Enjoy Rotary!

Rotary Club of Marbel Original Theme Song (Lyrics: PP Camilo Dajay, Composer: Ryan

When life becomes short and complicated
When all you see is poverty and misery
When you are bored and discontented
And your days seem cold and dreary
It's time to get up, move on, and make new friends
The joy of serving others
Is felt by each Rotarian
Come take your place under the sun
Join us and have so much fun

If you want to be happy
Join Rotary
If you want to be loved
Embrace Rotary
If you want peace and harmony
Serve with Rotary

The Rotary Club of Marbel
Our Home
Our Passion
Our Family
All for the service of humanity

Rotary Club of Marbel Rotary Club of Marbel Rotary!









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THE FOUR-WAY TEST

of the things we think, say, or do:

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to ALL concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to ALL concerned?

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 international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

























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Our Mission

We provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through our fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.

Our Core Values

Our values are an increasingly important component in strategic planning because they drive the intent and direction of the organization's leadership.

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on	held at Koronadal City, South
Cotabato, Philippines.	

RTN. RHEA E. SAVARIZ

Executive Secretary





37th General Membership Meeting and Fellowship

PROGRAM FLOW

PART I. Registration and Dinner

PART II. Meeting Proper

Call to Order PRES, ILAH MARIE L. LABRADOR

Invocation Overture

Philippine National Anthem Overture

Rotary Hymn Overture

Where Hope is Planted Overture

Four-Way Test and Object of Rotary PP JESSIE P. CRUZ

Acknowledgement of Visiting Rotarians/Guests

Agenda:

- RC Marbel Charter Anniversary Celebration on June 25, 2024
- Area 3H ACOM Meeting updates and incoming projects/activities
- 45th Induction and Handover Ceremonies preparation and updates
- Other matters

Secretary's Report PE JANINE C. PRING

President's Message and adjournment PRES. ILAH MARIE L. LABRADOR

PART III. Fellowship

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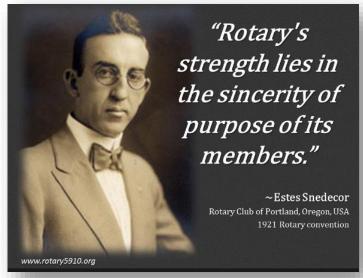


Invocation

Dear Lord, we ask you to bless our club each day and night and keep it in thy shining light. Bless our thoughts, our every task And keep them pure and ever steadfast. Grant us love and peace of mind And keep our faith in all mankind. Amen.



Inspiring Quote







The club is a proud recipient of various TRF Matching Grants such as Adopt-a-Harelip Project with the Rotaract Club of Johor Bahru (Malaysia) of District 3310, Vitamin A supplementation, and cataract operation. The club has been also a recipient of World Community Service projects from RI District 2790 of Chiba, Japan on school building construction, feeding program, literacy, water supply and sanitation, cataract and harelip operation.

In cooperation with international and national medical societies, the club hosted medical and dental missions for various indigent communities in South Cotabato. This project was awarded as the Most Outstanding by the District. The club itself is also a recipient of numerous "Most Outstanding Club awards" in recognition for its dedication and commitment to do fair share in making the community a better place to live.

In 2005-2010, Koronadal City and Department of Education City Division awarded the club as one of the outstanding civic organization in Koronadal City during its Charter Day celebration.

The club had garnered string of awards from Rotary International and District. The highly-esteemed name it had carved in the community is a clear sign that it had accomplished its goals. It is not a reason to complacent, however. Every Rotary Year president aims to equal, or even surpass, the outstanding achievement that their predecessors had consummated for the club. To widen our network, expand our collaborative work for the good of humanity, we forged sisterhood agreements with Singapore, Johor Bahru, Davao, and Alabang LAMPARA.

The club is not only well-known for the delivery of service projects but also its contributions to The Rotary Foundation (TRF). It produced the first Paul Harris Fellow in the Rotary Year 1994-1995. From then onwards, annual contribution to TRF becomes usual thus, became a Paul Harris Fellow (PHF). Club in 2018 and still consistently generous until today. Also, some club members doing great service as district and club officers.

