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# CENTRAL NEWSBITS

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER  
OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF CENTRAL BUTUAN



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Hope-creating Club President  
RY 2023 - 2024



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## THE 4-WAY TEST

of the things, we think, say, or do:

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all?

## THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- **FIRST:** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
- **SECOND:** High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- **THIRD:** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;
- **FOURTH:** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

## ROTARIAN CODE OF CONDUCT

The following code of conduct has been adopted for the use of Rotarians:

**AS A ROTARIAN,** I will

1. Act with integrity and high ethical standards in my personal and professional life
2. Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect
3. Use my professional skills through Rotary to: Mentor young people, help those with special needs, and improve people's quality of life in my community and in the world
4. Avoid behavior that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians
5. Help maintain a harassment-free environment in Rotary meetings, events, and activities, report any suspected harassment, and help ensure non-retaliation to those individual that report harassment.

## THE HISTORY OF OUR CLUB

Our existence as a new club is rather swift but long in preparation, expeditious but not impulsive. We loosely met somewhere in June 2010 as old fellas trying to rekindle the flames of camaraderie and bonding. Like old shoes that fit easily, we jelled well and got serious in our intention of putting up a club in the months that followed.

We submitted our documents for application in Mid-October of 2010 and then paid our registration fees on the 5th of November 2010. While waiting, at least for of our prospective members were asked at random by the Rotary International just to gauge whether we are able, willing, and ready to be recognized as a club.

On the 4th of December 2010, we learned that our club got the resounding approval effective 26th day of November 2010 by the Rotary International which made us jubilant and awed. In six months, more or less, we were hatched as a new club ready to take the challenge.

Our existence likewise is sort of paradoxical. We are young but not neophytes. On the other hand, we are mature enough but not that old. We are simply as old as our fears before, and now we are young as our hopes.

Like the Phoenix, we have just risen from the ashes of our past and now we are born again. Like a seed that has fallen on the ground and died, we have now germinated and started to welcome the sun. Like the lyrics of the song rendered in a rephrased manner, we have just shed our leaves in winter only to make them grow back in spring. Like a ball, we have hit the bottom and now we are bouncing back again.

We may profound that just like a butterfly, we have metamorphosed and emerged from the cocoon as a new creation and it dawned on us - as if during the 6th day of God's creation that we found ourselves complete in our complementation and it was very good.

We come a long way and we intend to continue via a brand new start, believing that we have promises to keep and miles to go in order for us to continue fulfilling our mission to the lest of our brethren. And continue we shall, considering that "They profit who serve best."



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# About the Cover



*Hope-creating Club President Ryan Pulleros during the Opening Ceremonies of 2024 District Conference in Davao City last May 3, 2024.*

*Hope-creating Club President Ryan Pulleros, PHF+1, PHS is the 13th Club President of the Rotary Club of Central Butuan.*

"By continuing what we do best, by remaining open and willing to change, and by keeping our focus on building peace in the world and within ourselves, Rotary helps create a more peaceful world — a more hopeful world."

**R. Gordon R. McInally**  
Rotary International President  
RY 2023-2024



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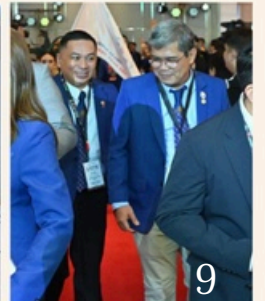
**END  
POLIO  
NOW**

**2024 District Conference**  
in Davao City last May 3 to 4, 2024





# 2024 District Conference Opening Ceremonies





## 2024 District Conference Fellowship Night





# 2024 District Conference TRF & District Awards







# 2024 District Conference Governor's Night





District Grant Project from The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International, District 3860.

