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THANKSGIVING MASS

Rev. Fr. ALEXANDER P. BALATBAT

Director, Our Lady of Antipolo Retreat House
Diocese of Antipolo
Honorary Member, Rotary Club of Marikina Central



GUEST OF HONOR AND SPEAKER

Hon. BENJAMIN "BEN" E. DIOKNO, Ph.D.

Governor, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas
Chairman, Monetary Board
Professor Emeritus, University of the Philippines Diliman
Vice President, Rotary Club of Manila, RY 2010-2011

KABALITA

As the world turns a new leaf, cash registers begin to ring as the foremost Banker of the nation brings forth his fearless forecasts for 2022 in a nostalgic return to his home, Asia's First Rotary Club, after the celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass to express our overwhelming gratitude in protecting us in the year that was while continuing to seek protection in the new year.



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Zoom Weekly Membership Meeting
Rotary Year 2021-2022
Thursday, January 6, 2022, 11:30 AM

PROGRAM TIMETABLE

11:00 AM Registration and Zoom In
Program Moderator/Facilitator/Chika Talk

VPE/Sec. Reggie Yu

11:30 AM Thanksgiving Mass

Rev. Fr. Alexander Balatbat
Director
Our Lady of Antipolo Retreat House
Diocese of Antipolo

12:25 PM Presentation of Meeting Protocol/
Zoom Meeting House Rules

Part I

12:30 PM Call to Order

Invocation and Special Prayers
for healing and speedy recovery of **PP Cesar Ubaldo**

Philippine National Anthem

RCM Hymn

Philippine Rotary Hymn

The Rotarian Pledge

The Four (4) Way Test

Acknowledgment of Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Welcome Song

RC Manila Birthday Celebrants for the week

Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga

DSAA Jason Bogovich

AVP of RCM Members

AVP of RCM WF Music Chorale

AVP

STAR Rtn. Jack Rodriguez

ISAA Nagi Zeitouni

VPE/Sec. Reggie Yu

AVP of RCM WF Music Chorale

January 2 Rtn. Jed Dayang
January 3 STAR Rtn. Sinan Batur

January 5 PD Titong Mendoza
STAR Rtn. Xavy Zialcita

Maligayang Bati

AVP of RCM WF Music Chorale

Happy Birthday Song

AVP of Birthday Celebrants

President's Time

Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga



Zoom Weekly Membership Meeting
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Part II

1:00 PM Introduction of Guest of Honor and Speaker

DE Tony Lopez

Address:

Hon. BENJAMIN "BEN" E. DIOKNO, Ph.D.
Governor, Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas
Chairman, Monetary Board
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RY 2010-2011

Open Forum

Presentation of Certificates of Appreciation

Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga
PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra
Programs Committee Chairman

Attested by:
VPE/Sec. Reggie Yu

2:00 PM Response and Meeting Adjournment

Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga



PROFILE OF BSP GOVERNOR PVP BEN DIOKNO

BENJAMIN E. DIOKNO, Ph.D.

Governor
Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas



Dr. Diokno is the current Governor of the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP). Prior to his appointment, he served as Budget Secretary from 2016 to 2019. On his third tour of duty at the Department of Budget and Management (DBM), he pursued an expansionary fiscal policy to finance investments in human capital development and public infrastructure.

Under his proactive leadership, the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas was among the first central banks in the world to respond to the COVID-19 crisis. The prompt and extraordinary monetary measures provided a significant cushion to the current state of the Philippine economy.

As BSP Governor, he does not only pursue the BSP mandates of price stability, financial stability, and an efficient payments and settlements system; but also endeavors to bring central banking closer to the people. He is a champion of digital payments and financial inclusion. In this pursuit, he aims to shift 50% of retail payment transactions to digital form and achieve 70% transaction account ownership among adult Filipinos. He is also a strong advocate of the Philippine ID System.

His policy expertise and research contribution extend to various areas of public economics, such as the structure and scope of government, tax policies and reforms, public expenditure management analysis, fiscal decentralization, national budget and public debt among other topics. He has extensive experience in implementing reforms at the public sector, having also served as Budget Undersecretary from 1986 to 1991 and Budget Secretary from 1998 to 2001.

He is Professor Emeritus of the University of the Philippines-Diliman. Over more than 40 years, he taught the following courses: Public Sector Economics, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Development Economics and Special Topics (e.g., Public Enterprises Investment and Pricing Policies; Public Sector Reforms; Local Government Finance, etc.). He was also Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the *Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Maynila* (City University of Manila).

He served as Fiscal Adviser to the Philippine Senate. He also served as Chairman and CEO of the Philippine National Oil Company (PNOC) and Chairman of the Local Water Utilities Administration.

Some of the major policy reform contributions of Dr. Diokno include: providing technical assistance to the 1986 Tax Reform Program to simplify the income tax system and introduce the value-added tax, helping design the 1991 Local Government Code of the Philippines, initiating a What-You-See-Is-What-You-Get policy to streamline the release of funds, sponsoring the internationally-lauded Government Procurement Reform Act to modernize, regulate, and standardize government procurement activities in the Philippines.

PROFILE OF BSP GOVERNOR PVP BEN DIOKNO

BENJAMIN E. DIOKNO, Ph.D.
Governor
Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas



He served as an adviser and consultant to various multilateral agencies like the World Bank, Asian Development Bank, European Commission, and USAID for work in the Philippines, China and transitioning economies like Vietnam, Cambodia, and Mongolia.

He has also participated in numerous international conferences hosted by the IMF, ADB, World Bank, APEC, UN among other international organizations. Beyond this, he has authored numerous publications and discussion papers regarding his research interests that have been published in academic journals and policy reports.

He finished his Bachelor's Degree in Public Administration from the University of the Philippines (1968), and earned his Master's Degree in Public Administration (1970) and Economics (1974) from the same university. He also holds a Master of Arts in Political Economy (1976) from the Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Maryland, USA and a Ph.D. in Economics (1981) from the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University in Syracuse, New York, USA.



PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Happy and Blessed New Year my dear RCM brothers.

As I write this I am still reeling with the alarming rate of infections we are getting on this pandemic.

Nonetheless, we must go on.

Before the year ended, as most of you must have been monitoring, your club went into a hyper drive to get mercy assistance to the areas that were devastated by Typhoon "Odette".

PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra quickly organized a team to attend to the logistics in order to market, collate, bag and ship the goods consisting of sleeping mats, blankets, slippers and portable solar gensets. PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra advanced the amount needed as we were building up funds being poured in by all you who donated much needed cash for this effort. Point man IAS Mike Albaña did a remarkable job ably assisted by ISDG/ISAG/DE/Dir Albert Alday, who, despite a next day flight to New York, led the Divisoria Purchase Team, STAR Rtn. Inov Talusan, STAR Rtn. Xavy Zialcita, RCManila Foundation, Inc. EA Sol Troniado-Encarnacion and her husband, Egay Encarnacion.

With the aid of the Philippine Coast Guard team, they commandeered Hotel 101 nearby and assembled the goods before bringing these via convoy to the Philippine Navy Headquarters along Roxas Boulevard in Manila.

There, they met us with DE Raffy Alunan. He had made prior arrangements with Captain Jonathan Zata and crew to transport the goods to Cebu.

IAS Mike Albaña and STAR Rtn. Inov Talusan went with the Philippine Navy crew to Pier 13. There they stayed until 11:00 pm to ensure the goods were all loaded to the vessel, M/V Legaspi. The long line did not deter these formidable gentlemen to ensure the job was done and done well.

A medical mission is on its way headed by DE Raffy Alunan and we continue to pray for support and relief for those victims.

We start this year with the traditional BSP Governor, our very own PVP Ben Diokno, giving us a review and prognosis for the brand new 2022.

Let us pray that we will, indeed, have a better year ahead!

Stay safe everyone!!!

Humbly yours in Rotary,

FSZ

Felix Francisco S. Zaldarriaga
President
RY 2021-2022



◀◀ THE WEEK THAT WAS ▶▶



STAR Rtn. Marius Angara, as Program Moderator/Facilitator, calls the day's sequential order of activities.



President Chito Zaldarriaga calls the meeting to order.



DE/IPD Hans Palacios delivers an Invocation and Special Prayer.



The **Rotary Club of Manila Audiovisual Presentation** of the **Philippine National Anthem**



The singing of the **Philippine Rotary Hymn**



IAS Mike Albaña leads the recitation of the Four (4) Way Test for Manila Rotarians to renew their commitment to the Rotary movement.

«« THE WEEK THAT WAS ««



PP Teddy Ocampo, Chairman of the Committee on Elections of the RCManila Foundation, Inc., announces the election results for the Board of Trustees of the RCManila Foundation, Inc. for RY 2022-2023.



PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra, as RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman, delivers his message for the newly-elected Board of Trustees who will be serving for RY 2022-2023.



President Chito Zaldarriaga delivers his message during his President's Time.



Dir. Noy Benedicto, as Director-in-Charge, announces the details of the Rotary Club of Manila Virtual Christmas Fellowship.



President Chito Zaldarriaga bestows a Special Citation upon **PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra**.

◀◀ THE WEEK THAT WAS ▶▶



STAR Rtn. Raoul Creencia, Managing Partner of The Firm of Creencia, Carillo and Velasco, delivers his Classification Talk.



An open forum immediately followed right after the Classification Talk of **STAR Rtn. Raoul Creencia, Managing Partner of The Firm of Creencia, Carillo and Velasco with the classification, Law Practice – Commercial Law**. Among those who participated in the open forum were **President Chito Zaldarriaga, Dir. Amading Valdez, STAR Rtn. Marius Angara, PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra, PD Issam Eldebs, DE/IPD Hans Palacios, DE Tony Lopez and PSAA Gunter Matschuck**.

«« THE WEEK THAT WAS ««



President Chito Zaldariaga and **Programs Committee Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra** present the Certificate of Appreciation, attested by **VPE/Club Secretary Reggie Yu**, to **STAR Rtn. Raoul Creencia**.



President Chito Zaldarriaga delivers his closing remarks and thereafter, adjourns the meeting.

CLUB ADMINISTRATION

From the Programs Committee



Dear Fellow Manila Rotarians,

The New Year brings us new hope - another beginning for our nation that was straddled with natural disaster caused by CoVid-19 and climate-related changes.

For all the challenges that came our way, we are also thankful for the opportunities that have opened from the pandemic situation.

For the good and the challenging times, we are thankful for surviving the challenge of 2021. Let us attend the New Year Eucharistic Mass in thanksgiving and with hope. Our mass will be celebrated by Rev. Fr. Alex Balatbat at 11:30 AM.

