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## GUEST SPEAKER



### **Atty. MA. ROWENA AMELIA V. GUANZON, MPA (Harvard)**

Commissioner, Commission on Elections (COMELEC) (Ret.)  
Commissioner, Commission on Audit (COA) (2013-2015)  
Professorial Lecturer, University of the Philippines College of Law  
Mayor, Cadiz City, Negros Occidental (1986-1992)

## KABALITA

With the national campaign now in full swing, it's time we hear her colorful story of a COMELEC preparing what it does best. Let the Iron Lady of the COMELEC enlighten Asia's First Rotary Club on a most important matter that could change the entire complexion of the race for the highest position in the land.



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# ZOOM

## WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING



### Rotary Year 2021-2022

Thursday, February 10, 2022, 12:30 PM

### PROGRAM TIMETABLE

**12:00 PM** Registration and Zoom In  
Program Moderator/Facilitator/Chika Talk

**IS Edwin Hernandez**

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

#### Part I

**12:30 PM** Call to Order

**Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga**

Invocation and Special Prayers  
for healing and speedy recovery of **PP Babes Reyes,**  
**PP Cesar Ubaldo, Dir. Thad Liamzon** and all  
members affected by CoVid-19

**STAR Rtn. Emil La'O**

Philippine National Anthem

**AVP of RCM Members**

RCM Hymn

**AVP of RCM WF Music Chorale**

Philippine Rotary Hymn

**AVP**

The Rotarian Pledge

**STAR Rtn. L.A. Sevilla**

The Four (4) Way Test

**STAR Rtn. Inov Talusan**

Acknowledgment of Visiting Rotarians and Guests

**IS Edwin Hernandez**

Welcome Song

**AVP of RCM WF Music Chorale**

RC Manila Birthday Celebrants for the week

February 10

Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga

February 12

PAT Willy Lim

February 14

Rtn. Tobi Rast

February 15

Rtn. Jordan Pizarra

February 16

Rtn. Klaus Mueller

Maligayang Bati

**AVP of RCM WF Music Chorale**

Happy Birthday Song

**AVP of Birthday Celebrants**

# ZOOM

## WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING



### Rotary Year 2021-2022

Thursday, February 10, 2022, 12:30 PM

#### Part II

**1:00 PM** Introduction of New Member by Proposer

**Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga**

**EVARISTO G. VAZQUEZ JR. (Filipino)**  
President, J. VAZ CO., INC.  
Classification: Building Materials /  
Products - Concrete Finishes  
Proposer: Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga

Charging of New Member

**PDG Obet Pagdanganan**

**1:15 PM** President's Time

**Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga**

#### Part III

**1:20 PM** Introduction of Guest Speaker

**STAR Rtn. Senen Mangalile**

Address:

**ATTY. MA. ROWENA AMELIA V. GUANZON**  
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Commissioner, Commission on Audit (COA) (2013-2015)  
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Open Forum

**1:55 PM** Presentation of Certificate of Appreciation

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

Attested by:  
**VPE/Sec. Reggie Yu**

To be presented by:  
**IAT/AT PJ Garcia**

**2:00 PM** Response and Meeting Adjournment

**Pres. Chito Zaldarriaga**

# GUEST SPEAKER'S PROFILE

## COMELEC COMMISSIONER MA. ROWENA AMELIA V. GUANZON (Ret.)



MA. ROWENA AMELIA V. GUANZON  
COMMISSIONER

**Commissioner Ma. Rowena Amelia V. Guanzon** was Commissioner of the Commission on Audit in 2013. Prior to her appointment as Commissioner of the Commission on Elections, she was a litigation lawyer, writer and a law professor who is well known as an expert in the field of gender equality and laws on violence against women.

Commissioner Guanzon has a degree of Master in Public Administration from Harvard University ('95) where she was an Edward Mason Fellow and Class Marshal. She graduated in the top ten of her Class in the University of the Philippines College of Law, where she received a Dean's Medal (Rank Number 6). She has a degree in Economics from the University of the Philippines.

At twenty eight years old, she was appointed as Officer in Charge/ City Mayor in 1986 by President Corazon C Aquino upon the recommendation of Bacolod Bishop Antonio Fortich, and in 1988 was elected Mayor of Cadiz City (1988-1992).

She taught **Election Law**, Public Officers, and Local Government in the University of the Philippines College of Law.

# GUEST SPEAKER'S PROFILE

## COMELEC COMMISSIONER MA. ROWENA AMELIA V. GUANZON (Ret.)

She is the author of a law book, The Anti-Violence Against Women and Their Children Act of 2004. She is the lead author of Engendering the Philippine Judiciary, published by the UN Development Fund for Women and the UP Center for Women's Studies Foundation, and The Davide Court: Its Contributions to Gender and Women's Rights, published by The Asia Foundation and the UP Center for Women's Studies Foundation.

Her published articles are, "Issues and Problems in the Enforcement of the Anti-Violence Against Women and Their Children Act of 2004," Philippine Law Journal (Dec 2008) and "Constitutional Challenges to the Anti-Violence Against Women and Their Children Act of 2004," Journal of the Integrated Bar of the Philippines (March 2009), and "The Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act: Issues and Problems," Journal of the Integrated Bar of the Philippines. Her article, "Legal and Conceptual Framework of Battered Woman Syndrome as a Defense," is published in the Philippine Law Journal (Vol. 86, No. 1 December 2011).

Her new book, The Anti - Sexual Harassment Act Notes and Cases, was published by the U.P. Law Center. She is currently writing a textbook on The Local Government Code for the University of the Philippines and The Auditing Code of the Philippines Casebook.

In 2013, Commissioner Guanzon received the American Field Service Mabuhay Award for her outstanding work in government and in the field of law. On June 21, 2014, the University of the Philippines Alumni Association gave her an award for Outstanding Alumna in Gender Equality and Women Empowerment. She also received the Outstanding Sillimanian Award from Silliman University in August 2015.



# PRESIDENT'S CORNER

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Greetings my fellow RCM brothers!

As I turn another year wiser in 2022, I reflect on all that I have been through these past 67 years. And needless to say, I have been blessed with a rainbow of events, episodes, trials, joys and everything else in between. One of the highlights of my life will definitely be this role I have as President of this prestigious club. I pray that I will be able to carry out my task and carry it out well as we forge ahead with the second half of our Rotary Year! This Board of Directors team is poised to do just that!

We had a recent Board of Directors meeting last February 8, 2022. We have new hires for the Secretariat of both RCManila Foundation, Inc. and Rotary Club of Manila to replace Jeff Lord who resigned last year. A more comprehensive resume for both of them will be issued separately in the Balita soon!

There was a session with the Philippine Council for NGO Certification (PCNC) panel to renew our RCManila Foundation, Inc. accreditation and I am confident that RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra and team did an excellent job in obtaining the re-accreditation flawlessly!

We are having today a truly admirable person from the COMELEC.

The response, not just from various Rotary Clubs, but from other guest associations, as well, is manifest in the pivotal role this lady plays.

Again, folks, I will make the appeal for your participation in The Rotary Foundation (TRF) by contributing your share of US \$1,000. By the way, there are other ways of participating in this and one can do this by slowly paying the amount of US \$100 a month so that the disbursement will not be too drastic.

Stay well everyone! And may God continue to bless us all!

Humbly yours in Rotary,

FSZ

Felix Francisco S. Zaldarriaga  
President  
RY 2021-2022



# THE WEEK THAT WAS



**STAR Rtn. Joshua Aragon,**  
as Program Moderator/  
Facilitator, calls the day's  
sequential order of activities.



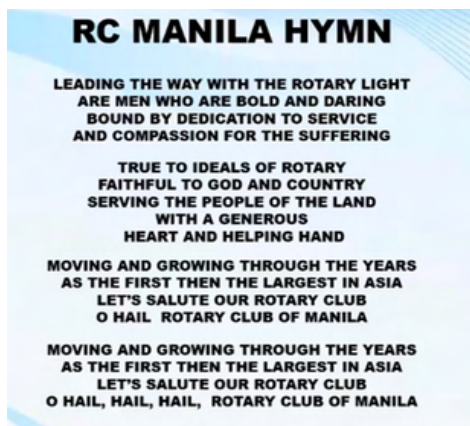
**President Chito  
Zaldarriaga**  
calls the meeting to order.



