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A Club's Spirit:
The 2025 Pro Patria
Journalism
Awards*

Cleft Lip and
Palate Project
at Sta. Ana
Hospital

Council of Past
Presidents Meeting

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PROGRAM

36th Weekly Membership Meeting
Rotary Year 2024-2025
Thursday, June 26, 2025, 12:30 PM
Manila Polo Club

Moderator: **IS ANTONILO "Anton" D.C. MAURICIO**

12:00 NN Registration

12:30 PM Call to Order | **PRES. JUJUT ENRIQUEZ**

Invocation | **DIR. NAGI ZEITOUNI**

Philippine National Anthem | **AVP**

Rotary Club of Manila Hymn |
RCM WF Music Chorale

The Four (4) Way Test | **DIR. TEDDY KALAW**

Acknowledgement of Guests
IS ANTONILO "Anton" D.C. MAURICIO

Welcome Song | **RCM WF Music Chorale**

Birthday Celebrants

June 20 IT PJ Garcia
June 22 Rtn. Chito Tagaysay
June 23 Rtn. Jason Valdez
June 24 Rtn. Geof Yu
Rtn. Bernd Schneider

Maligayang Bati / Happy Birthday Song
RCM WF Chorale

12:50 PM Awarding Ceremony | **PRES. JUJUT ENRIQUEZ**

Acceptance Speeches by the Awardees
- *Star Rotarian of the Year*
- *Rotarian of the Year*
- *Leon Lambert Award*

1:40 PM Valedictory Message
RCMFI CHAIR REGINALD "Reggie" T. YU
PRES. JUJUT ENRIQUEZ

2:00 PM Adjournment
PRES. JUJUT ENRIQUEZ

EDITORIAL

Reginald T. Yu
Editor-in-Chief



AS the Rotary Club of Manila prepares to close the curtain on another Rotary Year, the forthcoming final regular weekly membership meeting promises to be more than ceremonial — it will be a quiet reckoning of a year marked by consistency, service, and the kind of leadership that prefers results over rhetoric.

This culminating event — set to serve as the Club Awards Ceremony and the valedictory of both President Eduardo “Jujut” Enriquez III and RCM Foundation Inc. Chairman Reggie Yu — invites members to reflect not only on what has been accomplished, but on how steadfastly the club has remained anchored in Rotary ideals amid changing times.

President Jujut’s administration has been characterized by stability and sincerity. With a leadership style that favored thoughtfulness over theatrics, he shepherded the club through a year

of continuity, connection, and quiet achievement. The cadence of service never faltered; the fellowship was genuine and grounded. As he delivers his final address, he will do so not only as a Club President concluding his term — but as a steward of tradition who led with humility and substance.

Chairman Reggie Yu, in his valedictory report for the Rotary Club of Manila Foundation Inc., will cap a term defined by principled leadership, sound financial governance, and a renewed sense of mission. His dedication to ensuring that every peso served a higher purpose reflected not just stewardship — but service. His term will be remembered not by balance sheets alone, but by the dignity and deliberateness with which he championed the Foundation’s work.

This final meeting will also see the presentation of the Club Awards — Rotary’s way of reminding ourselves that while not all heroes wear pins, those who do often go unrecognized. These awards are a celebration of effort, excellence, and enduring commitment. They affirm the truth that real service happens not just in the spotlight, but often in quiet corners — on the ground, in the field, and behind the scenes.

And fittingly, this editorial marks the final issue of *The Balita* for Rotary Year 2024–2025. As the oldest Rotary newsletter in Asia, *The Balita* has borne witness to the story of our Club for generations — its milestones and missteps, its trials and triumphs. To those who have read, contributed, supported, and patronized *The Balita* throughout this Rotary Year, we extend our heartfelt gratitude. You helped keep the flame of fellowship alive in every word and every page. Thank you for allowing us to tell the story of a Club that continues to matter.

As the Rotary Club of Manila now prepares to usher in a new leadership under the global theme “Unite for Good,” this final meeting becomes more than a farewell. It becomes a bridge — between what has been and what can still be. A reminder that legacy is not the memory we leave behind, but the foundation we leave for others to build upon.

The gavel may fall — but the mission continues.



