

# The CENTRO

**Official Weekly Bulletin** 



Rotary Club of Sta. Rosa Centro RI District 3820
Outstanding Club RY 2012-2013

The Rotary Club of Sta. Rosa Centro meets at:

El Cielito Inn, Sta. Rosa-Tagaytay Road, Sta. Rosa, Laguna every Friday at 7:00pm

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#### **Rotary Year 2013-2014**

#### **Executive Officers**

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PP Cheryl Lu Sergeant-at-Arms

PP Zenaida Dictado Finance

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PP Carolina Salvahan Membership

Myrna Valle Public Relations

Delphi Penelope Cuya Club Admin

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PP Elenita Lantin Ma Asst. Club Trainor

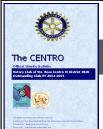
Annaliza Maglian Community

PP Maryann Gonzales Vocational

PE Mayor Arlene Arcillas International

PP Hazel Ramos Youth

PP Maya Grace Padiernos Special



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#### PROGRAM February 21, 2014

Call to Order Pres. Doray Lucero

Invocation PN Pen Cuya

National Anthem Rtn Cecile Gabatan

The Four Way Test Rtn Myrna Valle

Object of Rotary Rtn Jen Dee

Acknowledgment AG Leni Ma

Recognition PP Jacqui Victoria

Secretary's Report PP Precy dela Cruz

Treasurer's Report Rtn. Geralyn Dee

Committee Reports Committee Chairpersons

President's Time Pres. Doray Lucero

Centro Hymn

Chairwoman of the Night:
Rtn Glo Bedienes

If any person is unable to fulfill their positions as above please make arrangements with another Rotarian to take your place.

#### **INVOCATION**



Our Father who art in Heaven, may we, from the memories of this hour, derive inspiration that will be helpful to us individuals and as members of Rotary, and may it go with us in our daily walks of life and make us worthy of Thy blessing.

We ask in Thy Name.

Amen.



#### THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

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- THE DEVELOPMENT OF ACQUAINTANCE AS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR SERVICE;
- 2. 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;
- THE APPLICATION OF THE IDEAL OF SERVICE IN EACH ROTARIAN'S PERSONAL, BUSINESS, AND COMMUNITY LIFE;
- 4. THE ADVANCEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL UNDERSTANDING, GOODWILL, AND PEACE THROUGH A WORLD FELLOWSHIP OF BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL PERSONS UNITED IN THE IDEAL OF SERVICE.

## **IJ**•\*Sweet Rotary**I**J• (The Centro Hymn)

When it began
I can't believe it happened
But then I know it's going strong
2001

That's when it came to being Who'd have believed we'll grow to be...

Hands, touching hands
Reaching out, touching me, touching you

Sweet Rotary
Sta. Rosa Centro's good
I've been inclined
To believe we're going strong
And now, I...

Look all around
So many help is needed
C'mon, together I know we could

And when we hurt,
We can just smile and bear it
'Coz we were born to serve and be....

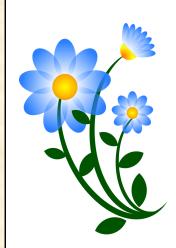
Warm, touching warm
Reaching out, touching me, touching you
Sweet Rotary
Sta. Rosa Centro's good
We're going strong
We are here for all of you
Sweet Rotary Sta. Rosa Centro's...

GREAT!



# 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 concerned?





#### President's Message

#### Good day ladies!

This year's Intercity was one memorable event. Kudos to the RC of Cabuyao for hosting the event.

It was fun filled and has lots of team building activities that strengthen the intercity theme -> "SOLIDarity: Area 1, We are ONE".

These team building activities, exercises and ideas will definitely help the club in building teamwork, member motivation, and personal development.

I thank all those members who took part in the activity.

Yours in rotary service,

First Class President Teodora "Doray" Lucero



# ROTARY INTERNATIONAL Updates

#### The first four Rotarians



On 23 February 1905, Paul P. Harris, Gustavus Loehr, Silvester Schiele, and Hiram E. Shorey gathered in Loehr's office for what would become known as the first Rotary club meeting. Harris's desire for camaraderie among business associates brought together these four men and eventually led to an international organization of service and fellowship.



Source: www.rotary.org



#### Reflections

"Rotary brings men [and now women too] differing in social status, religious beliefs and nationality together in order that they may more intelligible to each other and therefore more

(Paul, Harris This Rotarian Age, page 87)

sympathetic and friendly."



