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## ROTARY'S CORE VALUES

*Rotary's Core Values* represent the guiding principles of the organization's culture, including what guides members' priorities and actions within the organization.

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

### **SERVICE**

We believe that our service activities and programs bring about greater world understanding and peace. Service is a major element of our mission. Through the plans and actions of individual clubs, we create a culture of service throughout our organization that provides unparalleled satisfaction for those who serve.

### **FELLOWSHIP**

We believe that individual efforts focus on individual needs, but combined efforts serve humanity. The power of combined efforts knows no limitation, multiplies resources, and broadens our lives and perspectives. Fellowship leads to tolerance and transcends racial, national, and other boundaries.

### **DIVERSITY**

We believe Rotary unifies all people internationally behind the ideal of service.

We encourage diversity of vocations within our membership and in our activities and service work. A club that reflects its business and professional community is a club with a key to its future.

### **INTEGRITY**

We are committed to and expect accountability from our leaders and fellow members, both in the results of our efforts and in the processes we use to accomplish our goals. We adhere to high ethical and professional standards in our work and personal relationships. We are fair and respectful in our interactions, and we conscientiously steward the resources entrusted to us.

### **LEADERSHIP**

We are a global fellowship of individuals who are leaders in their fields of endeavour. We believe in the importance of leadership development and in leadership as a quality of our members. As Rotarians, we are leaders in implementing our core values.

All of these core values are reflected in the Object of Rotary and The Four-Way Test.

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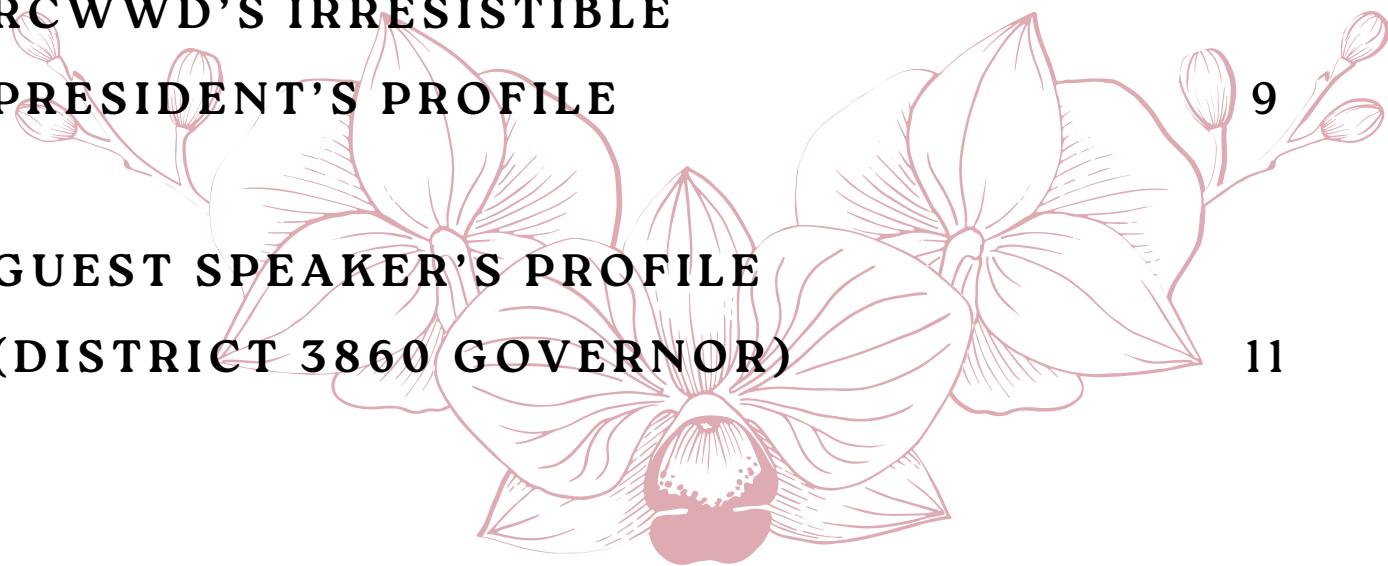
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*Lord, bless this gathering of fellow Rotarians tonight, and invoke a blessing upon this occasion of Rotary fellowship. Make us aware of the significance of this event as we develop our friendships as the source of Rotary service radiating from this community to the wider community beyond.*

