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GUEST OF HONOR AND SPEAKER



KABALITA

It was in 1973 when the Philippines began constructing a nuclear power plant in response to the raging oil crisis at that time. Although completed in 1984, the plant was never commissioned. After almost five decades, is the country ready to finally tap nuclear energy to address the increasing demand for electricity (which is reported to more than triple by 2040)? Purportedly the largest source of carbon-free energy, is nuclear power a truly clean, safe and reliable source of electricity? It would surely be interesting to know the mindset of our government leaders, as well as their plans in relation to utilizing nuclear energy.



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19th WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING



Rotary Year 2022-2023

Thursday, November 10, 2022, 12:30 PM

Program Moderator: RTN. ANTONILO "Anton" MAURICIO

Program Timetable

Part I

12:15 PM Registration & Zoom In

Presentation of Meeting Protocol/Zoom Meeting House Rules

12:20 PM Call to Order

Invocation and Special Prayers

Philippine National Anthem

Philippine RCM Hymn

The Four (4) Way Test

Acknowledgment of Guests

Welcome Song

RC Manila Birthday Celebrants for the week

November 4 PD Beda Fajardo

November 8 PAS Henry Go

November 8 PVP US Ambassador Jose Manuel Romualdez

Maligayang Bati/Happy Birthday Song

President's Time

PRES. HERMINIO "Hermie" S. ESGUERRA

STAR RTN. ANTONIO "Tony" ECHAVEZ

AVP of RCM Members

AVP of RCM WF Music Chorale

RTN. LAWRENCE LI "Lance" TAN

AVP of RCM WF Music Chorale

PRES. HERMINIO "Hermie" S. ESGUERRA

Part II Introduction of Guest of Honor and Speaker

**CENTENNIAL PRESIDENT
JESUS Susing" PINEDA, JR.**

Address

HONORABLE MARK O. COJUANGCO

Representative, 2nd District of Pangasinan

House of Representatives, 19th Congress, 2022-2025

Open Forum

Presentation of Certificate of Appreciation

PRES. HERMINIO "Hermie" S. ESGUERRA
IPD DEAN AMADO D. VALDEZ
Programs Committee Chairman

Attested by:

SECRETARY EDWIN H. HERNANDEZ

Manila Rotary Hymn

AVP

2:00 PM Closing Remarks and Meeting Adjournment

PRES. HERMINIO "Hermie" S. ESGUERRA

GUEST OF HONOR & SPEAKER'S PROFILE



MARK O. COJUANGCO

CHAIRMAN, House Committee on Nuclear Energy

REPRESENTATIVE, Distrito Dos, Pangasinan, 19th Congress 2022-25

CONGRESS OF THE PHILIPPINES

House of Representatives 12th, 13th & 14th Congress, 2001 – 2010, **Member**

House Committee Appropriations, **Senior Vice Chairman**
Information Communication Technology, **Member**
Ways and Means, **Member**
Economic Affairs, **Member**
North Luzon Growth Quadrangle, **Member**
Higher and Technical Education, **Member**
Energy, **Member**

Principally Authored Bills

“Bataan Nuclear Power Plant Re-commissioning Act of 2008” (House Bill No. 4631)
HB 4631, which would later become House Bill No. 6300, was coauthored by more than two-thirds of the Members of the House of Representatives after Rep. Cojuangco competently defended its merits.

“Bataan Nuclear Power Plant Act of 2010” (House Bill No. 1291)
Filed by his wife, Representative Carmen S. Cojuangco in July 2010. The bill reached third reading.

