

Aide Memoire for Organising Team  
**Gurre me Pongdwongo : Doro Paco**  
28 & 29 December , 2023

( Some food for thought )

1. Objectives: Exposition & Soul-searching ; Self-challenge & Resolve ; Rallying & Uniting , for action . Unveil & adopt “ Rocco Paco” ( overall plan for rebuilding Acoli society ) . In sum , Pongdwongo should mark the beginning of a seminal journey , a pan-Acoli movement for Doro Paco .
2. Other purposes . i . Unveil , adopt & launch some important initiatives & ‘low-hanging fruits’ , e.g : Rocco Paco Scholarship Fund ; Five Schools Project (for rocco five historically prominent public secondary schools in Acoliland ) ; Private Investments vehicle ; Human Resources Database ; Pito yen me Rocco Paco ; etc. ii . Showcase some remarkable , iconic achievements & initiatives . iii . Get to know each other ; ‘who is who’ in the community . iv . Celebrate *odong moko pa maa* . v . Exchange ideas & do some dreaming together .
3. Leitmotifs for Doro Paco. Rebuilding & Resurrecting ; Healing & Restoring ; Re-imagining & Transforming - - Acoli society . Please note that , significantly , the import of the leitmotifs incorporate ‘rebuilding’ in the material & concrete domain ( poverty , education , etc ) as well as ‘rebuilding’ in the moral & metaphysical sphere ( moral conduct , attitudes , morale , discipline , identity , solidarity , etc) .
4. Proposed formal Vision for Doro Paco . “ A Transformed , Vibrant , Resourceful & Values-based Society “ .
5. Proposed formal title for the rebuilding plan . “Rocco Pacp” or “ Rocco Lobo Acoli “ . Proposed sub-title : “ A Rebuilding/Recovery Plan for Acoliland “ or “ A Rebuilding/Recovery Plan for Acoli Society “ .
6. Some imagination : Composition of participants ; Heralding events/ activities ; Ambiance , including setting , music , decorations , etc ; Jollo dano & protocol ; Programming ; Showcasing ; Presentations ; Communications ( within the community & outside) ; etc .
7. Some practical issues. Several practical issues need to be addressed , including : costs , budget & fundraising ; possible sponsorships ; accommodation & feeding ; transport ; arrangements for Zoom & general connectivity ; Recording of proceedings ( written record , video , audio , photographic ) .
8. Engagement of Diaspora. It is critical to develop ways of proactively & fully engaging the Diaspora , both in the ongoing process & at Gurre me Pongdwongo .
9. Organising consultations for : Women ; Youth ; Local government leaders ; Religious leaders ; Ludito Kaka .

- 10.** What is in a name ? What might be appropriate appellations for : the overall project of Doro Paco ; the rebuilding/recovery plan ; the plenary gathering at Pongdwongo.

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