepared to invite the members of your visiting delegation to a farewell meal on the day following the ball. More information about this would be given in due course.

We would be grateful for your advice on the participants of the ball from your club as soon as possible. In addition, may we also have your congratulatory message, with your photograph, for the purpose of compiling the ball programme booklet by **16th November 2019** please. It would be our honour if you would continue to render your great support as before.

Yours in Rotary,

Look TSANG
Chairman

**The Golden Jubilee Fund Raising Ball
Rotary Club of Kowloon East**

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The above guestroom rates are net rate.

The quoted guestroom rate is based on single occupancy, inclusive of in-room high speed internet access.

*Supplement of HK\$150+10% service charge (HK\$165 net) per person daily for buffet breakfast at Harbourside.

Please advise should breakfast be required for the entire group when submitting the rooming list on or before cut-off date, **30 November, 2019**. Otherwise, this special breakfast inclusive rate will no longer be valid. The standard buffet breakfast priced at HK\$350+10% service charge per person.

107	Lopez, Mariano "Ning" B.	25,000.00
108	Manalaysay, Cesar "Citos" P.	25,000.00
109	Macapagal, Michael	37,138.00
110	Marking, Amado "Butch" M.	25,000.00
111	Masters, Lance A.	12,500.00
112	Matschuck, Guenter "Gunter" G.	25,000.00
113	Mendoza, Estelito "Titong" P.	25,000.00
114	Mendoza, Raymond Joseph Ian "Raji" O.	25,000.00
115	Mommaerts, Steve "Momo"	25,000.00
116	Montaño, Ramon "Mon" E.	25,000.00
117	Montecillo, Daniel Gabriel "Dennis"	25,000.00
118	Montel, Juan Manuel C.	12,500.00
119	Montinola, Antonio "Tony" J.	24,500.00
120	Mueller, Klaus	25,000.00
121	Nakatsuka, Hiroki	24,500.00
122	Nones, Romeo "Romy" C.	25,000.00
123	Nolido, Ramon Alberto "Ramby" B.	25,000.00
124	Nunez Jr., Jose "Pepo" A.	25,000.00
125	Ocampo, Teodoro "Teddy" J.	25,000.00
126	Ong, Jason L.	25,000.00
127	Ong, Phillip "Phil" L.	25,000.00
128	Ortiz Jr., Justo "Tito" A.	25,000.00
129	Ozaeta, Miguel Antonio L.	25,000.00
130	Pagdanganan, Roberto "Obet" M.	25,000.00
131	Palacios, Albert "Hans" C.	25,000.00
132	Paras, Neil	25,000.00
133	Pascual, Abraham "Abe" F.	25,000.00
134	Pascual, Jose Augusto "Jappy"	25,000.00
135	Patterson, Colin David	25,000.00
136	Payumo, Felicito "Tong" C.	25,000.00
137	Peliño, Wilfredo "Willie" M.	25,000.00
138	Pineda Jr., Jesus "Susung" M.	25,000.00
139	Pineda Jr., Patricio "Bebot" F.	25,000.00
140	Pizaras, Jordan M.	25,000.00
141	Policarpio Jr., Jose "Jimmie"	25,000.00
142	Policarpio, Renato "Rene" R.	25,000.00
143	Preysler Jr., Fausto R.	25,000.00
144	Pujalte Jr., Jose "Brix" S.	25,000.00
145	Quisumbing, Ramon "Mon" J.	25,000.00
146	Ramos, Claver P.	25,000.00
147	Ramos, Ricardo "Ric"	25,000.00
148	Recto, Philip H.	25,000.00
149	Resabal, Peri	37,138.00
150	Reyes, Crispino "Babes" P.	25,000.00
151	Reyes, Hermenegildo Carlos "Caloy" L.	25,000.00
152	Reyes, Edgardo "Ed" P.	25,000.00
153	Reynolds, David John "Dave"	25,000.00
154	Roberts, Constantin "Cons"	25,000.00
155	Rodriguez, Jose "Pepe" R.	12,500.00
156	Rodriguez, Joaquin "Jackie"	25,000.00
157	Rysbergen, Raymond "Ray" K.	25,000.00
158	Santos, Jesus "Jess" I.	25,000.00
159	Santos Jr., Jose Primo "Jun" M.	25,000.00
160	Sarmiento, Ricardo	25,000.00
161	Schoucair, Farid Alain	25,000.00