**Philippine
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The Heart of the Filipino



A Nation's Story, A Club's Spirit: *The 2025 Pro Patria Journalism Awards*

by PVP Reginald T. Yu

ON the afternoon of June 19, 2025, the air inside the Manila Polo Club was rich with reverence, rhythm, and remembrance. For the **Rotary Club of Manila (RCM)**, this 35th Weekly Membership Meeting was no ordinary gathering — it was a tribute to the enduring spirit of Philippine Independence, and a reaffirmation of the Rotary ideal: that service, truth, and nation-building walk hand in hand.

A Prelude in Harmony and Heritage

Before the official call to order, the morning stirred with cultural resonance. A video montage recapped the year's Weekly Membership Meetings, a visual archive of service and solidarity. Then came a stirring saxophone performance by **Datu John Rey Pagalan**, whose Indigenous roots and international acclaim offered a soul-stirring



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reminder of the country’s cultural richness. Not long after, a theatrical homage titled “*Rizal in His Own Words*”—presented by the **Rotaract Club of Manila**—brought the voice of the national hero alive, reminding the audience not only of what he fought for, but why he continues to matter.



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At noon, the **Santiago Trillana Academy Concert Chorus** filled the room with soaring harmonies, just before the Philippine Coast Guard marched in with the colors. As the flag entered the hall, hearts swelled with pride and the room fell into solemn silence.

RCM President **Eduardo “Jujut” V. Enriquez III** officially called the meeting to order. An invocation in heartfelt Tagalog by Rotarian **Carlos “Caloy” Serapio**, Chairman of the Programs Committee, grounded the gathering in thanksgiving and purpose.



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Rotarian Carlos “Caloy” Serapio, Chairman of the Programs Committee, led the invocation.

Voices then rose again in unison — first in the Philippine National Anthem led by the **STA Chorus**, followed by the rousing “*Ang Bagong Pilipino*” exceptionally performed by the lovely **Ms. Xyrene Parsad Valencia**. This anthem of rebirth and responsibility echoed the nation’s call to action.



Ms. Xyrene Parsad Valencia performed “Ang Bagong Pilipino”.

Messages of Purpose and Projects of Promise

Past President **Herminio “Hermie” Esguerra** delivered the Four-Way Test with the aid of an award-winning video he produced during his term — an audiovisual reinforcement of Rotary’s ethical cornerstone. Following this, President-Elect **Raoul C. Creencia** previewed the upcoming July 3 Inaugural through a brief but compelling teaser.



Past President Herminio “Hermie” Esguerra delivered the Four-Way Test.



President-Elect Raoul C. Creencia previewed the upcoming July 3 Inaugural

In his President’s Time, President Jujut shared updates on ongoing projects. One highlight was the “*Clean Up Pasig Project*,” led by **Past President Hermie Esguerra**, demonstrating Rotary’s long-term environmental commitment. Next, President-Elect **Bryan Vander Lugt** of



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the **Rotary Club of San Bruno** presented the “*Cleft Lip and Palate Project*,” emphasizing international collaboration in life-changing medical missions. Both projects — one about healing the earth, the other about healing people — showcased how Rotary bridges causes, countries, and communities.



President-Elect Bryan Vander Lugt of the Rotary Club of San Bruno presented the Cleft Lip and Palate Project.

Journalism, Imagination, and El Dorado

Then came a speech that was less report and more revelation. Past Director Dean **Amado D. Valdez**, Chair of the 2025 Pro Patria Journalism Awards, spoke with poetic clarity. “El Dorado is not a place,” he said, “it is within us.”

For Valdez, the Philippine dream — like the mythical city of gold — was not found in treasure maps, but in freedom, imagination, and collective effort.

He cited the Pasig River Esplanade Project as “imagination in action,” a tangible proof of what can be achieved when storytelling, environmental stewardship, and civic will converge.



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The Pasig River Project was then honored with the Newsworthy Project of the Year Award, accepted on behalf of First Lady **Louise Araneta-Marcos** by DHSUD Assistant Secretary **Mark Aeron Sambar**. His message was honest and compelling — an acknowledgment not only of the award, but of the shared responsibility between public and private sectors. He praised the trash traps installed under RCM’s environmental initiatives, sharing how they were instrumental in supporting the project’s success. “*Ang Pasig, bigyang buhay muli natin,*” he declared—a phrase both literal and metaphorical.



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Press Freedom as a Public Trust

The celebration continued with a special

segment devoted to recognizing *The Daily Tribune* as this year’s **Pro Patria Hall of Fame** Awardee. On behalf of the publication, its President Mr. **Willie Fernandez** delivered a speech that resonated like a newsroom manifesto and national call-to-arms.