"Quick and complete employment is both a sword and a shield. That's why every possible line of industrial and agricultural activity should ring with new life. This is Rotary's opportunity." — President's Annual Message, THE ROTARIAN, August 1919

# OUR ROTARY.

#### **ROTARY BASICS**

#### **Rotary Themes through the Years**

Each January, as Rotary district governors-elect convene at the International Assembly for training and fellowship, they can be certain of two things: a lot of take-home reading and the announcement of a new RI theme.

The tradition of crafting a theme is credited to 1949-50 RI President Percy C. Hodgson, who outlined a list of four objectives for his term in office. Among them were the better application of the principles of vocational service and dedication to world understanding and peace through international service programs.

Though Hodgson's 83-word proclamation ran substantially longer than today's shorter, punchier themes, Rotarians' desire to celebrate and support their president's annual program of service has remained the same. Other early themes include Rotary Is Hope in Action (Joaquin Serratosa Cibils, 1953-54), Kindle the Spark Within (Nitish C. Laharry, 1962-63), and Good Will Begin with You (Ernst G. Breitholtz, 1971-72).

In the decades that followed, RI presidents introduced theme logos, lapel pins, ties, and scarves. Theme ties were introduced in the 1990s, and are now given out yearly. Many have incorporated the theme for the year. The first scarves showing the RI theme were designed by 1998-99 RI President James L. Lacy and his wife, Claudine, Follow Your Rotary Dream.



#### **Board Meeting**

January 31, 2014 Friday PDG Chit Lijauco's house, Sta. Rosa City

The meeting started at 1:15 p.m. Attendees were:

Pres. Doray

Sec. Precy

Treas. Geralyn

IPP Liza

PN Pen

PDG Chit

Dir. Carol

Sqt. At Arms Che

PP Mean

**Auditor Jackie** 

Dir. Evs

Rtn Mel

Dir. Myrna

- 1. The agenda was announced by Exec. Secretary Myrna as follows:
  - a. Number of times we can re-admit members
  - b. Do we admit members with the same classification?
  - c. Do we retain the "unanimous vote rule" in accepting new or re-admitted members?
  - d. Should we set our maximum members at 30 pax?
  - e. Retention or Ouster of the following members due to non-payment of dues and non-attendance of meetings:
    - i. Joen Delfino
    - ii. Itchel Maglian
  - f. Other matters
- 2. It was decided that we may re-admit former members, subject to the admitting rules of the Club. Gov. Chit added that former members who would like to re-apply shall be treated as new members i.e. they have to pay the entrance fee of 1,500 pesos and shall be subject to assessment of the existing members.

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#### Glimpses

Intercity- >SOLIDarity: AREA 1 WE ARE ONE!! February 15, 2014 Pramana Clubhouse, Sta. Rosa





#### Glimpses

Build a solid house team building activity



And the 1st prize winner goes to ...



3. The Board voted on how many times the Club may re-admit members. It was decided that a member may be re-admitted up to a maximum of two (2) times, to wit:

New member - Admit

Re-apply - Re-admit #1

Re-apply - Re-admit #2 (last)

Member can no longer be re-admitted.

- 4. The Board discussed about allowing members with the same classification. Gov. Chit cited the new MOP that states thate there are no longer any limitations in accepting members with the same classification. The Board unanimously voted that the Club shall maintain the same rule, subject to the rules of acceptance of the Club.
- 5. The Board voted on whether the Club shall retain the Unanimous Vote rule in accepting new members, i.e. even if only one (1) member disagrees to accept a potential member, the Club shall not accept that applicant into the Club.
  - a. A majority vote of 9 members vs. 3 was in favour of retaining the Unanimous Vote rule.
  - b. A concern was raised on the validity of the reason behind a "no" vote of a member in accepting a new member. The reason given may be deemed shallow, thus unreasonably deterring the Club from gaining new members.
  - c. For this purpose, a member who gives a "no" vote to a potential member shall give a valid reason. If the reason given is deemed to be invalid, the Board shall discuss the matter and may or may not overrule the "no" vote.
  - d. Another concern was raised regarding the ability of all members to vote for or against an applicant, considering the not all members attend each regular meetings.
  - e. For this purpose, the Board agreed to observe the following procedures for membership approval:

- i. Sponsor shall give a background of the applicant to Membership Committee. This will be presented and discussed during a regular meeting, and thus written in the Minutes.
- ii. Votation shall be set on the next Regular Meeting. Text and/or email reminders shall be sent by the Secretary to remind members that there will be a Votation for the acceptance of new member.
- iii. In case a member is not available to attend the next Regular Meeting, she may text/email or call the Secretary to give her vote in advance. If the vote is "No", she shall state her reason for the "No" vote.
- iv. Members who do not attend the next Regular Meeting and do not signify any advanced vote thereby agrees to waive their right to vote for or against the applicant.
- v. A quorum of 1/3 of the total members shall be required for the Club to proceed with the votation for accepting new members.
- vi. In any and all cases of dispute on the decision of the Club in accepting applicants, the Board shall make the decision, which shall be final.
- 6. The Board voted on whether the Club shall set the maximum number of members at 30 persons.
- a. The Club voted unanimously "No", meaning the Club shall not set the maximum number of members at 30 persons.
- 7. Given the above resolutions, the Board decided that the Club shall revise its By-Laws, to be undertaken by Exec. Secretary Myrna.
- 8. The Board discussed about the case of our two members who have not maintained good standing (non-payment of dues and non-attendance of meetings/activities): Rtn. Joen Delfino and Rtn. Itchel Maglian. Secretary Precy reported that she asked rtn. Joen about her arrears and the response was that "iisipin ko". Rtn. Itchel did not give any response (per Pres. Doray who followed up).
  - a. The Board decided that enough time has been given to Rtn. Joen and Rtn. Itchel and that the Club should already decide on wether to Retain or Oust them

- b. The Board unanimously voted that Rtn. Joen Delfino and Rtn. Itchel Maglian will no longer be reported in our next SAR, thus the two aforementioned members are now considered ousted and are no longer members of the Club.
- c. It was further noted that Rtn. Joen has already been re-admitted by the Club twice, therefore she will no longer be qualified for readmittance to the Club.

#### Other Matters

- a. The Board discussed the possibility of reviving the "Council of Presidents" composed of past presidents plus the incumbent. Said Council shall be patterned after the District Council of Governors wherein a chairman is elected, who will organize the council's activities. The function of the Council of Presidents shall primarily be for fellowship and as an advisory body to issues that may be forwarded by the Club.
- b. The date of our Buntis Wellness 4 has been changed to March 8. This is already final.
  - i. PP mean will donate medicines for the pregnant participants when they give birth (650 pesos each x maximum of 100 = 65,000 pesos).
  - ii. Gov. Chit requested Pres. Doray to give her a list of the needed medicines.
  - iii. We will only provide food for the doctors/nurses and club members. Pres. Doray said we need to give food for those who will undergo ligation.
  - iv. Committee for Buntis Wellness 4:

Chairman: PP Zeny

Asst. Chairman: PP Jackie

Food: PP Che, PP Jackie and IPP Liza (on-site) Registration: PN Pen, PP Carol, Rtn Glo, Rtn Cecile,

Rtn Myrna

Program: PP Mean, AG Leni

Physical Arrangement: Pres Doray

Tokens: PP Precy

v. Program for Buntis Wellness 4:

Invocation / National Anthem: Rtn Glo

Welccome Remarks: Pres Doray

Special Message: PE Mayor Arlene or guest

Lectures:

Taking Care of Mom – Dra. Salandanan

Baby Care – Dra. Jen Dee

Explanation of Event – Pres Doray

Closing Remarks – PP Jackie

Consultation and Ligation follows

- c. Gov. Chit brought up the matter of our Finance Committee. It is important that we make this Committee active this coming term,
- d. Our Child Trafficking seminar on March 12 has been cancelled.
- e. Rtn Evs announced that De La Salle Caloocan will have an anti child trafficking talk on Feb. 22, Saturday. We can attend this and add it to our projects, we can just provide a tarpaulin. We can also give the excess books with IPP Liza. Attendees will wear yellow uniform.
- 10. With no other matters to discuss, the meetings was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

--nothing follows--

Minutes taken by : Dir Myrna Valle



#### For your Information

# The Naked Truth: 7 Lies ALL Women Tell Their Husbands

Most of us consider ourselves to be pretty honest people. We always tell the truth, unless, of course, there is a legitimate reason not to. Our spouses may not know, but when we lie, it really is for the best. Recently I asked some of my girlfriends to share some of the fibs they tell their spouses. If somehow their husbands find this post, husbands, I need you to know that every "lie" was made out of love. In case you're interested, I did ask my husband what lies guys tell their wives: he said they don't tell any. He's lying, but whatever. If I can get him and some of my guy friends to come clean, a part two will definitely be in the works. For now, take a look at these 7 lies we ladies tell our spouses.

