



# The Bay



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*Chartered March 21, 1961  
Meeting:  
Sandals Royal Caribbean,  
Montego Bay  
Tuesdays - 12:45p.m.*

## **ADMINISTRATION 2011-12**

### **Rotary International**

**RI President:** Kalyan Banerjee

**RI President Elect:** Sakuji Tanaka

### **District 7020**

**District Governor:** Guy Theodore

**DG Elect:** Vance Lewis

**Assistant DG:** Govind Chulani

### **BOD - Rotary Club of Montego Bay**

**President:** Vernella Fuller

**Vice President:** Denton Campbell

**Secretary:** Natasha Parchment Clarke

**Treasurer:** Karen Burgess

**President Elect:** Thamani Smith

**Immediate Past President:** Mexine Bisasor

**Sergeant at Arms:** Alfred Pierre

### **Directors**

**Club Administration:** Kay Reuben

**Foundation:** Duncan Sharp

**Membership:** Michelle Daswani

**New Generation:** Natasha Parchment- Clarke

**Public Relations:** Maria Ho Sue

**Service Projects:** Erica De Silva

### **Committee Chairs**

**Literacy:** Thamani Smith

**Vocational:** Conrad Grant

**Christmas Hampers:** Conrad Grant

**Health, Water & Sanitation:** Blondel Reid

**Christmas Family Luncheon:** Blondel Reid

**International Project:** Andrea Hamilton

**Disaster Relief:** Duncan Sharp

**Family of Rotary:** Alfred Pierre

**Major Fund Raiser:** Denton Campbell, Maria Ho Sue

**Membership Training:** Pishu Chandiram, George Palmer, Larklin Hall

### **Rotary Club of Montego Bay**

**PO Box 1224**

**Montego Bay, Jamaica**

### **Website:**

<http://www.rotarymontegobay.com>

<http://www.facebook.com/>

## **Monthly Theme September ~ New Generation Month!**

**Guest Speaker: President O'Neil Nelson – Rotaract Club of Montego Bay**

**Present:** Pres. Vernella, PP Duncan, PE Roxanne, PP Michelle, PP Denton, PAG Pishu, Rtn. Phyllis, PP Kay, PP Conrad, Rtn. Blondel, PP Alfred, PP Erica. PP Ram, PP Bhagwan, Rtn. Joliker

**Visiting Rotaractors:** Vice President Zaheer Clarke (both of Rotaract Club of Montego Bay)

**Apologies:** pp Erica Sec. Natasha, Rtn. Dudley, IPP Mexine.

**Guests:** Pauline Reid, Major Wilkinson, Ava Bigby-Edmund

**Pres. O'Neil gave a summary of the projects and achievements of the Rotaract Club of Montego Bay.**

**This included the Club's work with:**

- Melody House Children's Home
- Mentorship of school pupils
- Maintenance of Norwood Basic schools
- Beach Clean up
- Participation in District and Regional Events

**Future Activates include:**

- Sponsored Walk and Fellowship – Joint activity with RCMB
- Mentorship from members of RCM
- Being on the panel of judges for the RCMB's Essay competition.

**Pres. O'Neil was an impressive speaker. He was articulate, self assured and inspiring.**



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## Announcements RCMB:

1. **Guest Speaker** – Vice Pres. Zaheer of sponsored Rotaract Club of Montego Bay – 20 September.
2. **Guest Speaker** – Garfield Higgins, University of the West Indies, 27 September
3. **Book Boxes donated to Primary schools** – from week 25 September
4. **President's Project** – Essay competition & Volunteer Accreditation Scheme Launch – week 25 September
5. **Media Campaign** – The Club's Literacy Drive and Essay Competition Week beg. 3 October
6. **Club Business Meeting** – 3 October
7. **Sponsored Walk & Breakfast** - Hummingbird Hall - Joint Project, & Fellowship with Rotaract & Christmas Hampers Fundraiser- 25 September - 6am-9am