PERSONAL PROFILE

Born: October 6, 1957 (65)
Spouse: CARMEN SCHULZE COJUANGCO Representative (Congresswoman)
15th and 16th Congress (July 2010 to June 2016)

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

SAN MIGUEL CORPORATION General Services Division, **Division Head**
Office of the Chairman, **Assistant to the Chairman**

ECJ GROUP OF COMPANIES Central Purchasing Office, **Head**

GUEST OF HONOR & SPEAKER'S PROFILE



MARK O. COJUANGCO

CHAIRMAN, House Committee on Nuclear Energy

REPRESENTATIVE, Distrito Dos, Pangasinan, 19th Congress 2022-25

PERSONAL LIFE

Marcos Juan Bruno "Mark" Oppen Cojuangco (born October 6, 1957), is a Filipino politician and businessman.

Cojuangco is the eldest son of Eduardo Cojuangco, Jr. and Soledad "Gretchen" Oppen. He is married to former Representative Ma. Carmen "Kimi" Shulze, who served for the 15th and 16th Congress (from July 2010 to June 2016). The couple has three children: Danielle, Paola, and Eduardo III.

POLITICAL CAREER

From 2001 to 2010, Cojuangco served as the Representative of the 5th district of Pangasinan. In 2022, he successfully sought a comeback to Congress, this time for the 2nd district of Pangasinan. He changed his residency from Sison to Lingayen. In the May 9, 2022 elections, he ran under the Nationalist People's Coalition (NPC) and defeated the incumbent Congressman. He assumed office as the Representative of the 2nd district of Pangasinan on June 30, 2022. He is currently serving as congressman of the second legislative district of Pangasinan, in Ilocos Region.

He focused on infrastructure projects, believing that quality and not just the quantity of projects are the catalyst for economic development.

His accomplishments include the lobbying for and successful monetization and continuous release of the 12 years overdue tobacco tax share of Burley tobacco producing areas throughout the country amounting to 6.5 Billion pesos, initially.

HOUSE BILL 04631

Cojuangco is the author of the controversial House Bill 04631 that mandates the immediate re-commissioning and commercial operation of the Bataan Nuclear Power Plant, appropriating funds therefor, and for other purposes. His presentation of the bill at the Congressional hearing on February 2, 2009, came under scrutiny from the opposition for citing articles about nuclear plants in other countries and quotes from non-experts to argue for the re-commissioning of the Bataan Nuclear Power Plant.

PRESIDENT'S DIARY

Dear fellow Manila Rotarians,

Last week was another momentous one for the Rotary Club of Manila. We continued our Pasig Clean-up project by holding a turnover ceremony of the floating trash barriers to Pasig River Coordinating and Management Office (PRCMO). The barriers are installed in various estuaries in the area to help catch and collect trash. This is a big step closer to our goal of making the river clean again.

Here's a recap of all the activities, events and meetings that I attended.



42nd Handover and 43rd Induction Ceremonies of RC Bagumbayan-Manila

Thursday, 3 November 2022, 4:30 p.m.

I happily attended the 42nd Handover and 43rd Induction Ceremonies of RC Bagumbayan-Manila last Thursday at East Ocean Palace Restaurant, Aseana Business Park in Parañaque City.



With DG Joyce Ambray and members of RC Bagumbayan-Manila

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With Club Officers and Directors



