



THE BEACON

NEWSLETTER





Dear Rotary member,

For most of us in Rotary, what matters most is our personal club experience. When I joined Rotary, my club made me feel like I belonged. I couldn't wait for the next meeting, and I found a new purpose in the service projects we completed together. To me, this sense of meaning and belonging defines Rotary. As president, I feel a special commitment to help every member in every Rotary and Rotaract club feel like an essential part of our family.

I'm writing today to thank you for being a member and making Rotary part of your life. And I want to share a tool that can further enhance your experience with Rotary — our Action Plan.

The Action Plan challenges us to find ways to increase the impact of Rotary service, expand our reach by bringing more people together to share our vision, adapt to a rapidly changing world, and enhance the experience that you and your fellow club members have in tangible, meaningful ways.

Make Rotary simply irresistible

Keeping members engaged and connected is essential for Rotary's future — and it begins with our clubs.

But great clubs don't happen by chance. I encourage each of you to talk with your club leaders about what you want from your experience and then collaborate to create a welcoming, engaging environment for everyone. I also invite your club to conduct a member satisfaction survey. By understanding more about your fellow club members, you can discover new opportunities to help your club grow.

A MESSAGE FROM THE RI PRESIDENT

As members of Rotary, we also receive many benefits that enhance our experience beyond our club. From tools that strengthen service projects to professional development courses and mentorship opportunities, there are a lot of reasons to be a member.

How can you take action? Learn about the benefits of membership.

Find strength in diversity

We know that most members are introduced to Rotary through friends, who may share the same values, background, or education. Let's grow Rotary by inviting people from a wide range of backgrounds, experiences, and perspectives who also share our passion for community and service to join us and become people of action.

I challenge you to invite someone who might not share the same background as the typical member of your club or district to experience Rotary. If you need help expanding your club's reach, you can find several tools and resources in My Rotary.

How can you take action? Access membership tools.

Join the effort to end polio now

Maintaining our membership and growing Rotary help us continue our fight to eradicate polio. You can support our efforts in many ways:

Join or initiate a PolioPlus Society in your club or district. Donations are matched annually 2-to-1 by the Gates Foundation up to US\$50 million, generating a potential total of US\$150 million toward polio eradication.

Raise awareness in your community by planning events or projects that support the fight against polio.

Visit endpolio.org to find the latest information and tools to help you share the story of our fight against polio and raise support.

Ending this disease forever remains our top humanitarian priority and needs our full commitment.

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How can you take action? Donate to end polio.

Build peace across the world

As Rotary members, we can help create more peaceful communities around the globe. A first step toward becoming a peacebuilder is to enroll in the Rotary Positive Peace Academy or encourage your district to become a Global Peacebuilder District, if it isn't already.

In February, I'm hosting a presidential peace conference in Istanbul, Türkiye, to celebrate peace and mark the opening of the newest Rotary Peace Center at Bahçeşehir University. This conference will provide opportunities to learn together and explore how Rotary members can promote healing in a divided world. I hope to see you there!

How can you take action? Learn more about the peace conference.