His message was both an ode and a vow: “To be recognized not once, not twice, but now enshrined in the Hall of Fame... is both humbling and inspiring.”

Speaking on the birth anniversary of Dr. José Rizal, Fernandez reminded the audience that the pen remains powerful — and necessary. He invoked the legacy of Rizal as a journalist, truth-teller, and nation-shaper. “Our work is far from over,” he said. “As long as truth needs a voice, the Daily Tribune will be there — pen in hand, heart in hand.”



From left: PE Raoul C. Creencia, DSHUD Asec. Mark Aeron H. Sambar, PD Amado "Amading" D. Valdez, Mr. Willie Fernandez, Pres. Jujut Enriquez, PP Herminio "Hermie" S. Esguerra, and Rtn. Carlos "Caloy" G. Serapio

With sincerity and strength, he offered thanks to his team, the RCM, and to all who believe that journalism is not merely a profession, but a public service.



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A Fitting Finale

A series of intermissions in audio-visual form presented patriotic Filipino songs, further stirring pride and emotion among attendees. Another AVP chronicled past awardees, a visual history of voices that shaped the present.

Finally, President Jujut returned to the podium to offer closing remarks and formally adjourn the meeting. The applause that followed was not just for the program, but for the ideals it reaffirmed.



President Jujut Enriquez formally adjourned the meeting.

Where Freedom Meets Responsibility

More than a meeting, the 35th Weekly Membership Gathering of the Rotary Club of Manila was a moment of synthesis — where past and present met; where celebration was fused with service; and where freedom was reframed not only as a right, but as a duty.

On the birthday of Rizal, with the Pasig River recovering, and the press re-empowered by purpose, RCM reminded the nation of a powerful truth: that when people of goodwill gather — Rotarians, journalists, environmentalists, and dreamers — El Dorado is no longer mythical.

It is here.
It is now.
It is ours to build.

Meeting Fellowship



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**Speech of Past Director
Dean Amado Valdez
Chair, 2025 Pro Patria Journalism Awards**

IF a nation wants to be rich and prosperous, it must find El Dorado.

But El Dorado is not a place—it is within us. It is our free spirit. It is our capacity to imagine, to dream, and to create.

The Pasig River Esplanade Project is living proof of imagination in action. Because of the Esplanade Project, we rediscovered our confidence.

This Newsworthy Project Award tells the world what we are capable of—when we use the power of imagination. Through it, we found our El Dorado.

Freedom alone is not enough. We must use our freedom to build our El Dorado!

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It is the best of journalism when we report that the mud of the river has turned into clear water. And that the nation is thriving in other fields—sports, science, and the arts.

There must be more positive news than negative. Positive news builds El Dorado. Negative news does not.

It is in this spirit that we honor the Daily Tribune with the RCM Pro Patria Journalism Hall of Fame Award.

For years, it has consistently uncovered what is truly newsworthy. It has helped lead the way to the discovery of our El Dorado.



HEADLINES

Hall of Fame @ 25

RC Manila bestows Hall of Fame Pro Patria Journalism plum to DAILY TRIBUNE



Journalism Hall of Fame On the DAILY TRIBUNE rising to the 2025 Pro Patria Journalism Award Hall of Fame, the media company's president Willie Fernandez (third from left) reiterated that the honor went 'beyond awards — it is a call to continue defending the truth at a time when lies spread faster than facts, when propaganda often drowns out principle, and when some seek to rewrite history instead of learning from it.' Presenting the award on 19 June were (from left) Raoul C. Creencia, president-elect of Rotary Club of Manila; past director Amading Valdez (chairman of the Journalism Awards 2025); and RCM president Jujut Enriquez. Photograph by toto lozano for the daily tribune

Raffy Ayeng

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The Rotary Club of Manila, the first and oldest Rotary Club in the Philippines and Asia, has honored the **DAILY TRIBUNE** with its 2025 Pro Patria Journalism Award, elevating the national newspaper to the Hall of Fame for Journalism for its impressive reportage that is fair, fearless and without bias.

The bestowing of the Hall of Fame plum coincided with the birth anniversary on 19 June of National Hero Jose P. Rizal, the country's greatest writer and journalist.

A Pro Patria Journalism Award was also conferred on First Lady Liza Araneta-Marcos for the Pasig River Rehabilitation–Esplanade Project which was named the Newsworthy Project of 2024-2025.

