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Celebrating a Heritage, Charting the Future

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Kabalita

An organization that has built an endearing and enduring legacy for 105 years clearly ceases to be a casual aggrupation of service-inspired individuals. It indubitably becomes a durable and history-laden institution. Such is the Rotary Club of Manila, Asia's first beacon of Rotary values and channel of meaningful service projects. The Club has served as the foundation and impetus for Rotary's phenomenal growth in the country, and in this part of the world. With this cherished history and legacy, RCM carries the huge responsibility and challenge to continue to model the way, soar to even greater heights, and continue to conscientiously perform its role as a leader and trailblazer.

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GALA DINNER PROGRAM

- 6:00 PM INVOCATION
- 6:05 PM PHILIPPINE NATIONAL ANTHEM
- 6:10 PM ROTARY CLUB OF MANILA HYMN
BY THE RCM WORLD FAMOUS
MUSIC CHORALE
- 6:15 PM OPENING PRODUCTION NUMBER
- 6:20 PM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF
GUESTS AND VIPS
- 6:25 PM WELCOME REMARKS
- 6:40 PM RCM AVP HIGHLIGHTS
- 7:00 PM PAST PRESIDENTS' MESSAGE
- 7:15 PM DINNER
- 8:00 PM SONG NUMBER BY THE RCM
WORLD MUSIC CHORALE,
"TAGUMPAY NATING LAHAT"
- 8:10 PM TESTIMONIALS FROM RCM
BENEFICIARIES
- 8:45 PM DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE
- 9:00 PM CELEBRATORY TOAST
- 9:10 PM ENTERTAINMENT NUMBER BY
THE HOPE CREATING PRESIDENTS
- 9:20 PM CLOSING REMARKS
- 11:00 PM FELLOWSHIP NIGHT



EDITOR'S NOTE

RCM & BALITA's 105th and 104th Anniversaries!

For someone to belong to the oldest Rotary Club not just in the Philippines, but the whole of Asia, is indeed an honor. But doubling that sense of fulfillment is being able to serve as Editor-in-Chief of perhaps the country's oldest internal newsletter – our very own *BALITA*.

Yes, as we celebrate RCM's 105th Anniversary today, we also joyfully note the legacy and longevity of the country's longest running club newsletter. *BALITA* has been RCM's internal newsletter since 1920-1921 when RCM started the publication of the first fortnightly issue. Except during the Japanese occupation, our Club newsletter was published without fail; and through the years, its continued publication was entrusted to a duly appointed group of Manila Rotarians who, with passion and dedication, kept the newsletter alive. Each of the 4,010 weekly publications, (including a few special editions) very much testifies to this fact.

Since 1920, *BALITA* has served its readers and has catered to each member's need (and right) to be informed and updated.

Since 1920, the men who served in the Editorial Board have steadfastly endeavored to make *BALITA* a source not just of Club information, but of inspiration; a repository not just of updates, but of uplifting articles.

Since 1920, *BALITA*'s relevance and utility have not waned, and has maintained its status as a reliable companion in every Manila Rotarian's journey of service above self.

BALITA's enduring presence is, to be sure, no accident. It continues to be an integral part of a cherished institution that is the Rotary Club of Manila. Each publication of this newsletter has devotedly chronicled RCM's rich history – showcasing milestones, meetings, members' achievements, project implementations, social gatherings, fellowship activities, and informative articles, among others.



Raoul C. Creencia
Editor-in-Chief, *balita*

Last week, I wrote that the Rotary Club of Manila is fascinating because, although it is not a duly organized and formally registered corporate entity, it did not affect RCM's ability to survive and flourish throughout its centennial and continuing existence – buoyed and fueled solely by the inspired work of great men who have graced its membership roll.

