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The Official Newsletter of the Rotary Club of Pasig



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Today's Programme

**Valle Verde Country Club
October 27, 2022, 12:30 P.M
Pangkat 4 Leader Dir. Ato Basco**

Call to Order	Pres. Bong Paloma
Invocation	Rtn. Fr. Vincent Amores
National Anthem	Dir. Dekdek Paloma
FOUR-WAY TEST	Rtn. Cesar Lacuna
Introduction of Visiting Rotarians & Guests	PP Toti Buhain
Community Singing	Pangkat 4
Wise or Otherwise	PP Benny de Guzman
Fining Moments	PP Ogie Lim
President's Time	Pres. Bong Paloma

***RTN. FR. JOJO OPINIO
RTN. FR. VINCENT AMORES
RTN. FR. KELL ORTEGA
MEMORIAL DAY MASS***

Open Forum Adjournment	Pres. Bong Paloma
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**PP Bert Albano
Emcee
OCTOBER IS ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT MONTH**

Invocation



All-powerful and ever-living God, we praise and thank you for pouring out the Holy Spirit to be our constant Guide in Life full of challenges. Send that same Spirit of love to us to make even more eager to share ourselves and resources with others, especially the needy. Grant this through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

APAT NA URIAN NG ROTARYO

ng mga bagay na ating iniisip, sinasabi o ginagawa:

1. Iyon ba ang **KATOTOHANAN**?
2. Iyon ba ay **MAKATARUNGAN** para sa lahat ng kinauukulan?
3. Iyon ba ay lilikha ng **MABUTING KALOOBAN at LALONG MATAPAT NA PAKIKIPAGKAIBIGAN**?
4. Iyon ba ay magiging **KAPAKI-PAKINABANG** para sa lahat ng kinauukulan?

Ang Layunin ng Rotaryo

Ang layunin ng Rotaryo ay ***“PASIGLAHIN AT IPUNLA ANG SIMULAIN NG PAGLILINGKOD BILANG BATAYAN NG ISANG GAWAIN KARAPAT-DAPAT*** at lalo’t higit pasiglahin at ipunla:

1. Ang pagpapaunlad ng pagsasama bilang pagkakataon sa paglilingkod.
2. Ang mataas na uri ng tuntunin sa pangangalakal at sa hanapbuhay, ang pagkilala sa kahalagahan ng gawain kapakipakinabang at ang pagbibigay dangal ng bawa’t Rotaryo sa kanyang hanapbuhay bilang pagkakataon upang makapaglingkod sa lipunan.
3. Ang pagsasakatuparan sa simulain ng paglilingkod sa bawa’t Rotaryo sa kanyang pansarili, pangkabuhayan at panglipunang pamumuhay.
4. Ang pag-unlad ng pagkakaunawaan, mabubuting kalooban at kapayapaan ng mga bansa sa pamamagitan ng isang pang-daigdig na kapatiran ng mga propesyonal na nabubuklod sa simulain ng paglilingkod.

Song of the Day



THIS CLUB IS MY CLUB

(Tune: This land is my land)

This club is my club
This club is my club
Ang Rotary Club ng Pasig City

From San Antonio to Kalawaan, to Kapitolyo
Sagad, Santolan. Ang Kapasigan, at lahat na sila
THIS CLUB IS SERVING EVERYONE

Tayo may, doctors, at abogados may engineers din
at IT experts. Meron sundalo at tatlong pare pa
TULOY TULOY NAGSISILBI

May kontratistas, at negociantes, mga accountants
mga food experts, mga financiers, pati retirees na
LAHAT TULOY NAGSISILBI

May pagamutan, at paanakan
May pautangan kung kailangan
May pabahayan na pagaari na
TULOY ANG TULONG SA BAYAN

May iskolars, ilang taon na
Tuloy tuloy at, dumadami pa
May nagtapos na at may karera na
EDUCATION IS IN OUR BLOOD

Song of the Day

Continuation 1.