With PLP William Aw and DG Joyce Ambray



With my classmates

PRESIDENT'S DIARY

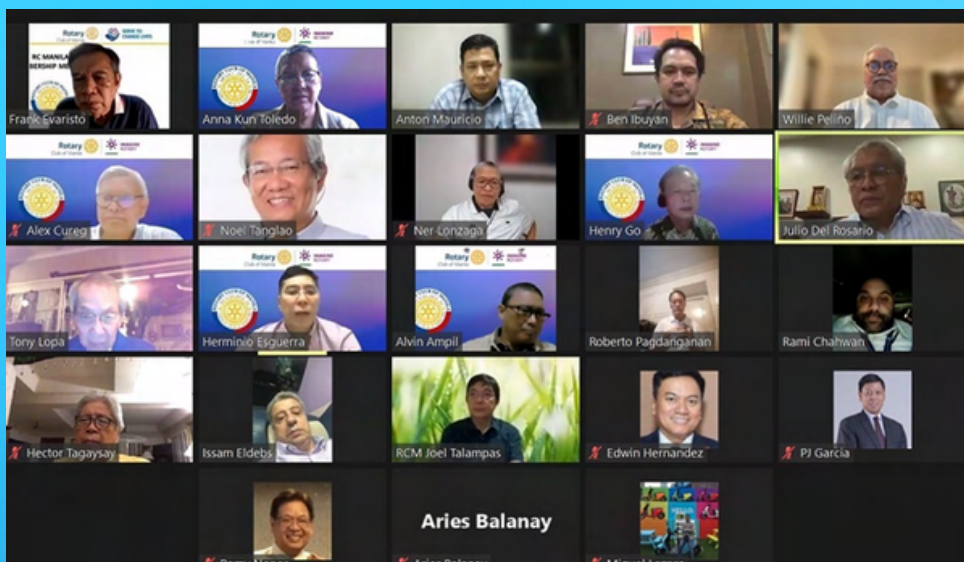
First Friday Mass

Friday, 4 November 2022

Manila Rotarians attended the First Friday Mass that was officiated by Rev. Fr. Jayson Andaya, Provincial Superior of the Oblates of St. Joseph.



With me at the virtual mass were Rtn. Willie Pelino (Mass Commentator), PDG Obet Pagdanganan, PDG Rudy Bediones, PDG Alex Cureg, Centennial Pres. Susing Pineda, PP Frank Evaristo, AT JP Garcia (led the Novena Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus), PD Issam Eldebs, PD Ner Lonzaga, PD Oscar del Rosario Jr., PDSAA Tony Lopa, PT Chito Tagaysay, PAS Henry Go (led the Intercessory Prayer), PAS Joel Valdes, Rtn. Alvin Ampil (First reading and Responsorial Psalm), Rtn. Joel Talampas, Rtn. Jed Dayang, STAR Rtn. Ben Ibuyan, Rtn. Anton Mauricio, Rtn. Noel Tanglao, STAR Rtn. Ben Ibuyan, STAR Rtn. Aries Balanay, Rtn. Romy Nones, Rtn. Rami Chahwan, STAR Rtn. Emman dela Cruz, and STAR Rtn. Miguel Lazaro (led the prayer of Oratio Imperata).



PRESIDENT'S DIARY

Inspection of Floating Trash Barriers to be Installed at Pasig River

Saturday, 5 November 2022, 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

With Save Pasig River Chair Junjie Vazquez and Director-in-Charge Hans Palacios, we inspected the 395 pieces of floating trash barriers for readiness at the Lawton Manila site. The floating trash barriers are designed to prevent the trash from flowing into the river.



PRESIDENT'S DIARY

Rotary International (RI) and United Nations (UN) Partnership Celebration

Saturday, 5 November 2022

RI District 3810 celebrated its partnership with United Nations, and I was happy to be part of the celebration as RCM President. The event, which was hosted by the Rotary Club of San Marcelino, led by PLP Domarie Suniga, was held at the Grand Ballroom, New Coast Hotel Manila.



With DG Joyce Ambray



With my classmates

I was given the "Star of the Night" award.



PRESIDENT'S DIARY

Technical Inspection of the Ongoing WASH Project

Sunday, 6 November 2022, 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

We conducted a technical inspection of the mobile drinking water distribution system (a WASH project) last Sunday, November 6, at Esguerra Farms. Present were Officers of RC Paco Manila: PLP Theodore Tan, PP Mon Yupangco and PP Roland De Guzman. Also in attendance were RI District 3810 Governor Joyce Michelle L. Ambray and District COS Ramil Roxas.

The technical design, engineering and supply of water tank with 1,500-liter capacity of potable water was an undertaking of Rotary Club of Manila, initiated by Rotary Club of Paco and Rotary Club of Hawaii.



PRESIDENT'S DIARY

Turnover Ceremony of Floating Trash Barriers and Pasig River Tour

Tuesday, 8 November 2022, 7:00 a.m.