The same can be said about *BALITA*. This newsletter of 104 years has survived and blossomed through the century, not only because of the editors and writers who have dedicatedly worked on each publication, but more because there have consistently been inspiring stories to tell, fascinating write-ups to feature, meaningful projects to share, communities served to celebrate, and over-all a Club that continues to bring into its fold well-meaning and accomplished gentlemen whose aim is simply to be of service to others – the special kind that is imbued with the spirit and values of Rotary.

Mabuhay ang Rotary Club of Manila... Mabuhay ang BALITA!

39th WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING: A RECAP

May 23, 2024



PROGRAM MODERATOR



PD Issam Eldebs was the week's Program Moderator who efficiently steered the flow of the meeting. He began by inviting Manila Rotarians to be seated to allow the meeting to officially commence.

39th WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING: A RECAP

May 23, 2024

CALL TO ORDER



Pres. Rafael "Raffy" M. Alunan III called the 39th weekly membership meeting to order.

INVOCATION



SAA Nagi Zeitouni led the invocation for the membership.

39th WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING: A RECAP

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PHILIPPINE NATIONAL ANTHEM



Rotary Members and guests took a position of respect as they sang the Philippine National Anthem.

ROTARY HYMN



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FOUR-WAY TEST



Rotarians were again reminded of their commitment to live by the Four-Way Test, with the recitation of this mantra led by **PD Issam Eldebs**.

WELCOME SONG



In keeping with tradition, the guests were serenaded by the World-Famous RCM Chorale with the Club's signature welcome song.

39th WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING: A RECAP

May 23, 2024

RCMFI UPDATE



RCMFI President Wilfredo 'Willie' Peliño gave updates on and invited everyone to the forthcoming 2nd RCM Golf Cup Tournament on June 24, 2024.

PRESIDENT'S TIME



President Raffy Alunan gave way to **Vice President Reggie Yu**, who invited everyone present and gave updates on the upcoming 105th anniversary of RCM, to be held on 1 June 1 2024, at the Manila Hotel.

39th WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING: A RECAP

May 23, 2024

INTRODUCTION OF THE GUEST OF HONOR & SPEAKER



Rtn. Abdulgani "Gani" M. Macatoman introduced the guest of honor and speaker.

GUEST OF HONOR & SPEAKER



Ambassador Saleh A. Mohammad delivered his informative and insightful talk.

39th WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING: A RECAP

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OPEN FORUM



Amb. Saleh A. Mohammad gamely engaged in an interactive conversation with (below photos, from left): **Dr. Ferdie Passion (Guest)**, **Dir. Hans Palacios**, and **South Africa's Amb. Bartinah Ntombizodwa Radebe- Netshitenzhe (Guest)**.



39th WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING: A RECAP

May 23, 2024

TOKEN OF APPRECIATION



Amb. Saleh A. Mohammad warmly received RCM's Plaque of Appreciation, which was witnessed by **Rtn. Abdulgani "Gani" M. Macatoman**, **Pres. Rafael "Raffy" M. Alunan III**, **DGE Joaquin "Jackie" C. Rodriguez Sr.**, **SAA Nagi Zeitouni**, and **Rtn./RCMFI Pres. Wilfredo "Willie" Peliño**.



ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned by **Pres. Raffy Alunan**.

39th WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING: A RECAP

May 23, 2024

MEETING FELLOWSHIP





CLUB ADMINISTRATION

RCM Members' Attendance Report RY 2023-2024

MAY 2024	May 02, 2024 NO WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING	May 09, 2024 NO WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING	May 16, 2024 ISRAEL TO THE PHILIPPINES AMBASSADOR H.E. ILAN FLUSS	May 23, 2024 PALESTINE TO THE PHILIPPINES AMBASSADOR H.E. SALEH AS'AD SALEH MOHAMMAD
MEMBERS PRESENT	0	0	25	40
MAKE UP ATTENDEES	0	0	32	22
EXEMPTED FROM ATTENDANCE	0	0	3	3
ON LEAVE	0	0	0	0
Total Active Members	0	0	54	59
Total # of Members	240	240	240	240
TOTAL ATTENDANCE %:	0%	0%	23%	25%
ROTARACTORS	0	0	1	0
MEDIA	0	0	5	6
EMBASSIES / DIPLOMATIC CORPS	0	0	0	0
DG, DGE, DGN, PDG	0	0	2	0
GOHS / GS	0	0	3	3
Visiting Rotarians	0	0	1	2
Guests of RCM MEMBERS	0	0	0	12
TOTAL ATTENDEES	0	0	30	57



