

## Annual shoot... a fiery success!

Soon after the coalition forces started their display of firepower on Iraq, so did the Rotarians at the 3rd R.I. National Invitational Shootfest-Gov. Efren de Guzman Cup. The annual shootout we held last March 29 to 30 at the Armscor Shooting Ranges, Parang Marikina City, hosted once again by the Rotary Club of Marikina Central and chaired, likewise once again, by PP Danny de la Paz.

This year's competition was a lot tougher at Level II (upgraded from level I last year).

Nonetheless, it was a record turnout of 296 competitors including Rotarians (from as far north as Angeles City, D3790 and down south as Pagbilao, Quezon D3820), range officers, members of various gun clubs, lawmen and other gun aficionados.

The opening ceremonies graced by no less than DG Efren and DGL Pam de Guzman and DS/DGN Fabie Enriquez and

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## Mandaluyong Zone wins Palarotary 2003



The winning team Mandaluyong Zone poses with DG Efren and Spouse Pam during the Palarotary awarding ceremonies

As early as 7:00 A.M., Rotarians from the different Zones of the district trooped in droves to the Marikina Sports Park, all eager to try their skills in the

PalaRotary with a native theme. Registered participants reached almost a thousand. And RC Cainta, host club, and PP Bobby

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DG Efren & Pres. Manny Chua drawing the "First Blood" during RC Tanay's Blood-Letting

## Mass blood letting (Dugo mo, buhay ko!)

The Rotary Club of Tanay headed by Pres. Manny Chua & Blood Letting Chairman, Dir. Vener Ferrer, conducted a Mass Blood Letting Project with Dist. Governor Efren de Guzman & DGL Pam in cooperation with PHILIPPINE NATIONAL

RED CROSS, National Headquarter lead by Dir. Arlyn Pilena.

The Donors are the Rotary Club of Tanay and the 1st Rizal Ready Reserve Battalion headed by Col. Ramon V. Dumauual

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## Golfer of the Year changes hands anew

PP Joey Razon of Pasig takes over the lead with 136pts.; Div. A-Ed Manzanares-123 pts; Bobot Marquez; Ed Ochoa; Bernie Gatapia; Ving Datu; Totoy Esguerra; Onnie Aguinaldo; Ed Silverio; Art Alarilla and Philip Yoon. Div. B- Paul Tanjutco; Joey Sy; Chito Alfonso; PDG Benny Ricafort; J. Bagalso; Vic Que; Al Conception; Victor Tan; Jun Gregorio; David Sy completes to ten. Div. C- P Joy de Leon, Ricky Santos; Rel Gemez; Mac Hermoso; Fred Teano; Peter Chua; Romy Cabungcal; Andro Bautista; Ed Eugenio and Jun Farcor are top ten Div. D- Vic Rosaria; Tony Sierra; Conrado Ong; Mark Francisco; Vic Aquino; Cas Catarroja; Anching Paster; Vic Sanido; Emilio dela Cruz; Mario Buhain are top ten-D

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## 300 Dumagats treated at medical mission

On 15 March 2003, at 3:00 A.M., the members of the Rotary Club of Morong trekked to Sitio Mina, Barangay Sta. Ines, Tanay, Rizal to implement the latest edition of its RI Awardee Dumagat Medical Mission project, which is under the auspices of the Rotary Foundation Matching Grant No. 20704. Dumagat is the name used to denote a collection of cultural minority tribes that roam the mountains of Rizal, Quezon, and Bulacan.

The journey started with Rotarians and other volunteers assembling at 2:00 A.M. at Wells Resort in Baras, Rizal to load medicines and foodstuffs to three outsized jeepneys and one modified six-by-six truck. The Rotary convoy arrived at its destination after 2-1/2 hours and 35 river crossings. The site for the medical mission at Sitio Mina is at the bosom of two mountain ranges and beside a river.

Upon arrival, the Rotarians, spearheaded by President Melencio "Melboy" Caiña, project chairman PP Don Soriano AND PP Florencio "Boy" Pascual, started to layout and prepare the campsite and the field clinic. After finishing this task, PP Don Soriano led the visit to the campsite of the Dumagat tribes beside the river to seek out the chieftains and obtain an estimate of the number of Dumagats. An estimate was necessary because the club

would not only be providing medical services but also food and other relief goods. At that time, the estimate was about 150 families or at least 600 persons. This was to increase during the course of the day.

The Dumagats have only temporary shelters. Most of the tribes are migratory highlanders. The only reason they were assembled there was that PP Don Soriano, their longtime friend and honorary chieftain, sent word to them about the medical mission.

At 7:30 A.M., the medical team, composed of Rotarians-doctors PP Don Soriano, Dir. Iluminado "Dodo" Victoria, Vice-President Alejandro "Jan" Caiña, elements of the 21st Recom Company, 2nd Infantry Division, Philippine Army under 2nd Lieut. Reynante Perdiz, and volunteers for the barangay, began treating patients. By 5:00 P.M., they were able to treat more than three hundred patients, some of whom were lowlanders.

After dinner, PN Ricardo "Oying" Angeles and Sec. Edgardo "EdMed" Medrano hosted a program of fellowship with the Dumagats. After the program, the fellowship lasted well into the night around campfires. Some Rotarians slept inside tents, others on improvised bamboo benches, and still others on chairs or inside the jeepneys. The night was chilly and the dawn was very cold.