*Please enable us to see those who are in need and give us the strength and wisdom to serve our community not as fortunate as we are. Help us lift the burdens of others while we promise to maintain the dignity of humankind. Soften our hearts to be sensitive and loving as we serve together as Rotarians. Help us be fair and kind to those we will cross paths. Help us to be honest and ethical in all our dealings.*

*As we gather here tonight to celebrate and support the good work of our Rotary Foundation, let us reflect on our different faiths and beliefs that have brought us here tonight to DO GOOD IN THE WORLD. May we prove ourselves worthy Rotarians, devoted to truth, sincere in fellowship, and given to service. Keep us faithful to these ideals. Let us stand firm when the fight is hard. We ask that you guide and direct our club, its leaders and our actions.*

*Grant that each of us may feel our responsibility to Rotary, to our community, to our country, and to all countries and peoples. Make us as big as our problems and to stay bigger than our responsibilities. May our motto SERVICE ABOVE SELF that includes serving, caring and sharing be with us as we start a new Rotary Year and spread THE MAGIC OF ROTARY.*

AMEN.



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Rotary International  
President's Message



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Dear Rotary Club of Waling-Waling (Davao) members,

I congratulate you on your 34th installation and handover ceremonies.

Rotary needs your leadership now more than ever if we are to make every club and district an irresistible experience. By following Rotary's Action Plan and making sure all members feel a sense of belonging in your club, you have a special opportunity to inspire members to new heights of service.

Our ability to create lasting change begins with our family of Rotary. Together, it is within our power to bring healing in a divided world.

Join me in making Rotary a source of strength for those who need it most, within and beyond our membership. Let this be the year we harness *The Magic of Rotary*, and let Rotary be known as an organization that takes care of its members as well as the people we serve.

It is within your power to help make your club a beacon of goodwill and fellowship in your community.

I look forward to working beside you as we change the world with *The Magic of Rotary*.

Warm regards,

*Stephanie A. Urchick*



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# Rotary District 3860

## District Governor's Message

Rotary  
District 3860



**Caroline Lee Andrade**  
District Governor, RY  
2024-2025

Greetings!

I am most pleased to join you in this momentous occasion, on your 34th Induction and Hand Over Ceremonies as we warmly welcome the Irresistible Team of the Rotary Club of Waling-Waling Davao led by President Vida Könst.

My sincere congratulations to the Hope Creating team led by President Emmanouelle Zhang, for a successful Rotary Year.

This year we put emphasis on going back to basics, building the club to be strong. We rely on the foundation of friendship, gathering in fellowship and fun in SERVICE. As we lend our time, treasures and talents, let us be inspired by the magical impact of the projects we implement in our community as People of Action. In your continued commitment as people of action, you have shown great strength, passion and commitment as true community builders inspiring each other and working tirelessly to deliver your commitment as Rotarians.

Here's wishing you to be inspired, motivated, committed and united as one team. Together may the Rotary Club of Waling-Waling Davao work hand in hand in achieving greater accomplishment as we start the magical year of service in spreading the Magic of Rotary.

CONGRATULATIONS!





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# Rotary District 3860

## Assistant Governor's Message

Rotary  
District 3860



**Jannette Valderosa**  
Assistant Governor for  
Area 2B, RY 2024-2025

The New Rotary Year is already upon us. I'm excited and I hope you are too.

Rotary is a magic word. It takes ordinary men and women of different vocations and gives them extraordinary opportunities to do more with their lives. Rotary opens a world to us, one that most of us may not even know exists.

With the New Rotary Year comes New aspirations but our fundamentals remain.

The true greatness of being a Rotarian is the opportunity to inspire and influence the principles and ideals of Rotary to others.

I wish us all the best as we set for an Irresistible year ahead.

Yours In Rotary Service,  
AG Jannette Valderosa (Area 2B)



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*RY 2023-2024 President's Message*



**Emmanouelle Zhang**  
RCWWD President, RY  
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Dearest Rotary Club of Waling Waling Davao,

“What we do in life ripples in eternity.” - Marcus Aurelius

As my presidency drew to a close, I express my deepest gratitude to each and every one of you. It has been an incredible honor to serve alongside such dedicated and passionate individuals. To the new set of officers, I extend my heartfelt congratulations. I wish you all the best and pledge my continued support. To the members who have been with me throughout this journey, thank you for your unwavering support and trust. Your dedication and hard work have made all our achievements possible.