We have been active in public service for
generations, since we have Chartered
We were in EDSA in 1986
HINDI TAYO UMAATRAS

With Mayor Vico and at si
Vice Dodot and si Cong Romulo kasama natin
Lalo na tayong involved sa bayan
PASIG WE'RE ALWAYS THERE FOR YOU

(Slower)
This club is my club
This club is my club
The Rotary Club of Pasig City
This club is my club
This club is my club
(VERY SLOW) THE SECOND HOME
TO YOU AND ME

From the President

Pres. Bong Paloma



Good afternoon RCP!

I missed the interesting and snappy talk of PBGen Edgar Alan Okubo last week. I heard it was a good talk and an eye-opener on how our law enforcers are utilizing civilians and communities to fight insurgency and other lawless criminal activities in our country.

Our Alpabasa, Wash Basin and Water Station groundbreaking activity at Sto. Nino Elementary School is postponed to a later date to give way to the school's exam week. We will keep you posted on the new schedule. Instead, I would like to extend the invitation to RCP members to attend a district activity on October 30. RC Pasig is one of the significant club organizers /sponsors, and we will be donating 100 School bags and 500 notebooks and 36 LED Flood Lights to one of the poor elementary schools in Baras, Rizal. The Project is called "Pitong Alay Serbisyo ng Rotaryo, Sama Samang Saya Para sa Baras" on October 30, 2022, at 8:00 AM. This activity is counted as one of the service projects of RCP. Please join this activity and experience Rotary's "Service Above Self" brand. Kindly coordinate with PP Peter John Javier and Dir.Tet Mallare for the logistics arrangements. This service project is a whole-day event. We have also supported the Medical Mission of one of my classmates from the Rotary Club of Pasig South, who will deliver a Medical Mission to Tribung Mandaya in Brgy Maputi, Bato bato, Davao Oriental. In addition, we have donated Php 15,000 to provide school supplies (notebooks, pencils), toothbrush, toothpaste and soap to 245 indigenous students of the Mandaya tribe.

From the President

Pres. Bong Paloma

Continuation 1.

Today, we dedicate this memorial mass to our dearly departed club members and their immediate families. We have a complete list of their names, and we will honor and remember them today for their valuable contribution to the club and their friendship. The mass will be con-celebrated by our RCP Priests, Fr. Jojo, Fr. Kell, and Fr. Vincent. May the souls of our dearly departed through the mercy of God rest in peace!

I heard that we would have the ARAP, spouses, and the children of our dearly departed joining us today. So let's remember and relive their memories as we break bread and fellowship together after the requiem mass.

Thank you again for joining us today. Enjoy the rest of the program and the fellowship.

Stay strong and healthy, RCP!

Bong

Rotary Notes

PP Benny P. De Guzman



Our Memorial Day is a day of fellowship. When we honor those who have served our club and their spouses and some children, it is always a time to reminisce the good old days.

As usual, PP Bert is the lechon host but he said next week na lang as HOF/ PP Jess and PP RJ are within the birthday circle as well.

We will recall also at least three children of our PPs who have gone. Two, by car accidents, Marcos and Jacqui of PP Peping and the late PP Tom, respectively. Peping's son was not named after the late President's surname but from the bible, Mark. He died in now C-5 road also in Pasig. Jacqui died in a freak accident in her garage while checking on the car engine. The car moved and pinned her to the garage wall. Jaimito, went ahead of his parents HOF/PP Bobby and spouse Dette, from cancer.

Last week, despite many non-appearance of our Rtns, we had many members of the SAF of our PNP in our midst including PP Zaldy Gapas of RC Pasig Premier, who has been the PNP police chief in Pasig. He was promoted out of Pasig but being past president, retained his membership.