Food stuff and relief goods for the Dumagats ...



... and the medical treatment service.

The following day, the medical team treated a few latecomers who needed attention. Mostly, however, it was about cleaning the campsite and preparing for departure back to the staging area Wells. Before the Rotarians left, they expressed their appreciation, over a lunch of tinola, to the elements of the Philippine Army, who not only assisted during the medical mission, but also provided security in an area where rebels are known to patrol.

At this point, special mention must be made of Dir. Emerson "Emer" Mateo, the chair of the food committee, Dir. Pedrito "Patrick" Figueroa, the chair of the transport committee, Rtn. Ian John "Ian" Reyes, the chairman of the relief goods committee, and Rtn. Norman "Norman" Vega, who managed the food rations for everyone.

By IP Elias Jose "Bong" Inciong  
RC Morong



**Rotary International  
District 3800**

**Efren "Efren" O. de Guzman  
District Governor**

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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 worldwide fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



*DG Efren O. de Guzman*

## **Rotarians remain united in purpose and ideals**

With conflicts raging in hot spots throughout the world, we need Rotarians who have the international understanding required to promote peace and goodwill. With hundreds of thousands of people left homeless from natural disasters and war zones in some parts of the world, we need Rotarians with the compassion and expertise to assist in recovery efforts. And with communities besieged by a host of societal problems, we need Rotarians of good character who will not only address these problems but also act as role models and mentors to young people. Mediocrity cannot begin to meet these challenges or address the many other problems that plague our world.

Through the official club visit during the several years-first as Deputy District Secretary in RY 1996-1997, then as District Secretary in RY 2000-2001 and now as District Governor- I have had the privilege of seeing Rotarians and Rotary Clubs at work.

I have seen first hand the broad diversity of Rotary Club Membership - not just cultural or religious diversity, but differences also in age, gender, and ways of thinking. After many years in Rotary I am not easily surprised to learn of what great things Rotarians are accomplishing, but these past ten months have dramatically impressed upon me just how significant and unique our organization is.

Despite our great diversity, Rotarians everywhere remain united in our purpose and ideals. We are individually and collectively committed to making the world a better place from the local level to the global arena.

Our Rotary diversity flourishes under the shelter of our tolerance for others, our unity of purpose, and our deep commitment to service and understanding, Rotarians all have a common bond.

And to keep pace with our changing world, we must continue to fuel our diversity. We must attract more young people and female members as we make our clubs better reflection of our communities.

Our duty is to keep the Rotary wheel turning and to "Sow the Seeds of Love" in our club, in our vocation, in our community and in the world.

**Efren "Efren" O. de Guzman**  
*Governor, District 3800, RY 2002-03*

## Rotarians make a difference

In this time where the community is often ignored and left to the attention of the Government basic services are not 100% provided. Non-Government organizations like the Rotary International has made its contributions to fill up the gap in providing basic public awareness and involvement from the more affluent citizens.

The six (6) Public Image Streamers addressing Hunger, World Understanding & Peace, Literacy, Health (Polio Eradication), Environment (Preserving Planet Earth) and the care for the Children of the World were situated near the Shopping Malls and in the heart of business districts enabling the Public Image Campaign to reach a great number of people. As a result of the installation of the Rotary International Public Image Streamers, our Club President received lots of calls inquiring how they can be a part of this undertaking. We've made solicitation letters & distributed them to various business within the community to enable us to go to phase 2, which is putting up 10 streamers to cover the entire District 3800 & encourage local Governments and other NGOs to provide additional services within their community.

The 1st of the Rotary International Public Image Steamers was installed back up by a media coverage and interview with PDG Lina Aurelio last Oct. 29, 2002. Installed was a 6'X 8' semi permanent steamer depicting the RI Thrust against POLIO along Oasis Shell Station, Ortigas Avenue, Greenhills. The 5 other Rotary International Public Image (RIPI) Steamers were installed along Boni Serrano, North Fairview & Quezon Avenue in Quezon City, along Marcos Highway, Cainta Rizal and Ortigas Avenue, Greenhills San Juan December 2002 till March 12, 2003.

