

Fully paid Members

1st Quarter RY2024-2025

RTN. DOODZ LAPIZ	PAG KIKO LORENZO
RTN. JONG RODRIGUEZ	PE RALPH SOGUILON
DIR BONG VALENCIA	PP DIONI CALLO
IPP ALVIN DEMONTANO	PAG MARIO DIDELES
RTN LEO LABRADOR	PP JUN LORENZO
PP MANNY MONDERO	PO NOEL PIDO
PRES. SAMMY SIA	PE RALPH SOGUILON
TREAS MOSES SUNICO	PP JUN BALOLOT
RTN. REY CORTES	PP REY FRANCISCO
RTN. IAN SELVIDO	PP JEREMY AGUINEA
PP BONG TIONGSON	RTN. MJ TIONGSON
RTN LANDO PANARES	RTN. VINCENT TAN
RTN. BOYET DAULONG	PP RENE ESPIRITU
RTN. ADRIANO NOGODULA	RTN. GRERIC SANTOS
RTN. KIETH CUBERO	RTN. RICHIE TIOSEJO
DIR. KENNETH ANZANO	DIR. TEODORO SALES
RTN. WINSTON TAN	

SEPTEMBER 18, 2024

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Programme

Opening Ceremony

Call to Order	PRES SAMUEL SIA
Reading of Tonight's Prayer	RTN. VINCENT TAN
National Anthem	PE RALPH SOGUILON
Rotary Hymn	RTN. IAN SELVIDO
Object of the Rotary/ 4-Way Test	RTN. GRERIC SANTOS
Intro. of Visiting Rotarians & Guests	RTN. JOEL SANTOS

Fellowship

Community Singing	DIR TEODORO SALES
Celebrity Greetings	RTN. JONG RODRIGUEZ

Club Matters

Treasurer's Time	TREAS. MOSES SUNICO
Secretary's Time	SEC. PEBBIE MATONDO
President's Time & Adjournment	PRES SAMUEL SIA

DIR BOY QUIAPO

Moderator



Celebrity Greetings



Metro Activity

Adolescent Symposium | Sept. 17, 2024 @ Banisil National High School



Tonight's Prayer

We invoke the blessing upon this meeting and on people of goodwill every where. May we prove ourselves worthy citizens of our country.

Devoted to truth, sincere in fellowship, given to service, and confident in steadfast faith.

Preserve us faithful to these ideals. Let us stand firm when the fight is hard.

Give us strength sufficient for this day.

Make us as big as our problems and to stay bigger than our responsibilities.

God help us to live up to our capabilities.

Amen.



RI President's Message



STEPHANIE A. URCHICK

President
Rotary International
RY 2024-2025

The Magic of Rotary is belonging, and it's a feeling that can appear when you least expect it.

Earlier this year, I was in Slovakia serving as a president's representative during a six-week trip through

Europe. When I wrote to Katarina Cechova, governor of District 2240 at the time, I mentioned that my grandmother Veronica Zilka grew up in a small village in the area before settling in the U.S.

It wasn't long before Cechova tracked down my grandmother's village, Jakubova Vol'a. She even organized a visit for me, where I received an unforgettable Slovakian welcome.

When I entered the community center of Jakubova Vol'a, a small crowd of people dressed in traditional Slovakian clothing greeted me. They sang with beautiful and powerful Central European voices that reminded me of my grandmother.

A lot of families play cards or games when they get together. When I was young, my father would pick up his accordion and lead my family in song. My grandmother would sing along with her impressive voice.

When I walked into the community center and heard traditional music from my childhood — when I saw a woman play the accordion the way my dad played — I suddenly felt like a little girl sitting at my grandmother's house in Monessen, Pennsylvania. I burst into tears of joy at the memories.

But the magic didn't stop there. District Governor Cechova really outdid herself. A local genealogist worked with a videographer to make a short film about my grandmother. We watched the video together in the community center.