Apart from its zeal to extend help to the needy, members became popular in District 3860 with their unique innovations in folk and modern dances.

The strength of the club lies in each member's commitment to the motto 'Service above Self' and to a feeling of unity within the Rotary Club of Marbel family. Whether it is in the good times to work together on club projects or during the sad times having personal tragedies. Membership retention is vitally important to retain a solid core and membership development is important for the long-term future of the club. The club is proud to have among its members outstanding leaders in the community not only in their respective professions or businesses but also in their passionate involvement in the Rotary service.

These may not be much crow about, but in humble way, the Rotary Club of Marbel during its 43 years of journey had shared time and resources with the least of the brethren in places and instances most appreciated. Through the years, it delivered myriads of projects benefitting the less fortunate members of the community.

Our commitment of service never ends. The Rotary Club of Marbel will continue to serve the humanity to be an inspiration in helping to change lives and creating hope in the world!

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It started when Attorney Paul Harris desired for camaraderie among business associates brought together of four men in downtown Chicago. After practice of subsequent rotating meeting location, they decided to call it as Rotary Club of which eventually led to an international organization of service and fellowship. The organization's dedication to this ideal is best expressed in its motto: Service Above Self.

As Rotary grew, members pooled their resources and used their talents to serve their communities. There are 34,282 member clubs worldwide, 1.2 million neighbors, friends, and community leaders called Rotarians have joined these clubs to create positive, lasting change in the communities around the globe.

The Rotary Club of Koronadal then, was the only Rotary Club in the municipality of Marbel (now City of Koronadal). The committee on Club Extension headed by Past President (PP) Tolosa came up to the idea of forming one additional club in the growing City of Koronadal. In mid-1979, they searched for young, dynamic and well-respected professionals who will compose the new club.

It was June 30, 1980 when the Rotary Club of Marbel (Koronadal) has been approved by Rotary International (RI). The late PP Gerardo Calaliman was the Charter President who led the club its birth pains, surviving the odds and establishing a name worthy of respect and prestige that every Rotary Club brings. As years sped fast, new blood was brought in regardless of religion, gender, or political preference.

The club's flagship projects includes medical, dental, and surgical mission; literacy and feeding; career orientation to graduating high school students; anti-bullying and I love English campaign; Adopt-a-Day Care Centers; support the school for the deaf at Koronadal Pilot Elementary School; annual December gift-giving and feeding; breast cancer awareness activities; environmental projects such as tree planting in the mountain areas of Lake Sebu and City of Koronadal, coastal clean-up in the shores of Sarangani Bay and General Santos City as well as B'lok Creek together with different national line agencies. All One Rotary, One District activities were also participated.



The club sponsored the Rotaract Club of Notre Dame of Marbel University (school-based) in 1988 and organized the Interact Club of Koronadal National Comprehensive High School (KNCHS) in 2014. The Rotaract Club of Korbel (school-based) and Interact Club of Korbel were also organized during the inspiring Rotary year 2018-2019. During the pandemic era in 2021, the first community-based – Rotaract Club of Marbel was born which composed of young professionals.









Presidential MESSAGE

JUNE 2024

R. Gordon R. MacInally
RI President 2023-2024

It's customary for a Rotary president in the final month in office to recap the past year on this page, and I am proud of all we have achieved together. But I want to focus on our future, and that begins with polio.

We have reached an astonishing 3 billion children with the polio vaccine, and we have averted an estimated 20 million cases of paralysis. But it's not enough. We must continue supporting the End Polio Now campaign to reach zero cases and keep our promise to the world's children.

Polio is not our only global commitment. In fact, Rotary has been working toward global peace even longer. Spreading Positive Peace through service projects and Rotary Peace Centers around the world is more important than ever.