CLUB ADMINISTRATION

LIST OF ATTENDEES

1	Alday, Albert Singson
2	Alunan III, Rafael M.
3	Bartolome III, Arsenio M.
4	Benedicto, Sixto T.
5	Carlos, Vicente J.
6	Chotrani, Johnny N.
7	Cureg, Alexander P.
8	Cutter, John Michael
9	Davis, Raymond N.
10	Del Rosario Sr., Oscar A.
11	Dela Cruz, Joseph Emmanuel A.
12	Eldebs, Issam
13	Esguerra, Herminio S.
14	Go, Henry S.
15	Guevara, Jr., Domingo S.
16	Hernandez, Edwin H
17	Ibuyan, Benedict Julius F.
18	Locsin, Arsenio Z.
19	Lonzaga, Reinerio C.
20	Macatoman, Abdulgani M.

21	Magsaysay, Francisco D.
22	Nolido, Ramon Alberto B.
23	Nuñez, Jr., Jose A.
24	Obrado, Daniel Calzado
25	Palacios, Albert C.
26	Pascual, Abraham F.
27	Peliño, Wilfredo M.
28	Recto, Philip H.
29	Rodriguez Sr., Joaquin C.
30	Roxas, Michael D.
31	Schneider, Bernd
32	Serapio, Carlos G.
33	Shimoda, Shigeru
34	Sibayan, Joselito H.
35	So, Warren S.
36	Talampas, Jose Angel L.
37	Talusan, Ferdinand E
38	Yu, Reginald Tieng
39	Zaldarriaga, Felix Francisco S.
40	Zeitouni, Nagi



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LIST OF ABSENTEES

1	Aboy, Valentino G.
2	Abriam, Ariel
3	Acosta, Crispiniano G.
4	Agnes, Jerry A.
5	Albaña, Michael Jaey C
6	Alberto, Raymund Arnold S.
7	Alcantara, Isidro C.
8	Alingog, Aldous A.
9	Ampil, Alvin R.
10	Andal, Avelino L.
11	Ang, Richard T.
12	Angara, Marius
13	Aragon, Joshua Reuben
14	Arguelles, Pablo C.
15	Aventura Jr. Avenilo L.
16	Balanay, Aries B.
17	Batur, Sinan
18	Bautista, John Jr. I.
19	Bediones, Rodolfo P.
20	Bella Jr. Geronimo P.
21	Benedicto III, Bernardo T.
22	Bertelsen Bertel, Ingmar
23	Bhalla, Pardeep
24	Biltz, Olivier
25	Blanco, Manuel M.
26	Bogovich, Jason M.
27	Bolton, Wilhelm
28	Branellec, Jacques
29	Buendia, Carlos C.
30	Caasi, Jr., Urbano S.
31	Cabangon, Edgard A.
32	Cabuñag, Rogelio R.
33	Camat, Nathaniel
34	Campos, Jr., Joselito D.
35	Camus, Jose Fernando B
36	Canon, Raul Jr. E.
37	Carranceja, Arvin Arik B
38	Castro, Karlo Eugene Josef M.
39	Catalan, Rodillo R.
40	Cenica, John T.
41	Chahwan, Rami
42	Chien, Liang-Tah Steve
43	Co, Ferdinand C.
44	Coyiuto, Jr., Robert G.
45	Creencia, Raoul C.
46	David, Virgilio
47	Dayang, Jr Juan E.
48	De Castro, Juan Arturo Iluminado C.
49	De Venecia, Jr., Jose C.
50	Del Valle, Randolph T