PBG Allan Okubo, a very much decorated police general and the 27th Director of the Special Action Force of the PNP, had a very thorough presentation of what the SAF is doing for the country. The masteral presentation looked like a thesis defense that would have gotten top honors as well. Gen. Okubo must have some Japanese blood in his lineage from the name to his looks. Sana he will maintain his Filipino citizenship unlike our golfer, Yuka Sazo. The public service of our SAF extends to even non-police matters,

Rotary Notes

PP Benny P. De Guzman

Continuation 1.

making them truly a pride of our country. Luckily, our attendance improved later as there were many police officers with Gen. Okubo.

Tinig congratulates our very own, Mayor Vico for the prestigious award given by the Phil Chamber of Commerce and Industry, for the Most Friendly LGU in Business Development. Sana you can drop by once in a while with your VM Dodot, also one of our members.

First time fining master Dir Dekdek did a very good fining session that those fined enjoyed the recognition first. The other Palomo, Pres Bong, arrived a few days from his Japanese sojourn. With P.E. Adolf also out last week, Sec/PP John handled the meeting well. The community singing of Silent Night did not have recognition of who made the lyrics adaptation. It was done ala PP Peter, baka siya na nga but he did not acknowledge.

The fellowship today will gauge the effectiveness of our Pangkat System. Our attendance woes is still an urgent matter to attend to.

Dir Ato, our emcee last week, would have been also a good lawyer. His ad libs are very good. I gave my Polio Plus tickets to him for last Sunday's event. Sana, he used them.

Walking the Avenues

PP Jun C. Zafra



ROTARY AND THE BILL & MELINDA GATES FOUNDATION EXTENDING FUNDRAISING PARTNERSHIP TO ERADICATE POLIO

Partnership will infuse an additional US\$450 million into global polio eradication effort

EVANSTON, Ill. (October 18, 2022) – Rotary and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation are renewing their longstanding partnership to end polio, announcing a joint commitment of up to \$450 million to support the global polio eradication effort.

“We’ve made tremendous progress, but the world is facing multiple pandemics, and vaccine hesitancy is on the rise. Recent polio outbreaks in Malawi and Mozambique, plus detection of poliovirus in Israel, the UK, and the United States prove that if polio exists anywhere, it threatens children everywhere,” said Ian Riseley, chair of the Rotary Foundation and Past President of Rotary International. “Partnering with the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation helps us ensure that children in polio-affected countries get the lifesaving vaccines they need to be protected from polio for life.”

This pledge comes on the heels of Rotary’s announcement at the Global Citizen Festival pledging an additional US\$150 million towards polio eradication.

Rotary is committed to raising \$50 million per year over the next three years, with every dollar to be matched with two additional dollars from the Gates Foundation. This expanded agreement will translate into up to a total of \$450 million to support the Global

Walking the Avenues

PP Jun C. Zafra

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Polio Eradication Initiative.

“Eradicating polio requires the dedication and generosity of nations and individuals around the world, and Rotarians are again leading the way,” said Melinda French Gates, co-chair of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. “Rotary International and Rotarians continue to be the heart of GPEI – and have been since the beginning. Together, we are moving closer to our shared goal of ending polio and ensuring that families will never have to fear this disease again.”

“As the first organization to envision a polio-free world, Rotary is more committed than ever to delivering on our promise that one day, no child will ever again be paralyzed by polio,” said Rotary President Jennifer Jones. “Our partnership with the Gates Foundation helps us eliminate any impediment to conquer polio now.”

The Rotary Foundation Board of Trustees recently approved a \$50 million grant for AFRO surveillance, Afghanistan, Pakistan and Outbreak Response. These grants will support ongoing immunization activities to reach children under the age of five with an emphasis on improving community awareness and engagement—promoting vaccine acceptance, reducing the number of missed children—and ensuring robust surveillance capacity to quickly detect poliovirus transmission.

Polio—a paralyzing and sometimes deadly disease—is on the verge of becoming the second human disease in history to be eradicated. This critical funding helps ensure that children in at-risk countries are protected from polio, and that the wild poliovirus is eliminated in the last two countries that continue to report cases.