**Star Rtn. Joshua Aragon**  
delivers an Invocation  
and Special Prayer.



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



The **World Famous Music Choral** **Audiovisual Presentation** of the  
**RC Manila Hymn** and the singing of the **Philippine Rotary Hymn**

# THE WEEK THAT WAS



**STAR Rtn. Teng Catalan** recites the Rotarian Pledge as a perfect prelude in fostering and strengthening ties amongst fellow Rotarians by way of reinforcing their resolve in furtherance of Service Above Self.



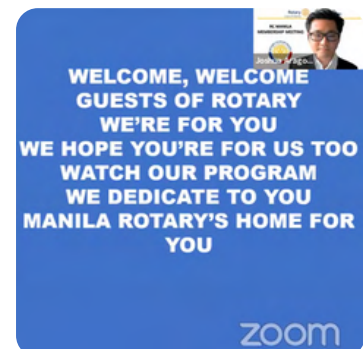
The **Audiovisual Presentation** of **Rotary's Seven Areas of Focus** as performed by **El Gamma Penumbra**.



**STAR Rtn. Ingy Bertelsen** leads the recitation of the Four (4) Way Test for Manila Rotarians to renew their commitment to the Rotary movement.



**STAR Rtn. Joshua Aragon**, Program Moderator/Facilitator, acknowledges visiting Rotarians and guests.



The **World Famous Music Chorale** singing the Welcome Song

**STAR Rtn. Joshua Aragon**, Program Moderator/Facilitator, acknowledges the week's birthday celebrants, namely, **Dir. Thad Liamzon**, **Rtn. Ric Ramos**, **STAR Rtn. Teddy Tee Jr.**, **PP Ebot Tan**, **STAR Rtn. Paco Magsaysay**,

**Rtn. Cris Acosta**, **Rtn. Dong Benedicto** and **President Chito Zaldarriaga**, which was followed by an audiovisual presentation of the World Famous Music Chorale singing the happy birthday song.



# THE WEEK THAT WAS

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**IAS Mike Albaña, Chairman, Disaster Relief Task Force**, delivers the progress report on **First** and **Second Tranches** of the **Super Typhoon Odette Relief Operations**.



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



**President Chito Zaldarriaga** introduces Classification Speaker **STAR Rtn. Nicolas Souvlakis, Director for Manufacturing - Philippines, Philip Morris International**.

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MANILA  
HIP MEET



**Classification Speaker STAR Rtn. Nicolas "Nico" Souvlakis, Director for Manufacturing - Philippines, Philip Morris International** delivers his talk.

# THE WEEK THAT WAS



An open forum immediately followed right after the talk of **Classification Speaker STAR Rtn. Nicolas "Nico" Souvlakis, Director for Manufacturing - Philippines, Philip Morris International**. Among those who participated in the open forum were **STAR Rtn. Ingy Bertelsen, President Chito Zaldarriaga, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman and Programs Committee Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra, PD Nick Locsin, PSAA Gunter Matschuck, PD Phil Ong and DE Tony Lopez**.



**President Chito Zaldarriaga and Programs Committee Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra** present the Certificate of Appreciation, attested by **VPE/Club Secretary Reggie Yu**, which was presented by **AS Henry Go** to **Classification Speaker STAR Rtn. Nicolas "Nico" Souvlakis, Director for Manufacturing - Philippines, Philip Morris International**.



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

# CLUB ADMINISTRATION

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## *From the Programs Committee*



Dear Fellow Rotarians,

As the national campaign kicks off on a high note, COMELEC brings that kind of flavor to a nation whose passion for politics is beyond reproach with Iron Lady Commissioner MA. ROWENA AMELIA V. GUANZON (Ret.) in the limelight at our Virtual Meeting.

It's time to vote and bring out that virtual pen, 12:30 PM, February 10.

Very truly yours,

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



# CLUB

## ADMINISTRATION

### *RCM Members' Attendance Report RY 2021-2022*

| FEBRUARY 2022                                   | February 3, 2022<br>Classification Talk<br>STAR Rtn. Nicolas<br>Souvlakis |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| All Members Present                             | 64                                                                        |
| Make Up                                         | 0                                                                         |
| Less: Exempt from Attendance                    | 5                                                                         |
| On Leave                                        | 0                                                                         |
| Total Active Members                            | 59                                                                        |
| <b>Total # of Members</b>                       | <b>225</b>                                                                |
| <b>TOTAL ATTENDANCE %:</b>                      | <b>26%</b>                                                                |
| <i>Rotaractors</i>                              |                                                                           |
| <i>Media</i>                                    |                                                                           |
| <i>Embassies/Diplomatic Corps</i>               |                                                                           |
| <i>District Governors</i>                       |                                                                           |
| <i>Guest of Honor and Speaker/Guest Speaker</i> |                                                                           |
| <i>Visiting Rotarians</i>                       |                                                                           |
| <i>Guests of RCM MEMBERS</i>                    |                                                                           |
| <i>Unknown</i>                                  |                                                                           |
| <b>Total Attendees</b>                          | <b>64</b>                                                                 |

# CLUB

## ADMINISTRATION

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

(As of February 9, 2022, 11:00 AM)

|     | ANNUAL DUES 19-20       |
|-----|-------------------------|
| 204 | FULLY PAID              |
| 18  | UNPAID                  |
| 3   | PARTIALLY PAID          |
| 225 | TOTAL NUMBER OF MEMBERS |

| NO. | NAME                                | OR<br>NUMBER | AMOUNT    | REMARKS    |
|-----|-------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|------------|
| 1   | Abastillas, Celso E.                | 50579        | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 2   | Aboy, 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   | Albaña, 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.                  | 50583        | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 28  | Bolton, Wilhelm "Bollie"            | 50739        | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 29  | Branellec, Jacques "Jack"           | 50577        | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 30  | Buendia, Carlos "Caloy" C.          | 50829        | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 31  | Campos, Joselito, 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 |

# CLUB ADMINISTRATION

|    |                                       |       |           |            |
|----|---------------------------------------|-------|-----------|------------|
| 39 | Chien, Liang-Ta "Steve"               | 50531 | 37,318.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 40 | Chotrani, Johnny N.                   | 50730 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 41 | Co, Ferdinand "Ferdie" C.             | 50830 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 42 | Coyiuto, Robert, Jr. "Jun" G.         | 50838 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 43 | Creencia, Raoul                       | 50835 | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 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 "Rey" 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 | Domingo, Rico V.                      | 51009 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 56 | Dominguez, III, Carlos "Sonny" G.     | 50765 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 57 | Dy, Manuel "Manny" C.                 | 50520 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 58 | Egan, Brendan "Bren" W.L.             | 50672 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 59 | Eldebs, Issam "Sam"                   | 50439 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 60 | Engelbrecht, Francois                 | 50679 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 61 | Enriquez, Eduardo III "Jujut" V.      | 50519 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 62 | Esguerra, Herminio "Hermie" S.        | 50547 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 63 | Esquivias, Joaquin Pablo "Jop" A.     | 50678 | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 64 | Eugenio, John Emyl "Emyl" G.          | 50697 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 65 | Evaristo, Frank A.                    | 50534 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 66 | Everingham, Richard Jack              | 50834 | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 67 | Fajardo, Beda G.                      | 50546 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 68 | Fernandez, Antonio Jaime Jose V. "JJ" | 50654 | 32,138.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 69 | Follosco, Ceferino, Jr. "Jun" G.      | 50729 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 70 | Garcia, Herbert Joey "Joey" D.        | 50741 | 15,800.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 71 | Garcia, Paul Joseph "PJ"              | 50509 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 72 | Garcia, Victor                        | 50525 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 73 | Gaspar, Fernando "Nando" L.           | 50733 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 74 | Gierran, Dante "Dan"                  | 50521 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 75 | Go, Daniel "Danny" C.                 | 50761 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 76 | Go, Henry Sy                          | 50686 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 77 | Go, Michael                           | 50731 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 78 | Guarin, Michael Arcatomy "Mike" H.    | 50655 | 24,500.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 79 | Guevara, Domingo, Jr. "Boy" S.        | 50572 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 80 | Guevara, Ricardo "Ricky" S.           | 50573 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 81 | Hallare, Delfin, Jr. "Jun" T.         | 50689 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 82 | Hallerbach, Mathias                   | 50759 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 83 | Harle, Wolfgang Kurt                  | 50563 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 84 | Henkelmann, Martin                    | 50599 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 85 | Hernandez, Edwin                      | 50551 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 86 | Hesse, Uwe                            | 50581 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 87 | Hortaleza, Rolando                    | 50822 | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 88 | Jang, Jae "Jay-Jay" J.                | 50693 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 89 | Joseph, Ralph L.                      | 50514 | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 90 | Joseph, Robert Ian "Robi" M.          | 50510 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 91 | Joseph, Robert, Jr. "Bobby" L.        | 50512 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 92 | Jucaban, Jeric J.                     | 51014 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 93 | Kalaw, Teodoro Alejandro IV "Teddy"   | 50700 | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 94 | Karcher, Henning                      | 50558 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 95 | Kunack, Lutz                          | 50668 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |
| 96 | Lacambacal, Alvin D.                  | 50734 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID |

# CLUB ADMINISTRATION

|     |                                    |             |           |                |
|-----|------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|
| 97  | La'o, Emilio Gonzalez              | 50728       | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 98  | Laya, Jaime "Jimmy" C.             | 50821       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 99  | Ledda, Jaime Victor "Jet" B.       | 50685       | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 100 | Lee, Richard "Dick" L.             | 50554       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 101 | Leung, Karl A.                     | 50740       | 12,500.00 | PARTIALLY PAID |
| 102 | Liamzon, Romeo Thaddeus "Thad" R.  | 50515       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 103 | Lim, David Eduardo Ty              | 50567       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 104 | Lim, Richard                       | 50748       | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 105 | Lim, William "Willy" C.            | 50848       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 106 | Locsin, Arsenio "Nick" Z.          | 50595       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 107 | Locsin, Roberto R.                 | 50670       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 108 | Lonzaga, Reinerio "Ner" C.         | 50524       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 109 | Lopa, Antonio "Tony" A.            | 50597       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 110 | Lopez, Antonio "Tony"              | 50703       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 111 | Lopez, Arthur "Art" M.             | 50548       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 112 | Macapagal, Michael "Mac"           | 50541       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 113 | Macatoman, Abdulgani "Gani"        | 51015       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 114 | Magbanua, Gerry                    | 50562       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 115 | Magsaysay, Francisco "Paco" D.     | 50657/5065  | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 116 | Manalaysay, Cesar P "Citos"        | 50664       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 117 | Mangalile, Senen                   | 50713       | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 118 | Martinez, Ronald                   | 50714       | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 119 | Masters, Lance A.                  | 50530/50847 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 120 | Matschuck, Guenter "Gunter" G.     | 50807       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 121 | Mauricio, Antonilo "Anton"         | 50711       | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 122 | Meloto, Antonio "Tony"             | 50511       | 15,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 123 | Mendoza, Estelito "Titong" P.      | 50543       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 124 | Mendoza, Raymund Joseph Ian "Raji" | 50674       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 125 | Mommaerts, Steve "Momo"            | 50718       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 126 | Montel, Juan Manuel C.             | 50665       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 127 | Montinola, Antonio "Tony" J.       | 50596       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 128 | Nolido, Ramon Alberto "Ramby" B.   | 50694       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 129 | Nones, Romeo "Romy" C.             | 50598       | 25,001.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 130 | Nunez, Jose, Jr. "Pepo" A.         | 50722       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 131 | Ocampo, Teodoro "Teddy" J.         | 50683       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 132 | Okajima, Hiroyuki                  | 50588       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 133 | Ong, Jovee K.                      | 50715       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 134 | Ong, Phillip "Phil" L.             | 50550       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 135 | Pagdanganan, Roberto "Obet" M.     | 50677       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 136 | Palacios, Albert "Hans" C.         | 50709       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 137 | Pallasigue, John Brian "JB"        | 50580       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 138 | Pascual, Abraham "Abe" F.          | 50688       | 24,500.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 139 | Pascual, Jose Augusto "Jappy"      | 50688       | 24,500.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 140 | Patterson, Colin David             | 50536       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 141 | Payumo, Felicito "Tong" C.         | 50825       | 10,000.00 | PARTIALLY PAID |
| 142 | Peliño, Wilfredo "Willie" M.       | 50594       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 143 | Pineda, Jr., Jesus "Susing" M.     | 50545       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 144 | Pineda, Jr., Patricio "Bebot" F.   | 50537       | 26,200.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 145 | Pizarras, Jordan M.                | 50780       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 146 | Preysler, Fausto, Jr. R.           | 50556       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 147 | Pujalte, Jose, Jr. "Brix" S.       | 50754/50760 | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 148 | Ramos, Claver P.                   | 50841       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 149 | Rast, Tobias "Tobi"                | 50669       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 150 | Recto, Philip H.                   | 50691       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 151 | Reyes, Crispino "Babes" P.         | 50681       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 152 | Reyes, Edgardo "Ed" P.             | 50561       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 153 | Reynolds, David John "Dave"        | 50565       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |

# CLUB

## ADMINISTRATION

|     |                                         |             |           |                |
|-----|-----------------------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|
| 154 | Robertz, Constantin Franz Josef "Cons"  | 50680       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 155 | Rodriguez, Gerard Sean "Sean" H.        | 50752       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 156 | Rodriguez, Joaquin "Jack" H.            | 50682       | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 157 | Rodriguez, Joaquin "Jackie" C.          | 50671       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 158 | Romualdez, Ferdinand Martin "Martin"    | 50747       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 159 | Romualdez, Jose Manuel "Babe" G.        | 50574       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 160 | Rono, Marlon                            | 50592       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 161 | Sarmiento, Ricardo                      | 50587       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 162 | Schmitz, Steffan                        | 50705       | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 163 | Schneider, Bernd                        | 50673       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 164 | Schoucair, Farid Alain                  | 50667       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 165 | Serapio, Carlos G. "Caloy"              | 50717       | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 166 | Sevilla, Luis Angelo "L.A." L.          | 50698       | 15,484.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 167 | Shigei, Kentaro                         | 50591       | 24,500.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 168 | Shimoda, Shigeru                        | 50590       | 15,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 169 | Sibayan, Joselito "Lito" H.             | 50564       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 170 | Sicat, Michael Allan E. "Mike"          | 51011       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 171 | So, Warren                              | 50710       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 172 | Sobrepeña, Robert John "Bob" L.         | 50701       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 173 | Soler, Jose Antonio Andaya              | 50724       | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 174 | Souvlakis, Nicolas                      | 51001       | 28,963.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 175 | Stranathan, Ike                         | 50566       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 176 | Syjuco, Jose, Jr. "Joey" A.             | 50544       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 177 | Tagaysay, Hector "Chito"                | 50732       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 178 | Talampas, Jose Angel "Joel"             | 50651       | 15,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 179 | Talusan, Ferdinand "Inov"               | 50899       | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 180 | Tamano, Shalimar "Shah" H.              | 50818       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 181 | Tamayo, Victor "Butch" L.               | 50797       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 182 | Tan, Eusebio "Ebot" V.                  | 50707       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 183 | Tan, Lawrence "Lance" L.                | 50743       | 15,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 184 | Tang, Jimmy T.                          | 50815       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 185 | Tanglao, Noel V.                        | 50785       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 186 | Taylor-Dormond, Marvin                  | 50549       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 187 | Tee, Jr., Teddy B.                      | 50676       | 15,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 188 | Tejuma, Michael "Mike"                  | 50532/50582 | 37,138.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 189 | Tillmann, Hansel Joseph Michael "Ha"    | 50695       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 190 | Ubaldo, Cesar C.                        | 50704       | 12,600.00 | PARTIALLY PAID |
| 191 | Valdes, Joel C.                         | 50727       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 192 | Valdez, Amado "Amading" D.              | 50660       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 193 | Valencia, John Nico "Nico" P.           | 50755       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 194 | Valencia, Rodolfo "Rod" G.              | 50755       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 195 | Vasquez, Evaristo                       | 51013       | 29,938.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 196 | Vea, Reynaldo "Rey" B.                  | 50720       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 197 | Villarica, Henry R.                     | 50652       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 198 | Villegas, Raoul A.                      | 50801       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 199 | Yap, Enrique, Jr. "Rickie" Y.           | 50819       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 200 | Yu, Geoffrey "Geof" C.                  | 50735       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 201 | Yu, Reginald "Reggie" T.                | 50662       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 202 | Yujuico, Benedicto "Dicky" V.           | 50808       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 203 | Yujuico, Brendon                        | 50571       | 12,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 204 | Zalamea, Enrique, Jr. "Rick" M.         | 50753       | 24,500.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 205 | Zaldarriaga, Felix Francisco "Chito" S. | 50528       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 206 | Zeitouni, Nagi                          | 50696       | 25,000.00 | FULLY PAID     |
| 207 | Zialcita, Xavier "Xavy" Y.              | 50663       | 15,800.00 | FULLY PAID     |

TOTAL 4,996,598.00

# CLUB ADMINISTRATION

## *The Board of Directors of the Rotary Club of Manila for RY 2021-2022 Holds Seventh Regular Meeting*



The Board of Directors of the Rotary Club of Manila for RY 2021-2022 held its Seventh Regular Meeting last February 8, 2022 via Zoom virtual platform. Present were President Chito Zaldarriaga, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman and Rotary Club of Manila Programs Committee Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra, ISDG/ISAG/DE/Dir. Albert Alday, DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph, RCManila Foundation, Inc. President and Rotary Club of Manila PP Susing Pineda, AT PJ Garcia, VP Farid Schoucair, DE/Treasurer Jujut Enriquez, DE/Dir. Johnny Chotrani, VPE/Club Secretary Reggie Yu, President Chito Zaldarriaga, Dir. Noy Benedicto, AS Henry Go, Dir. Amading Valdez, DGND Jackie Rodriguez (guest) and ES Anna Kun Toledo.