We formally turned over 395 floating trash barriers to PRCMO last Tuesday, November 8, at the Lawton Ferry Station. The trash barriers were received by Dr. Joan A. Lagunda, DENR Assistant Secretary for Administration and Legislative Affairs and Concurrent OIC Executive Director, PRCMO.



PRESIDENT'S DIARY



Also present at the turnover ceremony were DGN Jackie Rodriguez, PDG Alex Cureg, Dir. Hans Palacios, Dir. Johnny Chotrani, Save Pasig River Chair Junjie Vazquez, Dir. Albert Alday, VP Reggie Yu, STAR Rtn. Emman dela Cruz, PD John Cenica, PAS Henry Go, STAR Rtn. Aries Balanay and RID 3810 team.

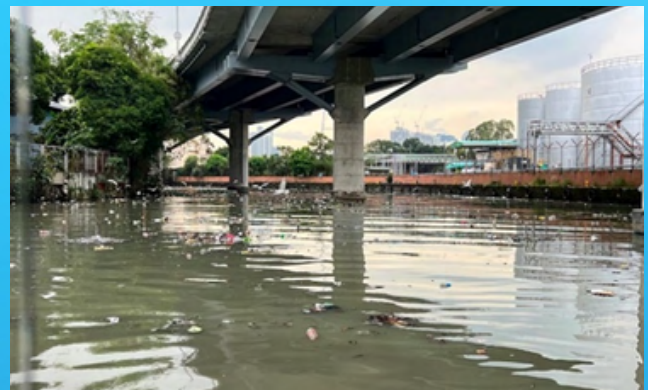


I delivered my message during the turnover ceremony.



Interview with the press about the floating trash barrier project

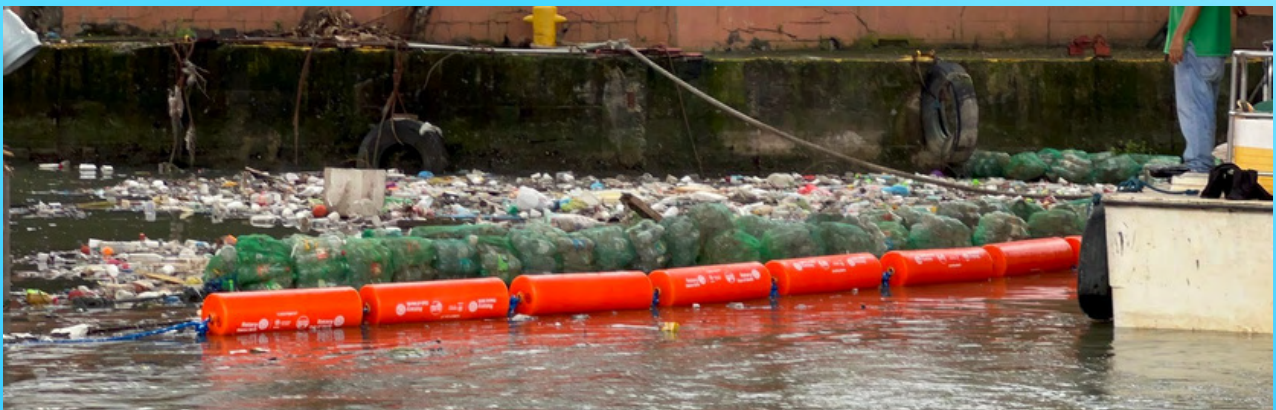
After the turnover ceremony, we had a tour of the Pasig River from Lawton to Napindan to Guadalupe for the ceremonial installation of floating trash barriers.



PRESIDENT'S DIARY



The installation of floating trash barriers in the estuaries



Trash barriers were put in place to prevent the garbage from flowing into the Pasig River.

I am looking forward to seeing more progress in our projects that will help improve our community.

Thank you once again, my fellow Manila Rotarians, for all your support.