# TURNOVER OF DESKTOP SEALER TO PHILIPPINE RED CROSS AGUSAN DEL NORTE-BUTUAN CITY CHAPTER

The members, spouses and rotaractors of the Rotary Club of Central Butuan, headed by Hope-creating Club President Ryan Pulleros donated a Terumo T-Seal XS1010 (Desktop Sealer) to Philippine Red Cross Agusan del Norte - Butuan City Chapter on May 7, 2024 at Phil. Red Cross grounds.

This is a District Grant Project from The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International, District 3860.

The Desktop Blood Bag Tube Sealer is a compact equipment to seal the blood bags by high frequency sealing system.

Present during the turnover is Mr. Alger Boter, the Chapter Administrator of Phil. Red Cross Agusan del Norte - Butuan City Chapter, Dir. Joanna Cuenca, the Chairman of Board of Directors, Dr. Leonardo Pedrosa and other Red Cross staffs.



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Acquaintance  
**Fellowship**

Connections

Opportunity

Education

**Service**

Community

Understanding

International

**Diversity**

Youth  
Peace

Membership

Commitments

United

Expertise

Action Fair Respectful Ethical  
**Integrity**

Accountability

Honor

Relationships

Development

**Leadership**

Sincere

Responsible

Professional





Happy  
Birthday

**PAG Dohra**



WISHING YOU A DAY FILLED  
WITH JOY AND A YEAR FILLED  
WITH HAPPINESS.

# GEAR AWARDS 2024 IN BAGUIO

The picturesque city of Baguio recently played host to one of the most anticipated events in the Rotaract calendar. This prestigious event celebrated the achievements and dedication of Rotaract Clubs across the Philippines, highlighting their exemplary service projects, leadership, and community impact.

The GEAR Awards is a platform designed to recognize and celebrate the hard work and accomplishments of Rotaract Clubs. These awards highlight the clubs' innovative projects, outstanding service, and commitment to make a difference in their communities. Held in the cool and charming city of Baguio, the event brought together Rotaractors from all over the Philippines for a night of celebration and inspiration.

The GEAR Awards also recognized individual Rotaractors who have exhibited exceptional leadership and dedication. These leaders serve as role models, inspiring others to take on leadership roles and contribute to the Rotaract movement.

Throughout the evening, numerous awards were presented to Rotaract clubs excelling in various categories, including community service, professional development, public image, and club growth. Each award category recognized the unique efforts and innovative projects that have addressed local needs and contributed to the broader goals of Rotary International.

Rotaract Club of Central Butuan received the following awards:

## ROTARACT CLUB OF CENTRAL BUTUAN

Bronze Exemplary Award

## CHRISTIAN JADE G. AZURA

Tenureship Award (8 years in service)

Dual Membership Award

## KENNETH D. BANLUTA

Dual Membership Award

## ESTEFANO SALINANA

Polio Plus Society Member

Paul Harris Fellow

## JEFFERSON ANDRES

Polio Plus Society Member

Paul Harris Fellow

The GEAR Awards in Baguio City underscored the commitment of the Pilipinas Rotaract Multi-District Organization to foster growth, engagement, achievement, and recognition within the Rotaract community. The event highlighted the incredible impact that Rotaract Clubs and their members can have when they are empowered, supported, and celebrated.

*by Shekinah Eupera*



MAY 2024

# Regular Meetings

# MEETINGS & FELLOWSHIPS



Central Butuan  
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14<sup>th</sup>

# INDUCTION OF OFFICERS & HANDOVER CEREMONIES



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RYAN C. FULLEROS, P<sup>+</sup>J<sup>+</sup>H<sup>+</sup>F<sup>+</sup>r, P<sup>+</sup>J<sup>+</sup>H<sup>+</sup>S  
Hope Creating President  
R.Y. 2023-2024

JUNE  
07  
2024



**THE MAGIC**  
OF ROTARY

JAME D. HERMOSADA, P<sup>+</sup>J<sup>+</sup>H<sup>+</sup>F<sup>+</sup>  
Irresistible President  
R.Y. 2024-2025