51	Dela Cruz, Artemio F.
52	Diokno, Benjamin E.
53	Dionisio, Rafael Ignacio S.
54	Domingo, Rico V.
55	Dominguez III, Carlos G.
56	Dy, Manuel C.
57	Echavez, Antonio V.
58	Egan, Brendan W.L.
59	Engelbrecht, Francois
60	Enriquez III, Eduardo V.
61	Esquivias, Joaquin Pablo A.
62	Eugenio, John Emyl G.
63	Fajardo, Beda G.
64	Fernandez, Antonio Jaime Jose V.
65	Flameño, Franco Martell Sacramento
66	Follosco, Ceferino Jr. G.
67	Garcia, Herbert Joey
68	Garcia, Paul Joseph M.
69	Garcia, Theodore Q
70	Garcia, III Victor G.
71	Gaspar, Fernando L.
72	Gierran, Dante A.
73	Go, Daniel C.
74	Go, Michael G.
75	Goco, Raoul Roberto P
76	Gonzalez, Michael Raymond L.
77	Guarin, Michael Arcatomy H.
78	Guevara, Ricardo S.
79	Hallare, Jr., Delfin T.
80	Hallare, Nicolo S.
81	Hallerbach, Mathias
82	Harle, Wolfgang Kurt
83	Hesse, Uwe
84	Hortaleza, Rolando B
85	Jang, Jae Jung
86	Joseph, Ralph Lim
87	Joseph, Robert Ian M
88	Jucaban, Jeric J.
89	Juico, Francis E.
90	Kalaw, Teodoro Alejandro Y IV
91	Katigbak, J Alfonso L
92	Klebs, David
93	Koh, Paul Anthony T
94	Kunack, Lutz H.
95	Lacambacal, Alvin D.
96	Lacson, Sebastian Arsenio R.
97	La'o Emilio, Gonzales
98	Laurel, Ricardo P.
99	Laya, Jaime C.
100	Lazaro, Juan Miguel G



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LIST OF ABSENTEES

101	Ledda, Jaime Victor B.
102	Lee, Richard L.
103	Li, Richard Joseph Chang
104	Liamzon Jr., Romeo Thaddeus R.
105	Lim, David Eduardo T.
106	Lim, Richard
107	Locsin, Roberto R
108	Lopa, Antonio A.
109	Lopez, Antonio S.
110	Lopez, Arthur M.
111	Macapagal, Michael T
112	Magbanua, Gerry P.
113	Magpale, Jose Paolo A
114	Magsaysay, Jesus Vicente E.
115	Manalaysay, Cesar P.
116	Mangalile, Senen T.
117	Martinez, Ronald
118	Matschuck, Guenter Gerhard G.
119	Mauricio, Antonilo DC
120	Meloto Jr., Antonio
121	Mendoza, Estelito P.
122	Mendoza, Miguel
123	Mendoza, Raymund Joseph Ian O.
124	Mommaerts, Steve
125	Montel, Juan Manuel C.
126	Mueller, Klaus
127	Nones, Romeo C.
128	Ocampo, Teodoro J.
129	Ong, Jovee K.
130	Ong, Philip L.
131	Ozaeta, Miguel Antonio L.
132	Pagdanganan, Roberto M.
133	Pallasigue, John Brian
134	Pañares, Ben Thomas P.
135	Patterson, Colin David
136	Payumo, Felicito C.
137	Pineda, Jr. Patricio F.
138	Pineda, Jr., Jesus M.
139	Pizarra, Jordan M.
140	Preysler, Jr., Fausto R.
141	Pujalte, Jr., Jose S.
142	Quisumbing, Ramon De Jesus DP
143	Ramos, Claver P.
144	Rast, Tobias
145	Reyes, Crispino P.
146	Reynolds, David J.
147	Robertz, Constantine Franz Josef
148	Rodriguez, Gerard Sean
149	Rodriguez, Joaquin Anthony H.
150	Romualdez, Ferdinand Martin G.