# RCMANILA

## FOUNDATION, INC.

*RCManila Foundation, Inc.  
Holds Preparation Meeting for the  
Reevaluation of the Foundation by the  
Philippine Council for NGO Certification  
(PCNC)*



RCManila Foundation, Inc. held a Preparation Meeting for the Reevaluation of the foundation by the Philippine Council for NGO Certification (PCNC) last February 5, 2022 via Zoom virtual platform. Present were RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman and Rotary Club of Manila PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra, RCManila Foundation, Inc. President and Rotary Club of Manila PP Susing Pineda, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman-Elect. Treasurer/Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila PD Pepo Nuñez, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Consultant Ms. Caridad Basila and Rotary Club of Manila ES Anna Kun Toledo. The Reevaluation has been scheduled on February 9, 2022 via Zoom virtual platform by PCNC.

# RCMANILA

## FOUNDATION, INC.

### *The Board of Trustees of the RCManila Foundation, Inc. Holds Special Meeting*



The Board of Trustees of the RCManila Foundation, Inc. held a Special Meeting last February 8, 2022 via Zoom virtual platform. Present were RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman and Rotary Club of Manila Programs Committee Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra, RCManila Foundation, Inc. President and Rotary Club of Manila PP Susing Pineda, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Secretary/Trustee Rotary Club of Manila ISDG/ISAG/DE/Dir. Albert Alday, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Treasurer/Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila PD Pepo Nuñez, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila Dir. Amading Valdez, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila VP Farid Schoucair, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila President Chito Zaldarriaga and RCManila Foundation, Inc. Trustee, Rotary Club of Manila DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph and Rotary Club of Manila ES Anna Kun Toledo.

# RCMANILA FOUNDATION, INC.

## *Philippine Council for NGO Certification (PCNC) Holds Virtual Evaluation on RCManila Foundation, Inc.*

### The Presentation



## Welcomes

**Virtual Evaluation  
Philippine Council for NGO  
Certification**



**RC MANILA  
FOUNDATION, INC.**

- December 6, 1978 - RCManila Foundation, Inc. (RCMFI) was organized. It is the civic arm and resource agency of the Rotary Club of Manila
- February 1, 1979 - Registered with the Philippine Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). RCMFI is a non-stock, non-profit organization
- August 27, 2015- August 26, 2018 - DSWD granted the Certificate of Registration
- July 29, 2019 - DSWD granted Certificate of Registration
- December 11, 2018, to December 10, 2022- DSWD granted License to Operate as Resource Agency
- December 11, 2019 - Accredited by the Philippine Council for NGO Certification (PCNC)
- February 24, 2020 – February 23, 2023- BIR granted tax exemption certificate as an institution (donee)
- February 24, 2021 - PCNC granted the first reaccreditation
- May 10, 2021-Feb 23,2022 - BIR granted exemption for donor

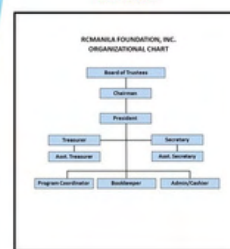
Core Rotary Values: Service Above Self

- Service
- Fellowship
- Diversity
- Integrity
- Leadership



**RC MANILA  
FOUNDATION, INC.**

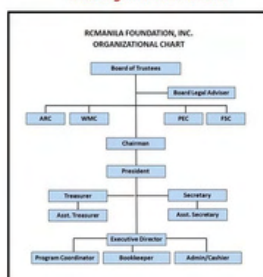
**Before 1**



**Before 2**



**RC MANILA  
FOUNDATION, INC.**  
**New Organizational Chart**



**RC MANILA  
FOUNDATION, INC.**

### ROTARY'S 7 AREAS OF FOCUS:



# RCMANILA FOUNDATION, INC.



## OUR PROGRAMS

- 1 • DISEASE PREVENTION & TREATMENT
- 2 • BASIC EDUCATION & LITERACY
- 3 • COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
- 4 • MATERNAL & CHILD CARE
- 5 • HUMANITARIAN CAUSES



Baby Kit & Mother before surgery

Post Surgery

Baby Kit was admitted into Philippine Heart Center on December 24, 2021 and was discharged on 10 January 2022.



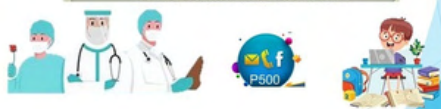
## ROTARY CLUB OF MANILA HOLDS "DONATE BLOOD, SAVE LIFE" BLOODLETTING ACTIVITY IN CELEBRATION OF WORLD ROTARY DAY



The successful ROTARY CLUB OF MANILA PHILIPPINE RED CROSS BLOODLETTING activity, entitled "Donate Blood, Save Life", spearheaded by RCManila Foundation Chairman/Programs Committee Chairman **JPVP Hermie Esguerra**, which was held last February 23, 2021 at the Esguerra Farms in Lipa City, Batangas, yielded a volume of 42,700 cc (95 bags x 450cc) of blood from the 263 participants of Esguerra Farms and Staff/landlords staff and households all quarantined and Covid19 free since March 2020. The Rotary Club of Manila donated it to the Philippine Red Cross. Present to lend support were ASAG/DE/Dir. Albert Alday, DE/Dir. Johnny Chotrani, AT/Dir. Jujut Enriquez, IFD Isam Eldebs and BLA Amador Valdez with his Rotary Ann Nellie Valdez.



RCManila Foundation, Inc. provide educational assistance to COVID-19 Health Frontliners to their children in the form of internet data load.



## OUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

for

DISEASE PREVENTION & TREATMENT

ROTARY LITTLE HEART  
BLOOD LETTING ACTIVITIES



AT ESGUERRA  
FARM IN LIPA  
CITY



BLOOD LETTING



BASIC EDUCATION  
AND LITERACY

## OUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

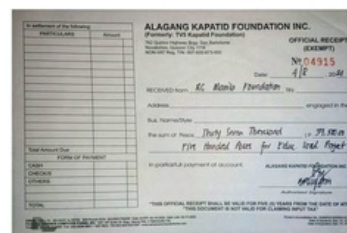
for

BASIC EDUCATION AND LITERACY

- INTERNET LOAD FOR FRONTLINERS CHILDREN
- INDIGENOUS PEOPLE EDUCATION
- SUPPORT TO TULOY STREETCHILDREN FOUNDATION INC.
- DUALTECH SPONSORSHIP



RCManila Foundation, Inc. provide educational assistance to COVID-19 Health Frontliners to their children in the form of internet data load.



# RCMANILA FOUNDATION, INC.



## IP (Aeta) Educational Assistance

RCManila Foundation, Inc. partnered with the LGU of Pampanga for the scholarship of 2 IPs

The IP scholar is a project with the LGU of Pampanga who provides the tuition fee of the medical and teacher students from Porac, Pampanga. The scholarship is based on an Executive Order:

Article 14 of the Declaration stipulates that IPs "have the right to establish and control their educational systems and institutions providing education in their own languages, in a manner appropriate to their cultural methods of teaching and learning" Article 14.1; "Indigenous individuals, particularly children.