162	Sears, Robert "Rob" M.	25,000.00
163	Seña, Edwin P.	25,000.00
164	Sibayan, Joselito "Lito" H.	25,000.00
165	Sicat, Michael Allan E.	25,000.00
166	Skinner, Brian	37,138.00
167	So, Warren	25,000.00
168	Sobrepeña, Robert John "Bob" L.	25,000.00
169	Stranathan, Ike	25,000.00
170	Syjuco Jr., Jose "Joey" A.	25,000.00
171	Tagaysay, Hector "Chito"	25,000.00
172	Tago, Naoto	25,000.00
173	Tamano, Shalimar Hofer "Shah"	25,000.00
174	Tamayo, Victor "Butch" L.	25,000.00
175	Tan, Eusebio "Ebot" V.	25,000.00
176	Tang, Jimmy T.	25,000.00
177	Tanglao, Noel V.	25,000.00
178	Tankiang, Francisco "Paquito" V.	25,000.00
179	Tea, Thierry Yung Hong	24,500.00
180	Torres, Feliciano "Thotie" L.	25,000.00
181	Ubaldo, Cesar C.	25,000.00
182	Valdes, Joel C.	25,000.00
183	Valdez, Amado "Amading" D.	25,000.00
184	Valencia, Rodolfo "Rod" G.	25,000.00
185	Vea, Reynaldo "Rey" B.	25,000.00
186	Villacorta, Daniel Deo B.	25,000.00
187	Villarica, Henry R.	25,000.00
188	Villaseñor III, Nicanor "Nicky" S.	25,000.00
189	Vrana, Ludek	25,000.00
190	Wong, David Y.C.	25,000.00
191	Yap Jr., Enrique "Rickie" Y.	25,000.00
192	Yu, Geoffrey "Geof" C.	25,000.00
193	Yu, Reginald	37,138.00
194	Yujuico, Benedicto "Dicky" V.	25,000.00
195	Yujuico, Joselito "Joey" Z.	25,000.00
196	Zalamea Jr., Enrique "Rick" M.	24,500.00
197	Zaldarriaga, Felix Francisco "Chito" S.	24,500.00
198	Zeitouni, Nagi	25,000.00
199	Zosa, Rolando "Roy" M.	25,000.00

Resigned

1	Lee, Edgar "Ed" L.	25,000.00
2	Arnaiz, Ramon	5,000.00
3	Majer, Marian Norbert	5,000.00
4	Lising, Fernando "Andy" V.	5,000.00

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TOTAL MEMBERS:	223
TOTAL FULL PAID	192
TOTAL PARTIALLY PAID	7
NET PAID	199
TOTAL UNPAID MEMBERS	24
Paid Annual Dues as of:	11,20,2019

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The Rotary Club of Manila Ambassador of Goodwill Society held a meeting last November 20, 2019 at the Manila Room of the Manila Elks Club in Makati City. The meeting focused on the presentation of the **Rotary Club of Makati Lumina**, the reports of the Ambassadors, the Hagibis Disaster Fund and the Rotary Club of Kowloon East 50th Fund Raising Ball, among others.



IPDG Rudy Bediones and PDG Vince Carlos attended a luncheon hosted by **PDG Edmond Aguilar** in honor of **The Rotary Foundation Trustee Brenda Cressey** last November 17, 2019 at the Century Seafood Restaurant in Manila.



IPDG Rudy Bediones and PDG Obet Pagdanganan attended the **33rd Handover and 34th Induction Ceremonies of the Rotary Club of Manila East** last November 15, 2019 at the Sofitel Philippine Plaza Manila in Pasay City.



IPDG Rudy and Lady Sharon Bediones attended the **24th Charter Anniversary of the Rotary Club of Manila Metro** last November 17, 2019 at The Bayleaf, Intramuros, Manila.