Friday | 05:00 PM | Hotel Ozis  
JC Aquino Avenue, Butuan City, Philippines 8600  
Glitz and Glamour Attire

# WE CELEBRATE DIVERSITY



# Hope Creating Club Officers of Rotary Club of Central Butuan

Ryan C. Pulleros, PHF+1, PHS  
Alain James G. Buque, PHF+1  
Ryan Jae G. Yap, PHF+8, PHS  
Almar E. Dela Cerna, PHF  
Anthony C. Madayag Jr., PHF+5, PHS  
Napoleon N. Malimit, PHF+1  
Melchora U. Donoso, PHF  
Ana Marie C. Fernandez, PHF+1  
Ronnie D. Daumar, PHF  
Benjie C. Rollon, PHF

Eliseo D. Malayao, PHF+2  
Jehoven M. Guilot, PHF  
Enrique G. Andres, PHS, Major Donor L1

Rohdora J. Canlas, PHF+3  
Kenneth D. Banluta, PHF  
Mary Grace P. Villanueva, PHF+7, PHS  
Enrique G. Andres, PHS, Major Donor L1

Reynaldo E. Baltazar  
Magdaline L. Ocampo, PHF+1  
Jame D. Hermosada, PHF  
Kherstin Amor C. Josen, PHF  
Armie Leila M. Mordeno, PHF+1  
Analee M. Bokingo, PHF+2  
Richellie Mae Y. Cordova, PHF+1  
Christian Jade G. Azura, PHF

Noel M. Ajoc, PHF  
Romel M Natad, PHF+3  
Rino F. Te, PHF+6  
Rotela Fatima A. Ortiz, PHF  
Arfe L. Bermudez, PHF+1  
John A. Uy, PHF+4  
Mario Y. Chu Jr., PHS, Major Donor L1  
Pai Hsin C. Chou, PHF  
Norberto D. Ventura, PHF

President  
Vice President  
Secretary  
Asst. Secretary  
Treasurer  
Asst. Treasurer  
Auditor  
Asst. Auditor  
Sgt. At Arms

Protocol Officer  
Club Internet Officer  
Club Admin Officer

Membership Chair  
Public Image Chair  
The Rotary Foundation Chair  
Service Projects Chair

Peace Building & Conflict Prevention Committee Chair  
Disease Prevention & Treatment Committee Chair  
Water, Sanitation & Hygiene Committee Chair  
Maternal & Child Health Committee Chair  
Basic Education & Literacy Committee Chair  
Community Economic Development Committee Chair  
Environment Committee Chair  
Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee Chair

Club Service Director  
Vocational Service Director  
Community Service Director  
Youth Service Director  
International Service Director