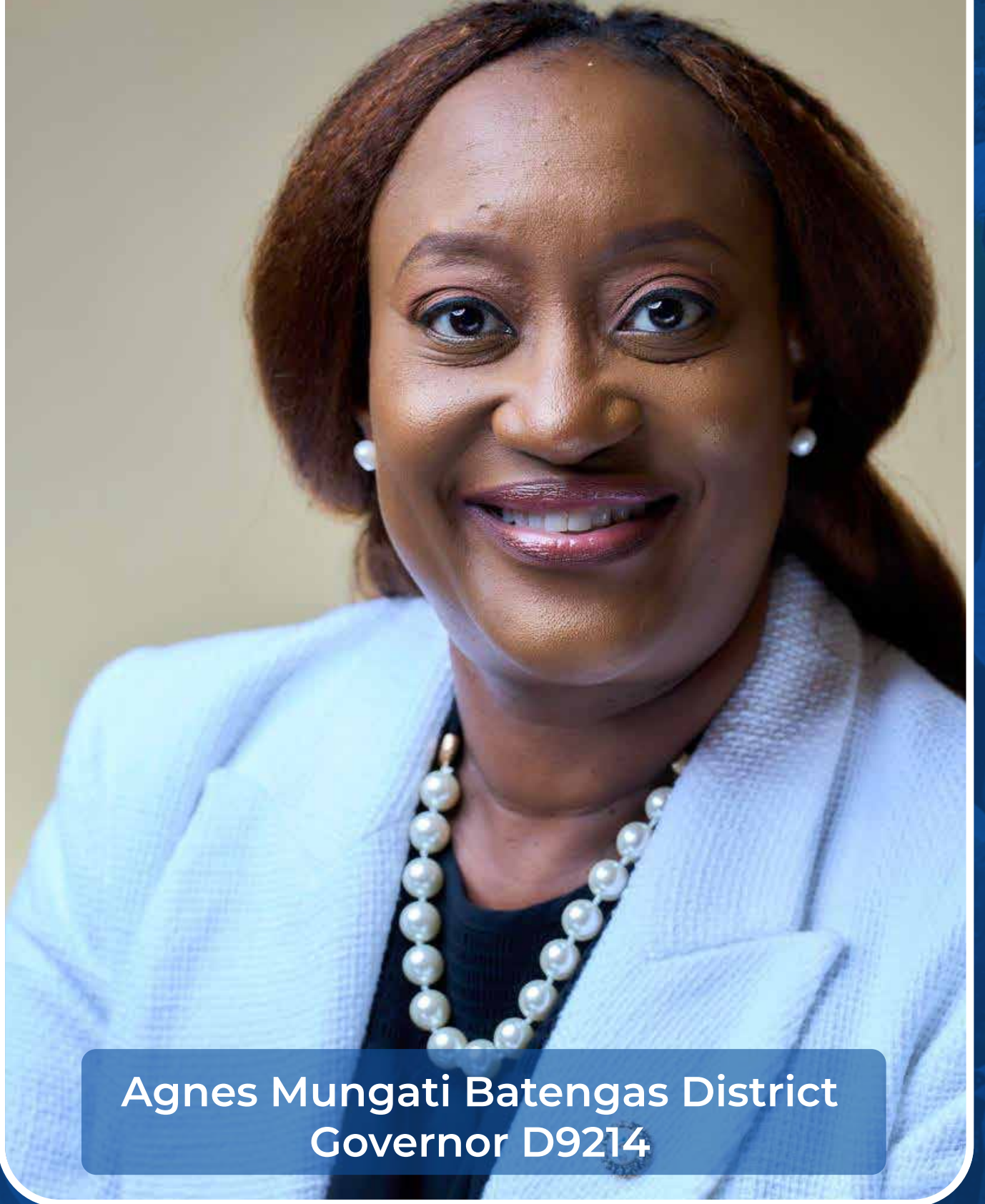
The Magic of Rotary can have its greatest impact when Rotary members and community leaders come together to solve problems and transform lives. That magic starts with you, and now is the time to put it into action.

You have the power to bring about positive change, both in your club and in your community. When we move into the future united in a common purpose, there's no limit to what we can achieve.

Sincerely,

Stephanie A. Urchick
2024-25 President
Rotary International

A MESSAGE FROM THE RI PRESIDENT



**Agnes Mungati Batengas District
Governor D9214**

Welcome to Rotary Magical year
2024-25



Appreciation to the Hope Creator President - IPP Rtn Paul Luyima







Dedication Fellowship For The Rotary Magical Year 2024 -2025







Dear Rotarians, Friends of Rotary

Especially Rotary Club of Bunga

Congratulations upon completing first quarter of magic year 2024/25. At Rc Bunga, we have achieved a lot in the first three months. The vibe is real, projects are real, members are real, giving is real, friendship is real, collaboration with our Rotaract clubs is real.

We have had Rotarians Joining our club in these first three months as dual and Honorary members including PDG Peace Taremwa, PDG Mike Sebaru, VCC Appollo Ampumwize, PAG Joyce Magara, PAG Bildard Baguma, PAG Magara, PAG Balaka. We are proud of you members.

Thanks to PAG Mubiru Kalenge (our JAJA) and Rtn Hon Urban Tibamanya who earlier made choice and joined during Hope creator year.

We had successful Past Assistant Governors Re union fellowship and was so amazing to meet our past leaders.

Each buddy group has conducted a community project, member home visits are ongoing to increase our friendship, Plant your balance is Kaawa... This has been a real Magic time. Visits to other clubs has been enhanced including joint activities with other clubs such as RC Gaba, Rc Buziga, Rc Kansanga and soon RC Konge Lukuli.