RCManila Foundation, Inc. provides the following:

- Board and lodging fee
- Allowance
- Internet connection



Aeta Anamaria 1st yr pre-med

Aeta Rolly 1st yr. Education



## SUPPORT TO TULUY STREETCHILDREN FOUNDATION INC.



Project/Activity  
Foundation, Inc.  
Partners

Project Cost  
Location  
Muntinlupa City  
Total Number of Beneficiaries

Partners in Service  
Streetchildren Foundation  
Areas of Focus

Support to Tuluy

Rotary Club of Manila &  
RCManila Foundation  
Php 200,000.00  
Tuluy Village, Alabang.

at least 500 kids

District 3810 Rotary  
Basic Education and  
Literacy



Project was initiated by RCM Immediate Past Pres / RCMFI Trustee Bobby Joseph, with the purpose to support the youth with the qualification to be privileged to undertake the skills/moral discipline training course as scholars of Rotary Club of Manila / RCManila Foundation.



RCMFI Chairman Hermie Esquerra delivered his message of inspiration during the turnover of donation held at DUALTECH. Representing Chairman Esquerra during the turnover was Mr Ejay Esquerra (son) who delivered the message of support for Dualtech in behalf of Herma Group.



## Malaya Business Insight LIVING



## OUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

for

## COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- RELIEF FOR VICTIMS OF TYPHOON IN CAVITE
- RECOGNITION OF OUTSTANDING WORKERS



RCMANILA FOUNDATION, INC.  
Community Service Project - Relief Operations for Flood Victims  
Disaster Response Project  
25 July 2021



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# RCMANILA FOUNDATION, INC.

## RCMFI Vision 2026



By June 2026

RCMFI shall be a leading self-sufficient and fully-compliant Philippine Foundation

Building a sustainable capital fund of PHP 10 Million

From which at least PHP 1 Million is utilized each rotary year for the projects and service initiatives of the Rotary Club of Manila.

## RCMFI Primary Missions & Governance Themes



► **Capital Generation:** To proactively solicit grants and conduct strategic fundraising initiatives to build a sustainable capital fund to sufficiently finance the various projects and service initiatives of the Rotary Club of Manila.

► **Revenue Facility:** To provide funds to support the various projects and service initiatives of the Rotary Club of Manila each and every rotary year, as well as provide technical assistance as necessary when such projects and service initiatives conduct their own fundraising activities.

► **Capital Fund Stewardship:** To preserve and ensure the continued growth of capital funds generated thru appropriate financial planning and investment activities, so that the Rotary Club of Manila may eventually have sufficient financial resources to continue operations indefinitely thru income generated by such capital fund.



## INTERNAL SOURCES OF FUNDS

- 1 • ONE TIME MEMBERSHIP FEE
- 2 • MEMBERS CONTRIBUTION/DONATION
- 3 • FUND RAISING
- 4 • INTEREST INCOME



## EXTERNAL SOURCES OF FUNDS

- 1 • GRANTS
- 2 • DONATION IN CASH
- 3 • DONATION IN KIND
- 4 • BEQUEST



## BOARD OF TRUSTEES



## BOARD OF TRUSTEES OFFICERS

### APPOINTED OFFICERS (NON- BOARD MEMBER)



## COMMITTEES



### Management Team



THANK YOU

# RCMANILA

## FOUNDATION, INC.

### The Evaluation Meeting

The Philippine Council for NGO Certification (PCNC) conducted an Evaluation Meeting on the RCManila Foundation, Inc. last February 9, 2022 via Zoom virtual platform.

The PCNC Panel of Evaluators were composed of Mr. Jun Trinidad (Former Manager of the ND, St. Luke's Foundation), Becky Minodin (Member of the PICPAC), Jinky Ongan and Jasmin Apelo.

### Presentation of the Chairman



RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman and Rotary Club of Manila Programs Committee Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra presented the achievements of the foundation for the Fiscal Year 2020-2021 and the forecast for the future year.

# RCMANILA FOUNDATION, INC.

## Evaluation of the Board of Trustees



The PCNC held an Evaluation Meeting with the RCManila Foundation, Inc. Board of Trustees. Present were RCManila Foundation, Inc. President-Elect and Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila PT Lito Sibayan, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila VP Farid Schoucair, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman-Elect, Treasurer/Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila PD Pepo Nuñez and RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila PD Beda Fajardo, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph and Rotary Club of Manila Programs Committee Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra.

# RCMANILA

## FOUNDATION, INC.

### Evaluation of the Project Evaluation Team



The PCNC held an Evaluation Meeting with the Project Evaluation (Program) Team of the RCManila Foundation, Inc. Present were Project Evaluation Team Chairman RCManila Foundation, Inc. President-Elect and Trustee and Rotary Club of Manila PT Lito Sibayan, PCNC Evaluator May Bayta, PCNC Evaluator Jun Trinidad (Former Manager of St. Luke's Foundation), Jinky Ongan (Member of the Philippine Institute of Certified Public Accountants), RCManila Foundation, Inc. Executive Director/Consultant Caridad Basila and Rotary Club of Manila ES Anna Kun Toledo.

# 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](http://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

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## *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



# INTERCLUB RELATIONS

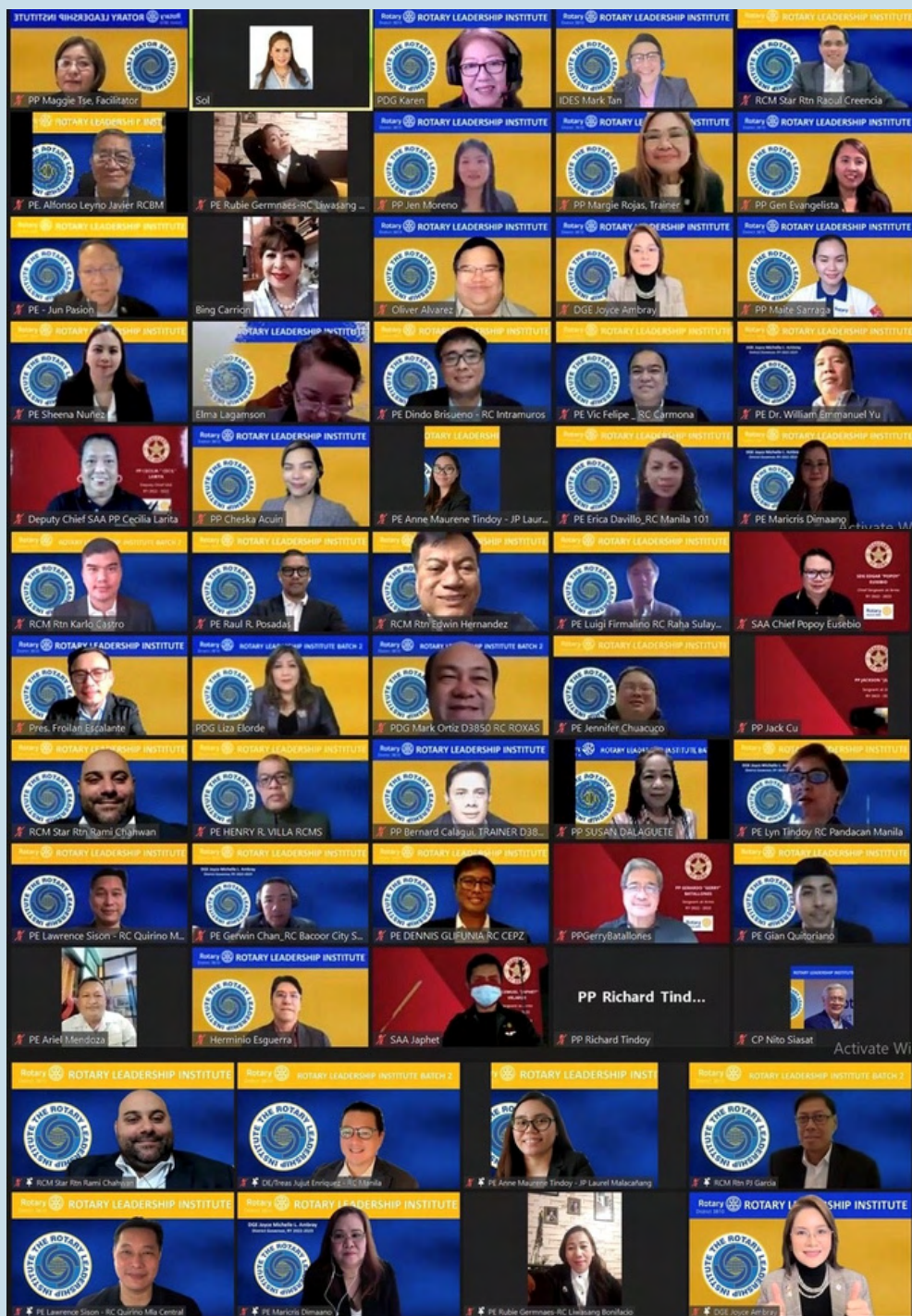
## *Manila Rotarians Attend Rotary Leadership Institute II Batch 2*



Manila Rotarians attended and completed the Rotary Leadership Institute II Batch 2 last February 5, 2022 via Zoom virtual platform. Present were RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman and Rotary Club of Manila Programs Committee Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra (observer), STAR Rtn. Rami Chahwan, STAR Rtn. Raoul Creencia, IS Edwin Hernandez, DE/Treasurer Jujut Enriquez, IT/IPT Karlo Castro and IAT/AT PJ Garcia.

