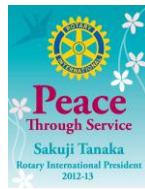


# The Bay



## Bulletin 3

July 24, 2012

Guest Speaker – Mrs. Angella Whitter

**Attendance on July 17 2012:** Alisha, Bhagwan, Conrad, Darrell, Denton, Duncan, Emmanuel, Erica, George, Karen, Kevin, Maria, Natasha, Robin, Roxanne, Vernella

**Apologies for July 17 2012:** Phyllis, Michelle, Kay, Ben, Blondel

**Birthday:** None

**Anniversary:** Conrad and Elaine (June 23, 2012)

### Announcements:

- Rotary Club of **Falmouth** and **Rose Hall** Installation – July 31, 2012 starts 6:30 p.m. @ Glistening Water, Tickets \$2000

- RCMB Annual Bake and Book Sale – Jamaica 50 Village (Dump Up Beach) – **August 3, 4 and 5. Items and volunteers needed! Contact Pres. Roxanne or Sec. Blondel or PP Denton**

- **Family of Rotary Social Trip – Dunns River and Enchanted Gardens - Saturday, August 18, 2012 – 9-3**

**Cost: Adults \$2100 Child \$ 1300 (Entrance and transport only)**  
**Bring Refreshments**  
**Inclusive of all Rotarians and Family as well as Rotary Family**

- GSE Program from Jamaica to India – November 30 – December 31, 2012 → Deadline for Application **August 15, 2012**

- Partner Project with Rotary Club of South Miami – SOS Children Village Barrett Town – **Aug 30 and Sept 1**

- **Inter-Club Assembly in Mandeville – September 29 - 30**

### Recap for last week: Business Meeting

**Membership:** In order to encourage members to invite guests to the club, a lengthy discussion was held on revamping the current structure of recruiting prospective members. One meeting in the near future will be earmarked to discuss membership.

**Vocational (Conrad Grant):** Discussions are in place for revamping our vocational service as career's day may no longer be considered as viable.

**Scholarship (Darryl Wilkenson):** There are 9 applicants. In order to start interviews the Committee is awaiting report cards.

**Water (Duncan Sharpe):** The money expected to be received from the District Simplified Grant is earmarked for the water

project which is to replace the current taps to conservation taps in select primary schools.

### International Service (Bhagwan Chuganey):

- Wheelchair project progressing, however, we do not have sufficient applicants. If members know of persons requiring wheelchairs contact PP Bhagwan.

- Aug 29 and Sep 1, joint project with RC of South Miami to install cupboard and assembly computers. Volunteers needed.

- Rotaractor Courtlin Stoker from California is collecting books for President Project and will be addressing the Club on Sep 3. She was also an ambassadorial scholar.

**President Project 2012-13 (Roxanne Smith):** Progressing well. PP Bhagwan has applied and received the donation of 15 computers for Lethe All Age. PP Conrad will be visiting locations requiring carpentry and has donated his skill for the project. Ongoing Needs for Project – Books, computers and funds/material to build bookshelves and construction of Maldon Library. Air condition for Lethe All Age computer lab is also needed.

**New Generation (Natasha Parchment-Clarke):** There needs to be more support by Rotarians for the New Gen Clubs. It was agreed by the Club that each member will be assigned to one school meeting for the year and it will be his/her responsibility to get a substitute if unable to attend.

**Fundraiser (Denton Campbell):** Major one slated for November. There was some discussion about donating some of the prize money to young entrepreneurs (more detail in future). Bake Sale and Book Sale Independence weekend (see announcements).

**Treasurer (Karen Burgess):** Club Dues are due.

**Public Relations (Bhagwan Chuganey):** Installation was well publicized. Photos and/or articles were in Gleaner, Observer West and Mirror.

### Photo Recap for last week:



IPP Vernella and PP Duncan were winners of last meeting's Raffle of Wine and Chocolate respectively but the other's prize more suited their taste. As they say "exchange is no robbery".

### Tower Hill Basic School, Reading – July 19, 2012



PP Conrad hard at Rotary work measuring the library space for Springfield Primary and Tower Hill Basic School in order to start building the library shelves.