We are at the centre and support to Gaba Corridor activities.

Thank you team for all these in the past three month. Watch the space, more to come.....

Posiano Turyamureeba K
Club President 2024/25



**A moment with the Past District
Governors and Vice Country
Chair**





Fellowship





Posiano Turyamureeba K
Club President



RC Bunga appreciated by RC Buziga for their outstanding support in guiding, mentoring and participating in their activities .



FELLOWSHIP ON MEMBER ENGAGEMENT, VALUE & RESPONSIBILITY BY PROF. NIWAGABA





FELLOWSHIP





Fellowship







DONATIONS OF SCHOLASTIC MATERIALS

The Rotary Club of Bunga donated scholastic materials to primary seven pupils of St.Paul Demostration Primary School Ggaba
(Kamyu Buddy Group First Phase Project At The School)





The Pupils St. Posiano Primary School received an offer of school fees from The Rotary Club Members of RC Bunga

(Rotarian Prima and Rotarian Murangira)







CENTENNIAL PROJECT

Joint Launch **plant your Balance** Centennial Project
which was carried out at St. Dennis Sec School Ggaba
With RC Ggaba, Rotaract Club of Bunga, Jimmy Sekasi
and Avance International University







RC Bunga receives trees donated by Rotarian Dan Kiuze of RC Munyonyo springs





INSTALLATION CELEBRATION

RC Bunga(Mother Club to Rotaract Club of Avance International University)
attending the Rotaract Presidential Installation ceremony





FELLOWSHIP





PROF. NIWAGABA RECEIVING A CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION FROM IPP



ROTARY'S POPULAR ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

1. RC – Rotary Club
2. CL – Classification
3. CP – Charter President
4. VP – Vice President
5. PE – President-Elect
6. PN – President Nominee
7. PND – President Nominee Designate
8. IPP – Immediate Past President
9. PP – Past President
10. PETS – President-Elect Training Seminar
11. DTTS- District Team Training Seminar
12. SAA – Sergeant-At-Arms
13. LOA – Leave of Absence
14. DSA – Distinguished Service Award
15. AGM – Annual General Meeting
16. YIR – Yours In Rotary
17. YIRS – Yours In Rotary Service
18. RCC – Rotary Community Corps
19. CLP – Club Leadership Plan
20. RLA – Rotary Leadership Academy
21. RYLA – Rotary Youths Leadership Awards
22. RLI – Rotary Leadership Institute
23. ARPIC – Assistant Rotary Public Image Coordinator
24. TRF – The Rotary Foundation
25. APF – Annual Programs Fund
26. TWF – The World Fund
27. PEF – Permanent Endowment Fund
28. TPF – The Permanent Fund
29. DIK – Donations In-Kind
30. EREY – Every Rotarian Every Year
31. PHF – Paul Harris Fellow
32. PHS – Paul Harris Society
33. MPHF – Multiple Paul Harris Fellow
34. AKS – Arch Klumph Society
35. BS – Bequest Society
36. BEN – Benefactor
37. FRP – Foundation Recognition Point
38. MG – Matching Grant
39. NNPPC – Nigerian National Polio Plus Committee
40. NID – National Immunization Day
41. GMS – Grant Management Seminar
42. D – District
43. DA – District Assembly
44. DCh – District Chair
45. DGR – District Governor Representative
46. DiG – District Grant