Walking the Avenues

PP Jun C. Zafra

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While only Afghanistan and Pakistan continue to report cases of wild poliovirus, the remaining challenges to global eradication—like difficulty reaching children amid insecurity and conflict and weak health systems—have proven to be the most difficult. To meet these challenges head-on and ensure the continuation of program efforts, funding and support from donors and world governments are imperative.

Rotary has contributed more than \$2.6 billion to fight polio, including matching funds from the Gates Foundation, and countless volunteer hours since launching its polio eradication program, PolioPlus, in 1985. In 1988, Rotary joined in partnership with the World Health Organization, UNICEF, and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to form the Global Polio Eradication Initiative. The Gates Foundation and Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance later joined. When the initiative launched, there were 350,000 cases of polio every year. Today the incidence of polio has plummeted by more than 99.9 percent.

Anyone can be a part of the fight to end polio and have their donation to Rotary matched 2-to-1 by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. Visit endpolio.org to learn more and [donate](#).

About Rotary: Rotary brings together a global network of volunteer leaders dedicated to tackling the world's most pressing humanitarian challenges. We connect 1.4 million members from more than 46,000 Rotary clubs in almost every country in the world. Their service improves lives both locally and internationally, from helping those in need in their own communities to working toward a polio-free world. Visit Rotary.org and endpolio.org for more about Rotary and its efforts to eradicate polio.

Tinig Tidbits

By: PP Peter M. Javier



DIFFICULT TO REMEMBER WORDS & MEANINGS

1. Nonplussed - Surprised and confused to the point that they are unsure how to react.
2. Eclectic - Deriving the best ideas and styles from a diverse range of sources.
3. Uncanny - Seeming to have a supernatural character or origin, similar to eerie, mysterious.
4. Inchoate - Being only partly in existence, imperfectly formed or formulated.
5. Anachronistic - Chronologically inconsistent.
6. Hoi Polloi - The common people.
7. Abnegation - Renouncing a belief or doctrine.
8. Martinet - One who adheres to regulations rigidly.
9. Equanimity - Maintaining composure in stressful situations.
10. Idiosyncratic - Something peculiar to an individual.

(From BabaMail)

Climpses of Our Last Meeting



Sec/PP John presides at meeting which Dir Doc Ato emcees. Rtn Fr Vincent leads invocation.



Rtn Gary leads singing of Pambansang Awit.



PP Toti recites Apat Na Urian Ng Rotaryo. Rtn Cesar introduces visiting Rotarians & guests.

Climpses of Our Last Meeting



Pangkat 4 sings "Silent Night" with adapted lyrics.

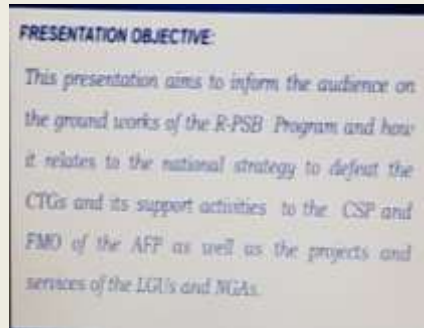


PP Benny on Memorial Day for next meeting. Dir Dekdek is finemaster. Sec/PP John with president's message.

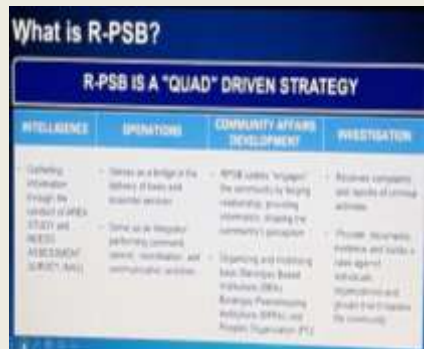
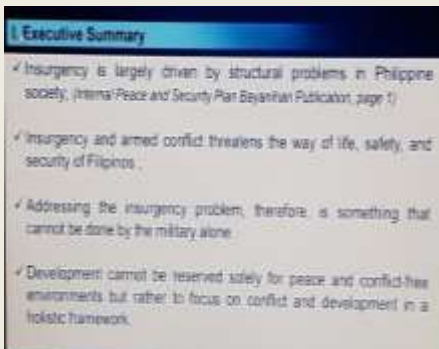


