



### Today's Programme

The Rev. Marili Moore

### Topic

"Culture Matters: Reflections on Jerusalem and Hebrew University"

### Location

Upper Canada Room, The Fairmont Royal York



The Rev. Marili Moore (B.Sc., M.Div.) is a member of one of Canada's most prominent families in the arts, and is herself a professional singer. During 15 years as Collections Manager at the Royal Ontario Museum she worked closely with scholars from a wide range of cultural and scientific disciplines. After graduation from Trinity College in 1999 she was ordained into the Anglican Church of Canada, and has maintained an interest in Interfaith Dialogue. She is currently a member of the Canadian Jewish Dialogue of Toronto, and is working towards completion of an M.A. in Jewish Studies at the Hebrew University, Jerusalem. She is particularly interested in how culture shapes the transmission and understanding of Scripture.

### Rotarian Errol Paulicpulli in Sri Lanka

– by Maureen Bird

Since the Tsunami in 2004 Errol has been returning to his homeland of Sri Lanka to assist orphans. Almost 800 were orphaned by the tsunami but there are also 8,000 orphans created by the decades-long civil war. The orphanages created by those who care are not funded by the government. Errol is currently in Sri Lanka adopting his fifth orphanage. His fundraising in 2010 netted about \$30,000 which was used to build kitchens and showers for the children. His project this time is more ambitious, needing \$62,500 for work and supplies at the orphanages as well as latrines and water storage at a school. They currently have 2 toilets for almost 500 students. He is half way to this goal and is setting up the workers to get the work done.

Errol is a man with a big heart. You can assist by donating through our club website (see left column on our home page) or by contacting Belli at the office. Please be generous.

*But it's the kids that get to me, somewhere there is law that says every child should have a hug and a toy.*  
- Errol



## SERVICE ABOVE SELF



The Rotary Club of Toronto is donating \$1,000,000.00 to local and international agencies during our Centennial Year.



Please join us at a **Special Friday Centennial Luncheon on August 24, 2012** at The Fairmont Royal York

**ZACH PAIKIN** GUEST SPEAKER

### The Time is Now for Young Leadership

Zach is a featured columnist for various national and international media outlets, is a regular guest on Toronto's Newstalk 1010, and is an editor at Fair Observer, an international multimedia journal. He contribute research to several Washington-based think tanks, focusing on issues related to international security and Canadian and American foreign policy. He is also a columnist for Canada's iPolitics and a regular blogger for the Huffington Post Canada. He has years of experience in organizing for charitable causes, such as CFL Fans Fight Cancer and the Les Bartley Fund and has helped raise tens of thousands dollars for cancer research and treatment Centres across Canada.. Zach has also spent time advocating and raising funds for global victims of genocide



The \$100,000.00 Award will be presented to

### YOUTH EMPLOYMENT SERVICES YES

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**Upcoming Speakers & Events**

**August 2012**

- 17 Rev Marili Moore, Anglican Priest
- 24 Major Centennial Speaker, Zach Paikin, Political Activist  
Youth Employment Services YES  
"The Rotary Club of Toronto Centre for Youth Empowerment: Job Camp"
- 31 No meeting (Labour Day Weekend)

**September 2012**

- 7 Nelson Wiseman, Associate Professor of Canadian Government and Politics, University of Toronto
- 14 Major Centennial Speaker, Dr. Judith Shamian (RN, PhD), President and CEO of Victorian Order of Nurses

**Propose a Speaker**

Peter Simmie, Chair

**Programme Committee**

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**Editor of the Week**

Jeff Dobson

**Editor Next Week (August 24th)**

Maureen Bird

**What you Missed August 10, 2012**

– by Maureen Bird



It was our midsummer break and we gathered in the Concert Hall. President Neil Phillips was away in France polishing up on more culinary skills. President-elect Richard White got his first practice in conducting

the meeting (with Carol's notes in hand – pick up water glass) but was reminded later that he has 47 weeks to get it right before he takes over. Ross Amos encouraged us to get signed up for our 64th Annual Golf Tournament. Sign up now on-line or you won't get fed! Bill Empey highlighted the Centennial – our major speaker is Zack Paikin on August 24, when we present our next \$100,000 Centennial grant to Youth Employment Services YES.

The New Bylaw XIX, to allow the board to appoint a new treasurer, was moved by Don Bell, seconded by James Hunter and was passed.

Harold Hetherington introduced our entertainment. Jazz exploded from New Orleans in the 1920s and has spread throughout the world, with over fifty genres and sub-genres. Lynda Covello, assisted by Jordan O'Connor on bass and Amanda

Tosoff on keyboard, delighted us with many jazz classics such as "There Will Never be Another You", "Dream a Little Dream of Me" and Gershwin's "Our Love Is Here to Stay". Delightful! In her other life she is a multilingual, story-telling international lawyer – a many-talented lady.

You can see her perform with "Deep Dark Secrets" at the Reservoir Lounge, 52 Wellington E on September 27 and October 17 as well as many Thursday evenings at DeSotos on St. Clair West.

The Ace of Clubs draw continues to increase as James Statham won the wine.



Lynda Covello, Soloist, Mark Kieswetter (pianist) and Jordan O'Connor (bassist)

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The Rotary Club of Richmond Hill is proud to invite you to the:



**2012 District 7070 / 7080 Rotary Conference**  
in Richmond Hill, Ontario on October 19-21, 2012.



Highlights of the conference include Colin Mochrie (from Who's Line Is It Anyway and Are You Smarter than a 5th Grader?) and his wife Debra McGrath (Second City), who will be entertaining us following our Gala Dinner. Also don't miss Zaib Shaikh (from Little Mosque on the Prairie), our keynote luncheon speaker on Multiculturalism in Canada.

Register early and don't miss this exciting opportunity to explore our town, our culture, and our diversity.

To register, check out the District website at [www.rotary7070.org](http://www.rotary7070.org) or access the registration by **CLICKING HERE**



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