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# VOCATIONAL SERVICE

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## *Rotary Club of Manila 18th Tourism Awards Committee Holds Meeting*



The 18th Tourism Awards Committee held a meeting last February 9, 2022 at The Wine Museum Hotel and Restaurant in Pasay City. Present were Chairman DDCC/IPP Bobby Joseph (host of the meeting), PP Francis Juico and VP Farid Schoucair.

# INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

*Rtn. Momo Mommaerts Represents  
Rotary Club of Manila  
in Catch Color for Good*



Rotary  
Club of Bangkok

*Catch Color  
for Good*

Music by: **Catchy Band**  
Singers: **Boy | Ging | Pax**

**5 Feb 22 5.30PM** | Ticket Price  
@Grand Hyatt Erawan Hotel | **3,000Baht**

Reservation at Khun Bing : Tel 02-656-1634, 082-641-4298

Payment TTB Bank, Rajdamri Road Branch  
No. 011-2-82783-7 Acc. name: "Rotary Club of Bangkok"  
Send the payment slip with your name and club to  
"rotarybangkok@gmail.com" or ID LINE 0826414298

Rtn. Momo Mommaerts represented the Rotary Club of Manila in the "Catch Color for Good" of Rotary Club of Bangkok last February 5, 2022 at the Grand Hyatt Erawan Bangkok in Bangkok, Thailand.



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## *Rtn. Momo Mommaerts Represents Rotary Club of Manila in Catch Color for Good*



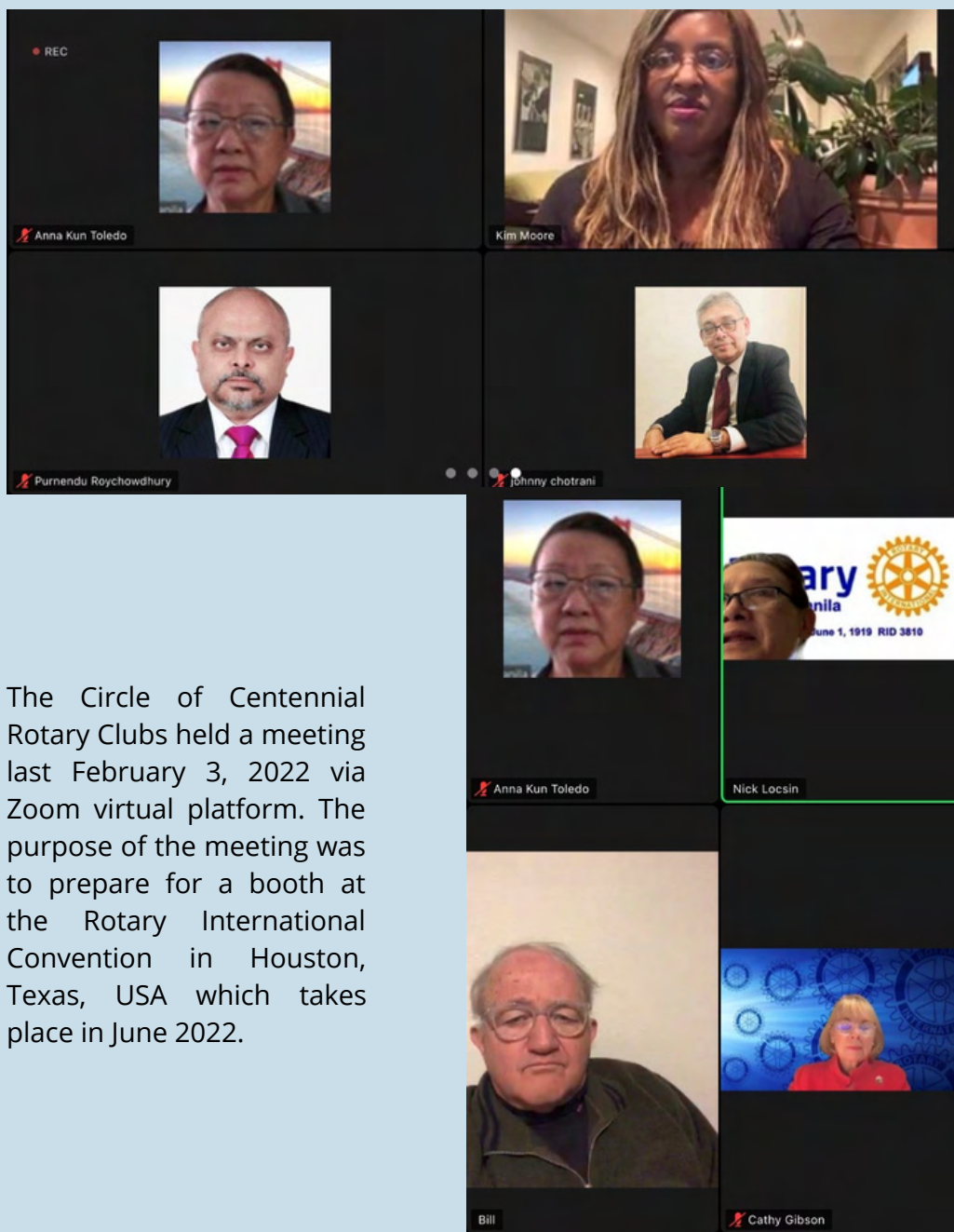
### **CATCH COLOR FOR GOOD**

*by Rtn. Momo Mommaerts*

The event was a great success last Saturday and the Rotary Club of Bangkok was very appreciative of the support they received from the Rotary Club of Manila for their event. We used the extra tickets purchased by the Rotary Club of Manila to sponsor a group of Rotaract nursing school graduates to attend the fundraising dinner. The young ladies were really excited and happy to have the chance to attend. They would not have been able to join the event without the support from our generosity. I would like to personally thank all of the Rotary Club of Manila members who sponsored the tickets manifesting the support you have showed our sister club. Rotary Club of Manila was the number 1 supporting club in Asia with the most tickets purchased for the night. I am very proud to be associated with such a prestigious club that leads by actions of the members proving that the Rotary motto of "Service Above Self" is at the core of the Rotary Club of Manila.

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## *Circle of Centennial Rotary Clubs Holds Meeting*



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## Rotary Foundation receives highest rating from Charity Navigator for 14th consecutive year

By **Rotary International**

For the 14th consecutive year, The Rotary Foundation has received the highest rating — four stars — from **Charity Navigator**, an independent evaluator of charities in the U.S.

The Foundation earned the recognition for adhering to sector best practices and executing its mission in a financially efficient way, demonstrating both strong financial health and commitment to accountability and transparency. Only one percent of the organizations Charity Navigator evaluates have received 14 consecutive 4-star evaluations.



"We are honored to have been recognized and to be among the top 1% of charities evaluated," said Rotary Foundation Trustee Chair John Germ. "Our donors can feel proud knowing that their gifts will allow them to make an impact in their communities and the world for years to come."

The rating reflects Charity Navigator's assessment of how the Foundation uses donations, sustains its programs and services, and practices good governance and openness.

Source: [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)

# OTHER MATTERS

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## *Straight from the Horse's Mouth*

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



A COLLOQUY WITH "MR. PURE ENERGY."

"You create a community with music, not just at concerts  
but by talking about it with your friends." — David Byrne

You know a force from heaven when you hear his voice. You know something that God has made when that voice is beautiful. And Gary Valenciano is a gift from God. When it comes to expressing oneself through song, there is no one who can touch him. He is the reason why Filipinos want to sing and dance.