Thereafter, at 12:30 PM, we will proceed with the main programming of our inaugural meeting of the year with one of our very own, Hon. BENJAMIN "BEN" E. DIOKNO, Ph.D., Governor of the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas, Chairman of the Monetary Board, Professor Emeritus of the University of the Philippines and Vice President of the Rotary Club of Manila, RY 2010-2011, who will be in our midst to share with us how our nation was able to rise above the economic havoc caused by calamities affecting the whole world and what are the plans and projected economic plan for 2022.

It's time to begin a brand new year with a new mix, 11:30 AM, January 6.

Very truly yours,

PE/PVP HERMINIO "HERMIE" S. ESGUERRA
Programs Committee Chairman
RY 2021-2022

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RCM Members' Attendance Report RY 2021-2022

DECEMBER 2021	December 2, 2021 DG Robert Koa Classification Talks STAR Rtn. Caloy Serapio and STAR Rtn. Richard Jack Everingham	December 9, 2021 Classification Talk STAR Rtn. Raoul Creencia
All Members Present	62	67
Make Up	5	15
Less: Exempt from Attendance	5	7
On Leave	0	0
Total Active Members	62	75
Total # of Members	225	225
TOTAL ATTENDANCE %:	28%	30%
Rotaractors		
Media		
Embassies/Diplomatic Corps		
District Governors		
Guest of Honor and Speaker/Guest Speaker		
Visiting Rotarians		
Guests of RCM MEMBERS		
Unknown		
Total Attendees	62	67

CLUB ADMINISTRATION

List of Members Who Have Paid Their Annual Dues for RY 2021-2022

(As of January 5, 2022, 11:00 AM)

	ANNUAL DUES 19-20
198	FULLY PAID
24	UNPAID
3	PARTIALLY PAID
225	TOTAL NUMBER OF MEMBERS

NO.	NAME	OR NUMBER	AMOUNT	REMARKS
1	Abastillas, Celso E.	50579	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
2	Abay, Valentino "Val" G.	50692	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
3	Abriam, Ariel	50737	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
4	Acosta, Crispiniano "Cris" G.	50719	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
5	Albana, Michael Jaey "Mike"	50708	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
6	Alberto, Raymund Arnold S.	50832	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
7	Alcantara, Isidro "Butch"	50745	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
8	Alday, Albert S.	50518	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
9	Alingog, Aldous "Rex" A.	50568	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
10	Alunan, Rafael "Raffy" M.	50690	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
11	Alvarez, Servando, Jr.	50687	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
12	Ampil, Alvin	50557	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
13	Ang, Richard T.	50774	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
14	Angara, Marius	50751	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
15	Aragon, Joshua	50746	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
16	Aventura, Avenilo "Nilo" P.	50826	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
17	Aventura, Avenilo, Jr. "Jun" L.	50827	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
18	Bartolome, Arsenio III "Archit" M.	50535	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
19	Batur, Sinan	50820	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
20	Bautista, John, Jr. I.	50744	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
21	Bediones, Rodolfo "Rudy" P.	50569	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
22	Bella, Geronimo, Jr. "Jun" Dela Paz	50824	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
23	Benedicto, Sixto "Noy" T.	50799	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
24	Bertelsen, Bertel Ingmar	50845	32,138.00	FULLY PAID
25	Bhalla, Pardeep "Bobby"	50809	24,500.00	FULLY PAID
26	Blanco, Manuel "Manny" M.	50586	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
27	Bogovich, Jason M.	50581	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
28	Bolton, Wilhelm "Bollie"	50739	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
29	Branellac, Jacques "Jack"	50577	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
30	Buendia, Carlos "Caloy" C.	50829	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
31	Campos, Josellito, Jr. "Butch" D.	50816	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
32	Camus, Fernando	50552	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
33	Carlos, Vicente "Vince" J.	50723	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
34	Castro, Karlo Eugene Josef "Karlo"	50526	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
35	Catalan, Rodillo "Teng"	50666	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
36	Cenica, John T.	50794	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
37	Chahwan, Rami	50539	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
38	Chang Li, Richard Joseph	50775	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
39	Chien, Liang-Ta "Steve"	50531	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
40	Chotrani, Johnny N.	50730	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
41	Co, Ferdinand "Ferdie" C.	50830	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
42	Coyluto, Robert, Jr. "Jun" G.	50838	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
43	Creencia, Raoul	50835	37,138.00	FULLY PAID

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44	Cruz, Avelino "Ave" V.	50542	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
45	Cureg, Alexander "Alex" P.	50527	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
46	Cutter, John Michael "Michael"	50538	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
47	Davis, Raymond "Ray" N.	50533	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
48	Dayang, Juan, Jr. "Jed" E.	50523	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
49	De Venecia, Jose "Joe" C.	50555	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
50	Dee, Marcus L.	50758	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
51	Del Rosario, Oscar	50706	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
52	Dela Cruz, Artemio "Art"	50750	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
53	Diokno, Benjamin "Ben" E.	50540	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
54	Dionisio, Rafael Ignacio "Raf"	50725	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
55	Dominguez, III, Carlos "Sonny" G.	50765	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
56	Dy, Manuel "Manny" C.	50520	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
57	Egan, Brendan "Bren" W.L.	50672	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
58	Eldebs, Issam "Sam"	50439	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
59	Engelbrecht, Francois	50679	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
60	Enriquez, Eduardo III "Jujut" V.	50519	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
61	Esguerra, Herminio "Hermie" S.	50547	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
62	Esquivias, Joaquin Pablo "Jop" A.	50678	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
63	Eugenio, John Emyl "Emyl" G.	50697	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
64	Evaristo, Frank A.	50534	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
65	Everingham, Richard Jack	50834	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
66	Fajardo, Beda G.	50546	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
67	Fernandez, Antonio Jaime Jose V. "JJ"	50654	32,138.00	FULLY PAID
68	Follosco, Ceferino, Jr. "Jun" G.	50729	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
69	Garcia, Herbert Joey "Joey" D.	50741	15,800.00	FULLY PAID
70	Garcia, Paul Joseph "PJ"	50509	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
71	Garcia, Victor	50525	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
72	Gaspar, Fernando "Nando" L.	50733	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
73	Gierran, Dante "Dan"	50521	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
74	Go, Daniel "Danny" C.	50761	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
75	Go, Henry Sy	50686	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
76	Go, Michael	50731	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
77	Guarin, Michael Arcatony "Mike" H.	50655	24,500.00	FULLY PAID
78	Guevara, Domingo, Jr. "Boy" S.	50572	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
79	Guevara, Ricardo "Ricky" S.	50573	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
80	Hallare, Delfin, Jr. "Jun" T.	50689	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
81	Hallerbach, Mathias	50759	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
82	Harle, Wolfgang Kurt	50563	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
83	Henkelmann, Martin	50599	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
84	Hernandez, Edwin	50551	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
85	Hesse, Uwe	50581	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
86	Hortaleza, Rolando	50822	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
87	Jang, Jae "Jay-Jay" J.	50693	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
88	Joseph, Ralph L.	50514	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
89	Joseph, Robert Ian "Robi" M.	50510	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
90	Joseph, Robert, Jr. "Bobby" L.	50512	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
91	Kalaw, Teodoro Alejandro IV "Teddy" A.	50700	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
92	Karcher, Henning	50558	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
93	Kunack, Lutz	50668	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
94	Lacambacal, Alvin D.	50734	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
95	La'o, Emilio Gonzalez	50728	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
96	Laya, Jaime "Jimmy" C.	50821	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
97	Ledda, Jaime Victor "Jet" B.	50685	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
98	Lee, Richard "Dick" L.	50554	25,000.00	FULLY PAID

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99	Leung, Karl A.	50740	12,500.00	PARTIALLY PAID
100	Liamzon, Romeo Thaddeus "Thad" R.	50515	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
101	Lim, David Eduardo Ty	50567	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
102	Lim, Richard	50748	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
103	Lim, William "Willy" C.	50848	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
104	Locsin, Arsenio "Nick" Z.	50595	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
105	Locsin, Roberto R.	50670	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
106	Lonzaga, Reinerio "Ner" C.	50524	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
107	Lopa, Antonio "Tony" A.	50597	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
108	Lopez, Antonio "Tony"	50703	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
109	Lopez, Arthur "Art" M.	50548	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
110	Macapagal, Michael "Mac"	50541	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
111	Magbanua, Gerry	50562	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
112	Magsaysay, Francisco "Paco" D.	50657/50658	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
113	Manalaysay, Cesar P "Citos"	50664	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
114	Mangalile, Senen	50713	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
115	Martinez, Ronald	50714	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
116	Masters, Lance A.	50530/50847	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
117	Matschuck, Guenter "Gunter" G.	50807	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
118	Mauricio, Antonilo "Anton"	50711	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
119	Meloto, Antonio "Tony"	50511	15,800.00	FULLY PAID
120	Mendoza, Estelito "Titong" P.	50543	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
121	Mendoza, Raymund Joseph Ian "Raji" C.	50674	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
122	Mommaerts, Steve "Momo"	50718	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
123	Montel, Juan Manuel C.	50665	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
124	Montinola, Antonio "Tony" J.	50596	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
125	Nolido, Ramon Alberto "Ramby" B.	50694	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
126	Nones, Romeo "Romy" C.	50598	25,001.00	FULLY PAID
127	Nunez, Jose, Jr. "Pepo" A.	50722	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
128	Ocampo, Teodoro "Teddy" J.	50683	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
129	Okajima, Hiroyuki	50588	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
130	Ong, Jovee K.	50715	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
131	Ong, Phillip "Phil" L.	50550	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
132	Pagdanganan, Roberto "Obet" M.	50677	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
133	Palacios, Albert "Hans" C.	50709	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
134	Pallasigue, John Brian "JB"	50580	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
135	Pascual, Abraham "Abe" F.	50688	24,500.00	FULLY PAID
136	Pascual, Jose Augusto "Jappy"	50688	24,500.00	FULLY PAID
137	Patterson, Colin David	50536	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
138	Payumo, Felicitio "Tong" C.	50825	10,000.00	PARTIALLY PAID
139	Peliño, Wilfredo "Willie" M.	50594	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
140	Pineda, Jr., Jesus "Susing" M.	50545	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
141	Pineda, Jr., Patricio "Bebot" F.	50537	26,200.00	FULLY PAID
142	Pizarra, Jordan M.	50780	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
143	Preysler, Fausto, Jr. R.	50556	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
144	Pujalte, Jose, Jr. "Brix" S.	50754/50760	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
145	Ramos, Claver P.	50841	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
146	Rast, Tobias "Tobi"	50669	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
147	Recto, Philip H.	50691	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
148	Reyes, Crispino "Babes" P.	50681	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
149	Reyes, Edgardo "Ed" P.	50561	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
150	Reynolds, David John "Dave"	50565	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
151	Robertz, Constantin Franz Josef "Cons"	50680	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
152	Rodriguez, Gerard Sean "Sean" H.	50752	25,000.00	FULLY PAID