PCol/PP Zaldy Gapas of RC Pasig Premier introduces PBGen Allan O. Okubo, Director of PNP Special Action Force.

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His talk focuses on PNP's Efforts Against Insurgency via the



Revitalized-Pulis Sa Barangay, a community policing intervention



preventing resurgence of Insurgency & insulating unaffected communities.

Climpses of Our Last Meeting



Replying to questions & comments from Rtn Doc Ato,



PP Bert, Dir/PP Jun & Sec/PP John.



Sec/PP John hands over club's token of appreciation then adjourns meeting

Climpses of Our Last Meeting



Photo with f2f attendees.



Rtns Mads & IPP Garrick with PNP's Pat. Mary Grace Cabatic, Pat. Leah Latag & Pat. Jhon Felix Cruz .



IPP Garrick, PPs Celso & Jun with PBGen Okubo & PCol/PP Gapas.

Rotarian's Scholarship Pledges RY 2022-2023

As of October 27, 2022

1. Anonymous	50k Pd
2. Anonymous	50k Pd
3. PP Ner Laino	25k Pd
4. PP Conrad Cuesta	25k Pd
5. Rtn Manfred Guangko	25k Pd
6. PP Jun Zafra	12k Pd
7. PP Peter Javier	12k
8. Rtn Dennis Albano	12k Pd Bal. 6k
9. Rtn Henry Claravall	6k Pd
10. Rtn Mads Bengua	6k Pd
11. Rtn Ato Basco	6k Pd
12. Rtn Richard Berganos	6k Pd
13. Rtn Gary Ona	5k Pd
14. PP Celso Ylagan	6k Pd
15. Rtn Nicky Ty	6k
16. Rtn Sammy Lazo	6k
17. PP Vic Lim	6k Pd
18. Rtn Noel Go	6k Pd
19. PP Ferd Rivera	6k Pd
20. Rtn Philip Yoon	6k
21. PP Hermie Orbe	6k
22. PP Tito Henson	6k
23. Rtn Flor de Pano	6k Pd

Pangkat Members RY 2022 - 2023

PANGKAT NO. 1

- 1. Pres Bong Paloma - Leader**
2. PP Jun Zafra - Co-L
3. Rtn Jay Bautista
4. Rtn Nesty Carolina
5. PP Conrad Cuesta
6. Rtn Nico David
7. Rtn Rovic De Jesus
8. Rtn. Rtn Tony Diaz
9. Rtn Roehl Fontanilla
10. Rtn. Noel Go
11. Rtn Sammy Lazo
12. PP Esto Lichauco
13. Rtn Demy Magpantay
14. Rtn Gene Menor
15. PP Hermie Orbe
16. Rtn Bart Ronquillo
17. Rtn Vico Sotto

PANGKAT NO. 2

- 1. Dir. Bernard Dy - Leader**
2. Dir. Tet Mallare- Co-L
3. Rtn Henry Claravall
4. PP Topax Colayco
5. PP Benny de Guzman
6. Rtn Flor de Pano
7. Rtn Gerard Estrada
8. Rtn Vince Ermita
9. PRID Raffy Garcia III
10. Rtn. Chony Gimenez
11. Rtn Edison Go
12. PP Ner Laino
13. Rtn Ferdie Legaspi
14. Rtn. Rod Moreno
15. Rtn Fr. Kell Ortega
16. Rtn Roman Romulo
17. Rtn Nicky Ty