Reflecting on my term, I am filled with pride for the milestones we reached together and the lessons we learned. Thank you, once again, for giving me the opportunity to serve as your President. It has been a truly rewarding, humbling, and memorable experience. I want to share this favorite of mine, too: “Let all that you do be done in love.” 1 Corinthians 16

Yours in service with gratitude and best wishes,  
IPP Emmanouelle Zhang



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**Maria Vida Könst**  
RCWWD President, RY  
2024-2025

Greetings!

We gladly celebrate with the District 3860 Officers, and the Rotary Club of Waling-Waling Davao's families, friends, and guests. Our congratulations to the Hope-Creating Team led by IPP Maem Zhang. Job well done, Ladies!

All hands on deck! A successful and productive Rotary Year begins with the election of a willing and engaging team. To RCWWD's Irresistible Officers and Leaders, my heartfelt thanks to you all for your support and enthusiasm! We will all be very busy wearing "multiple hats" for 365 days; as mothers, spouses or partners, parents, business people, and volunteers serving our communities. Hopefully, we are able to fulfill all that we have planned for this Rotary Year. So far, we are right on track!

To the 42 lovely and vibrant Waling-Waling Ladies, we will hand-in-hand be agents of change and spread the magic of commitment through Rotary's 7 Areas of Focus. Let us continue to lead our Club with "Friendship & Fellowship through Service!" To the Irresistible District 3860 Officers and Leaders led by our gracious and energetic District Governor Caroline " Caycay" Andrade: RCWWD looks forward to a vibrant year ahead. Together, let us spread "The Magic of Rotary" by fulfilling Rotary's motto " Service Above Self!"

Cheers!



# THE ROTARY CLUB OF WALING-WALING DAVAO

## *Our Irresistibly Magical President*

*Pres. Maria Vida Könst*

Waling-Waling Davao

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The Irresistible President of the Rotary Club of Waling-Waling Davao, Pres Vida Könst, was born in Davao City. Starting her family here, too, she is happily married to Frits, a Dutch national, and raised their 3 children together: Paolo, Alex (who is formerly a Rotakid, now a Rotarian), and Nikko.

She earned her degree in BS Commerce with a major in Business Management at the De La Salle University in Manila. Her degree was put to good use when she opened her own lucrative travel agency, Könstürs, where she got to know her would-be Rotary sponsor by chance, PP Zony Reyes. Saying yes to her invitation to join Rotary, she was inducted in February 2, 2002. PP Zony must have seen the potential in her for since her induction, her heart and passion for Rotary continued to develop.

Despite her hectic work schedule, she has dedicated countless hours over the years as a Rotarian, serving in various capacities as director in the different Rotary avenues of service.



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*Pres. Maria Vida Konst*

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Greatly involved in Rotary projects and activities, her enthusiasm in helping the RCWWD presidents before her achieved their goals has earned her many Club Presidential Citations and Recognitions. She is also Multiple Paul Harris Fellow.

Commitment to service has always been her inspiration and as she leads the Rotary Club of Waling-Waling Davao this Rotary Year 2024-2025, we know that the club is in good hands in spreading the MAGIC OF ROTARY.



# THE ROTARY CLUB OF WALING-WALING DAVAO

## Guest Speaker

*DG Caroline Andrade*

Rotary  
District 3860



District Governor Caroline Lee-Andrade, or Caycay as she is fondly called by friends, will make history for Tacloban clubs to serve as the first lady governor from her area, and is the sixth lady governor of District 3860.

She joined Rotary in 2006 and was inducted to Rotary Club of Kandaya, Tacloban. Since her induction, she has held various positions in the club level as director for Membership, The Rotary Foundation, Club Administration, Public Image, Club Treasurer, Auditor, and Vice-President.



She served as Club President in RY2012-2013 with the theme, "Peace through Service" and has garnered several district awards, notable of which as Outstanding President and Outstanding Club during her term. She served a second term as Club President in RY 2013-2014 when the devastating super typhoon Yolanda struck Tacloban City.

Beyond the club, she has generously extended her time and talent to serve in various capacities as Assistant Governor, Deputy District Governor for three consecutive years, District Governor's Representative to the Philippine Rotary Magazine, District Stewardship Subcommittee Chair, District Endowment and Major Gifts Adviser, District Empowering Girls Chair, and as District Executive Secretary.