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List of Members Who Have Paid Their Annual Dues for RY 2021-2022

(As of January 5, 2022, 11:00 AM)

153	Rodriguez, Joaquin "Jack" H.	50682	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
154	Rodriguez, Joaquin "Jackie" C.	50671	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
155	Romualdez, Ferdinand Martin "Martin"	50747	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
156	Romualdez, Jose Manuel "Babe" G.	50574	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
157	Rono, Marlon	50592	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
158	Sarmiento, Ricardo	50587	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
159	Schmitz, Steffan	50705	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
160	Schneider, Bernd	50673	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
161	Schoucair, Farid Alain	50667	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
162	Serapio, Carlos G. "Caloy"	50717	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
163	Sevilla, Luis Angelo "L.A." L.	50698	15,484.00	FULLY PAID
164	Shigei, Kentaro	50591	24,500.00	FULLY PAID
165	Shimoda, Shigeru	50590	15,800.00	FULLY PAID
166	Sibayan, Joselito "Lito" H.	50564	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
167	So, Warren	50710	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
168	Sobrepeña, Robert John "Bob" L.	50701	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
169	Soler, Jose Antonio Andaya	50724	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
170	Stranathan, Ike	50566	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
171	Syjuco, Jose, Jr. "Joey" A.	50544	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
172	Tagaysay, Hector "Chito"	50732	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
173	Talampas, Jose Angel "Joel"	50651	15,800.00	FULLY PAID
174	Talusan, Ferdinand "Ingv"	50899	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
175	Tamano, Shalimar "Shah" H.	50818	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
176	Tamayo, Victor "Butch" L.	50797	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
177	Tan, Eusebio "Ebot" V.	50707	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
178	Tan, Lawrence "Lance" L.	50743	15,800.00	FULLY PAID
179	Tang, Jimmy T.	50815	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
180	Tanglao, Noel V.	50785	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
181	Taylor-Dormond, Marvin	50549	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
182	Tee, Jr., Teddy B.	50676	15,800.00	FULLY PAID
183	Tejuma, Michael "Mike"	50532/50582	37,138.00	FULLY PAID
184	Tillmann, Hansel Joseph Michael "Han"	50695	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
185	Ubaldo, Cesar C.	50704	12,600.00	PARTIALLY PAID
186	Valdes, Joel C.	50727	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
187	Valdez, Amado "Amading" D.	50660	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
188	Valencia, John Nico "Nico" P.	50755	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
189	Valencia, Rodolfo "Rod" G.	50755	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
190	Vea, Reynaldo "Rey" B.	50720	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
191	Villarica, Henry R.	50652	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
192	Villegas, Raoul A.	50801	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
193	Yap, Enrique, Jr. "Rickie" Y.	50819	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
194	Yu, Geoffrey "Geo" C.	50735	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
195	Yu, Reginald "Reggie" T.	50662	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
196	Yujuico, Benedicto "Dicky" V.	50808	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
197	Yujuico, Brendon	50571	12,800.00	FULLY PAID
198	Zalamea, Enrique, Jr. "Rick" M.	50753	24,500.00	FULLY PAID
199	Zaldarriaga, Felix Francisco "Chito" S.	50528	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
200	Zeitouni, Nagi	50696	25,000.00	FULLY PAID
201	Zialcita, Xavier "Xavy" Y.	50663	15,800.00	FULLY PAID

TOTAL **4,837,697.00**

Reminder: Please secure OR within 3 days upon payment. Kindly email the copy of deposit at rcmanila@rcmanila.org or send proof of payment in viber. You may also send via fax at #527-1885.

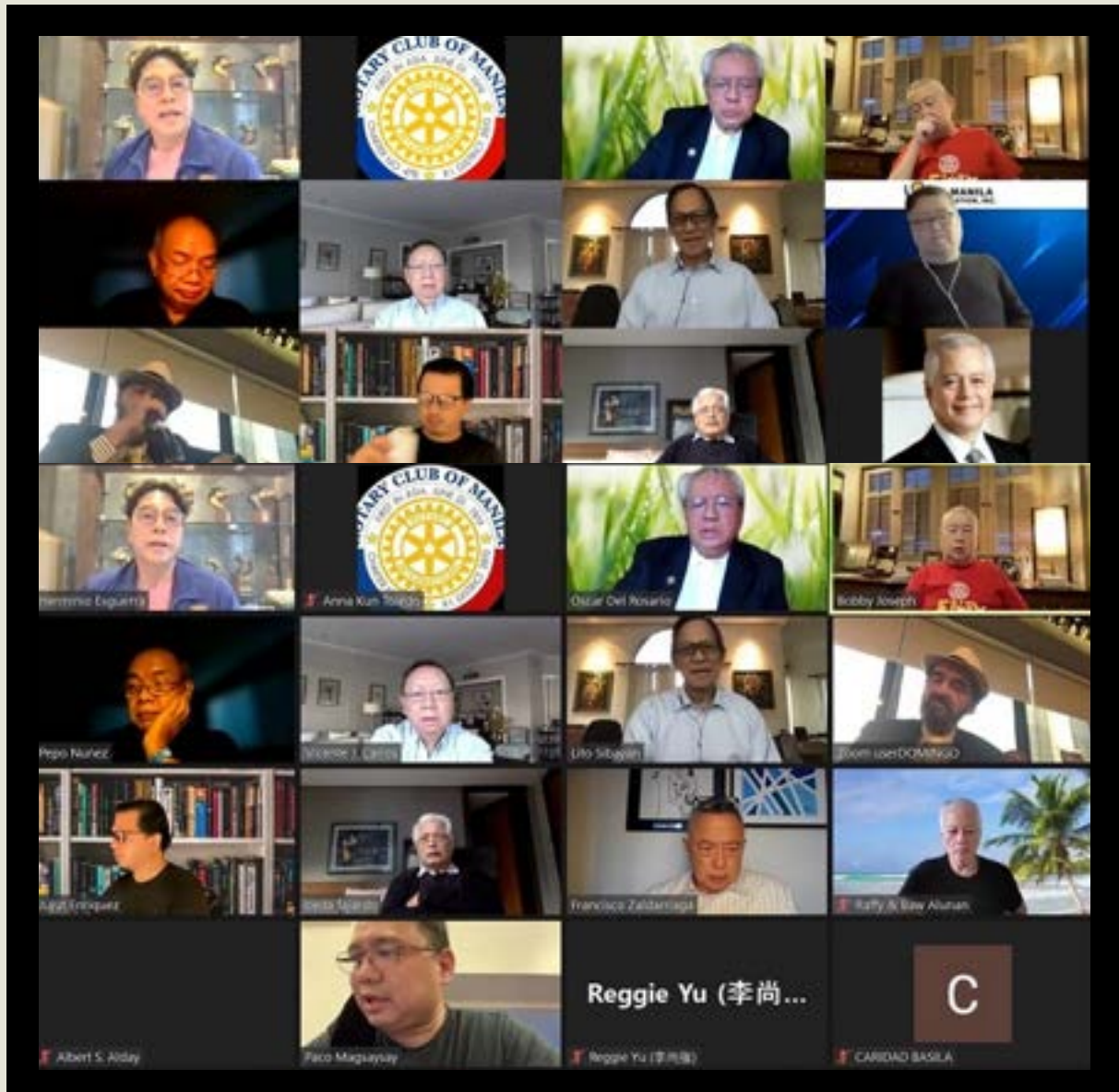
RCMANILA FOUNDATION, INC.

Results of the Election for the Board of Trustees of the RCManila Foundation, Inc.

RCManila Foundation Nominees for Year 2022-2023	
Name	Votes
ESGUERRA, HERMINIO S.	39
SIBAYAN, JOSELITO H.	39
ZALDARRIAGA, F. FRANCISCO	37
CARLOS, VICENTE J.	37
JOSEPH. ROBERT L., JR.	37
MAGSAYSAY, FRANCISCO D.	33
ALDAY, ALBERT S.	33
DEL ROSARIO, OSCAR, SR.	32
ENRIQUEZ, EDUARDO III	31
PASCUAL, ABRAHAM F.	31
YU, REGINALD T.	30
FAJARDO, BEDA G.	30
NUNEZ, JOSE A. JR.	29
RODRIGUEZ, JOAQUIN C.	27
ALUNAN, RAFAEL, M. III	26

RCMANILA FOUNDATION, INC.

The Board of Trustees of the RCManila Foundation, Inc. for RY 2022-2023 Holds Organizational Meeting



The Board of Trustees of the RCManila Foundation, Inc. for RY 2022-2023 held its Organizational Meeting last January 5, 2022 via Zoom virtual platform. Present were Trustee PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra, Trustee PD Oscar del Rosario, Trustee DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph, Trustee PD Pepo Nuñez, Trustee PDG Vince Carlos, Trustee PT Lito Sibayan, Trustee DE/Dir. Albert Alday, Trustee DGND Jackie Rodriguez, Trustee DE/Treasurer Jujut Enriquez, Trustee PD Beda Fajardo, Trustee President Chito Zaldarriaga, Trustee DE/PD Raffy Alunan, Trustee STAR Rtn. Paco Magsaysay, Trustee VPE/Secretary Reggie Yu, Acting Executive Director Caridad Basila and ES Anna Kun Toledo. Trustee/PD Pepo Nuñez and Trustee/PT Lito Sibayan were unanimously elected as Chairman and President, respectively.

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

Appeal for Paul Harris Fellows



July 1, 2021

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

An Opportunity has now opened doors for our club to be a 100% Paul Harris Club. With only US\$ 500.00 as a beginning contribution, you can now become a Paul Harris Fellow.

We have members who have risen to donor levels that have earned them significant point values. Our fellow members led by IPP Jackie Rodriguez, PDG Alex Cureg, PVP Hermie Esguerra, PDG Rudy Bediones and PDG Obet Pagdanganan have indicated their willingness to share the points they have earned to allow Rotarians to be enrolled in the Roster of Paul Harris Fellows for only an initial contribution of US\$ 500.00 instead of the regular US\$ 1,000.00.