DRRM

# Roster of Members of Rotary Club of Central Butuan

<u>MEMBER ID</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>CLASSIFICATION</u>
11595893	Noel M. Ajoc, PHF	Government Service - Regional Director
6657364	Eleanor L. Albaran, PHF	Clothing Boutique
8349989	Enrique G. Andres, PHS, MDL1	General Merchandise
10800023	Christian Jade G. Azura, PHF	Education/Events Management
11516502	Reynaldo E. Baltazar	Security Service
10337799	Kenneth D. Banluta, PHF	Government Service - Public Information
9101089	Ande J P. Baulete, PHF	IT Industry
6944945	Arfe L. Bermudez, PHF+1	Nursing Service
11115130	Analee M. Bokingo, PHF+2	Real Estate
8306099	Alain James G. Buque, PHF+1	Public Service
8739300	Rohdora J. Canlas, PHF+3	Government Service - General Service
10946302	Pai Hsin C. Chou, PHF	Bicycle-Retailing
8229829	Mario Y. Chu Jr., PHS, MDL1	Hotel Inn and Bars Owner
10946307	Richellie Mae Y. Cordova, PHF+1	Engineering-Professional
10284874	Ronnie D. Daumar, PHF	Pest Control
10279568	Almar E. Dela Cerna, PHF	Government Service - Research
9653594	Melchora U. Donoso, PHF	Commercial Banking
11830525	Jason Alex B. Famador	Health & Safety
9101082	Anna Marie C. Fernandez, PHF+1	Marketing
9375461	Jehoven M. Guilot, PHF	IT Industry - Programming
11516499	Jame D. Hermosada, PHF	Insurance-Nonlife
11357266	Kherstin Amor C. Joson, PHF	Beauty Salon
9653598	Anthony C. Madayag Jr., PHF+5, PHS	Medical Supplies Distribution
6017190	Eliseo D. Malayao, PHF+2	Metal Engraving
8521376	Napoleon N. Malimit, PHF+1	Manufacturing - Fire Extinguisher
9381979	Armie Leila M. Mordeno, PHF+1	Government Service
6944941	Romel M. Natad, PHF+3	Government Service - Provincial Director
11093503	Magdaline L. Ocampo, PHF+1	Nursing Service
10668521	Randyllle Shane B. Occida, PHF	Nursing Service
9375478	Erelon Simeon N. Ongcoy, PHF+3	General Merchandise
11511828	Rotela Fatima A. Ortiz, PHF	Lawyer-Labor
8229837	Cesar T. Palma, PHF	Construction & Supply
1183052	Charlene S. Plaza	Lawyer-Profession
10344804	Ryan C. Pulleros, PHF+1, PHS	Construction & Supply
11516502	Benjie C. Rollon, PHF	Rice and Feed Supply
11830518	Ria Noreen H. Salinana, PHF	Occupational Therapy
8563088	Ver Joeven C. Tanginan, PHF	Commercial Banking
6762934	Rino F. Te, PHF+6	Printing and Wellness Industry
6017203	John A. Uy, PHF+4	Food Processing Industry
6762474	Norberto D. Ventura, PHF	Bakeshop
9653611	Mary Grace P. Villanueva, PHF+7, PHS	Real Estate
9990932	Ryan Jae G. Yap, PHF+8, PHS	Auto Repair



**CP Eliseo D. Malayao**  
 PHF+2  
 2010-2012



**PP John A. Uy**  
 PHF+4  
 2012-2013



**PP Mario Y. Chu, Jr**  
 PHS, Major Donor Level 1  
 2013-2014



**PP Norberto D. Ventura**  
 PHF  
 2014-2015



**PP Romel M. Natad**  
 PHF+3  
 2015-2016



**PAG Enrique G. Andres**  
 PHS, Major Donor Level 1  
 2016-2017



**PP Rino F. Te**  
 PHF+6  
 2017-2018



**PP Napoleon N. Malimit**  
 PHF+1  
 2018-2019



**PAG Rohdora J. Canlas**  
 PHF+3  
 2019-2020



**AG Ryan Jae G. Yap**  
 PHF+8, PHS  
 2020-2021



**PP Mary Grace P. Villanueva**  
 PHF+7, PHS  
 2021-2022



**IPP Anthony C. Madayag Jr**  
 PHF+5, PHS  
 2022-2023



**Pres. Ryan C. Pulleros**  
 PHF+1, PHS  
 2023-2024

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HAPPY  
Birthday  
**May**  
**Celebrants!**

- 1 - RTN. ERELON SIMEON ONGCOY
- 4 - SPOUSE FANNIE AJOC
- 6 - SPOUSE MA. CELYN BUQUE
- 7 - PAG ROHDORA CANLAS
- 20 - PDG LILU ALIÑO
- 22 - SPOUSE ERLYN MALAYAO
- 24 - RAC JEFFERSON ANDRES
- 26 - RTN. VER JOEVEN TANGINAN



Rozanne Twinkle C. Gamboa  
District Governor  
Rotary Year 2023-2024

Rotary   
District 3860



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