When the video ended, I turned around and saw a man standing in the back of the room. I quickly learned that this stranger, Frantisek Zilka, was my second cousin. His grandmother and mine had been sisters



Secretary's Report



PEBBIE MATONDO

Secretary
Rotary Club of Metro Dadiangas
RY 2024-2025

SEPTEMBER 18, 2024

Date of Meeting	Total Membership	# of Members Used in Calculating the Attendance	# of Members Present	# of Members Made-Up	%
SEPT. 11, 2024	71	71	60	0	86%
AVERAGE ATTENDANCE					86%



Treasurer's Report



MOSES DEAN SUNICO

Treasurer
Rotary Club of Metro Dadiangas
RY 2024-2025

SEPTEMBER 18, 2024

Date	Transaction Details	DB	CR	Balance
9/17/2024	Bank Balance as of September 10, 2024			₱132,101.21
A.) CASH RECEIPTS				
9/11/2024	Club Collection (September 11 Meeting)	₱14,500.00		₱146,601.21
-do-	TRF/PolioPlus Donations	₱10,800.00		₱157,401.21
*****nothing follows*****				
B. PAYABLES/EXPENSES				
9/4/2024	Meals (Augs 28, Sept. 4, Sept. 11)		₱56,054.00	₱101,347.21
-do-	Purchase of Hygiene Kits for Sept. 17 project		₱9,000.00	₱92,347.21
TOTAL EXPENSES			₱65,054.00	
*****nothing follows*****				
TOTAL REMAINING BALANCE AS OF SEPTEMBER 10, 2024				₱92,347.21

COLLECTIBLES

RI & District Dues	96,800.00
45 Induction Pledges & 1500 Contri.	21,000.00
TOTAL COLLECTIBLES	PHP 117,800.00



R.I President's Message

I felt like I had been struck by lightning. I visited my newfound cousin's home, which happens to be the home where my grandmother was born. There, he shared old photographs I had never seen of my dad, my uncle, and my grandmother.

Since then, I can't stop thinking about my family of Rotary. When I refer to you as my family, I'm not just being kind. I really think of everyone in Rotary as my family. But I never would have imagined that my Rotary family would introduce me to long-lost personal family. Sitting in that community center listening to traditional Slovakian music from my childhood filled me with joy and a profound sense of belonging. I am so grateful to District Governor Cechova and everyone who helped create that magical experience.

As members of Rotary, we have a unique opportunity to share the same magic with each other and with the world. I encourage you to consider how you can help spread that magic and ensure other members of your club — other members of our Rotary family — feel like they truly belong.



President's Report



SAMUEL L. SIA

President
Rotary Club of Metro Dadiangas
RY 2024-2025

Good evening fellow Metronians, Rotaractors, & Guests. Thank you for attending our 10th regular club meeting.

Yesterday, September 17, 2024 we were able to accomplish our club project on Adolescent Symposium and Distribution of Hygiene Kits at the Banisil National High School in Tambler, General Santos City. PP Sergio Demontaño Jr was the one instrumental in the realization of this project. Our appreciation to all Metronians who gave their time and efforts to personally handover our donation: Vp John Arcamo, Sec. Pebbie & Lady Jen Matondo, PP Jun Lorenzo, Dir. Bong Valencia, PP Oliver Masendo, & PP Rene Espiritu. Maraming salamat sa inyong lahat.

As our contribution for Supporting Environmental Month of September, our club is the lead club for Areawide(Area 3FG) Bamboo Tree Planting on September 21, 2024. Sec. Pebbie Matondo is our main man on this project. Assembly area is at Robinson's Mall @ 5:45am. Jump off time at 6:00am Our club will supply: 300 pcs Bamboo Seedlings(provided by CENRO Gensan). Hole digging cost P5.00/hole = P1,500.00, Arrozcaldo, Pandesal and Coffee.

We also anticipate our areawide activities next month:



President's Report

October 19, 2023 – Move to End Polio (A bike or run activities). See postings for registration payment. Areacom Presidents decided to have a fundraising for this activity. 50% goes to the sponsoring club and the other half for the expenses of the activities. Any excess will be donated to eradication to End Polio. Deadline of registration to join Bike/Run is on October 06, 2024. Provide size of your shirt.

October 26, 2024 – Breast Cancer. We will have Zumba and Free Medical Check Up. Details will be taken up next meeting

October 29, 2024 – Governor's Visit @ Avior Hotel. Details on next meeting

October 30, 2024 – Governor's Night @Avior Hotel. Details on next meeting.

Together we can enhance the Magic of Rotary.

That is all for tonight's weekly meeting. Thank you & enjoy the rest of the night. #TheMagicHeatIsOn!

