Congratulations — August 30thto September 5th

Rotarian’s BirthdaysService above Self

Rtn Wendy BirthwrightSept 6thRtn. Rosemarie Voordouw Sept 9, 2010 **(3 yrs)**

Rt. Gregory Mair Sept 8thRtn. Joylene Griffiths –Irving Sept 10, 2009 **(4 yrs)**

Rtn. Janice Buchanan Sept 10thRtn. Ian Andrews Sept 11, 2008 **(5 yrs)**

Rtn. Alvin Chapman Sept 12thRtn. Audley Gordon Sept 10,1989 **(14 yrs)**

**.and to the following spouces:Wedding Anniversaries**

JullierRose (Ian)Sept 6thRtn Neville and Varena Henry Sept 7th

Rtn. Rose and Preston Dietrich Sept 10th

Rtn.Horace and Barbara Abrahams Sept 11th

**Fifteen Ways to Kill an Organisation**

1. **Don’t attend meetings: but if you do, always arrive late.**
2. **Be sure to leave before the meeting is over.**
3. **Never have anything to say at meetings, wait until you get outside.**
4. **The next day find faults with your officers and fellow members.**
5. **Take no part in the organizations affairs.**
6. **Always place more emphasis on that which divides than on that which unites.**
7. **Be sure to sit in the back so you can talk things over with another member, nobody will notice.**
8. **Get all the organization will give you but give nothing in return, including dues.**
9. **Never ask anyone to join the organization or to participate in promoting fellowship or fund raising events.**
10. **Always talk cooperation but never cooperate.**
11. **Threaten to leave the organization if anything is not the way you want it.**
12. **If asked to help? Always say you haven’t got the time.**
13. **Never read your bulletin. You might find out what is going on.**
14. **Give more priority to personal conflicts than to the overall interest of the club.**
15. **Never accept an office or serve on a committee. It is much easier to criticize than to things.**
16. **If appointed to a committee, never give any time to do it. Let the chairman do it all.**
17. **Don’t do anything more than you have to do and when others willingly use their ability and resources to help the cause howl because the organization is being run by a clique.**

**Club Diary**

1. **See the Jamaica Folk Singers in concert @ the Little Theatre on September 13. Tickets: pre-sold $1200.00 and $1,400.00 at the gate.**
2. **Beach fellowship trip to Portland on September 21. (Postponed)**
3. **Visit to Hope ZOO; September 19th. Details to come.**
4. **Members of the Rotary of Naples North visit with us Oct. 17th**

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1. **Lunch with a leader meeting; every 3rdThursday in each month.**
* **ATTENDANCE STATISTICS**

Last Week’s Attendance: n/a last month: n/a

***Last week: Rotarians 38 Visiting Rotarians 1***

 ***Visitors 2 Make-ups***

**The Funny side**

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Two great white sharks swimming in the ocean spied survivors of a sunken ship. "Follow me son" the father shark said to the son shark and they swam to the Mass of people.

"First we swim around them a few times with just the tip of our fins showing." And they did.

"Well done, son! Now we swim around them a few times with all of our fins showing." And they did.

"Now we eat everybody." And they did.

When they were both gorged, the son asked, "Dad, why didn't we just Eat them all at first? Why did we swim around and around them?" His wise father replied, "Because they taste better without the shit inside!"

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**This Week’s Speaker**

**HIGHLIGHTS OF LAST THURSDAY’S MEETING**

After President Allison had called the meeting to order and had dispensed with the usual formalities Director Robert Kinlocke, speaking o.b.o.f. Director Rosie Vooredouw, reminded the meeting of the Rotaract Club of Kingston’s project to collect books, pens and pencils for wards at the Rio Cobre Juvenile Centre and managed to collect $12,200 from those present, towards the project.

Fund Raising Chairman PP Richard spoke about the upcoming event to be held at the Littler Theatre on Friday September 13.

AG Noel Osbourne informed the meeting of the upcoming Inter Club Assembly to be held in Black River on September 28/29hosted by Jamaica South West. Registration for the two days is $5,000 and for each day $3,000. Hotel rooms are available in the area. Check the AG for further details.

Family of Rotary Committee chair;IPP Manley Nicholsonreported on the recent visit to PP Laker and that PP Laker was very appreciative of the visit. The IPP thanked those who attended for making the event a meaningful one.

President Allison asked for and received approval from the meeting, by show of hand, for the administration to proceed with the long discussed incorporation of the Club into a Limited Liability company.

In his announcement Secretary Gregory reminded the meeting that dues were still outstanding from a number of members of the club.

VP Francois St. Justeintroduced guest speaker PAG Mike Fennell who addressed the meeting in his capacity as President of the Jamaica Olympic Federation. PAG Mike spoke on the matter of recent national discussion on Jamaica’s Anti-doping practices.

The PDG outlined the history and development of the anti-doping effort in the Olympics movement both in Jamaica and internationally and the birth of both World Anti-doping Association and the Jamaica Anti-doping Commission. He advise that the Jamaica Anti -doping Act called for the establishment of JADCO, a disciplinary Panel and an Appeals Tribunal and that the Disciplinary Panel is the only body of the three that is able to impose sanctions against guilty athletes.

PDG Mike then outlined the various objectives of WADA which includes the establishment of international standards, of a list of prohibited substance and the harmonization of an international anti-doping policy and regulations. He explained that Jamaica’s anti-doping best practices are based on WADA standards and that for a substance to be banned it must satisfy two of the following performance enhancing, harmful to health and contrary to the spirit of the sport.

In closing he advised that JADCO, as a member of WADA can be suspend from that Association but that WADA cannot suspend Jamaica from participating in the Olympics.

Rotarian Deika Morrison moved the vote of thanks after which the meeting was adjourned.

**To be announced**

**Next Week’s Speaker**

**Ambassador CelsaNUnO – Ambassador of Spain to Jamaica**