For 39 years, Gary V. has been a source of inspiration to millions of fans all over the world. Since his official breakthrough on May 13, 1983, he has written, arranged, produced and recorded some of the most iconic songs that have defined an era. With such hits as "*Di Na Natuto*," "*Natutulog Ba Ang Diyos?*" "*Narito*" and "*Di Bale Na Lang*," he is the voice of the most well-loved primetime "*tele-seryes*" as well as movie theme songs that have touched the lives of countless of *Pinoy* fans, here and around the world.

A multi-awarded artist — a TOYM Philippines: The Outstanding Young Men Awards honoree for Music in 2002 and an eleven-time *Awit* Awards recipient — his incredible talent and passion of his work is evident in his songs, which have undoubtedly been included on the soundtracks of many lives. His vocal dexterity, power, and voice clarity remain unmatched and with numerous sold-out

concerts and dozens of Platinum awards, the longevity of Gary V.'s career remains powerful for the last 35 years.

With 3.8 million followers on Twitter, 301,000 followers on Instagram, and 669,877 followers on his official Facebook Page, Gary Valenciano Official has cemented a legacy as one of the most successful Filipino recording artists of all time. That legacy, of course, includes his vast catalog of hits from a total 49 albums — five of which reached Platinum, four double-Platinum, three triple-Platinum, and two sextuple Platinum — which have been covered by just about every Filipino singer across generations.

In a rare conversation with "Mr. Pure Energy" in 2018, back when I still headed the Alumni Association of Xavier School which organized his "comeback" concert, he offered a lot of personal revelations about him that many still do not know about.

For one, he never thought that singing and dancing in front of audiences would be something he would do as a professional. "My dream [growing up] was everything I am not today," he acknowledged. "I wanted to be the typical – doctor, architect. Those were the top two."

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Despite this, he knew he could sing even at a young age. "When I was a kid, my mom already said that I was singing *kasi kumakanta ako sa bahay kapag may mga taong pumupunta*," he said. "Maybe I was seven years old and the first song that I ever sang in front of her was the song 'I Believe.' She heard it. My mom said, 'He's probably going to end up in entertainment.' That's when I found out I could sing. Pero I never ever thought, never in my life *ko naisip na aabot ako sa ganito*," he continued.

It was in high school when Valenciano discovered that he could dance.

"When I was a kid, *hindi ko masasabi na dancer ako* but I could move. When I was in high school, Michael Jackson did the moonwalk and I remember every day *pumupunta ako sa studio* and I would be practicing the moonwalk all the time until one of my classmates saw it. From that time on, *sa akin binibigay 'yung mga dance moves*."

It was also during that time that he had his first televised performance, but not yet as a solo artist. He performed with his high school singing group *Kundirana*.

"I was in senior year in high school, Tita Pilita Corales and Jackie Lou Blanco, *may* television show *silá. Inimbíta 'yung Kundirana* to perform. After that performance, *lumapit si Tita Pilita*. I think it was my sister *na sinabihan niya*, 'You think your brother can come back to the show but as a soloist?' *Sabi ko okay*."

Still, that wasn't the time he thought performing would be his passion.

Sharing when he experienced a turning point, he said: "What happened was I came to Immaculate Concepcion Academy (ICA) and in this school, *hindi ako nilagay sa start ng show and hindi rin sa dulo*."

"So *nandoon ako*, 'Gary, you're going to sing at this part because it's going to fit the whole program.' *Para sa akin, program, program, basta lalabas ako doon, kakanta ako*. But this time they were really saying, 'This is the concept of the show.' I stood out there. At that point, *walang sumisigaw pero merong mga naririnig [sa tenga ko]*. I am actually able to speak in the form of something harmonious, in the form of something melodious and there I was creating an impact that I never thought I could do."

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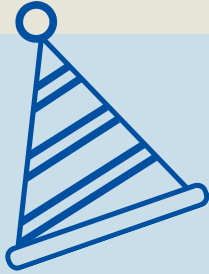
To this day, Valenciano vividly remembers how the crowd applauded after his performance, and that was the start of everything.

"I remember talking to my sister saying I think this is what I want to do, being a solo performer. *Kasi may mga offers din na maging part ng band. Dapat ako, si Randy Santiago and Juan Miguel Salvador.* But that event in ICA changed my whole perspective."

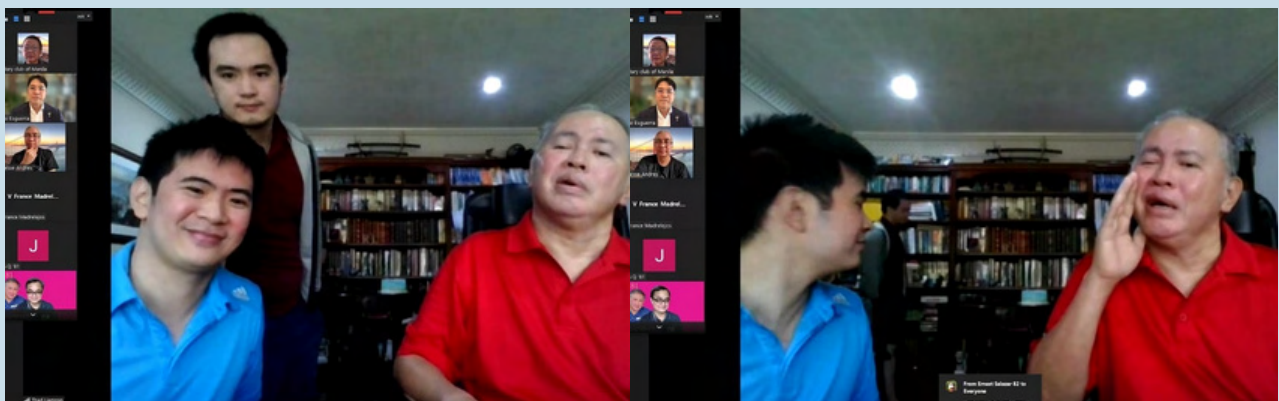
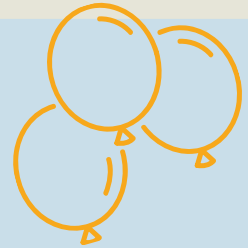
And the rest, as they say, is history.



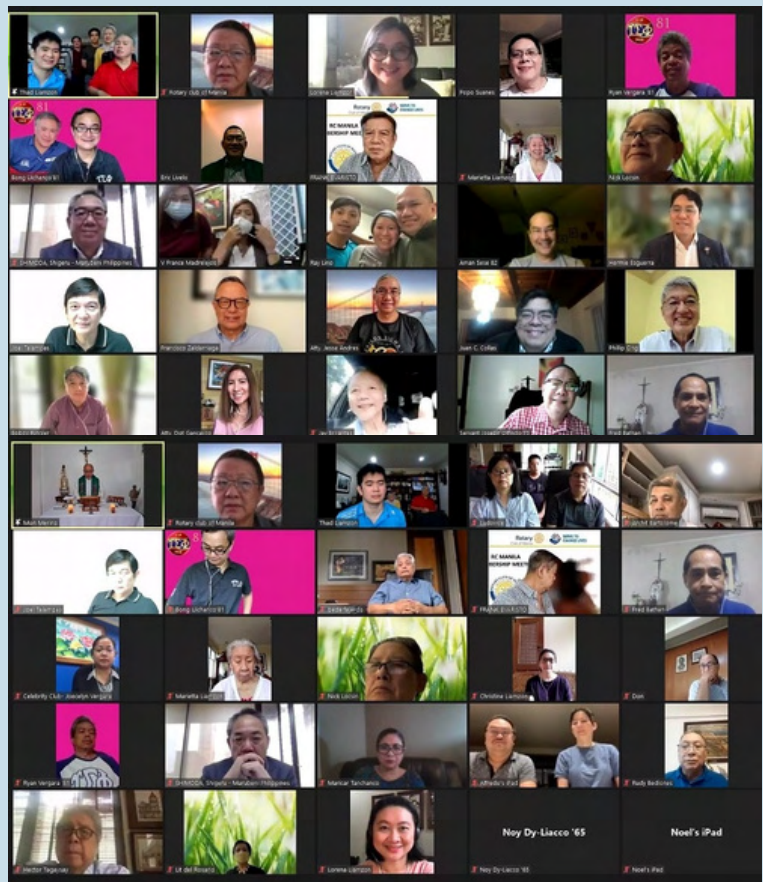
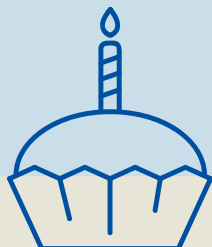
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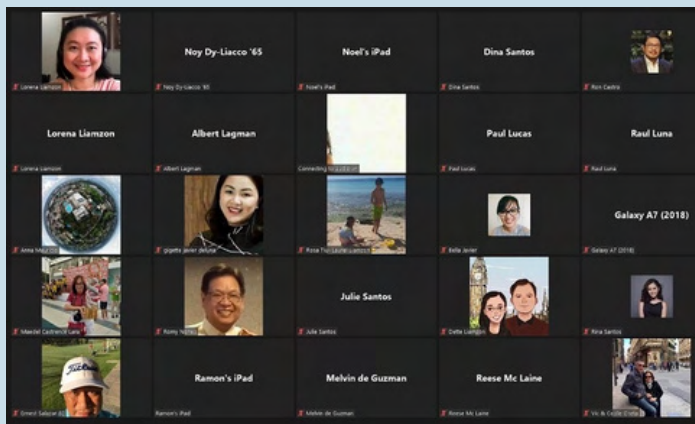
## *Manila Rotarians Attend 58th Birthday Celebration of Dir. Thad Liamzon*