Contributions can easily be made by enrolling in www.rotary.org using your R.I. Identification Number. Once enrolled, you are allowed to learn Rotary, increase your circle of friendship and contribute conveniently using the website.

We, Rotarians, belong to a global family of service-oriented people who believe that our congregation is a means to share our blessings to the less fortunate communities globally. The Rotary Foundation is the funding arm of global humanitarian undertakings of Rotary International. It was formally named in 1917 and the first trustees were appointed after Rotary International President Arch Klumph proposed for the establishment of an endowment for the purpose of doing good in the world. The first grant of US\$ 500 benefitted the International Society for Crippled Children (Easter Seals). History marks the milestone projects of The Rotary Foundation such a scholarship for

international graduate study, the elimination of Polio worldwide, the initiation of a World Peace Forum, among others. Under the Rotary's 7 Areas of Service Focus, namely, Peace and Conflict Prevention/Resolution, Disease Prevention and Treatment, Water and Sanitation, Maternal and Child Health, Basic Education and Literacy, Economic and Community Development and lastly, Supporting the Environment, Rotary International and The Rotary Foundation have made themselves relevant to developing communities globally.

All these services would not have been made possible if not for the generosity of Rotarians, who voluntarily enlisted themselves to become members of The Rotary Foundation through a minimal contribution of US\$ 1,000.00.

We are currently working on Global Grants and District Grants. Your contribution will significantly improve the community living of our target beneficiaries.

For any assistance, please feel free to contact me.

Yours in the service of Rotary,

ROMEO THADDEUS R. LIAMZON
Chairman, The Rotary Foundation
Director
RY 2021-2022

Noted by:

FELIX FRANCISCO S. ZALDARRIAGA
President
RY 2021-2022

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION



Calling for Proposals for Global Grants for RY 2021-2022

Dear Fellow Manila Rotarians,



This is to announce a call for Global Grant Proposals for Rotary Year 2021-2022. See the fruition of your donations to The Rotary Foundation as you witness sustainable service projects unfold that would define the existence of Asia's First Rotary Club.

For queries, please get in touch with the Secretariat and/or the undersigned.

Yours in Rotary service,

ROMEO THADDEUS "THAD" R. LIAMZON
Chairman, The Rotary Foundation Committee
Director
RY 2021-2022

MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH

Rotary Club of Manila Brings Christmas Cheers to Children Cancer Care Patients at the UP-PGH Medical Center



The Children Cancer Care Committee turned over the Christmas gifts for the cancer-stricken children under the care of Philippine General Hospital last December 22, 2021 at UP-PGH Medical Center in Manila. Present during the turnover to the parents and PGH were DGND Jackie Rodriguez, Rtn. Juan Montel, STAR Rtn. Joshua Aragon and STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio with RCM Secretariat Committee Coordinator Amiel Hernandez.

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MESSAGE OF THANKS ON BEHALF OF THE CHILDREN CANCER CARE COMMITTEE

I would like to thank all of you who gave a hand of help in the RCM PGH Cancer-stricken Children's Committee in its very successful assistance to the children of PGH and their families last December 22, 2021. Gratitude goes to each and everyone of you for the help you've extended, both financially and materially, especially, to those of you who extended a hand of help in the physical assistance so needed to complete the job. I refer to STAR Rtn. Joshua Aragon and STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio, Rtn. Juan Montel, ES Anna Kun Toledo and the outstanding Rotary staff who are always there for us. For those of you who donated funds, we only spent Php 100,000 in this effort. I personally donated Php 25,000 in Christmas and New Year Food Provision for the families of the cancer victims. While we cannot solve all the problems of society, we continue, as Rotarians, to try our best to give them the best we can of ourselves to those who need our help. Once again, the stars have shone brightly in this effort. Thank you Rotary Club of Manila for all your help which we have delivered in your behalf for the smiling children who received your gifts and food which immensely helped make the Christmas season just a bit better.

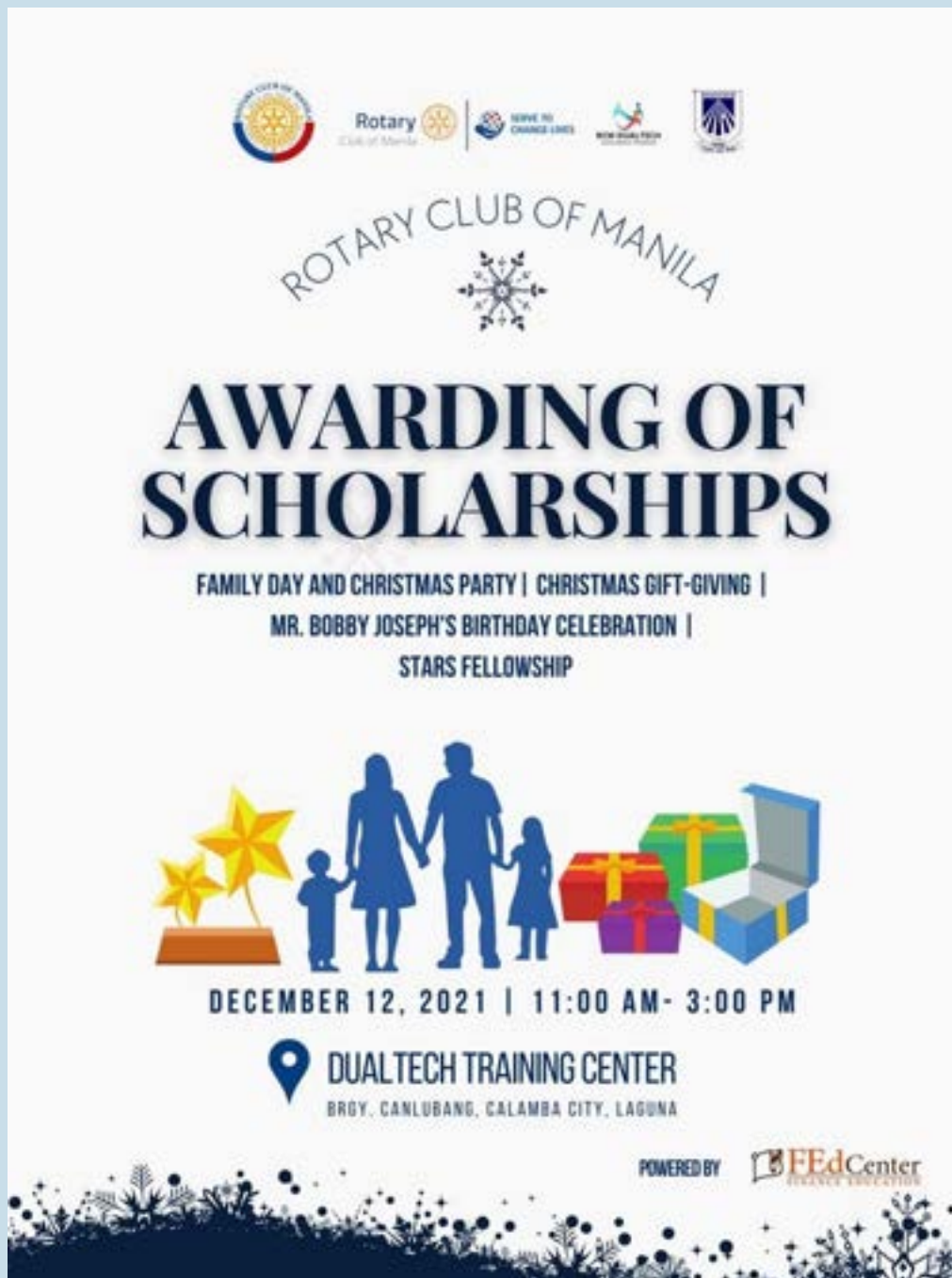
Congratulations!!!

JOAQUIN "JACKIE" C. RODRIGUEZ
District Governor Nominee Designate
Rotary District 3810
RY 2021-2022



BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY

Rotary Club of Manila Holds Memorandum of Agreement Signing with DUALTECH and Awarding of Scholarships



The Rotary Club of Manila had a full day's activity last December 12, 2021. The event included the awarding of ten (10) scholars, celebrating DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph's birthday, family day with Rotary Club of Manila members' families in attendance, STAR Rotarians fellowship, Christmas gift-giving to scholars, awarding of certificates of donation to Donors, Appreciation Award for DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph, song number from Faye Esguerra, Memorandum of Agreement signing between Dualtech, Rotary Club of Manila and RCManila Foundation, Inc. and healing prayer for Dir. Romeo Thaddeus R. Liamzon.

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Program Flow

- Short welcome by RCM and Dualtech Representatives
- Signing of the MOA
- Acknowledgment of lunch sponsors
- Lunch
- Presentation of the Project Description
- Awarding of the Certificate of Scholarship to 10 Scholars
- Awarding of Certificate of Donation to Donors
- Acknowledgement of Patrons
- Appreciation Award to Mr. Bobby Joseph
- Testimonial from Nagi Zeitouni
- Acknowledgment of lunch sponsors and organizers
- Special messages and prayers for Thad Liamzon
- Christmas message from RCM President and Dualtech President
- Christmas gift giving from RCM
- Picture Taking

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT SIGNING RCM DUALTECH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

ROTARY CLUB OF MANILA AWARDING OF SCHOLARSHIPS

Mr. Bobby Joseph Birthday Celebration
Christmas Gift Giving
Star Fellowship

DECEMBER 12, SUNDAY

AT DUALTECH
TRAINING CENTER

BRGY. CANLUBANG,
CALAMBA, LAGUNA

11:00 AM
to
3:00 PM

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List of contributors

1. Scholarships (Php 65,000 each)

DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph - 5
RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra - 5
STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio - 1
STAR Rtn. Teddy Tee Jr. - 1
STAR Rtn. Sinan Batur - 1
STAR Rtn. Che Soler - 1
Dir. Noy Benedicto - 1
Letran HS '67 - 1
Rotary District 3810 - 1

2. Christmas gifts to scholars

10 scholars, each got-

- a. Framed certificate of scholarship
- b. Christmas grocery bag (Php 1,000 each) from STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio and Finance Education Center (FEdeCenter)
- c. Php 1,000 cash each from DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph as his birthday blowout
- d. Php 1,000 cash each from Rtn. Nagi Zeitouni
- e. Special Designer large-face watch with case, 1 each from DE/Dir. Johnny Chotrani