Yours in Rotary service,

Pres. Hermie Esguerra

EDITOR'S NOTE

Raoul C. Creencia
Editor-in-Chief, balita

"GO PLACIDLY...

... amid the noise and haste, and remember what peace there may be in silence."
– Max Ehrmann (1927)

18th REGULAR MEETING: A RECAP



RCM held its face-to-face 18th Regular Meeting, with **PDSAA Dave Reynolds** as Program Moderator/Facilitator.



Sounding the bell, **Pres. Hermie Esguerra** called the meeting to order.



Humbly calling upon our loving Father God, **Rtn. JB Pallasigue** led the Invocation and Special Prayer.



The **Philippine National Anthem** was sang, complemented by the **Rotary Club of Manila Audiovisual Presentation**, which featured captivating images of Manila Rotarians.



The live singing of the **RC Manila Hymn** was led by the **World Famous Music Chorale**.

18th REGULAR MEETING: A RECAP



STAR Rtn. Benedict Julius Ibuyan led the recitation of the Four (4) Way Test.



The Moderator acknowledged and introduced the Visiting Guests and Rotarians.



The **World Famous Chorale** again took center stage for the live singing of the **Welcome Song**, much to the delight of the guests and visitors.



Pres. Hermie Esguerra updated the members about the inspiring initiatives and programs that are currently being pursued by the Club during his president's time.



IPD Amading Valdez introduced the **Guest of Honor and Speaker, PGen, Rodolfo Azurin Jr., Chief, Philippine National Police.**



Chief PNP General Rodolfo Azurin Jr. delivered his speech.

18th REGULAR MEETING: A RECAP



The Guest Speaker had the opportunity to respond to questions and clarifications during the open forum participated by **PE Raffy Alunan**, **PD Beda Fajardo**, **Dir. Hans Palacios** and **IPD Amading Valdez**.



President Hermie Esguerra and **Programs Committee Chairman IPD Amading Valdez** present the Certificate of Appreciation, attested by **Club Secretary Edwin Hernandez**, to **Guest of Honor and Speaker PGen. Rodolfo Azurin Jr., Chief, Philippine National Police**.

18th REGULAR MEETING: A RECAP



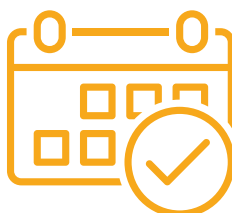
The live singing of the **Philippine Rotary Hymn** was coupled with a beautiful audio visual presentation depicting the Rotarian spirit of service.



Pres. Hermie Esguerra delivered his closing remarks and adjourned the meeting.

RCM Members' Attendance Report RY 2022-2023

November 2022	<u>03 NOVEMBER 2022</u> PGEN. RODOLFO SANTOS AZURIN, JR. (28th Chief, Philippine National Police)
All Members Present	43
All Members in virtual FB	0
Make Up	19
Less: Exempt from Attendance	2
On Leave	0
Total Active Members	60
Total # of Members	235
TOTAL ATTENDANCE %:	26%
ROTARACTORS	0
MEDIA	2
EMBASSIES / DIPLOMATIC CORPS	0
DG, DGE, DGN, PDG/DGE	0
GOHS / GS	8
Visiting Rotarians	0
Guests of RCM MEMBERS	8
Others	0
Total attendees	61



List of Members Who Have Paid Their Annual Dues for RY 2022-2023

(As of November 9, 2022, 10:00 AM)