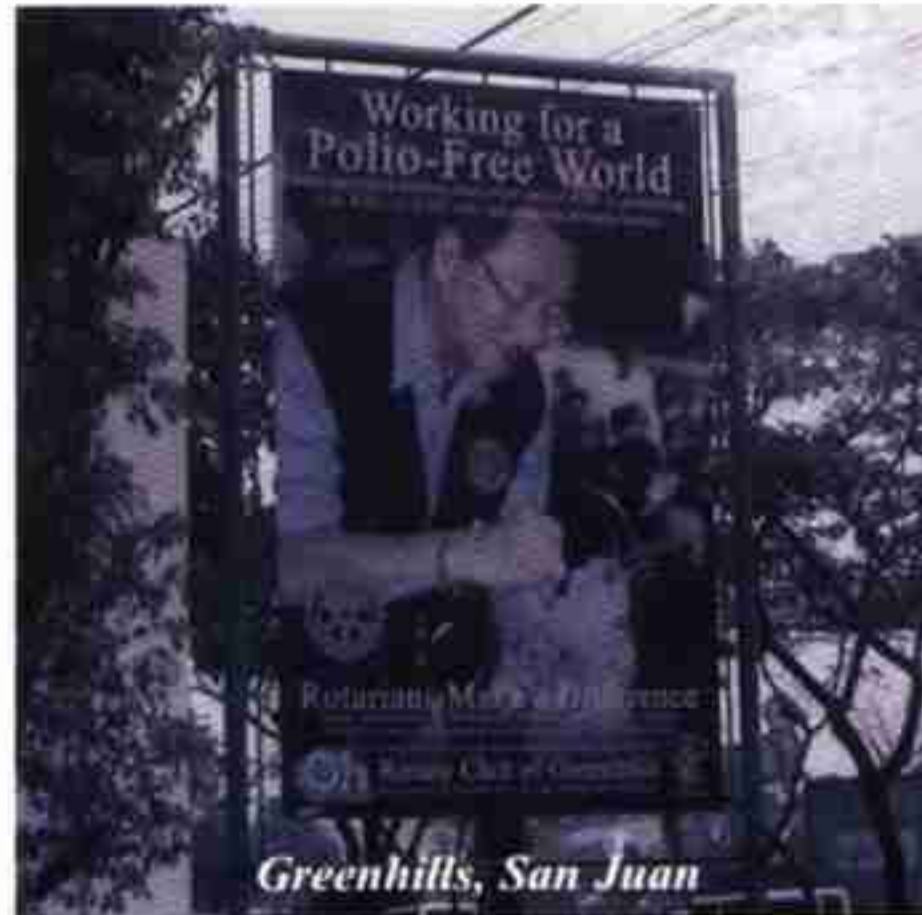
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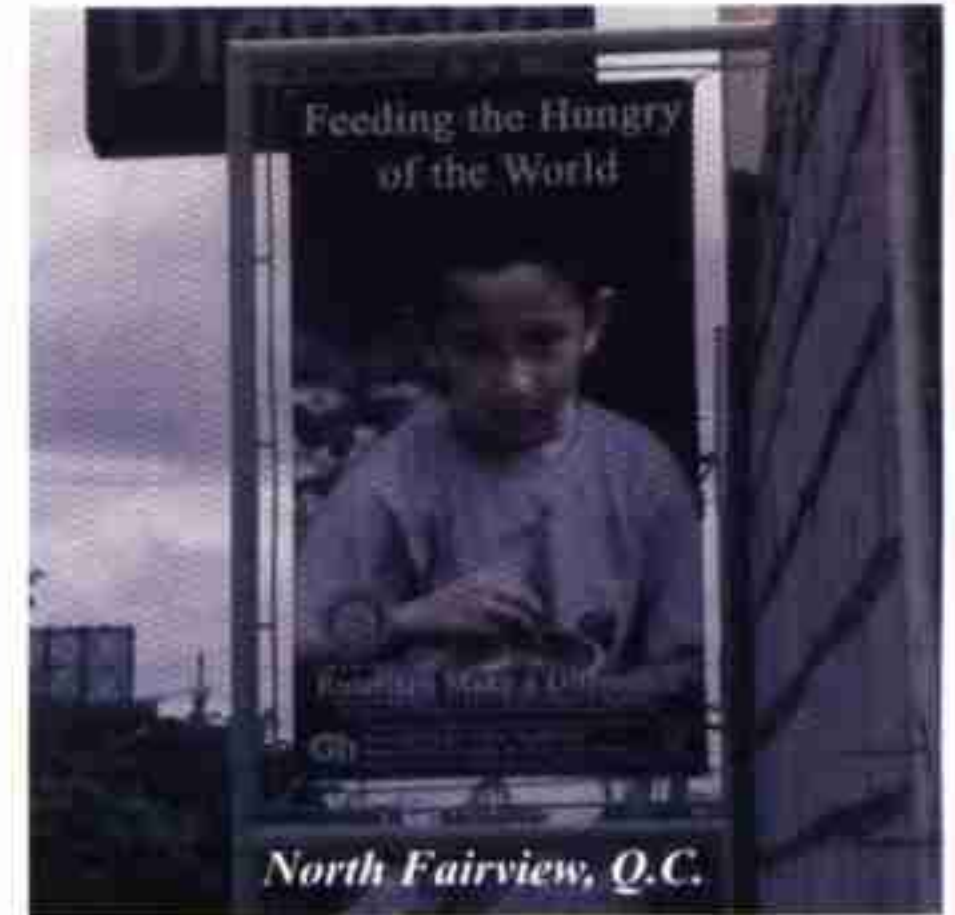
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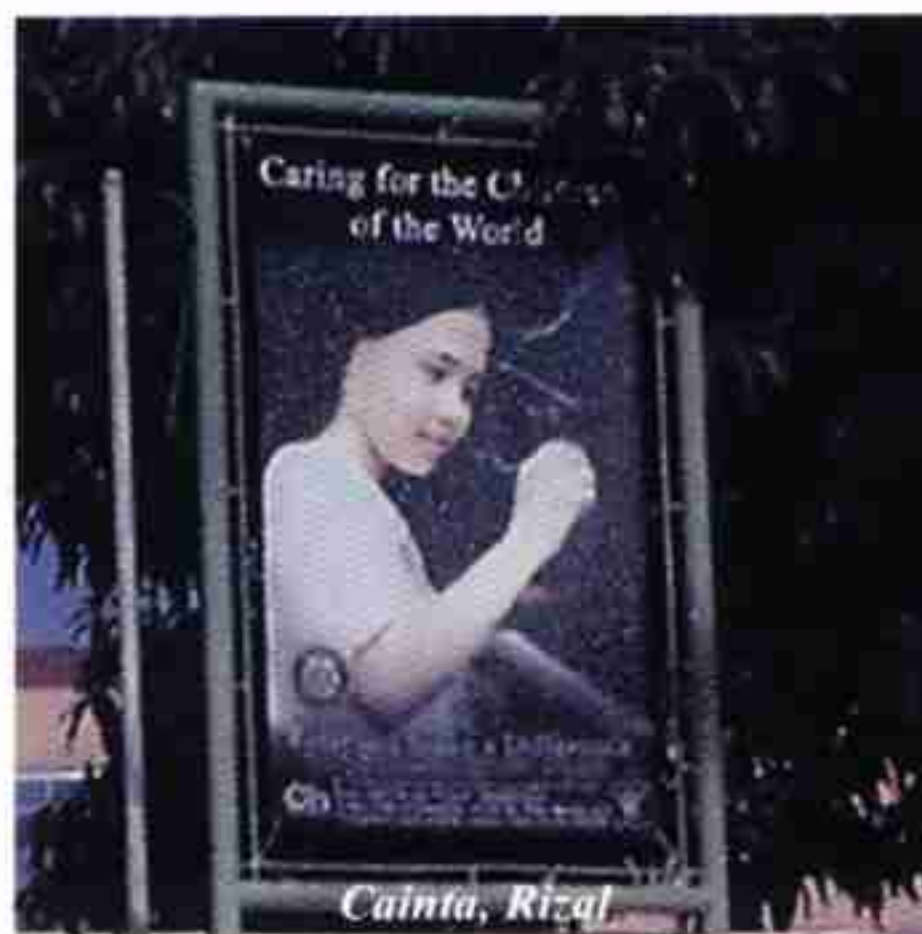