151	Romualdez, Jose Manuel G.
152	Roño, Marlon R.
153	Sarasola II, Jose Ma. I.
154	Sarmiento, Ricardo M.
155	Schmitz, Stefan
156	Schoucair, Farid Alain
157	Sevilla, Luis Angelo L.
158	Sicat, Michael Allan E.
159	Sobrepeña, Robert John L.
160	Soler, Jose Antonio A.
161	Stranathan, Ike Edward
162	Syjuco, Jr., Jose A.
163	Tagaysay, Hector O.
164	Tamano, Shalimar H.
165	Tamayo, Victor L.
166	Tan, Eusebio V.
167	Tan, John G.
168	Tan, Lawrence Li
169	Tang, Jimmy T.
170	Tanglao, Noel V.
171	Taylor-Dormond, Marvin
172	Tee, Teddy Jr. B.
173	Tejuma, Sham Michael
174	Tillmann, Hansel Joseph Michael L.
175	Uy, Ivan John Enrile
176	Valdes, Joel C.
177	Valdez, Amado D.
178	Valdez, Jason Rolando N.
179	Valencia, John Nico P.
180	Valencia, Rodolfo G.
181	Vazquez, Evaristo Jr.
182	Villarica, Henry R.
183	Villegas, Raoul A.
184	Wombwell, Philip B
185	Yap, Enrique Y. Jr.
186	Yu, Geoffrey C.
187	Yujuico, Brendon M.V.
188	Zheng, Zhi Hao
189	Zialcita, Xavier Y.
190	Zimmer, Christopher
191	Cortez, Lorenzo
192	Steley, Colin
193	Yasushi, Iwata
194	Nomura, Kazuhiro
195	Simon, Juanito A.
196	Almelor, Manuel G. MD
197	Bello, Christian Cesar P.
198	Co, Val Constantine L.
199	Lorenzana, Delfin
200	Hanada, Takahiro
201	Zosa, Rolando M.

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List of Members Who Have Paid Their Annual Dues for RY 2023-2024

(As of May 31, 2024)

FULLY PAID

1	Aboy, Valentino "Val" G.
2	Abriam, Ariel
3	Acosta, Crispiniano "Cris" G.
4	Albaña, Michael Jaey "Mike"
5	Alberto, Raymond Arnold S.
6	Alcantara, Isidro "Butch"
7	Alday, Albert S.
8	Alingog, Aldous "Rex" A.
9	Alunan, Rafael "Raffy" M.
10	Ampil, Alvin R.
11	Andal, Avelino L. "Billy"
12	Angara, Marius
13	Aragon, Joshua
14	Arguelles, Pablo
15	Aventura, Avenilo, Jr. "Jun" L.
16	Balanay, Aries
17	Bartolome, Arsenio III "Archit" M.
18	Batur, Sinan
19	Bautista, John
20	Bediones, Rodolfo "Rudy" P.
21	Bella, Geronimo, Jr. "Jun" Dela Paz
22	Bello, Christian Cesar "Chris"
23	Benedicto, Sixto "Noy" T.
24	Bertelsen, Bertel Ingmar
25	Bhalla, Pardeep "Bobby"
26	Blanco, Manuel "Manny" M.
27	Bogovich, Jason M.
28	Bolton, Wilhelm "Bollie"
29	Branelec, Jacques
30	Cabangon, Edgard
31	Cabuñag, Rogelio R. "Roger"
32	Camat, Nathaniel
33	Campos, Joselito, Jr. "Butch" D.
34	Camus, Fernando "Nando"
35	Canon, Raul Jr. E. "Butch"
36	Carlos, Vicente "Vince" J.
37	Carranceja, Arvin Arik
38	Castro, Karlo Eugene Josef "Karlo"
39	Catalan, Rodillo "Teng"
40	Cenica, John
41	Chahwan, Rami
42	Co, Ferdinand
43	Co, Val Constantine "Val"
44	Cortez, Lorenzo Ruiz
45	Coyiuto, Robert, Jr. "Jun" G.
46	Creencia, Raoul
47	Cureg, Alexander "Alex" P.
48	Cutter, John Michael "Michael"
49	David, Virgilio "Vee"
50	Davis, Raymond "Rey" N.
51	Dayang, Juan E. "Jed"
52	De Castro, Juan Arturo Ilumindo C. "Johnny"
53	De Venecia, Jose Jr. "Joe"
54	Del Rosario, Oscar
55	Dionisio, Rafael Ignacio "Raf"