The honor was given "for the landmark rehabilitation of the entire stretch of the Pasig River from Manila Bay to Laguna de Bay," a project that "has been the pride of the nation," according to RC Manila. Receiving the award was Assistant Secretary Mark Aeron Sambar of the Department of Human Settlements and Urban Development, as the First Lady was in Japan on the day of the awarding.

Lending more meaning to the occasion, RC Manila handed out the awards during its Commemoration of Independence Day, which was interspersed with excellent renditions of Filipino music.



(From left) Past President Archit Bartolome, Past Director Atty. Amading Valdez, Rtn (and former USec) Gani Macatoman, DAILY TRIBUNE president Willie Fernandez, DT executive vice president Chingbee Fernandez, RC Manila president Jujut Enriquez, DT managing editor (and Life editor) Dinah Sabal-Ventura, DT executive editor (and Business editor) Chito Lozano and DT chief of reporters Raffy Ayeng. Photograph by toto lozano for the daily tribune

"In all these years, the nation saw its triumphs and successes, learned of its achievements, criticized its own faults, and built a lasting tradition of freedom, democracy and national confidence through the lens of the **DAILY TRIBUNE**—which shared the news without FEAR and without FAVOR," read the citation engraved on the iconic Pro Patria trophy that was handed over to **DAILY TRIBUNE** president Willie B. Fernandez by RC Manila president Eduardo "Jujut" Enriquez III at the Manila Polo Club on 19 June.

Finding 'El Dorado'

RC Manila chairman of Journalism Awards Amado "Amading" Valdez hitched the **DAILY TRIBUNE**'s Hall of Fame Award to the nation's quest for El Dorado to attain wealth and prosperity.

El Dorado is the legendary city of gold that has captivated explorers and treasure hunters for centuries.

"But El Dorado is not a place—it is within us. It is our free spirit. It is our capacity to imagine, to dream and to create. Freedom alone is not enough. We must use our freedom to build our El Dorado! What we have built, we must protect. Let us not destroy it with fake news, with neglect, or by failing to tell the story," Valdez said.

He said it is the best of journalism when a news organization reports that the river mud has turned into clear water, and that the nation is thriving in other fields, such as sports, science and the arts.

"There must be more positive news than negative. Positive news builds El Dorado. Negative news does not. It is in this spirit that we honor the **DAILY TRIBUNE** with the RCM Pro Patria Journalism Hall of Fame Award. For years, it has consistently uncovered what is truly newsworthy. It has helped lead the way to the discovery of our El Dorado," Valdez said.

25 years of tireless search of truth

DAILY TRIBUNE president Fernandez, in his acceptance speech, said "the honor is not just a reflection of the work of an individual or an editorial team, but of decades of the tireless quest for truth by generations of journalists, editors, columnists, photographers, artists and the silent warriors behind the bylines who shaped the **DAILY TRIBUNE** into what it is today, which is a bastion of press freedom."

PUBLIC IMAGE



Fernandez, an avid fan of Rizal, personified the national hero as the country’s supreme journalist, whose pen pierced through the colonial silence, whose words stirred the soul of a nation.

“And in many ways, this day reminds us of the sacred duty of the press: not merely to report, but to awaken; not simply to echo, but to challenge,” he said.

The publication’s top man relayed to Manila Rotarians that since the founding of the newspaper in 2000, it has weathered many storms—both literal and figurative.

“We have stood in the crosshairs of power, walked tightropes of controversy, and held the line amid efforts to silence independent voices. Yet through it all, we have never forgotten why we exist — to inform the Filipino people, to hold the powerful to account, and to be a mirror of society’s triumphs and failings,” he said.

And with RC Manila extolling the *DAILY TRIBUNE* as the Newspaper of the Year in 2017, 2021 and 2023, Fernandez said it was a validation of its resolve. Hence, the Hall of Fame recognition goes beyond awards, but is “a call to continue defending the truth at a time when lies spread faster than facts, when propaganda often drowns out principle, and when some seek to rewrite history instead of learning from it.”

“To the Filipino people—our work is far from over. As long as truth needs a voice, the *DAILY TRIBUNE* will be there, pen in hand, heart in country,” the publisher said.