FULLY PAID

1	Abastillas, Celso E.
2	Aboy, Valentino "Val" G.
3	Abriam, Ariel
4	Acosta, Crispiniano "Cris" G.
5	Albaña, Michael Jaey "Mike"
6	Alberto, Raymund Arnold S.
7	Alcantara, Isidro "Butch"
8	Alday, Albert S.
9	Alingog, Aldous "Rex" A.
10	Alunan, Rafael "Raffy" M.
11	Alvarez, Servando, Jr.
12	Ampil, Alvin
13	Arguelles, Pablo
14	Aventura, Avenilo, Jr. "Jun" L.
15	Balanay, Aries
16	Bartolome, Arsenio III "Archit" M.
17	Batur, Sinan
18	Bediones, Rodolfo "Rudy" P.
19	Bella, Geronimo, Jr. "Jun" Dela Paz
20	Benedicto, Sixto "Noy" T.
21	Bertelsen, Bertel Ingmar
22	Bhalla, Pardeep "Bobby"
23	Blanco, Manuel "Manny" M.
24	Bogovich, Jason M.
25	Branellec, Jacques "Jack"
26	Buendia, Carlos "Caloy" C.
27	Cabuñag, Rogelio "Roger" R.
28	Campos, Joselito, Jr. "Butch" D.
29	Camus, Fernando "Nando"
30	Carlos, Vicente "Vince" J.
31	Castro, Karlo Eugene Josef "Karlo"
32	Catalan, Rodillo "Teng"
33	Cenica, John T.
34	Chahwan, Rami
35	Chotrani, Johnny N.
36	Co, Ferdinand "Ferdie" C.
37	Coyuto, Robert, Jr. "Jun" G.
38	Creencia, Raoul
39	Cruz, Avelino "Ave" V.
40	Cureg, Alexander "Alex" P.
41	Cutter, John Michael "Michael"
42	David, Virgilio "Vee"
43	Davis, Raymond "Rey" N.
44	Dayang, Juan, Jr. "Jed" E.
45	De Venecia, Jose "Joe" C.
46	Dee, Marcus L.
47	Del Rosario, Oscar
48	Del Valle, Randolph "Randy"
49	Dela Cruz, Artemio "Art"
50	Dela Cruz, Emmanuel

51	Diokno, Benjamin "Ben" E.
52	Dionisio, Rafael Ignacio "Raf"
53	Domingo, Rico V.
54	Dominguez, III, Carlos "Sonny" G.
55	Dy, Manuel "Manny" C.
56	Echavez, Antonio
57	Egan, Brendan "Bren" W.L.
58	Eldebs, Issam "Sam"
59	Enriquez, Eduardo III "Jujut" V.
60	Esguerra, Herminio "Hermie" S.
61	Esquivias, Joaquin Pablo "Jop" A.
62	Eugenio, John Emyl "Emyl" G.
63	Evaristo, Frank A.
64	Everingham, Richard Jack
65	Fajardo, Beda G.
66	Fernandez, Antonio Jaime Jose V. "JJ"
67	Follosco, Ceferino, Jr. "Jun" G.
68	Garcia, Herbert Joey "Joey" D.
69	Garcia, Paul Joseph "PJ"
70	Garcia, Theodore
71	Garcia, Victor
72	Gaspar, Fernando "Nando" L.
73	Gierran, Dante "Dan"
74	Go, Daniel "Danny" C.
75	Go, Henry Sy
76	Go, Michael
77	Gonzales, Michael Raymond
78	Guarin, Michael Arcatomy "Mike" H.
79	Guevara, Domingo, Jr. "Boy" S.
80	Guevara, Ricardo "Ricky" S.
81	Hallare, Delfin, Jr. "Jun" T.
82	Hallare, Nicolo "Nic" S.
83	Hallerbach, Mathias
84	Harle, Wolfgang Kurt
85	Hernandez, Edwin
86	Hesse, Uwe
87	Hortaleza, Rolando
88	Ibuyan, Benedict Julius "Ben"
89	Jang, Jae "Jay-Jay" J.
90	Joseph, Ralph L.
91	Joseph, Robert Ian "Robi" M.
92	Jucaban, Jeric J.
93	Kalaw, Teodoro Alejandro IV "Teddy" A. Y.
94	Koh, Paul Anthony
95	Lacambacal, Alvin D.
96	Lacson, Sebastian "Basty"
97	La'o, Emilio Gonzalez
98	Laya, Jaime "Jimmy" C.
99	Lazaro, Juan Miguel "Miguel"
100	Ledda, Jaime Victor "Jet" B.