ROTARY'S POPULAR ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

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| 47. DDF – District Designated Fund | 70. SAR – Semi Annual Report |
| 48. DRR – District Rotaract Representative | 71. MOP – Manual of Procedure |
| 49. DIR – District Interact Representative | 72. RI – Rotary International |
| 50. DG – District Governor | 73. RIBI – Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland |
| 51. DGE – District Governor-Elect | 74. RIP – Rotary International President |
| 52. DGN – District Governor Nominee | 75. RIPR – Rotary International President's Representative |
| 53. DGND – District Governor Nominee Designate | 76. RIVP – Rotary International Vice President |
| 54. IPDG – Immediate Past District Governor | 77. RIPE – Rotary International President Elect |
| 55. PDG – Past District Governor | 78. RIPN – Rotary International President Nominee |
| 56. LG – Lieutenant Governor | 79. RIPND – Rotary International President Nominee Designate |
| 57. DS – District Secretary | 80. RID – Rotary International Director |
| 58. ADS – Assistant District Secretary | 81. RIDE – Rotary International Director Elect |
| 59. PDS – Past District Secretary | 82. PRID – Past Rotary International Director |
| 60. AG – Assistant Governor | 83. PRIP – Past Rotary International President |
| 61. PAG – Past Assistant Governor | 84. PRIVP – Past Rotary International Vice President |
| 62. DLP – District Leadership Plan | 85. RFE – Rotary Fellowship Exchange |
| 63. DLT – District Leadership Team | 86. RYE – Rotary Youth Exchange |
| 64. DT – District Trainer | 87. RAG – Rotary Action Group |
| 65. PDT – Past District Trainer | 88. VTT – Vocational Training Team |
| 66. DCA/DISCON – District Conference and assembly | 89. GSE – Group Study Exchange |
| 67. DSG – District Simplified Grant | |
| 68. GETS – District Governor Elect Training Seminar | |
| 69. COG – Council Of Governors | |

ROTARY'S POPULAR ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

- 90. COL – Council on Legislation
- 91. PHSM – Paul Harris Sustaining Member
- 92. BOD – Board Of Directors
- 93. BOT-Board Of Trustees
- 94. RIC – Constitution of Rotary International
- 95. RIB – Bylaws of Rotary International
- 96. RIA – Rotary International Assembly
- 97. GPEI – Global Polio Eradication Initiative
- 98. SRCC – Standard Rotary Club Constitution
- 99. EAPF – East African Project Fair
- 100. SLAPSHOT - Student Leadership Award
Program for Students High On Training
- 101. VTT - Vocational Training Teams !!

Know Your Rotary



MISSION **GREEN**

Plant your Balance



Tree planting at Ggaba PTC





Tree planting at our Lady of Consolata Primary
School Bweyogerere Catholic Parish



Tree planting at Bungu Hill
Primary School



Tree Planting At Ggaba PTC





Rotaractors together with the P7 candidates class of 2024 at St Paul Ggaba Demonstration Primary School pose for a group photo.



Rotaractors Giving out goodies to St Paul Ggaba Demostration Primary Pupils



CANCER RUN

2024





MBUZI BUDDY GROUP HOME VISIT



Kamyu Buddy Group Home Visit





The magical president of RC Bunga Rtn **Posiano Turyamureeba** receiving a banner from RC Entebbe from the club members IPP Paul Luyima, Youth Director-Rtn Emmanuel Sabiti and Club Administrator Rtn Mariam Kivumbi that visited Rotary Club of Entebbe



ROTARY CLUB OF BUNGA BODA BODA ROAD SAFETY ACTIVITY

Rotary Club of Bunga donated reflector jackets to Boda Boda cyclists with purpose of reminding them to follow the traffic rules to reduce the road accidents. This was done by Ndiga Buddy Group







REUNION FELLOWSHIP WITH CLUB'S PAST DISTRICT GOVERNORS AND THEIR PAST ASSISTANT GOVERNORS ON 10TH SEPT 2024





Early Bird Discounts

Available!

REGISTRATION

RATE

Rotarians and Guest

USD 220

Rotaractors

USD 120

Don't miss out, secure your spot today!

www.rotaryd9214.org

See you in Dar es Salaam!





Let's Kick Start Our

Sebbobo Project





Ssebbobo project - Rotary Club Bunga kick started the construction of a school on their 2 acreage piece of land donated by PP RTN Samuel Musoke Majwega (RIP)



Rotary Club of Bunga Donates items to the people of Ssebbobo Community



Sharing a meal with the community





Ambulance Donation To Busunju Health Centre III on 15th Oct 2024





Tree Planting in the ssebbobo community





IPP Simon Peter Ssemakula giving out used usable clothes to the Ssebbobo community





Service above self! IM RTR President Jane Peace Nakibuuka, Hon Dr. Christine Ndiwalana, IPP Simon & Rtr Hillary on site energized to serve the community through the Ssebbobo community Empowerment Project in Busunju