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CLUB ADMINISTRATION

RCM Members' Attendance Report
RY 2024-2025

ATTENDANCE REPORT
June 2025

JUNE 2025	June 05, 2025 PAST, PRESENT, FUSION	June 12, 2025 HOLIDAY	June 19, 2025 PRO PATRIA JOURNALISM AWARDS	June 26, 2025 CLUB AWARDS
MEMBERS PRESENT	32	0	44	0
MEMBERS PRESENT %	14%	0%	20%	0%
MAKE UP ATTENDEES	2	0	0	0
EXEMPTED	6	0	4	0
ON LEAVE	0	0	0	0
Total Active Members	28	0	40	0
Total # of Members	222	222	222	222
TOTAL %:	13%	0%	18%	0%
ROTARACTORS	10	0	10	0
MEDIA	0	0	0	0
EMBASSIES / DIPLOMATIC CORPS	0	0	0	0
DG, DGE, DGN, PDG	0	0	0	0
GOHS / GS	0	0	2	0
VISITING ROTARIAN	1	0	19	0
Guests of RCM MEMBERS	10	0	30	0
TOTAL ATTENDEES	53	0	105	0



LIST OF ATTENDEES
June 19, 2025

1	Albaña, Michael Jaey C
2	Bartolome III, Arsenio M.
3	Benedicto, Sixto T.
4	Carlos, Vicente J.
5	Carranceja, Arvin Arik B
6	Castro, Karlo Eugene Josef M.
7	Co, Val Constantine L.
8	Creencia, Raoul C.
9	Cureg, Alexander P.
10	Del Rosario Sr., Oscar A.
11	Egan, Brendan W.L.
12	Eldebs, Issam
13	Enriquez III, Eduardo V.
14	Esguerra, Herminio S.
15	Fernandez, Antonio Jaime Jose V.
16	Garcia, Paul Joseph M.
17	Go, Henry S.
18	Guevara, Jr., Domingo S.
19	Guevara, Ricardo S.
20	Hernandez, Edwin H
21	Locsin, Arsenio Z.
22	Lorenzana, Delfin
23	Macatoman, Abdulgani M.
24	Mauricio, Antonilo DC
25	Ong, Phillip L.
26	Pascual, Abraham F.
27	Pineda, Jr. Patricio F.
28	Pineda, Jr., Jesus M.
29	Preysler, Jr., Fausto R.
30	Recto, Phillip H.
31	Rodriguez Sr., Joaquin C.
32	Rodriguez, Joaquin Anthony H.
33	Roxas, Michael D.
34	Serapio, Carlos G.
35	Shimoda, Shigeru
36	Simon, Juanito A.
37	Valdez, Amado D.
38	Valencia, John Nico P.
39	Yu, Reginald Tieng
40	Zeitouni, Nagi
41	Bagatsing, Valentino S.
42	Rankl, Peter
43	Yordanov, Stefan
44	Cid, Dean Y.

CLUB ADMINISTRATION

List of Members Who Have Paid Their Annual Dues for RY 2024-2025

As of June 25, 2025

1	ABOY, VALENTINO G
2	ABRIAM, ARIEL
3	ACOSTA, CRISPINIANO G.
4	AGNES, JERRY A
5	ALBAÑA, MICHAEL JAEY C
6	ALBERTO, RAYMUNDO ARNOLD S
7	ALCANTARA, ISIDRO C
8	ALDAY, ALBERT
9	ALINGOG, ALDOUS REX A
10	ANDAL, AVELINO L
11	ANG, RICHARD T
12	ANGARA, MARIUS
13	ARAGON, JOSHUA RUEBEN G
14	ARAMBULO, JOAQUIN JR
15	ARGUELLES, PABLO C
16	AVENTURA, AVENILO JR L
17	BAGATSING, VALENTINO S
18	BALANAY, ARIES B
19	BARTOLOME, ARSENIO III M
20	BEDIONES, RODOLFO P
21	BELLA, GERONIMO JR. D
22	BELLO, CHRISTIAN CESAR
23	BENEDICTO, BERNARDO III T
24	BENEDICTO, SIXTO T
25	BERTELSEN, BERTEL I
26	BHALLA, PARDEEP
27	BLANCO, MANUEL M
28	BOGOVICH, JASON M
29	BOLTON, WILHELM
30	BRANELLEC, JACQUES
31	BUENDIA, CARLOS C
32	CABANGON, EDGARD A.
33	CABUÑAG, ROGELIO R
34	CAMAT, NATHANIEL
35	CAMPOS, JOSELITO JR
36	CANON, RAUL JR C
37	CARLOS, VICENTE J.
38	CARRANCEJA, ARVIN ARIK B
39	CASTRO, KARLO EUGENE JOSEF M
40	CATALAN, RODILLO R
41	CENICA, JOHN T
42	CHAHWAN, RAMI
43	CHAN, ROBERT JR
44	CHIEN, LIANG-TA
45	CID, DEAN Y
46	CO, FERDINAND C.
47	CO, VAL CONSTANTINE L
48	CORTEZ, LORENZO R
49	COYIUTO, ROBERT JR. G
50	CREENCIA, RAOUL C.
51	CUREG, ALEXANDER P
52	CUTTER, JOHN MICHAEL