3. Lunch sponsored by DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph

Special grazing table (parma, meats, cheese, fruits, nuts) spareribs, pasta, salad, tiramisu prepared by Dualtech vendors

4. 2 cases of wine from Ralph's Wines and Spirits sponsored by STAR Rtn. Robi Joseph and the family of DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph

5. Birthday cakes for DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph

2 cakes given by Rotary District 3810
1 cake given by STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio and RDSP staff

6. Php 10,000 cash gift appreciation for ES Anna Kun Toledo from DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph

7. Raffle Prize

Laptop Tablet from STAR Rtn. Teddy Tee Jr.
which was won by Pete Dacuycuy

8. RDSP (Rotary Dualtech Scholarship program) administrative staff and event team

Expenses shouldered by RDSP Chair DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph (Php 200,000)
and Co-Chair STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio (Php 125,000)



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Rotary Club of Manila STAR Rotarians present:

STAR Rtn. Teng Catalan
STAR Rtn. Rami Chahwan
STAR Rtn. Caloy Serapio

STAR Rtn. Teddy Tee Jr.
STAR Rtn. Robi Joseph
STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio

Emcees:

STAR Rtn. Teng Catalan and STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio

Rotarians present:

Rotary Club of Manila:

President Chito Zaldarriaga
RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman
PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra (via Zoom)
DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph
ISAA Nagi Zeitouni
STAR Rtn. Teng Catalan
STAR Rtn. Rami Chahwan
STAR Rtn. Caloy Serapio
STAR Rtn. Teddy Tee Jr.
STAR Rtn. Robi Joseph
STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio

District 3810:

DS Edwin Chiu
SDG Mylene Co
SDG Jouie Gabat
SDG Elaine Alfonso

Rotary E-Club of Edsa Ortigas District 3800:

Rtn. EJ Esguerra

RDSP STAFF

Onsite:

Jaja Bodegas
Christine Deanon
Cha Perez
Dana Abella

Offsite:

Princess Faith Olita
Xyrelle Labaro
Pat Soriaga
Pio Serrano

RCM Coordination: ES Anna Kun Toledo

Dualtech Team:

President Arnolfo "Arnold" Morfe
Executive Director Jerry Muhi
RDSP Lead Philip Valdecanas
Rommel, Marc (logistics)
Mico (technical)
Ferdinand (food)
Dualtech students and staff (set-up)

Immense gratitude to President Chito Zaldarriaga and RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra for the constant support! What a great RCM Event to cap off the year 2021!



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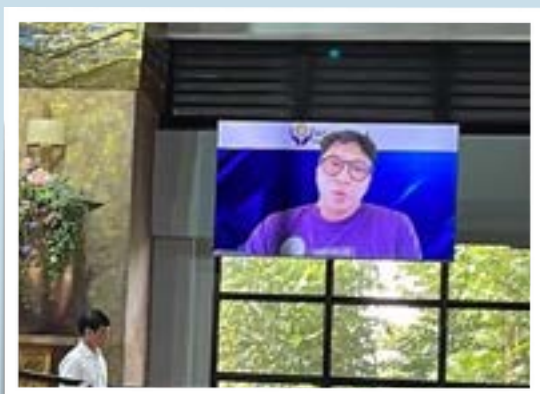
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Newspaper Release on Rotary Scholarship



BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY

President Chito Zaldarriaga and DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph Interviewed Regarding Rotary Club of Manila DualTech Scholarship on DZRH TV



President Chito Zaldarriaga and DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph were interviewed by DZRH TV regarding the Rotary Club of Manila-DualTech Scholarship Program last January 5, 2022 which was streamed live on DZRH TV.

SUPPORTING THE ENVIRONMENT

DGND Jackie Rodriguez is Speaker on Environmental Concerns in Oriental Mindoro

Today, DGD Jackie Rodriguez of RC Manila, District 3810 will be speaking on Environmental Concerns at Tagpuan Bistro, today, December 15, 2021, 11am with the officers of 3 clubs, RC Downtown Calapan, RC Calapan and RC West Naujan and Calapan Life Changing President Classmates

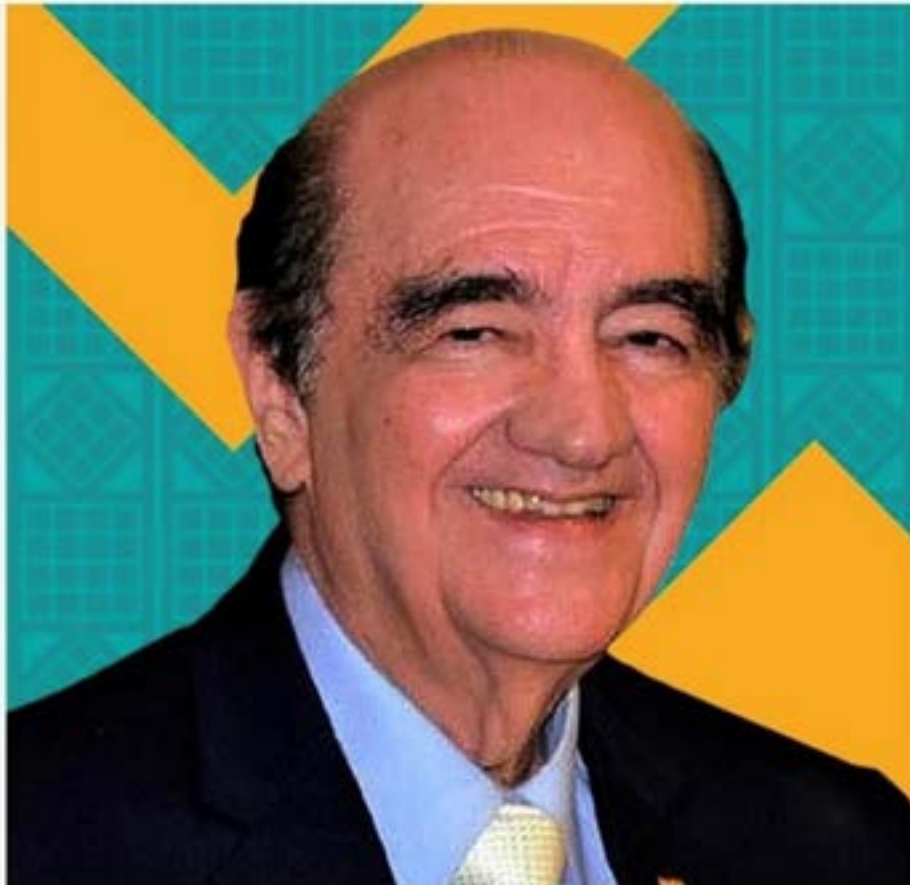
Rj Leachon Balbuena

Shirley Saturay

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INTERCLUB RELATIONS

Rotary District 3810 Executive Committee and Trainers for RY 2022-2023 Hold Team Building Session at Esguerra Farms



PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra and ISDG/ISAG/DE/Dir. Albert Alday attended and participated in the Rotary District 3810 Executive Committee and Trainers for RY 2022-2023 Team Building last December 12, 2021 at the Esguerra Farms in Lipa City, Batangas.

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and Trainers for RY 2022-2023
Hold Team Building Session at Esguerra Farms*



INTERCLUB RELATIONS

*PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra and
ISDG/ISAG/DE/DIR. Albert Alday Attend
First Presidents-Elect Face-to-Face Fellowship*



PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra and ISDG/ISAG/DE/Dir. Albert Alday attended the First Presidents-Elect Face to Face Christmas Fellowship last December 12, 2021 at Esguerra Farms in Lipa City, Batangas.



FELLOWSHIP

Rotary Club of Manila Holds Virtual Christmas Party

Christmas is a wonderful time of the year when joy, hope, generosity, goodwill, and fellowship abound, and is one of the most exciting and festive holidays. Despite the challenges brought about by the pandemic, the Rotary Club of Manila decided to organize its first-ever “virtual” Christmas Party last December 10, 2021 via the Zoom platform that recreated the Yuletide atmosphere in digital space.

Seventy-five Manila Rotarians were treated to an evening of fun and games as the Fellowship Committee, Chaired by Director Sixto “Noy” Benedicto, left no stone unturned in ensuring a very memorable celebration. Seasoned millennial hosts Candice Tan and Matthew Ty — both talents from Chinatown TV — gamely warmed the program as they worked on engaging their largely sexagenarian and septuagenarian audience. Apart from virtual games such as the “Word Puzzle,” “Name That Tune,” and “True or False” contests, Manila Rotarians were also tested with their knowledge of RCM history with a multiple-choice competition. Winners were each awarded a cash prize of Php500.00.

Raffle prizes were also up for grabs as eleven lucky winners were awarded gift vouchers from Okada Manila, Puerto Azul Country Club, Bellevue Manila, TRYP by Windham (Manila), the Manila Hotel, the Heritage Hotel, Conrad Manila, BE Resort Manila, Plantation Bay Resort and Spa, JPark Resort Island, and Bellevue Bohol. Ten Kurobuta Gift Packs were also won by various Rotarians who promptly received their prizes as they were especially delivered door-to-door fresh from Lipa, Batangas.

Two grand cash prizes of Php5,000.00 each were won by Past Presidents Ebot Tan and Frank Evaristo that evening.

Actress and singer Carla Guevara-Laforteza (daughter of Past President Boy Guevara), as well as Silk Band member Faye Danica Abadicio-Esguerra (daughter-in-law of President-Elect/Past Vice President Hermie Esguerra) enthralled the audience with their rendition of Christmas songs and classic hits; while Atty. Edward Chico tickled the funny bones of the virtual participants with his engaging parodies and impersonations of key political figures.

As a bonus, each Rotarian who registered in the Christmas fellowship were given a sumptuous hot food box from Wowo’s Kitchen which were individually delivered to their respective homes.

Kudos to the Fellowship Committee led by Director Noy Benedicto, as well as STAR Rotarians Michael Jaey Albaña, Teddy Tee Jr., Joel Talampas and Raoul Creencia, as well as to our generous sponsors, President Chito Zalzarriaga, President-Elect/Past Vice President Hermie Esguerra, STAR Rotarian Paco Magsaysay, and, of course, to Director Noy Benedicto, without whom the first virtual RCM Christmas fellowship would not have been as successful.