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ADMINISTRATION

101	Lee, Richard "Dick" L.
102	Li, Richard Joseph Chang
103	Liamzon, Romeo Thaddeus "Thad" R.
104	Lim, David Eduardo Ty
105	Lim, Richard
106	Locsin, Arsenio "Nick" Z.
107	Locsin, Roberto R.
108	Lonzaga, Reinerio "Ner" C.
109	Lopa, Antonio "Tony" A.
110	Lopez, Antonio "Tony"
111	Lopez, Arthur "Art" M.
112	Macapagal, Michael "Mac"
113	Macatoman, Abdulgani "Gani"
114	Magbanua, Gerry
115	Magpale, Jose Paolo
116	Magsaysay, Francisco "Paco" D.
117	Manalaysay, Cesar P "Citos"
118	Mangalile, Senen
119	Martinez, Ronald
120	Matschuck, Guenter "Gunter" G.
121	Mauricio, Antonilo "Anton"
122	Mendoza, Estelito "Titong" P.
123	Mendoza, Raymund Joseph Ian "Raji" O.
124	Mommaerts, Steve "Momo"
125	Montel, Juan Manuel C.
126	Montinola, Antonio "Tony" J.
127	Mueller, Klaus
128	Naravannamoorthy, Nantha K.
129	Nolido, Ramon Alberto "Ramby" B.
130	Nones, Romeo "Romy" C.
131	Nunez, Jose, Jr. "Pepo" A.
132	Ocampo, Teodoro "Teddy" J.
133	Okajima, Hiroyuki
134	Ong, Jovee K.
135	Ong, Phillip "Phil" L.
136	Ozaeta, Miguel Antonio L. "Mike"
137	Pagdanganan, Roberto "Obet" M.
138	Palacios, Albert "Hans" C.
139	Pallasigue, John Brian "JB"
140	Pascual, Abraham "Abe" F.
141	Pascual, Jose Augusto "Jappy"
142	Patterson, Colin David
143	Payumo, Felicito "Tong" C.
144	Peliño, Wilfredo "Willie" M.
145	Pineda, Jr., Jesus "Susing" M.
146	Pineda, Jr., Patricio "Bebot" F.
147	Pizaras, Jordan M.
148	Preysler, Fausto, Jr. R.
149	Pujalte, Jose, Jr. "Brix" S.
150	Quisumbing, Ramon "Mon" J.
151	Ramos, Claver P.
152	Rast, Tobias "Tobi"
153	Recto, Philip H.
154	Reyes, Crispino "Babes" P.
155	Reyes, Edgardo "Ed" P.
156	Reynolds, David John "Dave"
157	Rodriguez, Gerard Sean "Sean" H.
158	Rodriguez, Joaquin "Jack" H.