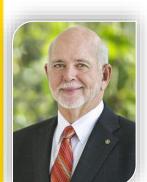
We must also continue to build peace from within, and that begins with supporting mental health and wellness among our fellow Rotary members and the communities we serve. Rotary has an opportunity to help build a global mental health system that currently does not exist, and I urge all members to consider joining the Rotary Action Group on Mental Health Initiatives to keep up the momentum we began this year.

It's been the honor of a lifetime to serve as your president. You have given Heather and me memories we will cherish forever. I look forward to our continued friendship and our collective commitment to *Create Hope in the World*.









Trustee's Chair Message

Barry Rassin

JUNE 2024

Every June, we in Rotary look back at our accomplishments and plan for what's next. For me, this month is the end of seven years in Rotary leadership that began as president-elect of RI.

It's remarkable how far we have come during that time, and how much we've done through The Rotary Foundation. We wouldn't be where we are without your support and without you dreaming big.

A few months back, I saw these big dreams when I visited a hospital in

India where doctors perform 4,200 pediatric heart surgeries a year thanks to a global grant. I will never forget the hospital in Taiwan where ambulances funded by another Foundation grant have doubled the survival rate for heart patients. And these examples barely scratch the surface; your Foundation awarded 1,098 global grants during the 2022-23 Rotary year. Think about the scale of that work — the magnitude of our impact.

Our Programs of Scale initiatives around the world are more proof of how big dreams are becoming reality. We have grant recipients working to end malaria in Zambia, reduce the mortality rate of mothers and infants in Nigeria, and eliminate cervical cancer in Egypt. Soon, our fourth program of scale will get started, dedicated to sustainable farming in India.

Through your support, our dream of spreading peace is growing, with the Otto and Fran Walter Rotary Peace Center set to welcome its first students at Bahçeşehir University in Istanbul next year. And if we hadn't envisioned a better world and supported PolioPlus, would it have been possible that Nigeria would be declared polio-free, as it was in 2020?

This is why your support of the Foundation is so critical. We set an ambitious fundraising goal of \$500 million this year. We are well on our way to reaching the goal, and with the support of everyone reading this we'll make it. I'm especially counting on Rotary members who have not yet contributed. Whatever you give, know that your gift will make a difference, whether it's for polio eradication, literacy initiatives, peace education, or any other area in which Rotary excels.

These seven years have been a fantastic run for me. I have met so many passionate leaders in Rotary, Rotaract, Interact, and other members of our Rotary family. You have all inspired me with your drive and the big dreams you dare to dream.

All I can do is say thank you. I can't wait to see how far those Rotary dreams will take us in the years ahead.







ROTARY YEAR	RI LOGO	RI THEME	CLUB PRESIDENT
2002-2003	· ·	"Sow the Seeds of Love"	Rolan "Rolan" A. Alajar
2003-2004	Lend a Hand	"Lend a Hand"	Roland "Roland" Asperga
2004-2005	CELEBRATE ROTARY NO	"Celebrate Rotary"	Noel "Noel" M. Dungca ⁺
2005-2006	SERVICE Above Self	"Service Above Self"	Camilo "Toto" L. Dajay
2006-2007	Acres no	"Lead the Way"	Datu Tungko "Dats" M. Saikol
2007-2008		"Rotary Shares"	Mark Marie "Mark" G. Bantug
2008-2009	Make Breams Real	"Make Dreams Real"	Jessie "Jessie" P. Cruz
2009-2010	and the second second	"The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands"	Marie Antonina "Junette" Hurtado
2010-2011	SULDING COMMUNITIES BRIDDING CONFIDENTS	"Building Communities, Bridging Continents"	Juanito "Johnny" C. Cueva
2011-2012	63	"Reach Within to Embrace Humanity"	Leodegario "Leo" R. Santos, Jr.
2012-2013	Peace	"Peace Through Service"	Antonio "Tony" M. Vicente
2013-2014	The state of the s	"Engage Rotary Change Lives"	Carlo "Carlo" S. Precioso
2014-2015	in the second se	"Light Up Rotary"	Leandro Ador "Ador" A. Dizon
2015-2016	The a gain to the world	"Be A Gift to the World"	Nolito "Lito" B. Prudencio
2016-2017	ROTARY SERVING SHIMANITY	"Rotary Serving Humanity"	Randy "Rhandz" S. Baldelovar
2017-2018	SOUND: MARING A DOFFERING	"Rotary: Making a Difference"	Jason Anthony "Jay" Y. Garcia
2018-2019	BE THE INSPIRATION	"Be the Inspiration"	Leween Jan "Leween" P. Santos
2019-2020	Windows Comments Comments	"Rotary Connects the World"	Philip Leonard "Philip" T. Escueta
2020-2021	Rotary Opens Opportunities	"Rotary Opens Opportunities"	Andrew Robert "Andy" W. Atkins
2021-2022	SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES	"Serve to Change Lives"	Evelyn "Bing" P. Tampus
2022-2023	imagine ROTARY	"Imagine Rotary"	Francis Ian "Ian" A. Fedoc
	BENJAMIN M	I. GARCIA, Major Donor Level 3 District 3860 Governor Rotary Year 2018-2019 "Be the Inspiration"	