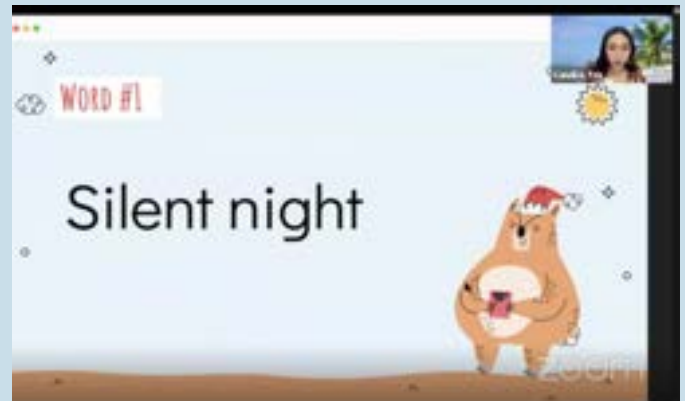
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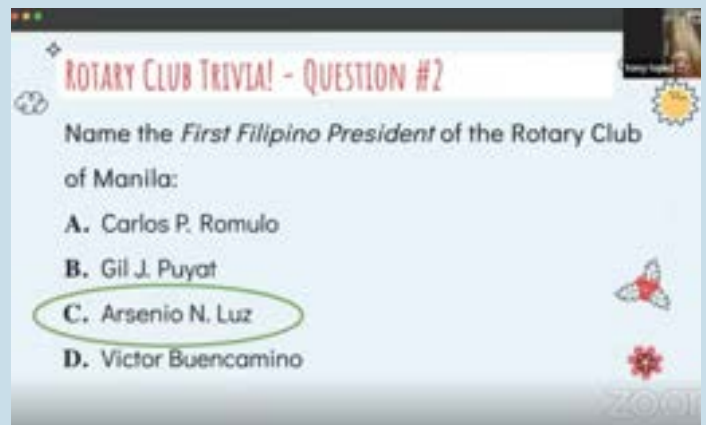
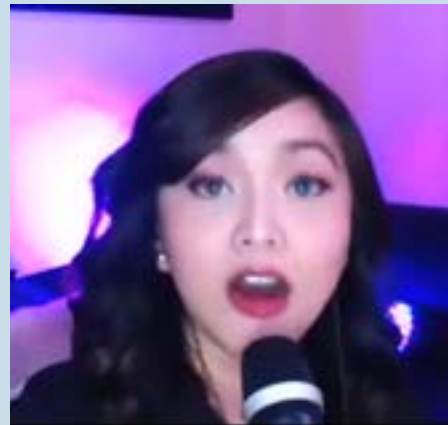
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Virtual Christmas Party 2021 Raffle Winners and Sponsors List



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CHRISTMAS 2021 FELLOWSHIP FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2021 5PM

HOSTS: MS. CANDICE TAN AND MR. MATTHEW TY

RAFFLE DONORS AND WINNERS:

	VOUCHER	WINNER
1	OKADA Manila A Medley Restaurant Lunch or Dinner buffet for 2 persons	STAR Rtn. Joel Talampas
2	Puerto Azul Country Club A round of golf for 4 persons inclusive of Green Fees, Carts & Caddies	VP Farid Schoucair
3	BELLEVUE Manila An overnight stay in a Deluxe Main Wing Room with breakfast for 2 persons	DGND Jackie Rodriguez
4	TRYP by Wyndham (Manila) An overnight stay in a Bayside Room with breakfast for 2 persons	PP Ebot Tan
5	The Manila Hotel An overnight stay in a Deluxe Room inclusive of Breakfast for 2 persons	PD John Cenica
6	Heritage Hotel 2- night in a Deluxe Room for two persons with breakfast	PD Beda Fajardo (donated to the Secretariat for raffle)
7	Conrad Manila An overnight stay in a Premier One Bedroom Suite Bayview with breakfast for 2 persons	AS Henry Go (donated to the Secretariat for raffle)
8	BE Resort Manila 2-night stay in a Deluxe Room inclusive of breakfast for two persons	DE/Dir. Albert Alday

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Virtual Christmas Party 2021 Raffle Winners and Sponsors List

	VOUCHER	WINNER
9	Plantation Bay Resort & SPA Mactan, Cebu 2-night stay in Lagoon View Room for two persons	DE Tony Lopez
10	JPark Resort Island (Mactan, Cebu) A two-nights stay in a Deluxe Room with breakfast for 2 persons	Rtn. Michael Go
11	BELLEVUE Bohol 3-night stay in a Deluxe main wing room with breakfast for 2 persons	DE/IPD Hans Palacios
Cash Prizes		
Word Puzzle Game		
1	STAR Rtn. JJ Fernandez	Php 500
2	PP Ebot Tan	Php 500
3	DE/IPD Hans Palacios	Php 500
Name That Tune Game		
4	STAR Rtn. Senen Mangalile	Php 500
5	PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra	Php 500
6	DE/IPD Hans Palacios	Php 500
7	PDSAA Tony Lopa	Php 500
True or False		
8	DE/Dir. Johnny Chotrani	Php 500
9	PDG Vince Carlos	Php 500
10	DGND Jackie Rodriguez	Php 500
RCM History		
11	STAR Rtn. Senen Mangalile	Php 500
12	PDG Obet Pagdanganan	Php 500
13	PDG Rudy Bediones	Php 500
14	PD Beda Fajardo	Php 500
15	DGND Jackie Rodriguez	Php 500
16	PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra	Php 500
17	PDG Vince Carlos	Php 500

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RCM History		
18	PD Oscar del Rosario	Php 500
19	DE/IPD Hans Palacios	Php 500
20	AS Henry Go	Php 500 (donated for raffle to the RCM Secretariat)
KUROBUTA Gift Packs		
1	Rtn. Philip Recto	
2	Dir Johnny Chotrani	
3	Rtn. Nagi Zeitouni	
4	STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio	
5	IT/IPT Karlo Castro	
6	DGND Jackie Rodriguez	
7	Rtn. Vic Garcia	
8	STAR Rtn. Michael Tejumal	
9	PT Lito Sibayan	
10	PD Art Lopez	
GRAND CASH PRIZE		
1	PP Ebot Tan	Php 5,000
2	PP Frank Evaristo	Php 5,000
BEST DRESSED		PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra

EVENT SPONSORS:

HOT FOOD BOX:

Major RAFFLE Cash Prize
Minor RAFFLE Cash Prizes

DIR. NOY BENEDICTO

Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga
STAR Rtn. Paco Magsaysay



FELLOWSHIP

DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph Hosts Christmas Luncheon for the Rotary Club of Manila Secretariat



DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph hosted a Christmas Luncheon for the Rotary Club of Manila Secretariat last December 20, 2021 at The Wine Museum Hotel and Restaurant in Pasay City. DE/Dir. Johnny Chotrani gave each member of the Secretariat (core team of 3 and allied team of 3) a wrist watch.



COMMUNITY SERVICE

Manila Rotarians Distribute Christmas Gifts to Abused Children in Calapan, Oriental Mindoro



Manila Rotarians donated food and towels, bedsheets and toys, and other paraphernalia to abused children in Calapan together with club's new partner in Oriental Mindoro, the Rotary Club of Downtown Calapan last December 14, 2021. Present were DGND Jackie Rodriguez, STAR Rtn. Marius Angara, and Rtn. Juan Montel. Also joining were members of other clubs, including ICoS Ramil Roxas of the Rotary Club of Santo Tomas Manila.

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Typhoon Odette Cash Flow Pledges and Commitments

Typhoon Odette Cash Flow	
Total Donations Collected	1,004,000.00
Advances from PE Hermie Esguerra	567,000.00
Total Cash Inflow	1,571,000.00
Medicine Procurement - Negros Occidental	50,000.00
Medical Team Requirements - c/o DE Raffy	50,000.00
Cargo Fee (Bottled Water)	52,616.42
Solar Power Generator	92,000.00
Banig, Kumot & Slippers	465,000.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	20,654.13
Advances from PE Hermie Esguerra	567,000.00
Total Expenses for the Relief Operation	1,297,270.55
Surplus/Deficit	273,729.45
Receivables	
Receivables from Pledges	10,000.00
Total Receivables from Pledges	10,000.00
Payables	
PD Ner Lonzaga - bottled water	41,600.00
Total Payables	41,600.00
Surplus/ Deficit (net of AR & AP)	242,129.45
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by IAS Mike Albaña

It was another fulfilling day of being a Rotarian. This started with RCManila Foundation, Inc. EA Sol Encarnacion assisted by her husband, Egay, who both worked hand in hand under DE/Dir. Albert Alday in the procurement of items that the Rotary Club of Manila will be donating to Odette Typhoon victims. DE/Dir. Albert Alday, Egay Encarnacion, Star Rotarians Xavy Zialcita, Inov Talusan and myself met at Hotel 101 to start labeling the donations for Odette typhoon victims.



Hotel 101 Pasay graciously allowed the use of the hotel lobby as a storage area for 2,000 pieces of blankets, 2,000 pieces of woven mats and 2,400 pairs of slippers. The Philippine Coast Guard assisted in unloading these items from the supplier's truck and loading them to Star Rotarian Teddy Tee's Power Steel truck. PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra, Star Rotarians Inov Talusan, Xavy Zialcita, myself with the Philippine Coast Guard started loading the 33 sacks of the blanket, 167 sacks of the woven mat and 8 oversize sacks of slippers at 2 p.m. Then we went on a convoy led by PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra to the Philippine Navy Headquarters where we met with President. Chito Zalzarriaga and DE/PD Raffy Alunan for the ceremonial handover with Philippine Navy officials. From there we brought the cargo to Pier 13 where the BRP Tarlac, a lead ship of the Philippine Navy, was docked. We arrived at 6 p.m. and waited for our cargo to be loaded on the ship. We started loading at 10 p.m. and completed the handover of cargo at 10:40 p.m.