56	Domingo, Rico V.
57	Dominguez, III, Carlos "Sonny" G.
58	Dong, Benedicto
59	Dy, Manuel "Manny" C.
60	Egan, Brendan "Bren" W.L.
61	Eldebs, Issam "Sam"
62	Enriquez, Eduardo III "Jujut" V.
63	Esguerra, Herminio "Hermie" S.
64	Esquivias, Joaquin Pablo "Jop" A.
65	Eugenio, John Emyl "Emyl" G.
66	Fajardo, Beda G.
67	Fernandez, Antonio Jaime Jose V. "JJ"
68	Flameno, Franco Martell S.
69	Follosco, Ceferino, Jr. "Jun" G.
70	Garcia, Herbert Joey "Joey" D.
71	Garcia, Paul Joseph "PJ"
72	Garcia, Theodore Q. "Teddy"
73	Garcia, Victor III G. "Vic"
74	Gaspar, Fernando "Nando" L.
75	Go, Daniel "Danny" C.
76	Go, Henry Sy
77	Go, Michael Guy
78	Goco, Raoul
79	Guarin, Michael Arcatomy "Mike" H.
80	Guevara, Domingo, Jr. "Boy" S.
81	Guevara, Ricardo "Ricky" S.
82	Hallare, Delfin, Jr. "Jun" T.
83	Hallare, Nicolo "Nic"
84	Hallerbach, Mathias
85	Hanada, Takihiro
86	Harle, Wolfgang Kurt
87	Hernandez, Edwin
88	Hesse, Uwe
89	Hortaleza, Rolando
90	Ibuyan, Benedict Julius "Ben"
91	Iwata, Yasushi
92	Jang, Jae "Jay-Jay" J.
93	Joseph, Ralph L.
94	Jucaban, Jeric J.
95	Kalaw, Teodoro Alejandro IV "Teddy" A. Y.
96	Katigbak, J Alfonso L.
97	Klebs, David
98	Koh, Paul Anthony
99	Kunck, Lutz H.
100	Lacambacal, Alvin D.
101	Lacson, Sebastian "Basty"
102	La'o, Emilio Gonzalez
103	Laurel, Ricardo "Ricky" P.
104	Laya, Jaime "Jimmy" C.
105	Lazaro, Juan Miguel "Miguel"
106	Ledda, Jaime Victor "Jet" B.
107	Lee, Richard "Dick" L.
108	Li, Richard Joseph Chang
109	Liamzon, Romeo Thaddeus "Thad" R.
110	Lim, David Eduardo Ty