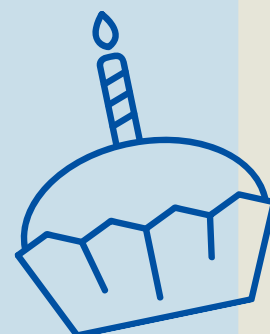
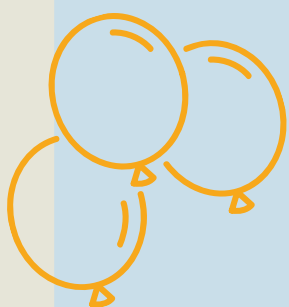
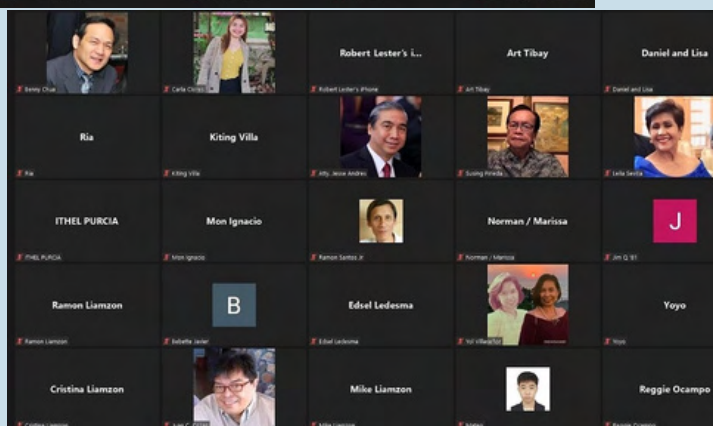
Director Thad Liamzon celebrated his 58th Birthday through a Birthday Mass organized by his family last February 3, 2022 via Zoom virtual platform. Other than family members, friends and his Upsilon Sigma Phi brothers were his fellow Manila Rotarians President Chito Zaldarriaga, RCManila Foundation, Inc. Chairman and Programs Committee Chairman PE/PVP Hermie Esguerra, PDG Vince Carlos, PDG Rudy Bediones, PP Archib Bartolome, PP Frank Evaristo, PP Susing Pineda, PD Nick Locsin, PD Beda Fajardo, PD Phil Ong, PD Abe Pascual, Rtn. Romy Nones, STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio, STAR Rtn. Joel Talampas and STAR Rtn. Shigeru Shimoda.



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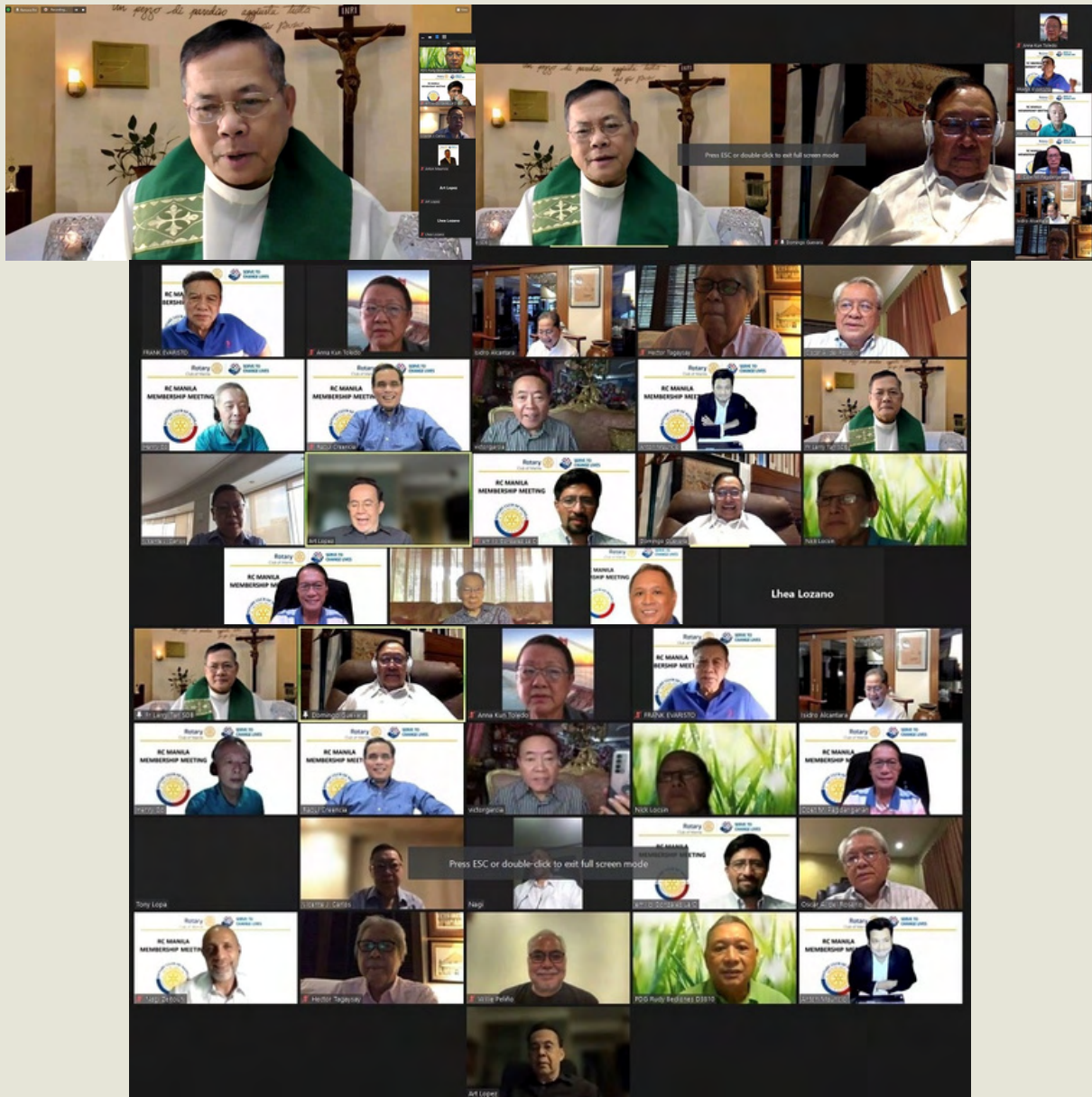


*Manila Rotarians  
Attend  
58th Birthday  
Celebration of  
Dir. Thad Liamzon*



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## *Manila Rotarians Attend First Friday Mass for the Month of February*



Manila Rotarians attended the First Friday Mass last February 4, 2022 via Zoom virtual platform. The mass celebrant was Rev. Fr. Larry Tan, SDB. Mass participants were PP Boy Guevara Jr. (Commentator), STAR Rtn. Anton Mauricio (Intercessory Prayer), Rtn. Butch Alcantara (First Reading and Responsorial Psalm), AS Henry Go (Prayer of the Faithful), STAR Rtn. Raoul Creencia (Act of Spiritual Communion), ISAA Nagi Zeitouni (Oratio Imperata) and STAR Rtn. Emil La'O. Others in attendance were PDG Vince Carlos, PDG Alex Cureg, PDG Obet Pagdanganan, PDG Rudy Bediones, PP Frank Evaristo, PD Oscar del Rosario, PD Art Lopez, PD Nick Locsin, PT Chito Tagaysay, Rtn. Vic Garcia and Rtn. Willie Peliño.



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