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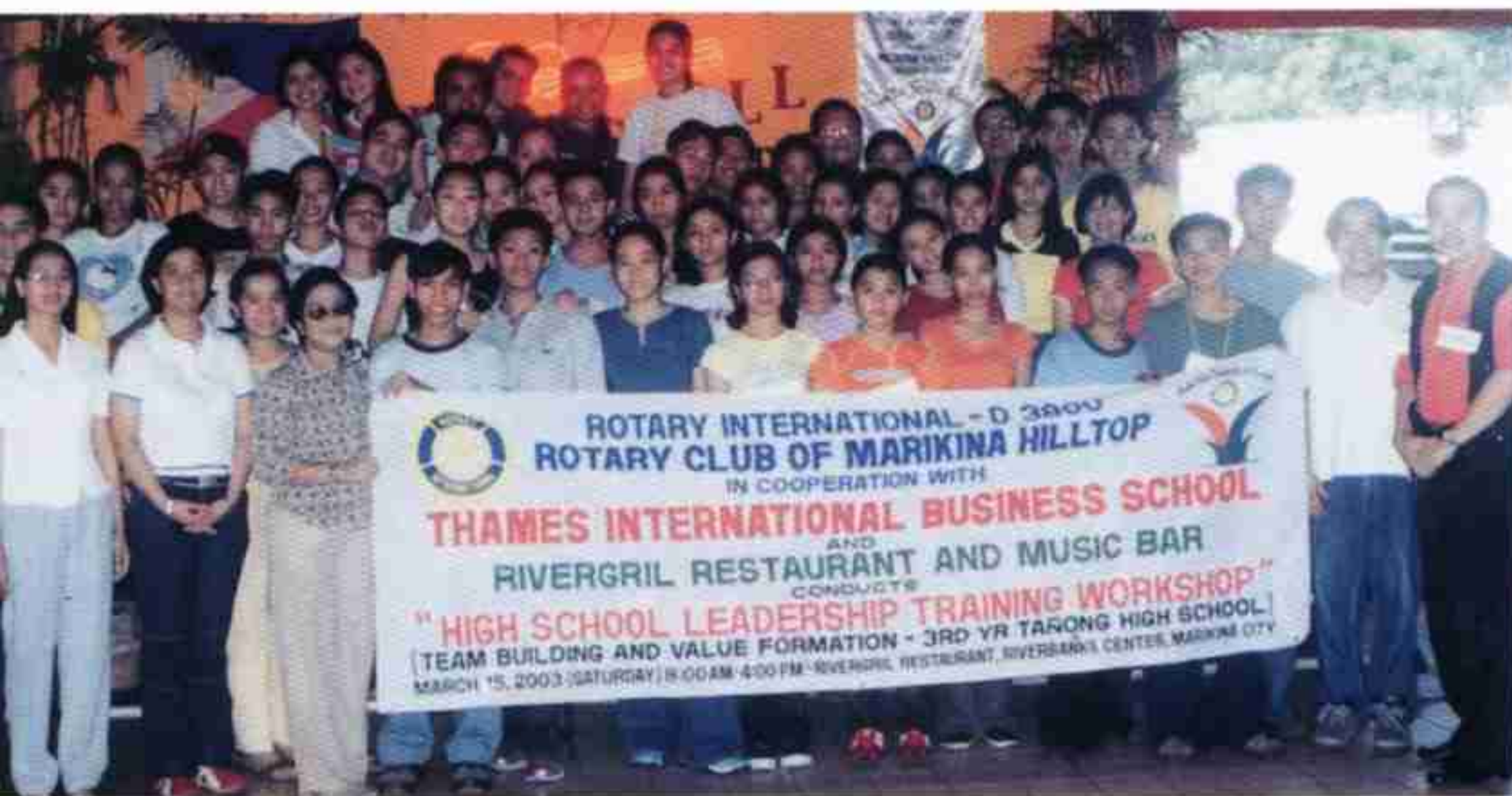
**Tug-of-War**- one of the fun games enjoyed by the participants in the Palarotary ng Lahi 2003