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OTARY YEAR	RILOGO	RI THEME	CLUB PRESIDENT
1980-1981		"Take Time to Serve"	Gerardo "Gerry" Calaliman
1981-1982	0	"World Understanding and Peace Through Rotary"	Benjamin "Bing" M. Garcia
1982-1983	7	"Mankind is One-Build Bridges of Friendship Throughout the World"	Pedro "Pete" Torres
1983-1984	Share Roberty—	"Share Rotary - Serve People"	Tranquilino "Jun" Araral, Jr.
1984-1985	Shaper a bias Shelf of Sarchs	"Discover a New World of Service"	Bernardo "Jun" Dignadice, Jr.
1985-1986	*	"You are the Key"	Gerardo "Gerry" S. Cruz
1986-1987		"Rotary Brings Hope"	Perfecto "Pitok" Sueno, Jr.
1987-1988	₹ 9 ° °	"United in Service Dedicated to Peace"	Romulo "Romy" Rafael⁺
1988-1989	ā	"Put Life in Rotary - Your Life"	Jose "Peps" Barroso
1989-1990		"Enjoy Rotary"	Benjamin "Ben" D. Pajaro
1991.		"Honor Rotary with Faith and Enthusiasm"	Claro "Caloy" Precioso
1991-1992	Lock Beyond Kenned Co.	"Look Beyond Yourself"	Pio "Pio" Mariñas
1992-1993	TA MA	"Real Happiness is Helping Others"	Nazario "Boy" Grecia Antonio "Tony" M. Vicente
1993-1994	Believe in what you do Do what you believe in	"Believe In what You Can Do - Do what You Believe In"	Delfin "Bong" O. Riego de Dios
1994-1995	2	"Be A Friend"	Emmanuel "Manny" Reinoso
1995-1996		"Act with Integrity - Serve with Love - Work for Peace"	Edgardo "Ed" Barrios
1996-1997		"Build the Future with Action and Vision"	Loreta "Loring" C. Sy
1997-1998	An Kery Cars	"Show Rotary Cares"	Jose "Joe" Cagampang
1998-1999	COUNT POINT	"Follow Your Rotary Dream"	Arnold "Nonoy" G. Garcia
1999-2000		"Act with Consistency, Credibility, Continuity"	Alfredo "Fred" E. dela Peña
2000-2001	UNIX METON	"Create Awareness Take Action"	Suzanne "Zanne" Araquil
2001-2002		"Mankind is Our Business"	Floro "Puyot" D. Calixton







Message from the Club President

Rtn. Ilah Marie L. Labrador, PHF



I am honored to extend my deepest gratitude to each and every one of you for your unwavering support and dedication throughout the Rotary Year 2023-2024. Your tireless efforts, contributions to the Rotary Foundation, and generous sharing of time and resources have truly made a significant impact on our club's activities and projects.

Your commitment to service above self has not gone unnoticed, and I am continually inspired by the passion and enthusiasm you bring to our club. Together, we have achieved remarkable milestones and created lasting memories that we will cherish for years to come.