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111	Lim, Richard
112	Locsin, Arsenio "Nick" Z.
113	Locsin, Roberto R. "Boj"
114	Lonzaga, Reinerio "Ner" C.
115	Lopez, Antonio "Tony"
116	Lopez, Arthur "Art" M.
117	Lorenzana, Delfin
118	Macapagal, Michael "Mac"
119	Macatoman, Abdulgani "Gani"
120	Magbanua, Gerry
121	Magpale, Jose Paolo A.
122	Magsaysay, Francisco "Paco" D.
123	Magsaysay, Jesus Vicente Enciso "JV"
124	Manalaysay, Cesar P "Citos"
125	Mangalile, Senen
126	Martinez, Ronald
127	Matschuck, Guenter "Gunter" G.
128	Mauricio, Antonilo "Anton"
129	Mendoza, Estelito "Titong" P.
130	Mendoza, Miguel "Mico"
131	Mendoza, Raymund Joseph Ian "Raji" O.
132	Mommaerts, Steve "Momo"
133	Montel, Juan Manuel C.
134	Nolido, Ramby
135	Nomura, Kazuhiro
136	Nones, Romeo "Romy" C.
137	Nunez, Jose, Jr. "Pepo" A.
138	Obrado, Daniel C.
139	Ocampo, Teodoro "Teddy" J.
140	Ong, Jovee K.
141	Ong, Phillip "Phil" L.
142	Pagdanganan, Roberto "Obet" M.
143	Palacios, Albert "Hans" C.
144	Pallasigue, John Brian "JB"
145	Pañares, Ben Thomas "Toby" P.
146	Pascual, Abraham "Abe" F.
147	Patterson, Colin David
148	Payumo, Felicito C.
149	Peliño, Wilfredo "Willie" M.
150	Pineda, Jr., Jesus "Susing" M.
151	Pineda, Jr., Patricio "Bebot" F.
152	Pizaras, Jordan M.
153	Preysler, Fausto, Jr. R.
154	Pujalte, Jose Jr. "Brix"
155	Quisumbing, Ramon "Mon" J.
156	Ramos, Claver P.
157	Rast, Tobias "Tobi"
158	Recto, Philip H.
159	Reyes, Crispino P. "Babes"
160	Reynolds, David John "Dave"
161	Rodriguez, Joaquin "Jack" H.
162	Rodriguez, Joaquin "Jackie" C.

163	Romualdez, Ferdinand "Martin"
164	Romualdez, Jose Manuel "Babe" G.
165	Roño, Marlon
166	Roxas, Michael D. "Mike"
167	Sarasola, II, Jose Ma. "Joey" I.
168	Sarmiento, Ricardo Manuel M. "Rocco"
169	Schimitz, Stefan
170	Schneider, Bernd
171	Serapio, Carlos G. "Caloy"
172	Sevilla, Luis Angelo "L.A." L.
173	Shimoda, Shigeru
174	Sibayan, Joselito "Lito" H.
175	Simon, Juanito Ayson
176	So, Warren
177	Sobrepeña, Robert John I. "Bob"
178	Soler, Jose Antonio Andaya
179	Souvlakis, Nicolas
180	Steley, Collin
181	Stranathan, Ike Edward "Ike"
182	Syjuco, Jose, Jr. "Joey" A.
183	Tagaysay, Hector "Chito"
184	Talampas, Jose Angel "Joel"
185	Talusan, Ferdinand "Inov"
186	Tamano, Shalimar "Shah" H.
187	Tamayo, Victor "Butch" L.
188	Tan, Eusebio "Ebot" V.
189	Tan, John G.
190	Tan, Lawrence "Lance" L.
191	Tang, Jimmy
192	Tanglao, Noel V.
193	Taylor-Dormond, Marvin
194	Tee, Jr., Teddy B.
195	Tejuma, Michael "Mike"
196	Tillmann, Hansel Joseph Michael "Hansel"
197	Valdes, Joel C.
198	Valdez, Amado "Amading" D.
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207	Yu, Reginald "Reggie" T.
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209	Zaldarriaga, Felix Francisco "Chito" S.
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212	Zialcita, Xavier "Xavy" Y.
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4	Dela Cruz, Artemio F "Art"
5	Dela Cruz, Joseph Emmanuel A. "Emman"
6	Valdez, Jason Roland N.