159	Rodriguez, Joaquin "Jackie" C.
160	Romualdez, Jose Manuel "Babe" G.
161	Rono, Marlon
162	Roxas, Michael
163	Sarmiento, Ricardo Manuel "Rocco" M.
164	Sarasola, II, Jose Ma. "Joey" I.
165	Schmitz, Steffan
166	Schneider, Bernd
167	Schoucair, Farid Alain
168	Serapio, Carlos G. "Caloy"
169	Sevilla, Luis Angelo "L.A." L.
170	Shigei, Kentaro
171	Shimoda, Shigeru
172	Sibayan, Joselito "Lito" H.
173	Sicat, Michael Allan E. "Mike"
174	So, Warren
175	Sobrepeña, Robert John "Bob" L.
176	Soler, Jose Antonio Andaya
177	Souvlakis, Nicolas
178	Stranathan, Ike
179	Syjuco, Jose, Jr. "Joey" A.
180	Tagaysay, Hector "Chito"
181	Talampas, Jose Angel "Joel"
182	Tamano, Shalimar "Shah" H.
183	Tamayo, Victor "Butch" L.
184	Tan, Eusebio "Ebot" V.
185	Tan, John
186	Tan, Lawrence "Lance" L.
187	Tang, Jimmy T.
188	Tanglao, Noel V.
189	Taylor-Dormond, Marvin
190	Tee, Jr., Teddy B.
191	Tejuma, Michael "Mike"
192	Tillmann, Hansel Joseph Michael "Hansel"
193	Uy, Ivan John Enrile "Ivan"
194	Valdes, Joel C.
195	Valdez, Amado "Amading" D.
196	Valdez, Jason
197	Valencia, John Nico "Nico" P.
198	Valencia, Rodolfo "Rod" G.
199	Vasquez, Evaristo "Junjie"
200	Vea, Reynaldo "Rey" B.
201	Villarica, Henry R.
202	Villegas, Raoul A.
203	Wombwell, Philip Brian
204	Yu, Geoffrey "Geof" C.
205	Yu, Reginald "Reggie" T.
206	Zalamea, Enrique, Jr. "Rick" M.
207	Zaldarriaga, Felix Francisco "Chito" S.
208	Zeitouni, Nagi
209	Zialcita, Xavier "Xavy" Y.
210	Zimmer, Christopher

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1	Angara, Marius
2	Caasi, Urbano, Jr. "Banit" S.
3	Yujuico, Brendon

CLUB ADMINISTRATION

Second Special Board Meeting



The Rotary Club of Manila Board of Directors held a Special Board meeting last Thursday, November 3, 2022 at the Balcony 2 Room of New World Makati Hotel.

Present were Pres. Hermie Esguerra, VP Reggie Yu, Dir. Jujut Enriquez, AS Mike Albaña, Dir. Johnny Chotrani, Dir. Hans Palacios, Treas. Karlo Castro, Dir. Albert Alday, SAA Nagi Zeitouni, PE/Dir. Raffy Alunan and Sec. Edwin Hernandez

CLUB ADMINISTRATION

Programs Committee Prepares for Weekly Membership Meeting



The Programs Committee prepared for today's Weekly Membership Meeting via Zoom. Present were Programs Committee Chairman/PD Amading Valdez, Program Moderator Rtn. Anton Mauricio, Invocator STAR Rtn. Tony Echavez, and Centennial President Susing Pineda (introducer of guest of honor and speaker). Also present were Exec. Sec. Anna Kun Toledo and Exec. Asst. Amy Babiano.

RECOGNITION

*Rotary Club of Manila
Receives PRM Subscriber Recognition
from The Philippine Rotary Magazine
Foundation, Inc.*



MATERNAL AND CHILD CARE

Cleft Lip and Palate Project Meeting



Cleft Lip and Palate Project meeting was held on Wednesday, November 9, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. via Zoom with Rotary Club of San Francisco, USA and Alliance for Smiles. Present were Project Chair/PAS Joel Valdes, International Relations Chair PD Nick Locsin, Board Legal Adviser Raoul Creencia, Grant Chair Aries Balanay, Mr. Carlos Valdes, RCMFI EA Amy Babiano and RCM ES Anna Kun Toledo. From RC San Francisco were Mary Liu, Tina Fischlin, and Anita Stangle. Also present were Alliance for Smiles Executive Director Jessica Hansen and Dr. Karl Wustrack.

COGS IN THE WHEEL

*Rtn. Lance Tan as 2021 JCI Makati President
Wins Best JCI RISE Project Entitled
“HEROES PROGRAM” and Two Top Three Finish
for JCI Makati at JCI World Congress*



Rtn. Lance Tan, in his capacity as 2021 JCI Makati LO President, won for his chapter, JCI Makati, the Best JCI RISE Project, entitled, “HEROES PROGRAM”, while finishing in the top three in the Best International Cooperation Project Category and in the Best Local Growth and Development Program Category at the JCI World Congress held last November 4, 2022 in Hong Kong.

COMIC

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Source: Rotary Club of St. Lucia

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