As we reflect on the happy moments we have shared together, let us continue to uphold the ideals of Rotary and work towards making a positive difference in our community and beyond. Your collective efforts have exemplified the true spirit of Rotary, and I am proud to serve alongside such dedicated individuals.

Thank you once again for your invaluable contributions and unwavering support. I look forward to continuing our journey together and creating even more impactful projects in the future with our incoming President Janine Pring and the irresistible club officers.

I am a proud RC Marbel member and have worked with such active and vibrant members!















The Secretary's Report

Rtn. Janine C. Pring, PHF



- We have an unforgettable Rotary International (RI) Convention last May 25-29, 2024 in Singapore. Thank you to the following Rotarians and Spouses who attended and witnessed the event:
 - PDG Benjamin Garcia and Spouse Virginia
 - 2. Pres. llah Marie Labrador
 - PE Janine Pring
 - 4. Rtn. Ma. Victoria Tan
 - Rtn. Alexander Guyos
 - 6. Ms. Riyu Sadiang-abay
- Incoming Assistant Governor Evelyn Tampus led the Area 3H Committee Meeting (ACoM) on June 7, 2024, at Moonplate Resto and Grill in Koronadal City, gathering club Presidents and Secretaries. The meeting focused on upcoming activities and projects, including the Rotary New Year celebration, Bloodletting Activity, Breast Cancer Awareness initiatives, End Polio activities, and other planned endeavors.





ROTARY OBSERVATION MONTHS









































JUNE CELEBRATORS



June 9 PAG Jay Garcia



June 11 Rtn. Kano Adalin



June 3 PP Toto & Spouse Gigi Dajay



June 3 PP Mark and Beth Bantug



June 20 PAG Randy & Spouse Tess Baldelovar



June 28 PN Jun & Spouse Arlene Fresco

































ADALIN, VIRGILIO H., PHF Spouse: Nancy

Dentistry



ALAJAR, ROLANA., PHF·3 Spouse: Celestina, PHF+1 Optometry



ATKINS, ANDREW ROBERT W., PHF Spouse: Sherill Social Work



BALDELOVAR, RANDY S., PHF Spouse: Theresa Life Insurance



BANTUG, MARK MARIE G., PHF's Spouse: Elizabeth, PHF Chemical Sales &



BENDITA, JESSON G.

Medicine - Cardiology



BERNARDO, LOUIE O. Spouse: Sherryl Banking - Commercial



NORR G.
Architecture



U., PHF+2

Medicine - Nephrology



Distribution

CHIU, CHRISTIAN
VALEEN R., PHF
Spouse: Jillian
Distribution - IT



CRUZ, GERARDO S., PHF·2 Spouse: **Tessie**, PHF Management Services



CRUZ, JESSIE P., PHF·3
Spouse: Nemia
Pawnshop

Management



DAJAY, CAMILO L., PHF Spouse: Gertrudes Medicine - General

Surgery



Fuel Sales & Distribution



B., PHF Spouse: Arianne Pauline

Printing Services



DELA PEÑA, ALFREDO
E., PHF·6
Spouse: Maria
Henrietta, PHF
Real Estate Development



LEONARD T., PHF
Government ServiceSocial Welfare



FEDOC, FRANCIS IAN A., PHF*1 Spouse: Ivy Public Utilities-Electric



JR. A., PHF
Spouse: Arlene
Water Management



Spouse: Myrna

Auto Parts & Services



GARCIA, BENJAMIN M., MAJOR DONOR LEVEL 3
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DANIEL NORR G.

BUMARAS

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Transformation Officer

CREATE HOPE



LEWEEN JAN

P. SANTOS

Service Projects



ROLAN

A. ALAJAR

Community Service





PAG GERARDO S. CRUZ



M. VICENTE

PP BENJAMIN D. PAJARO

M. GARCIA















June 6, 2024 | 35th General Membership Meeting and Fellowship at the Moonplate Grill and Resto, Koronadal City









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