# THE ROTARY CLUB OF WALING-WALING DAVAO

## *Guest Speaker*

*DG Caroline Andrade*

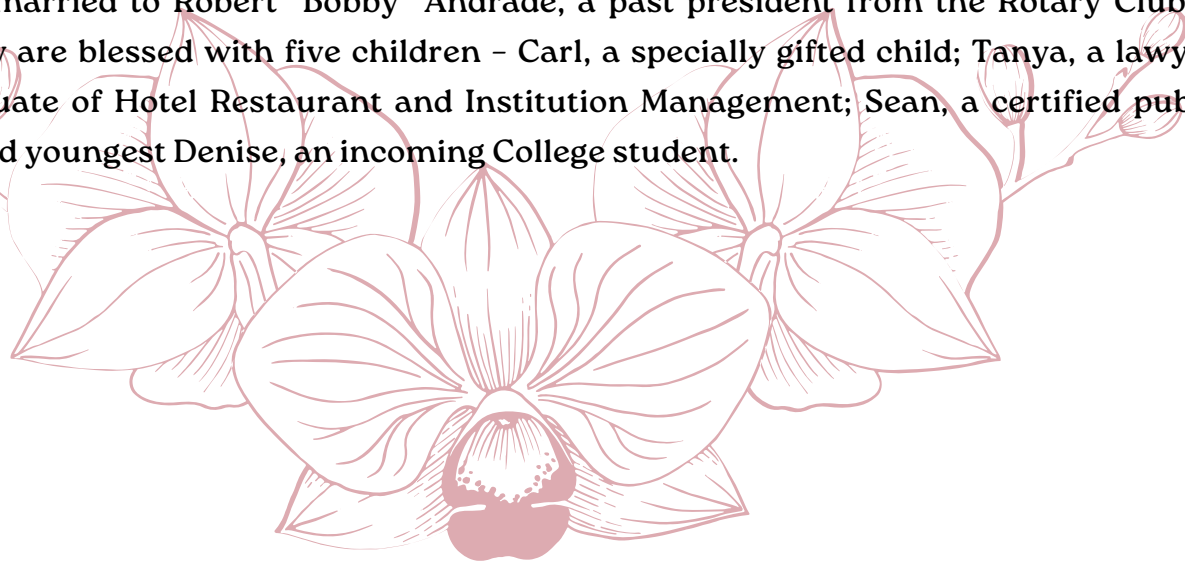
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An avid supporter of The Rotary Foundation since 2006 when she became a Paul Harris Society member prior to becoming a Rotarian, DG Caycay and Spouse Bobby, are Major Donors Level 4 with a named endowment fund.

In the community, she is a brand ambassador as “Mrs. McDonalds” being the first franchisee to open the first restaurant in Tacloban City. To date, she has grown her business in the region and operates several restaurants. Her management style has been recognized through the years and has garnered her numerous awards and recognitions. To name a few, these are Ray Kroc Press On Award, Community Excellence Award, George T. Yang Leadership Award, People Award, Regional Franchisee Award for Visayas, National Franchisee Award as awarded by Philippine Franchising Association Franchising Excellence Awards and the most coveted Fred L. Turner Golden Arch Award, an award given to the Top 1% of McDonald’s Franchisees of more than 38,000 restaurants across the globe.

DG Caycay is married to Robert “Bobby” Andrade, a past president from the Rotary Club of Tacloban. They are blessed with five children - Carl, a specially gifted child; Tanya, a lawyer; Meggy, a graduate of Hotel Restaurant and Institution Management; Sean, a certified public accountant; and youngest Denise, an incoming College student.





# THE FOUR- WAY TEST

OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY, AND DO

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

## 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 and community life;

**FOURTH**, the advancement of international understanding, good will, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

**CORE VALUES: SERVICE • FELLOWSHIP • DIVERSITY • INTEGRITY • LEADERSHIP**

## ROTARIAN CODE OF CONDUCT

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.

## ROTARY'S SEVEN AREAS OF FOCUS

For more than 100 years, Rotarians have joined together from all continents, cultures, and industries to take action in our communities and around the world. With a commitment to achieving lasting change, we work together to empower youth, enhance health, promote peace, and most importantly, advance the community.

While Rotarians can serve in countless ways, Rotary has focused its efforts in seven areas, which reflect some of the most critical and widespread humanitarian needs:

1. Peace and conflict prevention/resolution
2. Disease prevention and treatment
3. Water and sanitation
4. Maternal and child health
5. Basic education and literacy
6. Economic and community development
7. Supporting the environment