53	DAVIS, RAYMOND N
54	DAYANG, JUAN E.
55	DE CASTRO, JUAN ARTURO ILUMINADO C
56	DE VENEZIA, JOSE JR.
57	DEL ROSARIO, OSCAR SR.
58	DELA CRUZ, JOSEPH EMMANUEL A
59	DIONISIO, RAFAEL IGNACIO
60	DOMINGO, RICO V
61	DOMINGUEZ, CARLOS III G.
62	DY, MANUEL C.
63	EGAN, BRENDAN W.L.
64	ELDEBS, ISSAM
65	ENRIQUEZ, EDUARDO III V.
66	ESGUERRA, HERMINIO S.
67	ESQUIVIAS, JOAQUIN PABLO A
68	EUGENIO, JOHN EMYL G
69	FAJARDO, BEDA G
70	FERNANDEZ, ANTONIO JAIME JOSE V.
71	FOLLOSCO, CEFERINO JR G
72	GARCIA, HERBERT JOEY D
73	GARCIA, PAUL JOSEPH M
74	GARCIA, THEODORE Q
75	GARCIA, VICTOR III G.
76	GASPAR, FERNANDO L
77	GIERRAN, DANTE A.
78	GO, DANIEL
79	GO, HENRY S
80	GONZALES, JONAS R
81	GONZALEZ LA'O, EMILIO P
82	GUARIN, MICHAEL ARCATOMY H.
83	GUEVARA, DOMINGO JR.
84	GUEVARA, RICARDO S.B.
85	HALLARE, DELFIN JR. T
86	HALLARE, NICOLLO S
87	HALLERBACH, MATHIAS
88	HANADA, TAKAHIRO
89	HERNANDEZ, EDWIN H.
90	HESSE, UWE
91	HORTALEZA, ROLANDO B
92	IBUYAN, BENEDICT JULIUS F
93	IWATA, YASUSHI
94	JANG, JAE JUNG
95	JOSEPH, RALPH L
96	JUCABAN, JERIC J
97	KALAW, TEODORO ALEJANDRO IV Y.
98	KATIGBAK J ALFONSO L
99	KLEBS, DAVID
100	KOH, PAUL ANTHONY T
101	KUNACK, LUTZ H
102	LACAMBACAL, ALVIN D.
103	LAUREL, RICARDO P.
104	LAYA, JAIME C

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105	LAZARO, JUAN MIGUEL
106	LEDDA, JAIME VICTOR B
107	LEE, RICHARD L
108	LI, RICHARD JOSEPH CHANG
109	LIAMZON, ROMEO THADDEUS
110	LIM, DAVID EDUARDO T
111	LIM, RICHARD
112	LOCSIN, ARSENIO Z.
113	LONZAGA, REINERIO
114	LOPEZ, ANTONIO
115	LOPEZ, ARTHUR M
116	LORENZANA, DELFIN
117	MACAPAGAL, MICHAEL T.
118	MACATOMAN, ABDULGANI
119	MAGBANUA, GERRY P
120	MAGSAYSAY, FRANCISCO D.
121	MAGSAYSAY, JESUS VICENTE E
122	MANALAYSAY, CESAR P
123	MANGALILE, SENEN T
124	MARTINEZ, RONALD I
125	MATSCHUCK, GUENTER GERHARD G
126	MAURICIO, ANTONILO DC
127	MENDOZA, ESTELITO P
128	MENDOZA, MIGUEL
129	MENDOZA, RAYMUND JOSEPH IAN O.
130	MOMMAERTS, STEVE
131	MORTEL, JUAN MANUEL
132	NOLIDO, RAMON ALBERTO B
133	NOMURA, KAZUHIRO
134	NONES, ROMEO C.
135	NÚÑEZ, JOSE A
136	OBRADO, DANIEL CALZADO
137	OCAMPO, TEODORO J
138	ONG, PHILLIP L
139	OZAETA, MIGUEL ANTONIO L
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BASIC EDUCATION
AND LITERACY



COMMUNITY ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT



ENVIRONMENT

CLUB ADMINISTRATION

Council of Past Presidents Meeting



THE Council of Past Presidents met via Zoom on June 24, 2025. Present during the meeting were Past Presidents Boy Guevara, Archit Bartolome, Jackie Rodriguez, and Herminio S. Esguerra, Past District Governors Vince Carlos, Alex Cureg, and Obet Pagdanganan, President Jujut Enriquez, and President-elect Raoul Creencia.