PANGKAT NO. 3

- 1. Dir. Jake Oh – Leader**
2. IPP Garrick Ang – Co-L
3. Rtn Mads Bengua
4. Rtn Dickson Berberabe
5. Rtn Benard Bobadilla
6. PP Rene Bocaya
7. Rtn Carlo Doce
8. Rtn Phillip Go
9. Rtn Manfred Guangko
10. Rtn Marlo Guillano
11. PP Peter Javier

12. Rtn. Dante Lardizabal
13. Rtn Nilo Ocampo
14. PP Arjan Ramnani
15. PP Sonny Samson
16. Rtn. Jeffrey Sonora
17. Rtn. Philip Yoon

Pangkat Members RY 2022 - 2023

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PANGKAT NO. 4

- 1. Dir. Ato Basco – Leader**
2. Dir. Dekdek Paloma-Co L
3. PP Bert Albano
4. Rtn Fr. Vincent Amores
5. Rtn Richard Berganos
6. Rtn Pal Bolivar
7. PP Toti Buhain
8. PP RJ Ermita
9. PP Ramy Garcia IV
10. Rtn Cesar Lacuna
11. PP Ogie Lim
12. PP Peping Mabanta
13. Rtn Albert Mendiola
14. Rtn Gary Ona
15. Rtn Rebo Saguisag
16. Rtn Ping Tan
17. Rtn Roland Vasquez

PANGKAT NO. 5

- 1. Dir. Roy Quejada -Leader**
2. PP John Javier – Co-L
3. Rtn Dennis Albano
4. PP Jess Acantilado
5. PP Vic Aquino
6. PP Totoy Bartolome
7. Rtn Raj Cordova
8. Rtn Arnel Estaniel
9. PP Rel Gomez
10. PP Tito Henson
11. Rtn Dodot Jaworski
12. Rtn Bebert Lacuna
13. Rtn Ike Ona
14. Rtn Fr. Jojo Opinio
15. Rtn James Porter
16. Rtn Sonny Rivera
17. Rtn Jecko Santos

PANGKAT NO. 6

- 1. PE Adolf Aran – Leader**
2. Rtn Anson Tan - Co-L
3. Rtn Roman Arugay
4. Rtn Oyie Averilla
5. Rtn Ben Baniel
6. Rtn Chito Bernardo
7. Rtn Johan De Guzman
8. PP Nick Guzman
9. Rtn Charlie Jaramillo
10. Rtn Alex Lacson
11. PP Vic Lim

12. Rtn. Peter Pancho
13. Rtn Charles Reyes
14. PP Ferd Rivera
15. PP Henry Uy
16. Rtn Stephen Valera
17. PP Celso Ylagan

From the Secretary's Desk

Sec. PP John Javier



Attendance

Members Present36
 % of Attendance (10/20/22).....35%

Birthday Celebrants for the Month of October 2022

Wedding Anniversaries for the Month of October 2022

From the Secretary's Desk

Sec. PP John Javier

Continuation 1

Guest and Visiting Rotarians

1. PP Bobot Guevarra, RC Metro Pasig
2. PP Amie Llona, RC Pasig East
3. Pres. Reiner Lacsamana, RC Pasig East
4. PP Zaldy Gapas, RC Pasig Premier
5. Pat. Mary Grace Cabatic, PNP SAF
6. PBGen Edgar Alan Okubo, PNP SAF
7. Pat. Jhon Felix Cruz, PNP SAF
8. Pem Sammy Buenaventura, PNP SAF
9. PCPL Ma. Kristabelle Aguio, PNP SAF
10. Pat. Leah Latag, PNP SAF
11. Pat. Carlos Mark Borromeo, PNP SAF
12. Pat. Mark Russel Dimla, PNP SAF

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MAKE-UP SLIP

This serves as proof of your attendance

Name of Visiting Rotarian

Name of Rotary Club

RC – Pasig Club Secretary: _____ **Date:** _____