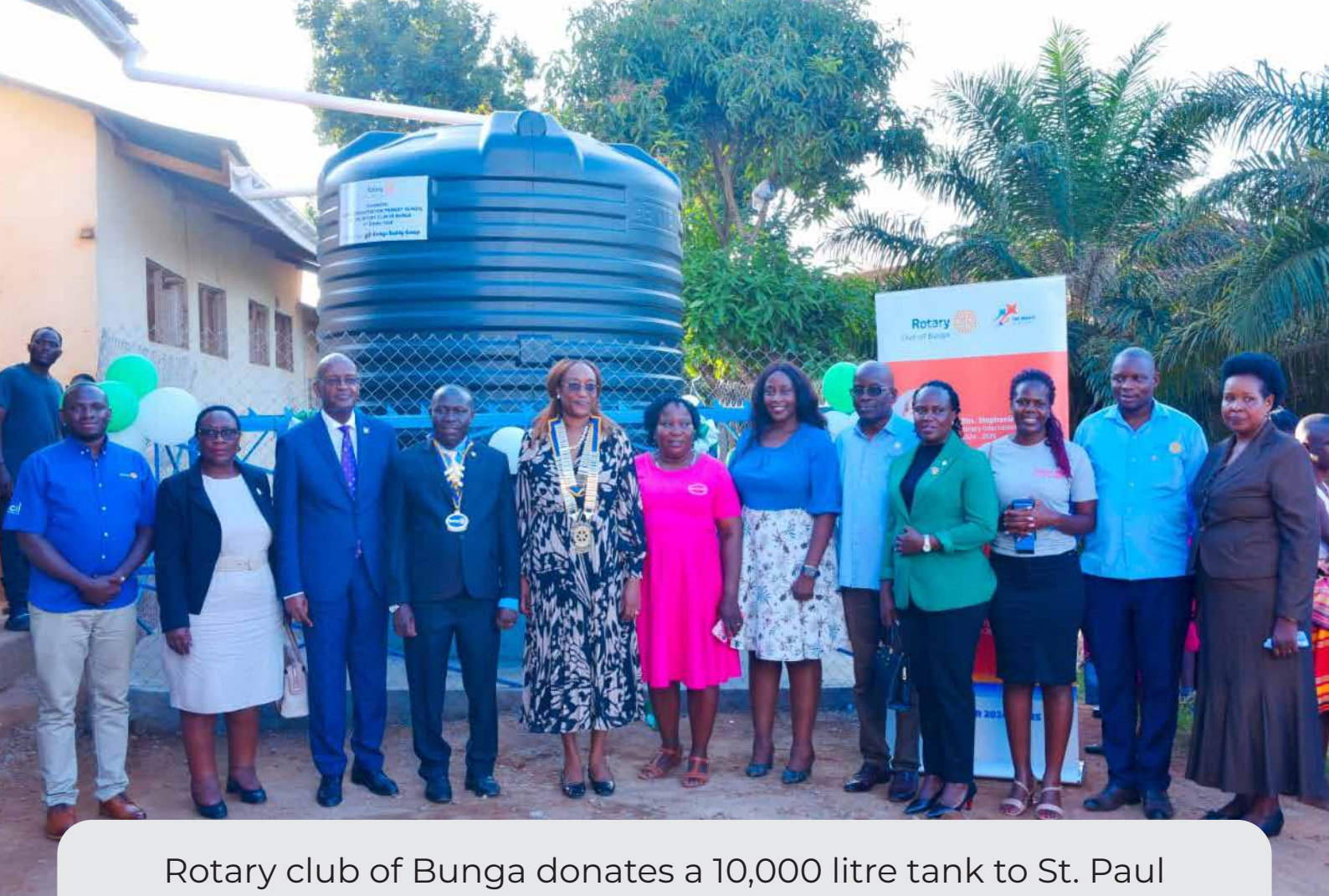






The West Wickham Visit in London by Vice President Rotarian Robert Wagubi





Rotary club of Bunga donates a 10,000 litre tank to St. Paul Ggaba Demonstration School to improve health and hygiene. Students and teachers will be able to access clean water

This was donated by Kamyu Buddy Group as Phase II of their Project at the school



Rotary
Club of Bungu

Donated to:
GGABA DEMONSTRATION PRIMARY SCHOOL
BY THE ROTARY CLUB OF BUNGA
15th October 2024

Sponsored by: Kanyu Buddy Group



Rotary Club Members watch a Film after Fellowship





The Rotary Club of Bungu donated 50 packs of
Mama kits to expectant mothers at Wentz
Hospital, Kawuku



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