STAR ROTARIANS AS OF November 14, 2019



Ariel Abriam, inducted November 22, 2018
Classification: Tourism – Tourist



Ludek Vrana, inducted December 6, 2018
Classification: Finance & Investments- Home Loans



Paul Joseph Garcia, inducted April 25, 2019
Classification: Real Estate Professional Services, Leasing



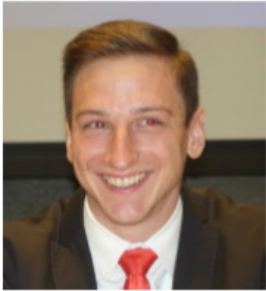
Neil Raymund R. Paras, inducted May 16, 2019
Classification: Paints – Paint Thinners



Nagi Zeitouni, inducted June 6, 2019
Classification: Machinery Equipment, Food Processing Equipment



Jordan Pizarra, inducted June 27, 2019
Classification: Law Practice- Appellate Law



Mathias Hallerbach, inducted September 12, 2019
Classification: Business Services – Human Resources Consultancy



Marvin Taylor-Dormond, inducted September 19, 2019
Classification: Banking – Development Bank (Asian)



Peri Resabal, inducted October 17, 2019
Classification: Mining – Gold & Silver Mining



Brian Skinner, inducted October 17, 2019
Classification: Automotive Industry - Automotive Leasing



Reginald T. Yu, inducted October 17, 2019
Classification: Paints – Paint Manufacturing



Michael "Mac" T. Macapagal, inducted November 14, 2019
Classification: Law – Construction Law



PE/Dir. Bobby Joseph proposing a toast for the success of The Rotary Foundation Recognition Gala Night.



President Jackie Rodriguez delivering the Closing Remarks.

CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

NOV. 28 - DR. WILLIE ONG
12-2PM
MANILA POLO CLUB

DEC. 10 - CHRISTMAS PARTY
6PM AT FAIRMONT HOTEL

DEC. 5 - HON. PANFILO LACSON,
12-2PM, NEW
WORLD MAKATI HOTEL

JAN. 9 - BSP GOV. BEN DIOKNO,
MANILA HOTEL, 12-2PM



The Rotary Foundation Recognition Gala Night Chair. Hermie Esguerra receives a trophy from The Rotary Foundation Trustee Brenda Cressey in his capacity as Major Donor Level 4. Also in photo are DG Liza Elorde, RI Director Raffy Garcia, III and District Rotary Foundation Chair PDG Connie Beltran-de Venecia.



Rotary Club of Manila members in full force at The Rotary Foundation Recognition Gala Night hosted by the club.



Pres. Jackie Rodriguez calls the 18th meeting of the Rotary Club of Manila to order.



PP Benny Laguesma, as Officer-In-Charge/ Program Moderator, calls the sequence of activities.



PP Jimmie Policarpio delivers an ecumenical prayer.



PD Ning Lopez leads in the recitation of the Four (4) Way Test as a renewal of the Rotary credo for all Rotarians.



Rtn. Hans Palacios introduces the guests, visiting Rotarians and personalities seated at the presidential table.



Induction of a New Member to the Rotary Club of Manila
SDG/Club Secretary/DE/Dir. **Albert Alday**, as proposer, introduces **Mr. Michael T. Macapagal** (Filipino), Partner, Quisumbing Torres with the classification of Law Practice-Construction Law, as inductee to the RCM Membership.



IPDG **Rudy Bediones** administers the charging ceremony to **Mr. Michael T. Macapagal**.



Pres. Jackie Rodriguez administers the oath of membership pledge to **Mr. Michael T. Macapagal** with proposer **SDG/Club Secretary/DE/Dir. Albert Alday** as witness.



The World Famous Chorale at their performance level



The Rotary Foundation Gala Night Chairman VP Hermie Esguerra delivering his Welcome Remarks.