**Northbay East enters into an Agreement of Friendship with RC Miaoli Southeast RI D3510, Taiwan, R.O.C.** in a solemn ceremonies at Dragon Seafood Restaurant, Roxas Blvd., Manila last March 8, 2003. Leading the signing of the agreement was Pres. Leo Chung of RC North Bay East and Pres. Simon of RC Miaoli Southeast. The signing of "Club Friendship Agreement" were witnessed by PDGs Edi Chua, Santi Chua & Edison Ang, DDG Jack Malapas & AG Jaime Dee.



**RC Northbay East and RC Miaoli Southeast RI D3510, Taiwan, R.O.C.** visited the site of the Joint WCS Project on **Micro-Lending** under Matching Grant No. 19900 in Tangos and Pantay-Pantay Centers, Navotas last March 08, 2003. A very warm welcome were accorded to the Rotarians of both clubs by the fund recipients who benefited from this business-capital lending project.



**The Rotary Club of Marikina Hilltop held a "Leadership and Value Formation Workshop"** at the Rivergrill Restaurant, Riverbank Center, Marikina City, last March 15, 2003, for some 40 third year high school students of Tañong High School, Marikina City.

The Leadership and Value Formation Workshop is a Vocational Service project under Dir. PP Rene Reside and Rtn. Jaime Victor Santos as Committee Chair Fr. Nonie dela Fuente, through Mr. Jaime Noel Santos of THAMES International Business School, conducted the workshop that involved team building exercises and lectures and discussions on core values among the high school students.

Shown in the picture at right is Pres. Fred Lo of the Rotary Club of Marikina Hilltop and beside him is Fr. Nonie dela Fuente.

*from RC Marikina Hilltop*



**PP Efren and Spouse Pam with PP Boyet Fernandez greasing the piglet "Lulihin si Baboy" contest during the Palarotary ng Lahi 2003**



**Book Donation.** President Max Araga with PE Boy Mendoza and Incoming President Bayani Sianghio of **RC Navotas** distributed the different reference books acquired from PP Efren Balajadia of **RC Lakeshore Rizal** to the 15 Public Elementary Schools, 5 High Schools and 18 Daycare Centers in Navotas held at the RC Navotas Club house.

To: **ALL ROTARY CLUBS**  
From: **CP Fabie J. Enriquez**  
District Secretary  
Subject: **Important Reminders for the Months of  
May and June, 2003**

### 1.0 Rotary International

- 1.1 Report new members and terminated members (if any)
- 1.2 Report change of data of members, changes of officers and/or club meeting information (if any)
- 1.3 Confirm receipt of your club's payment of the second semester R.I. dues and other assessment from the Southwest Pacific Service Center. Furnish the District Office copy of your Official Receipt.
- 1.4 Turn over contribution to The Rotary Foundation.



*DS Fabie J. Enriquez*

### 2.0 District

- 2.1 Submit 3 copies of the weekly bulletin to the District Chair for Club Bulletin, PP Jun Abellar of RC Marikina East or the District office not later than ten (10) days after the last meeting.
- 2.2 Submit photos with appropriate captions of newsworthy club projects and activities for publication in the GML to Editor-in-Chief PP Eugenio Abril or the District Office
- 2.3 Deadline of submission of all accomplished Club President's Report is on May 10, 2003 and submit it to your respective Assistant Governor or to the District Office.
- 2.4 Submit copy of your club's new members as well as your terminated member duly reported to the Rotary International Office.
- 2.5 Participate in the District Fellowship Tenpin Bowling Tournament Part II on April 27, May 1, 3, and 10 at the SM Megamall hosted by Rotary Club of Valenzuela West.
- 2.6 Participate in the Rotary District 3800 9<sup>th</sup> Leg Golf Tournament on May 2, 2003 at Eagle Ridge hosted by Rotary Club of Metro Valenzuela.
- 2.7 Attend the DISTAS 2003 on May 17-18, 2003 at Fontana Resort & Country Club, Clarkfield, Pampanga hosted by Rotary Club of Rizal Centro.
- 2.8 Attend the Rotary International Convention at Brisbane, Australia on June 1 - 4, 2003.
- 2.9 Participate in the Rotary District 3800 10<sup>th</sup> Governor's Cup on June 20, 2003 at Forest Hills Golf & Country hosted by Rotary Club of Marikina.
- 2.10 Attend the District's Sports Awards on June 20, 2003 hosted by RC Marikina.
- 2.11 Attend the District Awards Night on June 28, 2003 at Riverbend Hotel, Marikina City hosted by Rotary Club of Pasig North.

## Rotary Concludes Governor's Cup Billiard Tournament

The Governor's Cup 9 Ball Challenge", which opened last March 2, 2003 has just concluded last March 23, 2003 at The Elbow Room, 5th Level of The Podium in Ortigas Center, Mandaluyong City.

Nobody can tell whether they had an easy time beating their opponents, but one thing sure is that they enjoyed playing with their co-rotarians. The tournament had a feel good factor in that the family members of the rotarians contentedly sat through every game and watched in awe.