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Thank you very much to President Chito Zaldarriaga, PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra and DE/PD Raffy Alunan for the guidance and assistance. ES Anna Kun Toledo, Grace Aquino-Montes and Amiel Hernandez for helping us with our last minute requests. I would also like to thank Mark Millan, General Manager of Herma Shipyard for helping us contact the officers of the BRP Tarlac. We appreciate the staff of Power Steel for being very helpful and patient with the last minute request to work extended hours. We would like to recognize as well Mr. Gilbert Santa Maria, Philippine Airlines President, for extending his discount in sending the 200 cases of bottled water to Cebu procured at a discounted price through PD Ner Lonzaga. These were immediately distributed by the Rotary Club of Cebu led by President Jacob Ong together with the mats, blankets and slippers. Thank you to PDSAA Ferdie Co and Rtn. Jordan Pizarra, PD Oscar del Rosario and PDG Rudy Bediones for donating additional bottled water, water containers, rice, dry goods and probiotics which were handed over to the Philippine Coast Guard Help Desk at Hotel 101 for shipment to Bohol and Siargao. Kudos to Star Rotarian Ingmar Bertelsen and family for the immediate help extended by distributing rice, dry goods and toys to residents in the outskirts of Surigao City. Thank you as well to DE/Treasurer Jujut Enriquez who facilitated the sending of 2 Bank On Wheels to disaster zones in the Visayas. Finally, to all the Rotary Club of Manila members who donated and funded this worthy cause! *Mabuhay kayong lahat!*



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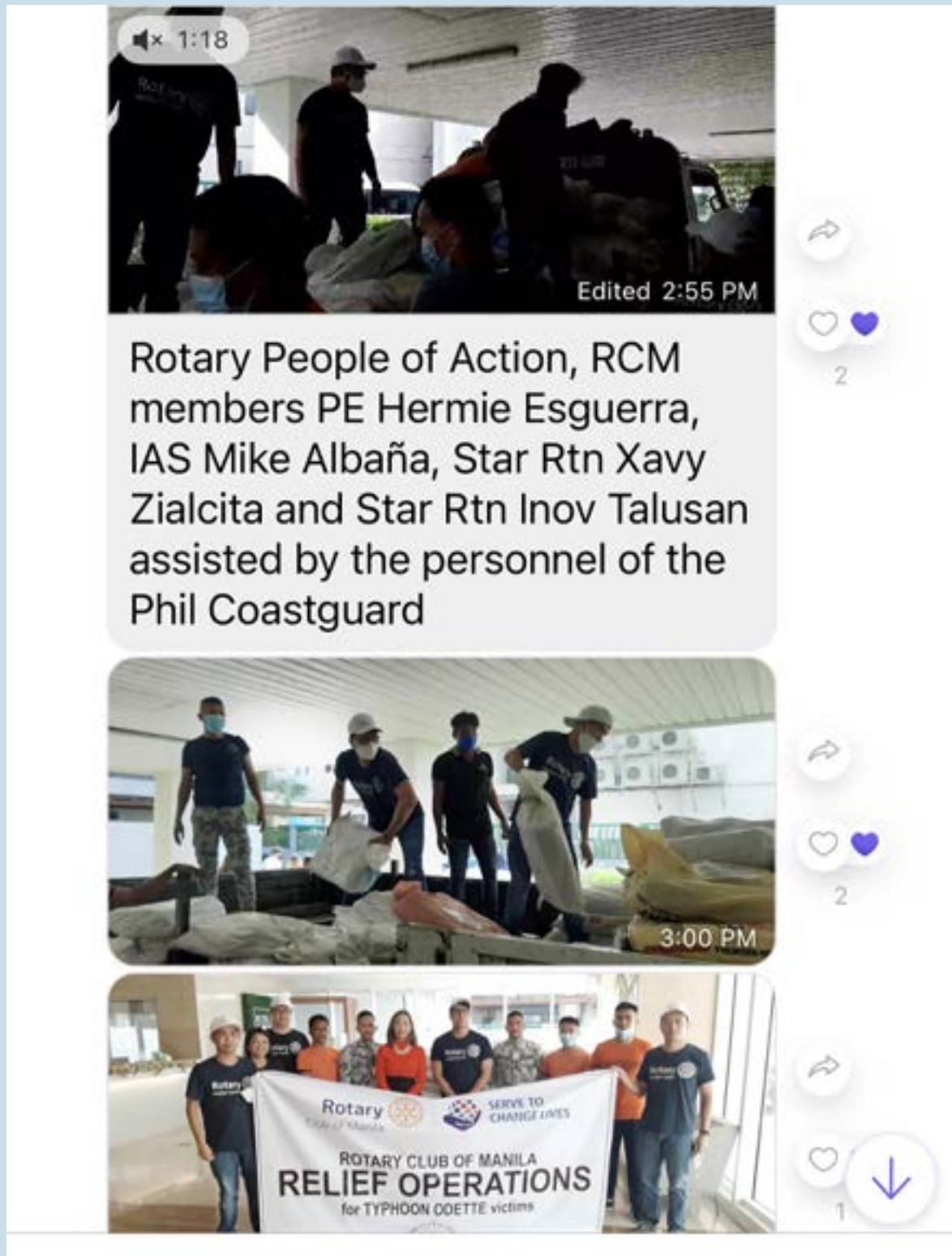
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PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra supervising the loading of the relief packages onto the truck lent by STAR Rotarian Teddy Tee Jr. at the lobby of Hotel 101. PE/PVP Esguerra together with Rotarians in Action – IAS Mike Albaña, STAR Rotarians Inov Talusan and Xavy Zialcita, Hotel 101 personnel and Philippine Coast Guard personnel.



The arrival of relief cargo at Hotel 101. RCManila Foundation, Inc. EA Sol Encarnacion and husband Egay assisting in sticking the donor's label on each package

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At the Cargo Deck of Philippine Navy lead ship BRP Tarlac after loading all the donation for shipment to Cebu.

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Cargo of blankets, sleeping mats and slippers



8 Solar-powered generators



200 cases of Nature's Spring Water procured through PD Ner Lonzaga was arranged for shipment via air through PAL Cargo by IAS Mike Albaña.



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The donation sent by Rotary Club of Manila through BRP Tarlac was retrieved by President Jacob Ong of Rotary Club of Cebu on 23 December 2021, including the 200 cases of distilled water, which were retrieved from PAL Cargo in the afternoon of the same day.

The Rotary Club of Cebu was able to distribute 1,600 kits to 4 coastal barangays in the South yesterday, 2 of each in the municipalities of Argao and Dalaguete. They started at 5:30 a.m. and got home at around 8:30 p.m.

Donations of grocery packs from the Filipino Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Philippine Chinese Charitable Association, Chinese General Hospital and Medical Center, Virginia Foods Inc. and various donors were able to add 2,000 packs of canned goods, sardines and rice.



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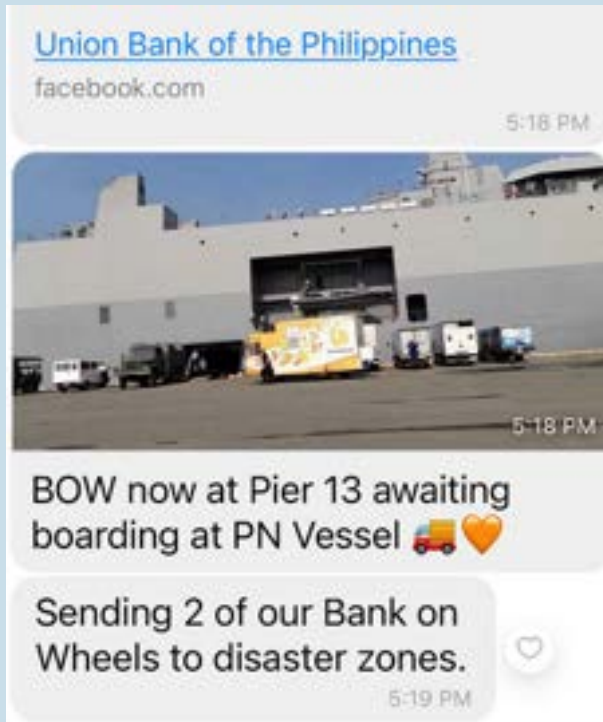


President Jacob Ong of Rotary Club of Cebu was very thankful to the Rotary Club of Manila for the kindness and generosity it has shown during this calamity.



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DE/Treasurer Jujut Enriquez organized the shipping of 2 Bank On Wheels to disaster zones through Philippine Navy's BRP Tarlac.



Star Rotarian Ingmar Bertelsen and family distributed relief goods and toys after a 3-hour drive from Surigao City.



Rotarian Jordan Pizarra sent 50 rolls (1 roll good for three 6x6 sqm. tent) of tent materials (waterproof canvass) shipped through a Philippine Navy vessel via Cebu to Bohol.

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PDSAA Ferdie Co handed over 150 water containers, 8 luggage of clothing (3000 pcs plus), 156 pairs of slippers and one container machine for hot water.



PD Oscar del Rosario facilitated the donation of 3 cavans of 50 kg rice, 350 packs of 5 kg rice, 1,000 pcs. of bottled mineral water (500 ml and small quantity of 350 ml), 600 cans of sardines (small), 720 pcs. Of instant noodle, 54 pcs. of Nescafe coffee 150 grams, 91 pcs. assorted brand new adults and kids clothes, 30 mosquito nets (kulambo) and 49 pcs. First Aid Kits.



PDG Rudy Bediones donated 1 box of Probiotics handed over to the Philippine Coast Guard Help Desk at Hotel 101.