CLUB ADMINISTRATION

Club Awards Committee Meeting



The Club Awards Committee met with Pres. Raffy Alunan at Manila Golf Club last Thursday, May 30, 2024, from 11:30 AM to 2:30 PM. Present were Sec. Edwin Hernandez (Chairman, Club Awards Committee), DE Henry Go (member), and Rtn. Emman Dela Cruz who joined via Zoom.

RCMANILA FOUNDATION, INC.

RCMFI Joins Association of Foundations as New Member

RCManila Foundation, Inc., was recognized as a new regular member of the Association of Foundations (AF) during AF's 52nd General Assembly on Friday, May 24, 2024, at the AIM Convention Center in Makati City.

Ms. Amy Babiano received the Certificate of Membership and took an oath on behalf of RCMFI as a new AF member, a requirement by the Philippine Council of NGO Certification (PCNC) for the renewal of RCManila Foundation, Inc.'s accreditation. Photos were taken during the AF General Assembly in the presence of the PCNC Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, and the Board of Trustees of PCNC 2023-2024.



(R) Amy Babiano with
Ms. Emelina S. Almario
(L) Vice-Chairperson of
PCNC 2023-2024



With Mario A. Deriquito (R)
Chairperson of PCNC 2023-2024



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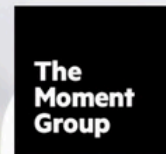
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INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Welcoming Delegates for RC Manila's 105th Anniversary



VP Reggie Yu welcoming the first batch of delegates from RC Kowloon East at NAIA Terminal 3

RC Kowloon East delegates were treated to a hearty nightcap at the exclusive lounge at the Fairmont Hotel, courtesy of Rtn. Bernd Schneider, Cluster General Manager of Raffles Fairmont Hotels Makati. They received a warm welcome from President Raffy Alunan.





RI CONVENTION - SINGAPORE

May 26-29, 2024



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PDG Vince Carlos with Singapore
Deputy Prime Minister Heng Swee Keat



Exchanging banner with RC Singapore President
Chan Suew Luen at the Sister Clubs get-together
at Marina Bay Sands on May 26



The SAA Team

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Spotted RIPN Mario wearing the Rotary watch we gave him when we met in Chicago during the AKS Ceremony. — IPP Hermie S. Esguerra



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IPP Hermie S. Esguerra and IPDG Joyce Ambray attended the Unity Ball, an invitation event of RICON 2024, at the Flower Field Hall of The Gardens by the Bay, Marina Bay Sands.



With President Gordon McInally and Rotarians from California, USA: PDG Guity Jarvis and Mark, PDG Elsa and spouse



With RI Past President Ravi Ravindran, Founder of The One, PDG David Harilela and partner Avisha during The Rotary Foundation Unity Ball



With Past RI Director Brenda Cressy

RI CONVENTION - SINGAPORE



IPP Hermie S. Esguerra with DGE Nick Krayacich, partner of RI IPP Jennifer Jones



With RI Past President Jennifer Jones



With RI President Nominee Mario and some Rotarian leaders



Closing ceremonies at the MBS Convention Center

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PALESTINE'S ENVOY WITH R.C.M. Rotarian Abdulgani Macatoman (left), and Rotary Club of Manila President Rafael Alunan (right) flank H.E. Saleh A. Mohammad, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Embassy of Palestine to the Philippines, who was the RCM's Guest of Honor and Speaker at its 39th weekly membership meeting on Thursday, May 23, 2024 at Manila Polo Club in Makati City. NONOY LACZA

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STAR Rtn. Manny Almelor Honored at 72nd FAMAS Awards for His Contributions to Medicine, Health, and Children's Welfare

May 26, 2024, | Fiesta Pavilion of Manila Hotel



STAR Rtn. Manny Almelor was recognized for his outstanding contribution in the field of Medicine, Health, and Children's Welfare at the recent 72nd Filipino Academy of Movie Arts and Sciences (FAMAS Awards).



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