Club Awards

2024-2025

LOYALTY AWARD



ROTARIAN JUAN E. DAYANG
5 Years of Rotary Service



ROTARIAN MATHIAS HALLERBACH
5 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



ROTARIAN MICHAEL T. MACAPAGAL
5 Years of Rotary Service



PAST ASST. INTERNAL AUDITOR
JORDAN M. PIZZARAS
5 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



ROTARIAN MARLON R. ROÑO
5 Years of Rotary Service



BOARD LEGAL ADVISER
HANSEL JOSEPH MICHAEL TILLMANN
5 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



DIRECTOR 2024-2025
NAGI ZEITOUNI
5 Years of Rotary Service



ROTARIAN
JOHN EMYL G. EUGENIO
10 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



**ROTARIAN
STEVE MOMMAERTS**
10 Years of Rotary Service



**PAST DIRECTOR
RICO V. DOMINGO**
20 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



**ROTARIAN
DANIEL C. GO**
20 Years of Rotary Service



**PAST DIRECTOR
ARSENIO Z. LOCSIN**
20 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



**PAST PRESIDENT
TEODORO J. OCAMPO**
20 Years of Rotary Service



**ROTARIAN
WILFREDO M. PELIÑO**
20 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



**PAST DIRECTOR
SIXTO T. BENEDICTO**
25 Years of Rotary Service



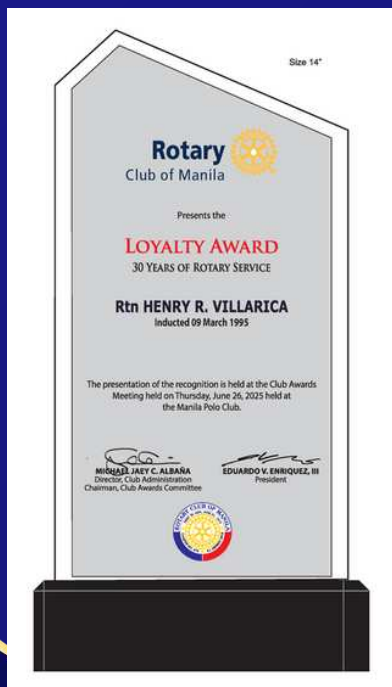
**ROTARIAN
JOSE C. DE VENECIA, JR.**
25 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



**ROTARIAN
HENRY R. VILLARICA**
30 Years of Rotary Service



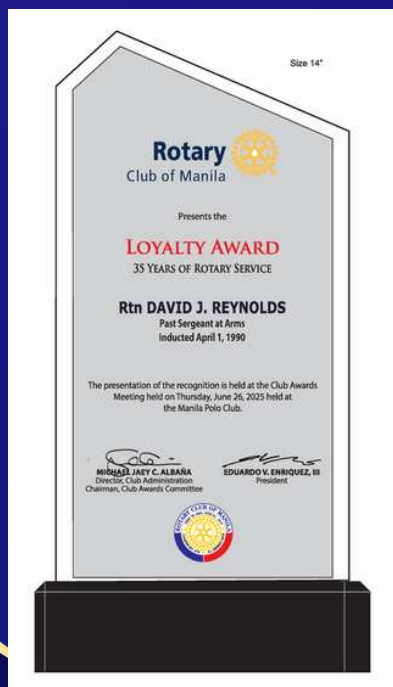
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ROMEO C. NONES**
35 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



ROTARIAN
DAVID J. REYNOLDS
35 Years of Rotary Service



PAST DIRECTOR
PATRICIO F. PINEDA, JR.
40 Years of Rotary Service



LOYALTY AWARD



**ROTARIAN
ROBERT G. COYIUTO, JR.
45 Years of Rotary Service**



BEST ATTENDANCE



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STAR ROTARIAN OF THE YEAR



STAR ROTARIAN OF THE YEAR Award
is presented to
DELFIN N. LORENZANA
in recognition of your active participation in
the Program Committee, fielding resource
persons for the weekly membership meeting,
which provides a wide spectrum of coverage
in business, socio-political, and
entertainment aspects that have made the
weekly meetings extraordinarily interesting.