Here are the winners:

**Singles 1st - PP Cesar Davila**, RC Grace Park; **2nd- Jan Michael Felebrico** (son of Rtn. Ruben Felebrico, RC Taytay); **3rd- Rtn. Brile Kison**, RC Pasig North

**Doubles 1st - Sec/PP Vic Buencamino & Venedict Songco** (son of Rtn. Pen Songco) RC Mandaluyong; **2nd- Rtn. Ruben Felebrico & Jan Maichael Felebrico**, RC Taytay; **3rd- PE Tony Herrera & PP Quintin Que**, RC Valenzuela East

PE Hernan Madilag and District Chair, PP Vic Buencamino gave awarding ceremonies.

*from RC Mandaluyong Central*

### Mass blood letting...

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GSC (MNSA).

The activity started 10:00 AM with short program and messages Gov. Efren de Guzman, Dir. Vener Ferrer & Dir. Arlyn Pelina and Pres. Manny Chua.

From the possible donors of 40 reserved battalion and 18 rotarians & spouses, only nineteen (19) passed the test as qualified blood donor and one (1) from Gov. Efren de Guzman.

At exactly 12 noon, the activity ended. To sum up, the National Red Cross team were able to received 19 bags or 8, 550 cc of blood.

*by Sps. Merlie C. Chua*

### 3.0 Club

- 3.1 Observe Rotary Fellowship Month for the month of June.
- 3.2 Conduct club assembly immediately after DISTAS.
- 3.3 Send statement of club dues to all members, record collections and issue membership cards.
- 3.4 Submit Centennial Project to Rotary International not later than June 30, 2003.
- 3.5 Secure from South Pacific office or download from the Rotary website needed forms and supplies like membership proposal and application cards, membership ID's, membership data forms, change in club information report form, etc.
- 3.6 Answer all correspondence promptly after proper consultation with the president
- 3.7 Adopt in your club the approved District 3800 Continuing Rotary Education Program (CREP) for Rotary Year 2002 - 2003.

## P 94,320 given for bone marrow transplant

A letter of appeal for financial contributions received by DG Efren de Guzman from PE Juancho Ong of the Rotary Club of Marikina Heights begging for help to raise PhP 3.5 million for his spouse Rowena's bone marrow transplant operation raised a total amount of PhP 94, 320.00 from kind hearted Rotarians and spouses and Rotary Clubs comprising R.I. District 3800.

Spouse Rowena is suffering from acute myeloid leukemia and has been confined in and out at the National Kidney and Transplant Institute and has been undergoing chemotherapy. She needs a bone marrow transplant operation in order to survive.

DG Efren read the letter of appeal during the Palarotary ng Lahi 2003 held at the Marikina Sports Park last April 6, 2003. A significant amount of cash donation from Rotarians and spouses was raised. Below is the list of the contributors that made up the aforementioned amount which was handed over to PE Juancho Ong. Teary-eyed PE Juancho thanked all the donors for their generous contribution and understanding.

1. Kalookan Zone - PhP 10,000.00; 2. RC Ortigas Center - 5,000.00; 3. PP Tomy Chua, RC Kalookan - 5,000.00; 4. DS/DGN Fabie Enriquez, RC Pasig North, 5,000.00; 5. PP Tony Ong, RC Northbay East, 5,000.00; 6. Rtn. Alex Chua, RC Northbay East, 2,000.00; 7. AG Romy Chua, RC Northbay East, 1,000.00; 8. PE William Chua, RC Northbay East, 500.00; 9. Pres. Leo Chua, RC Northbay East, 500.00; 10. PP Juanito Dy, RC Northbay East, 500.00; 11. IP Leo Go, RC Northbay East, 1,000.00; 12. Rtn. Mario Pascual, RC Northbay East, 100.00; 13. Rtn. Roy Santiago, RC Northbay East, 100.00; 14. CP Jess Tan, RC Northbay East, 500.00; 15. PP Danny Chua, RC Northbay East, 800.00; 16. Pres. Dodong Quimbo, RC Taytay, 6,000.00; 17. Pres. Frix Africa, RC Marikina West, 1,000.00; 18. Pres. Ching Umali, RC Marikina North, 3,170.00; 19. PP Bobby Lorenzo, RC Marikina North, 1,000.00; 20. PE Ike Bunag, RC Marikina North, 2,000.00; 21. Pres. Dave Daniel Umali, RAC Marikina North, 5,000.00; 22. Pres. Archie Uy, RC Mandaluyong, 2,000.00; 23. Pres. Chris Chan, RC Valenzuela West, 2,000.00; 24. CP Marilou Co, RC San Juan Del Monte,



DGI. Pam takes aim at the Shootfest

## Layon ng Rotaryo

(Object of Rotary)

Ang layunin ng Rotaryo'y pasiglahi't paunlarin  
Ang huwaring paglilingkod mapalago't mapaingting,  
Ang saligang nararapat bigyang aksyon na gawain  
At ang tanging pakay nito'y tulongan at palawakin:

Ang una ay tumutukoy sa layuning mapalawak  
Mga taong kakilalang kasama't nakakausap,  
Magandang pagkakataon na dito ay nagaganap.  
Ang mathiing paglilingkod layong natng hinahangad.

Pangalawa'y ang mataas na dapat na pamantayan  
Sa negosyo at propesyong may maganda't tamang asal.