President Jackie Rodriguez receives a trophy from **The Rotary Foundation Trustee Brenda Cressey** in his capacity as Arch Klumph Society Member. Also in photo are **District Rotary Foundation Chair PDG Connie Beltran-de Venecia**, **DG Liza Elorde**, **RI Director Raffy Garcia, III** and **The Rotary Foundation Recognition Gala Night Chair VP Hermie Esguerra**.

RCM HOSTS TRF RECOGNITION GALA NIGHT

November 16, 2019, Grand Ballroom, Coral Wing, OKADA MANILA, Parañaque City



The World Famous Music Chorale rehearsing the Rotary Hymn.



The World Famous Music Chorale striking a pose for posterity after rehearsing the Rotary Hymn at one of the meeting rooms. In photo are Rtn. Marcus Dee, PP Cesar Ubaldo, 2019 TRF Recognition Gala Night Chair VP Hermie Esguerra, R.I. Director Raffy Garcia, III, PP Benny Laguesma, DE/Treasurer Jason Ong, SDG/Club Secretary/DE/Dir. Albert Alday, PD Oscar del Rosario, PP Frank Evaristo, Rtn. Mathias Hallerbach, PE/Dir. Bobby Joseph, IPDG Rudy Bediones and Rtn. Noy Benedicto



The World Famous Music Committee with Asia's Golden Girl Gerphil Flores.



Pres. Jackie Rodriguez and SDG/Club Secretary/DE/Dir. Albert Alday take turns in placing the Rotary Club of Manila and Centennial pins, respectively, on STAR Rtn. Michael T. Macapagal.



Pres. Jackie Rodriguez, during his President's Time, reminds fellow Manila Rotarians to attend The Rotary Foundation Recognition Gala Night, which the club is hosting, on November 16, 2019 at the Grand Ballroom of OKADA Manila in Parañaque City. He thanked with sincere appreciation the valuable donors to the event headed by **Event Chairman Vice President "Hermie" Esguerra**. He also announced the team of next Thursday's luncheon meeting with **UP President Danilo Concepcion** as Guest of Honor and Speaker, of which UP's Upsilon Sigma Phi, the oldest Fraternity in Asia, will be invited for a joint meeting. Other forthcoming guest speakers previewed were **Dr. Willie Ong**, Medical Director, Pasay Charity Health Center; Columnist, The Philippine STAR and Pilipino Star Ngayon on November 28, 2019, as facilitated by **Vice President "Hermie" Esguerra**; **Hon. Panfilo Lacson**, Senator, Republic of the Philippines on December 5, 2019; **RCM Christmas Dinner Fellowship/Townhall Meeting** at the **Hotel Fairmont Makati** on December 10, 2019; **PVP/Hon. Benjamin Diokno**, Governor, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, on January 9, 2020, a joint meeting of **Rotary Club of Manila** and the **Bankers Association of the Philippines** at the Centennial Hall of the Manila Hotel; **Rtn./Hon. Carlos Dominguez, III**, Secretary, Department of Finance, a joint meeting of the **Rotary Club of Manila** and the **Rotary Club of Makati West** on January 16, 2020.



Dir. Raffy Alunan, III does the honor, pleasure and privilege of introducing Hon. William D. Dar, Secretary, Department of Agriculture, as Guest of Honor and Speaker.



Secretary William D. Dar, Department of Agriculture (DA), a horticulturist, spoke before Manila Rotarians and their guests on his ultimate goal of ensuring that the country's food security will be self-sufficient as long as the necessary resources possible will be available. He believed that food security is becoming the "over-arching goal of agriculture" and is defined by the country's wealth and production.



A public forum followed suit with **PD Rod Valencia**, **Rtn. Celso Abastillas**, **Rtn. Henning Karcher** and **VP Hermie Esguerra** raising their respective questions to **Secretary William D. Dar**.



Pres. Jackie Rodriguez during his response and presentation of token of appreciation to **Secretary William D. Dar** as well as subsequent meeting adjournment.

RCM WEEKLY BIRTHDAY CELEBRANT



Pres. Jackie Rodriguez presents **Rtn. Mon Ko** as the birthday celebrant of the week for the traditional blowing of the candle on the birthday cake amidst the singing by the **RCM World Famous Chorale** of the Happy Birthday Song.