ROTARIAN OF THE YEAR



ROTARIAN OF THE YEAR AWARD

is presented to

Rtn. CARLOS G. SERAPIO

Chairman, Program Committee

in recognition of your dedication in the preparation of the weekly membership meeting that comprehensively presented interest in vast aspect of business, socio-political and entertainment that engendered increased participation by members, and for sponsoring participation of Rotaractors that provided opportunity for Rotaractors to develop their leadership skills by attending the weekly membership meetings of the Club, that became an opportunity of learning as future Rotarian leaders.

LEON LAMBERT LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT



LEON LAMBERT LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

is presented to

HERMINIO S. ESGUERRA

President, Rotary Year 2022-2023

in recognition of your impactful contribution to The Rotary Foundation, which has earned you the elite position as Arch Klumph Chair's Circle Level 2 in Rotary Year 2022-2023, that contributed to the strengthening and expansion of the service capacity of The Rotary Foundation worldwide network of humanitarian commitment; and for your dedication in all leadership role in Rotary Club of Manila that created impactful service projects in Rotary Area of Focus for the Environment, Water Sanitation and Hygiene, Basic Education and Literacy, Disease Prevention and Treatment, Maternal and Child Health, Peacebuilding and Conflict Prevention and Community Economic Development.

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**DISEASE PREVENTION
AND TREATMENT**



Cleft Lip and Palate Project at Sta. Ana Hospital



MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH

Cleft Lip and Palate Project at Sta. Ana Hospital



Rotary Club of San Bruno President-Elect Bryan Vander Lugt and spouse Andrea were treated to lunch before heading to Sta. Ana Hospital for the Cleft Lip and Palate Project visit. Joining them were Rotary Club of Manila President-Elect Raoul Creencia, RCM PVP/RCManila Foundation Chair Reggie Yu, and Assistant Secretary Arik Carranceja.



RC San Bruno PE Bryan Vander Lugt and spouse Andrea presented the club's bannerette to RCM PE Raoul Creencia, in the presence of RCM PVP/RCMFI Chair Reggie Yu and RCM AS Arick Carranceja.

DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT



Operation Smile Philippines Executive Director Emiliano Roman welcomed RC San Bruno PE Bryan Vander Lugt and spouse Andrea to Sta. Ana Hospital.



MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH

Cleft Lip and Palate Project at Sta. Ana Hospital



RC San Bruno PE Bryan Vander Lugt and spouse Andrea (above), RCM PVP/RCMFI Chair Reggie Yu (below), and Operation Smile Philippines Exec. Dir. Emiliano Roman (bottom) were interviewed by DWIZ.



PVP/RCMFI Chair Reggie Yu and Asst. Sec. Arik Carranceja presented the RCM's club bannerette to RC San Bruno PE Bryan Vander Lugt and spouse Andrea.



RC San Bruno PE Bryan Vander Lugt and his spouse Andrea visited the Ward Room and graciously presented gifts to the cleft patients.

MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH

Cleft Lip and Palate Project at Sta. Ana Hospital



RC San Bruno President-Elect Bryan Vander Lugt and spouse Andrea, as well as staff from DWIZ, received a warm welcome and a detailed briefing from the Head Doctor before entering the Operating Room.



Observing inside the Operating Room

DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT



Visiting the Recovery Room after a cleft patient's operation



Offering gifts to cleft patients

INTERCLUB RELATIONS

Rotary Club of Cebu Celebrates 93rd Anniversary



ON June 3, 2025, the Rotary Club of Cebu, the daughter club of the Rotary Club of Manila, celebrated its 93rd anniversary at the Marco Polo Hotel Cebu's Grand Ballroom.

President Jujut Enriquez and President-Elect Raoul Creencia represented the Rotary Club of Manila.



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A Memorial Service

FOR PAST PRESIDENT CRISPINO “BABES” REYES



President Jujut Enriquez presented PP Babes Reyes' name badge and the 40-Year Loyalty Award to Spouse Lennie Reyes.



RCM members with the family of PP Babes Reyes



RCM World-Famous Choral performed the favorite songs of PP Babes Reyes.



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