Pahalaga't pagkilala sa mabuting hanapbuhay  
Ng Rotaryo bilang gabay paglilingkod sa lipunan.

Ang Pangatlo'y ang huwaring paglilingkod sa Rotaryo

Katulad ng pansariling pagtulong sa mga tao,  
Maayos at makatao ang palakad ng negosyo  
Sa pambayang pamumuhay matino at maginoo.

At Pang-apat na layunin ay tungkol sa pandaigdig  
Unawaan, kabutihang isang mundong matahimik,  
Negosyante't propesyonal pagtitipoy masusulit  
Ang huwaring paglilingkod nangyayari't nakakamit.

Nagkasundo ang rotaryong pandaigdig na lupunan  
Na ang apat na pahaywag ay dakila't pantay-pantay,  
Lahat itoy mahalagang mabigyan ng katuparan.  
Kaya nga ba nararapat isulong na sabay-sabay.

**Katha ni: PP Mario Francisco, RC Teresa**

2,000.00; 25. Pres. Nemie Felix, RC Cainta, 5,000.00; 26. Pres. Nemie Felix, RC Cainta, 1,000.00; 27. Pres. Ely Belen, RC East Rizal, 500.00; 28. Rtn. Cong. Del de Guzman, RC Marikina, 5,000.00; 29. Rtn. Vice Mayor Marion Andres, RC Marikina Heights, 10,000.00; 30. Pres. Rene Manzano, RC Mandaluyong North, 1,650.00; 31. Pres. Eric Cruz, RC Grace Park, 10,000.00

**TOTAL P94,320.00**

## Golfer of the year ...

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Div. E- PDG Teddy Zamorra with 133pts; William Lee; Celso Montalla; Martin Lim; Benny Salazar; Arthur Dy; P Rey Villacrusis; Jun Sebastian; Conrad Cuesta; Gene Dizon completes top ten of very volatile div. E.

Only 3 pts. separates **Joey Razon** from **PDG Teddy Zamorra**, still anybody's jacket!

*Team Competition* is dominated by RC Valenzuela / Metro Val., 2nd- RC Taytay; 3rd-RC Pasig; 4th -RC Mkina Hilltop; 5th - RC East Rizal; 6th - RC San Juan North; 7th- RC Lakeshore Rizal/R. Centro; 8th- RC Malabon East; 9th- RC Marikina

10th- RC Pasig East/Pasig South

RC East Rizal Rules Team Competition at Eastridge w/ 152 pts.

Counted were PP Romy Cabungcal, Chito Alfonso, D Estanislao and M. Delfinado RC Taytay followed as PP Joni Bagalso scored a scorching 78, Vic Rosaria, AG Totoy Esguerra's 77 and Tony Sierra made the day for Taytay.

PP William Lee's century mark, PP Vic Que, PP Joey Sy and P Joy de Leon scored for team RC Valenzuela/Metro Val.

Eastridge Hole Placements was Exceptionally Difficult

*Over-all Champion* this leg went to **PP Joey Razon** of RC Pasig; **AG Totoy Esguerra** ruled *Div. A* w/ a 77 followed by **Ardel de Guzman** of Metro Mkina, 3rd was **Bing Datu** of Pasig South. PP Joni Bagalso's 78 rattled Chito Alfonso, and Joey Sy in Div. B. PP Vic Que beat team mate P Joy de Leon by one, as PP Ricky Santos got in 3rd -C PP Romy Cabungcal edged Vic Rosaria and Emil Francisco in this battle of Rizal Golfers in Div. D; PP William Lee of RC Val-Metroval scored a hundred to beat RC East Rizal's D. Estanislao and M. Delfinado, as PDG Teddy Zamorra and PP Celso Montalla went a bit sour on the treacherous pin placements of the golf course!

Prepare for the 8th leg at Mimosa mountainview course this 16th of may, semi shotgun 10am-1pm tee off to allow time for traffic at San Simon. Dinner to follow at Casino Filipino where scrip money worth 500 for Casino will be given away to all players. Wonderful raffle prizes will given away amidst a Bikini open contest, wine and sumptuous food! All these for P1,600 inclusive of green fee-tournament fees! DISTAS 17-18

by **PP Joey Sy, RC Metro Valenzuela**

## Shootfest ...

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was emceed by Ms. Kaye Dacer, a very well-known and popular broadcaster. A competition shooter herself, she is also the incumbent President of the Rotary Club of Univeristy District (D3780) and, as in last year's event, co-chaired the Publicity and Promotions Committee. Undoubtedly, her "pluggings" in her radio program contributed largely to the high turnout in the last two years.