#### I'm not mad.

Stop asking me if I'm upset because I AM. I mean, isn't it written all over my face?

#### I don't care.

Very similar to "I'm not mad." I do care. In fact, if I brought it up I must definitely care. Once again, please see the look on my face and take note of my body language.

#### I've barely eaten all day.

I've been so busy I've hardly eaten anything today. Ok, let me correct that. I've barely eaten

anything you'd approve of. How long is this "baby weight" excuse good for anyway?

#### I'm going on a diet.

It ends up being a lie, but when we say this we have every intention on starting a diet. Tomorrow.



#### For your Information

#### It was on sale!

You ask how much we paid for that, and our reply is always "it was on sale!" Because really, shouldn't the only important thing be that we got it for a great price. So great, we dare not reveal it!



#### The kids needed it.

We splurged on something for our babies. Out of necessity of course. Besides, how could you be opposed to my purchase when our precious children "needed it?"



#### I can wear these with everything.

Yes, those sky high stilettos can be worn with everything, making them an investment and absolutely necessary.



Source: http://ph.she.yahoo.com/photos/naked-truth-7-lies-women-slideshow/



#### What's coming up?

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Rotary Week Celebration

Sunday, February 23

Rotary Week Celebration

Monday, February 24

Rotary Week Celebration

Tuesday, February 25

Rotary Week Celebration

EDSA Revolution Day

Wednesday, February 26

Rotary Week Celebration

Thursday, February 27

Rotary Week Celebration

Saturday, March 1

District Sports Fest

This month is WOMEN's MONTH!!

Sunday, March 2

District Sports Fest

Saturday, March 8

Buntis Wellness 4

Thursday, March 20

Dinner at Buffet 101



#### **Next Week's Order of Business**

#### The Rotary Club of Sta. Rosa Centro Regular Weekly Meeting El Cielito Inn

#### PROGRAM February 28, 2014

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Centro Hymn

Chairwoman of the Night:

IPP Liza Pineda



### Roster of Members

	NAME	ID No	CLASSIFICATION	BIRTHDAY	E-MAIL
1	Arcillas, Arlene "Mayor"	8275828	City Representative	31-Jul	arlene.arcillas@gmail.com
2	Bedienes, Gloria "Glo"	8612318	Trading	14-Apr	g_delbarrio@yahoo.com
3	Cuya, Delphi Penelope "Pen"	8275831	Healthcare	12-Feb	c_dpenelope@yahoo.com
4	Dee, Ma Geralyn "Jay"	8574451	Interior Design	9-Dec	geralyn_dee@yahoo.com.au
5	Dee, Jennifer	8773225	Pediatrician		jenmd320@yahoo.com
6	Dela Cruz, Priscila "Precy"	7" 5333454 Leasing		24-Aug	pre_z@yahoo.com
7	Dictado, Zenaida "Zeny"	6416676	Pallet Manufacturing	14-Sep	zenydictado@yahoo.com
8	Gabatan, Ma. Cecilia "Cecile"	8612321	Real Estate Broker	27-0ct	ana_clariz06@yahoo.com
9	Gonzales, Mary Ann "Ma An"	5333525	Real Estate Developer/Brokerage	20-Mar	maryann.gonzales888@yahoo.com
10	Laranga, Evelyn "Evs"	8465660	Education	25-Jul	larangayves@yahoo.com
11	Lijauco, Consuelo "Chit"	5333445	Magazine Editing	15-May	chitlij@yahoo.com
12	Lu, Cheryl "Che"	5333496	Pest Control Services	17-Apr	cheanton2004@yahoo.com
13	Lucero, Teodora "Doray"	8045358	Midwife	18-Sep	teodora_lucero@yahoo.com
14	Ma, Elenita "Leni"	6261683	Dentist	10-Jan	docleni110@yahoo.com
15	Padiemos, May Grace "Maya"	5944127	Furniture Retail	6-May	mayapadiernos@yahoo.com
16	Pineda, Joel Liza "Liza"	7019336	Human Resource	30-Mar	joellizapineda@yahoo.com
17	Ramos, Hazel "Hazel"	6165816	16 Money Lending 1-Jul		hazel_agnes1968@yahoo.com.ph
18	Salandanan, Aurelyn	8773229	Obstetrics-Gynecologist		
19	Salvahan, Carolina "Carol"	5333457	Window Fashion Contractor	4-Jul	cvsalvahan47@yahoo.com
20	Santillan, Shiela "Shiela"	8574457	Restaurateur	2-Apr	shiela402@yahoo.com
21	Tadeo, Carmela "Mel"	8415873	Logistics	24-Dec	carmela@qnf.com.ph
22	Valle, Myma "Myma"	8482805	Strategic Planning	21-Dec	myrna.valle@yahoo.com
23	Victoria, Jacqueline "Jackie"	6556182	Watch Services	7-Nov	ustyle04@yahoo.com