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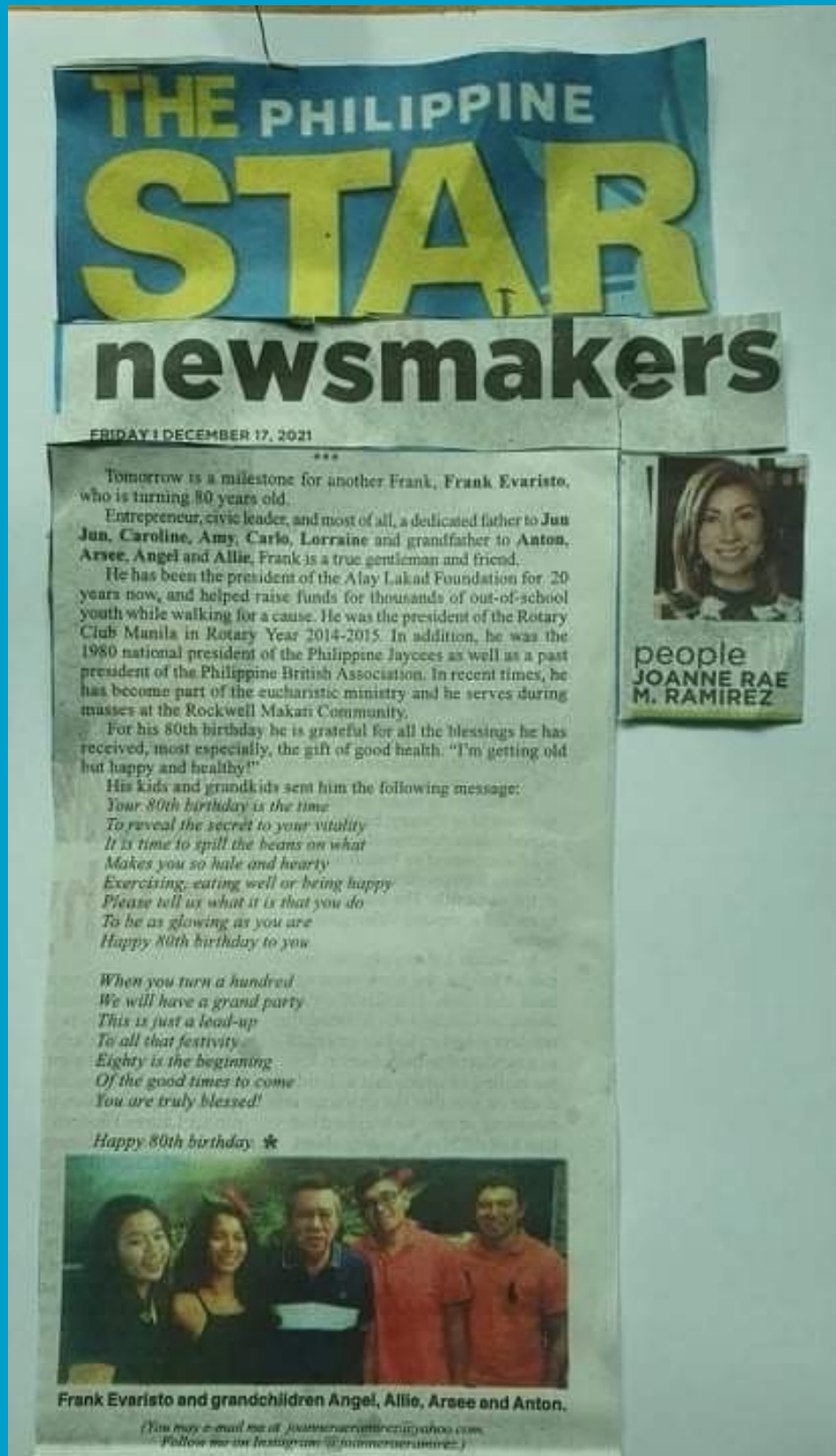
The Rotary Club of Manila Received a Plaque of Recognition from Villa Maria Integrated School



The Rotary Club of Manila received a Plaque of Recognition from Villa Maria Integrated School for its outstanding contribution and support during the Brigada Eskwela 2021 with the theme, "Bayanihan Para Sa Paaralan", last November 29, 2021 in Villa Maria, Porac, Pampanga.

COGS IN THE WHEEL

PP Frank Evaristo Celebrates Milestone 80th Birthday



COGS IN THE WHEEL

PD Art Lopez on 2022 'Good Recovery Year' - PHOA





PHOA President Arthur M. Lopez



TRAVEL AND LEISURE

2022 'Good recovery year' – PHOA

December 16, 2021  Cristina Lee-Pisico  132 views



PHOA Executive Director and former Tourism Undersecretary Benito Bengzon, Jr.

THE Philippine Hotel Owners Association, Inc. (PHOA) is optimistic that 2022 will be a "good recovery year" as hotel occupancy rates saw an increase with the relaxation of guidelines for interzonal travel especially in the last two months of this year.

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PD Art Lopez on 2022 'Good Recovery Year' - PHOA

PHOA board of director and vice president for SM Hotels and Conventions Corporation Ma. Luisa Angeles has said "even if we continue to stay at alert level two, 2022 should really be a good recovery year, not quite the pre-pandemic days but definitely much much better than 2021."

PHOA Executive Director and former Tourism Undersecretary Benito Bengzon, Jr. attributed the increase of hotel bookings to the relaxation of guidelines for interzonal travel and the de-escalation from Alert Level 3 to 2 in Metro Manila.

"The relaxation of guidelines particularly with respect to interzonal has helped increase the occupancy of hotels in and out of Metro Manila so we welcome the decision of authorities to ease the restriction moving from one zone to another. This has helped drive up the occupancy, of course increase the revenue of our member hotels," Bengzon said.

He noted that the National Capital Region is the main source market for domestic travel, the de-escalation from 3 to 2 has already contributed to stimulating activities and the demand on local travelers.

"From this point and considering the reports on the number of COVID cases which has been kept to three digits we feel that 2022 onwards, we'll see an upward trajectory not only for hotels and other accommodation facilities but for the tourism industry in general," Bengzon added.

Arthur Lopez, PHOA President, said it could still take about three to four years or at least until after global air traffic returns to 2019 levels to be able to recover to pre-pandemic levels.

"If the airlines will not fly, there would be no recovery and [there was a time] that IATA already said 2024 is only the start or the beginning. In other words, it has to peak for maybe one or two years," he said.

"There will be a boom in travel because everybody wants to travel and those who want to travel have a lot of money they can spend but I think we have to be realistic so I told our hotels at that time that for their business plans, 2024 should only be [written] as the start of recovery not recovered yet," he added.

PHOA Vice President for Internal Affairs Al Legaspi noted that given the present situation, hotels need to change their marketing strategies to gain more bookings.

"Business travel may not pick up that fast but eventually it will because companies and corporations overseas will eventually have to come here," he said.

"Hotels just have to redirect their marketing efforts and capture leisure as well the MICE (meetings, incentives, conferences and exhibitions). The MICE market is also a very strong potential market for us," he added.

The Philippines did not push through with its plan to open its borders to foreign leisure travelers last December 1 after the surge in cases of the new more transmissible Omicron variant discovered by the South African scientists.

In the event of a surge due to the Omicron variant, Bengzon said PHOA would remain committed to ensuring the "safe and convenient" stay of its guests.

"We can say that we are more prepared than maybe most other businesses," he stressed.

PHOA has a total of 308 hotels and resorts across the Philippines, 47 percent of which are located in Metro Manila.

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ROTARY INFORMATION



As the first organization to envision a polio-free world through mass immunization of children, Rotary believes the decision to vaccinate is a humanitarian imperative. The Rotary International Board of Directors and Rotary Foundation Trustees believe that:

1. Global vaccination is the path to ending the pandemic, and we strongly encourage vaccination for all individuals, including our members.
2. Misinformation hinders the fight against COVID-19, and we are committed to providing our members with science-based information.
3. Rotary is engaged in assuring equity in vaccine access to all people. Through joint efforts with Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance we are leveraging our frontline experience with polio to facilitate vaccine delivery.
4. Rotary salutes health care workers everywhere as they continue to provide lifesaving services. We encourage clubs to offer recognition and encouragement to these heroes.
5. Rotary and Rotaract clubs are encouraged to redouble their efforts to support COVID-19 prevention and vaccination efforts.
6. As one of the greatest advances of modern medicine, vaccines are safe, effective and save millions of lives each year. They have eliminated or controlled numerous diseases such as polio, smallpox, measles, and Ebola, and now, there is the opportunity to end the COVID-19 pandemic through vaccination.
7. The eradication of polio remains the goal of the highest order for Rotary. We can continue to apply the lessons we have learned in fighting polio to COVID-19 response efforts.

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OTHER MATTERS

Straight from the Horse's Mouth

by Vice President-Elect/Club Secretary
Reginald "Reggie" T. Yu
Managing Editor, BALITA, RY 2021-2022



THE EPITOME OF A GOOD FILIPINO.

"Every good citizen adds to the strength of a nation." — Gordon B. Hinckley

It is another new year, another opportunity to close the book on the mistakes we know we committed and open blank pages that we can fill up with the good things we do for ourselves, our families and our communities. That will, however, mean that we focus less on the sins of everybody as our primary concern and look more to our individual obligations as good human beings and productive citizens of the republic. That is a serious challenge – to look at ourselves, our faults, and our challenges to better ourselves. It is a challenge that is easier set aside and just resort to criticizing others. The noise out there, the hate and accusations hurl at each other this year, will determine how well we have lived up to the challenge.

Alex Lacson is one Filipino who has long stepped up to this challenge. In 2005 when, after going through a personal dilemma, decided to use the incredible talent God gave him — writing — and authored a small book entitled, *12 Little Things Every Filipino Can Do To Help Our Country*, which to his pleasant surprise, became an instant national bestseller. It made him — and countless other citizens who have thought of giving up their motherland to greener pastures — realize that there are actually many Filipinos who love their country and want to do something to help it become developed and prosperous.

Since then, Alex has written several more books — *12 Wonderful Things about the Filipino and Our Motherland*, *Five Hundred Years Without Love*, and *I Am Filipino*, among others — that promoted love for our country and good citizenship.

A graduate of the University of the Philippines College of Law in 1996, he later took a short summer program at Harvard Law School in Harvard University, Massachusetts, USA. In 2007, he completed a leadership course and training based on Christian principles at the Haggai Institute in Singapore.

Alex currently serves as a board member in the Advisory Boards of Alay Buhay Foundation, the Philippine Army and the Department of National Defense; he is also the former chairman of Civil Service Commission's Multi-Sector Advisory Council; and served as CEO of ISA (Institute of Solidarity Asia), a public governance institute that runs good governance & development programs with several LGUs and national agencies like the AFP, PNP, Department of National Defense, Board of Investments, among others.

An active volunteer of many noteworthy causes, Alex was also a former legal counsel of the United Nations Development Program

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(UNDP) in the Philippines; a former columnist of the *BusinessWorld* Newspaper; a co-founder and former president of the Pilipino Movement for Transformational Leadership (PTML), a coalition of faith-based organizations from the Catholic, Evangelical and Protestant communities whose primary objective is to help in electing genuine servant leaders for national and local positions through the *GabayKristo* voter's program.

Last September 2021, Alex originally announced that he would run for Vice-President in the upcoming 2022 elections under the *Kapatiran* Party, but later withdrew his bid to run for Senator under the ticket of presidential aspirant Vice-President Leni Robredo. He shared Robredo's goals of economic reforms by empowering people at the society's grassroots, such as farmers and fisherfolk and others in the agricultural sector and expressed his support in complementing the Vice-President's flagship anti-poverty program, *Angat Buhay*.

With good citizens like Alex at the helm of our government's highest levels, I am confident that an entire generation will be living in the new kind of world he and countless other idealists like him will mold. His spirited cause of good citizenship and his unwavering belief in the Filipinos' sense of nationhood will continue to spark a chronic, yearning noise, which could only be silenced by a more blaring clamor of a new generation of young leaders who are willing to take the same enormous risks and triumph at last — all in the name of a better Philippines.



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