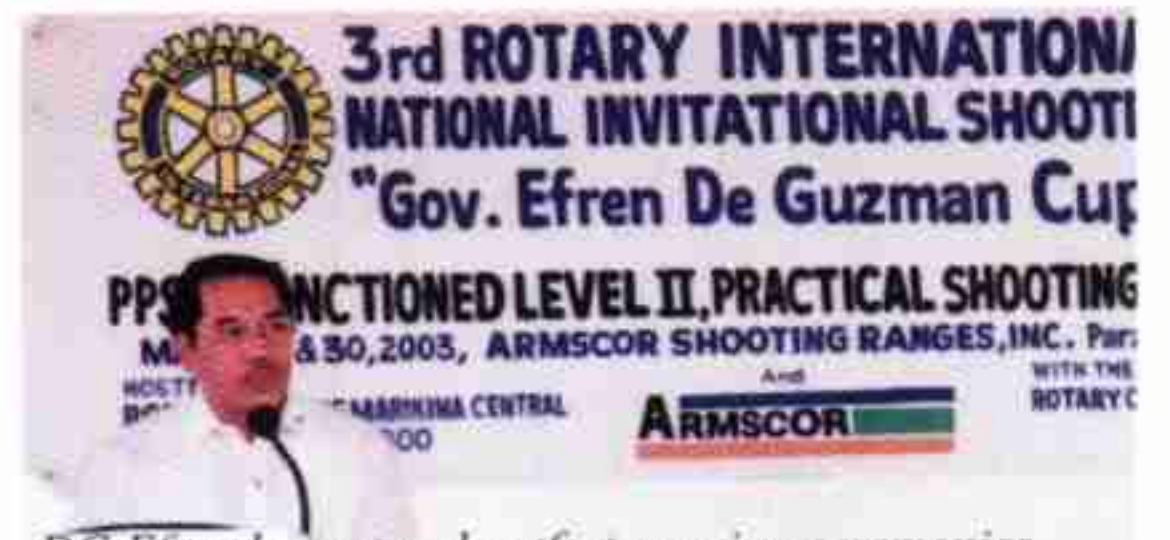
Guns went ablazing almost non-stop as the two-day shootout saw an intense "stage to stage" fighting. After the smoke has cleared, 70 trophies were awarded to the top shooters in various categories. Among them are the following sharp-shooting Rotarians: *Standard*, **Rtn. Romel Canlas**, RC Angeles Kuliati; *Production-Pistol*, **Rtn.**

**Vic Tam**, RC Makati; *Modified-Pistol*, **Rtn. Edwardo Roxas**, RC Makati; *Open-Pistol*, **Ebong Varla**, RC San Francisco del Monte; *Revolver*; **George Barcelone**, RC Makati

Adding glitter to the awarding ceremonies was the presence of Cong. Imme Marcos of the 2nd District of Ilocos Norte who assisted DG Efren, Chair Danny and Pres Joey in handing out the trophies to the winners.

Thus goes another fiery successful edition of our annual District shootfest. Congratulations to our winners, fight resumes next year...before the election gun ban.

By **AG Jun Angeles**,  
RC Marikina Central



DG Efren keynotes shootfest opening ceremonies



DG Efren fires at the target to open the 3rd RI National Invitational Shootfest

## Palarotary ...

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Gabiola, District Chairman-Palarotary, went all out to bring a different kind of Sportfest to the Rotarians and their families last Sunday, April 6, 2003. After the usual formalities, Governor Efren de Guzman declared the games open and balloons were released, dotting the sky with a myriad of colors.

It was a hot & humid day but that did not dampen the enthusiasm of the participants in the Wheelbarrow Race, the Stilt Race, the Coconut Shell Race, Tug of War, Loving Presidents' Race, Patintero, Children's Fun Run, sack race. The participants also enjoyed reaching for the prize in the Pabitin for kids and for adults as well. Other fun games were the "Hulihin si baboy" - nahuli ng Green Team, Zone.

This year's crop of Zone Muses were real beauties. Chosen as winner was the Muse from Zone 2-the Red Team-Ms. Sierra Herez. The Rotarians had a field day posing with the lovely muses and with the Surprise Guest-Mr. Dodot Jaworski.

Lots of prizes were raffled off the whole day, thanks to our very supportive friends, business associates, like Flying V, Dermcare (B.J. Larsen), CP Marilou Co, AGL Market Research, who donated the prized, plus the free cool drinks from Drysdale, Hotdog sandwiches from Purefoods & the multicolored balloons for Tropical Hut. The major prizes were donated by Gov. Efren De Guzman, DGN



Pasig Zone, 1st Runner-up over-all.

Fabie Enriquez & PP Bobby Gabiola. Winner of the Grand Prize, a Duomax Karaoke Machine, donated by Gov. Efren was Pres. Manny Chua of RC-Tanay, Zone 5.

In the sidelines, seen cherring and lending support to their respective Zones were:

IPDG Edison Ang & Spouse Malen, PDG Teddy Zamora & Spouse Mely, PDG Pepe Peralta & Spouse Tessie, PDG Santi Chua, PDG Lina Aurelio, PDG Eddie CK Chua, First Lady Pam de Guzman, DGN Fabie Enriquez & Spouse Myrna, with Gov. Efren.. grinning ear to ear... a heartwarming sight indeed to see the District's past, present & future leaders bonding with us, "tinitis and init at pagod", in the true spirit of camaraderie. Three cheers for our leaders!

The whole proceedings was covered by Sky Cable Tv & Manila East Watch-the Weekly newspaper for the People of Rizal. So watch out folks, one of these days out might see yourself on the community channel of Sky Cable.

The Winners of last Sunday's Palarotary:  
*Over-all champion: Zone 8*, Lavander Team  
*First Runner-Up: Zone 6*, Green Team, *Second Runner-Up: Zone 7*, Maroon Team and *Zone 3*, Yellow Team  
*Biggest Delegation: Zone 4*, Orange Team (as usual)  
*Loving President's race: 1st place- Pres. Jun Lugtu*-Suburban East Rizal  
*Children's Fun Run 1st place- Robert Mendoza*

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