### Special Observances

July 2013	Start of Rotary Year/Public Relation Month
August 2013	Membership & Extension Month
September 2013	New Generation Month
October 2013	Vocational Month
November 2013	The Rotary Foundation Month
December 2013	Family Month
January 2014	Rotary Awareness Month
February 2014	Rotary Anniversary
March 2014	Literacy Month/ World Rotaract Week
April 2014	Magazine Month
May 2014	Rotary Trainings
June 2014	Rotary Fellowship Month



### Where to make up

MONDAY					
	RC Alaminos	3:00 PM - Crescent's Bakery, Del Pilar St., Alaminos			
	RC Los Baños	6:30 PM - Mernel's Restaurant			
	RC San Pedro East	7:30 PM - Pacita Library, Pacita Complex			
		TUESDAY			
	RC Cabuyao	7:30 PM - Kampanang Ginto Bldg., Cabuyao			
	RC Cabuyao Circle	7:30 PM - Kampanang Ginto Bldg, er 6			
	RC Los Baños Makiling	5:30 PM - UPLB Campus			
	RC Bay	7:30 PM - Kitchenette, Bgy. Dila			
	RC West Bay	5:30 PM - Maharlika Inn, Maharlika Village, Los Baños			
	RC San Pablo	2:30 PM - Max's Restaurant, Maharlika Hi-way			
	RC San Pablo Central	6:00 PM - Max's Restaurant, Maharlika Hi-way			
	RC San Pedro	8:00 PM - CSP Public Library, Open Space Park, Pacita Complex			
		WEDNESDAY			
	RC Sta. Rosa South	8:00 PM - Rotary Day Care Center Ph1-C SLV			
	RC Calamba	1:30 AM - New Hope Intervention Center			
	RC Sta. Cruz	7:30 AM - PWU Annex Bldg.			
	RC San Pablo City South	12:00 NN - Mega Disco, Maharlika Hi-way			
		THURSDAY			
	RC Metro San Pedro	7:00 PM - Bgy. San VicenteSatellite Office Library			
	RC SPS New Gen	8:30 PM - Kabayan Steakhauz, Pacita Avenue			
	RC Sta. Rosa	7:30 PM - Handaang Pilipino Restaurant (HPR)			
	RC Calamba City	11:30 AM - Riverview Resort & Conference Center			
	RC Siniloan	$8:00\ PM$ - LA Bldg. Siniloan Techinical Vocational & Sciences HS			
		FRIDAY			
	RC Biñan	7:30 PM - Le Garden Restaurant, Carmona			
	RC SanPedro South	8:00 PM - Bgy. SK Library, PH2 PAcita Complex 1			
	RC San Rosa Centro	7:30 PM - El Cielito Inn, Sta. Rosa			
	RC Pagsanjan	7:30 PM - Picos Restaurant			
	RC Infanta	7:00 PM - 2nd Fl. Cajucom Bldg. Rizal St.			
	RC Nagcarlan	7:30 PM - Cuento's Residence, P. Coronado St.			
		SATURDAY			
	RC Laguna Technopark	8:00 PM - Mocha Blends, Humana Center			
	RC Silangan SanPedro	12:30 PM - RC Silangan Clubhouse, Dagatan Blvd.			
	RC Rizal	7:00 PM - Ador & Erlyn's Function Hall, Zamora St.			
		SUNDAY			
	RC Cavinti	2:00 PM - Bgy. Inaoawan			