## Announcements RCMB (Continued)

8. **District Governor's Visit to RCMB** – 25 October, 2011
  9. **50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Gala Dinner** – 26 October 2011 ~ Sandals Royal Island – 7 to 10pm
  10. **Major Fundraiser Golf Tournament** – Cinnamon Hill Golf Course, 13 November – Lead Sponsor First Global Financial Services.
  11. **Website devoted to Golf Tournament** -
  12. **Club's Website** - <http://www.rotarymontegobay.com> advertising on **Club Website**- Please contact the Editorial Team for really competitive deals.
  13. **8. We now have a Facebook Page.** Please Click on this link and \*like\* - [www.facebook.com/rotarymontegobay](http://www.facebook.com/rotarymontegobay)
- Announcements - Other Clubs & District:**
1. **RLI Montego Bay - November 5 & 6, 2011**- Parts 1, 2 & 3 (Deadline for Registration Midnight October 25th!) See the promotional video: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1nisB3AK7cc>



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## Rotary Grace

### Option 1

Our Lord and giver of all good  
We thank thee for our daily food  
May Rotary friends and Rotary  
ways, help us to serve Thee  
All our days.

### Option 2

O Lord who know our need  
Help us to fulfil our rotary creed  
We live to serve these every day  
In all we think or do or say  
Accept our prayers for this meal  
Restore, forgive, inspire and heal

## NATIONAL ANTHEM

Eternal Father bless our land,  
Guard us with Thy Mighty  
Hand,  
Keep us free from evil powers,  
Be our light through countless  
hours.  
To our Leaders, Great  
Defender,  
Grant true wisdom from above.  
Justice, Truth be ours forever,  
Jamaica, land we love.  
Jamaica, Jamaica, Jamaica  
land we love.

Teach us true respect for all,  
Stir response to duty's call,  
strengthen us the weak to  
cherish,  
Give us vision lest we perish.  
Knowledge send us Heavenly  
Father,  
Grant true wisdom from above.  
Justice, Truth be ours forever,  
Jamaica, land we love.  
Jamaica, Jamaica, Jamaica  
land we love.

### Occurring in the past week (members attending in blue):

1. Visit to PP Sam Reid 14 Sept - PP Kay, PP Alfred, Pres. Vernella
2. Visit to Lynn Coley – 14 August - PP Kay, PP Alfred, Pres. Vernella
3. Meeting with Principal Campbell – Chetwood School – 15 August – Pres. Vernella
4. InterClub Assembly, Kingston 17 & 18 September- PP Michelle, PE Roxanne, Pres. Vernella
5. Early Act Meeting Naz School – 13 September – Direct. Natasha
6. Beach Cleanup – 17 September – Direct. Natasha

### Member Recognition Slate - August 2011

**Rotarians of the Month- August – Joint Winners: PP Kay & Director Maria**

**Runners up:** PE Roxanne & PP Alfred

**The following members gained the full 30 points for Extraordinary Contribution to our Club and Rotary in August:**

1. PP Erica – for work as Director of Projects – organised and visited a number of schools
2. PP Conrad – for work as Vocational Chair
3. PE Roxanne – for work as Literary Chair
4. PP Alfred – for work as Family or Rotary
5. PP Denton – for work organizing the Golf Fundraiser
6. PP Duncan – for organising Cocktail Evening
7. Rtn Phyllis – for donation of Atrium for Cocktail Evening
8. Treasurer Karen – for work as Treasurer
9. Rtn. Blondel – for work at getting quotes for 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner and Christmas Luncheon
10. PP George - for researching the procedure for Club By Laws
11. PP Michelle – for her idea of Cocktail Evening, hosting Board Meeting, Family of Rotary work.
12. P Bhagwan – for his work with Ambassadorial Scholar and Max Southby scholarship recipient

### **Birthdays & Anniversaries in September:**

**PE Roxanne** – 8 September – Birthday

Rtn. Blondel – 9 September - Birthday

**PP Bhagwan Chuganey** – 10 September - Birthday

**Sec. Natasha Parchment-Clarke** - 15 Sept. - Anniversary

**PP Alfred Pierre** – 15 September – Birthday

**Rt. Emmanuel** – 18 September - Birthday



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**Photos of the week**

**Guest Speaker President O'Neil Nelson – Rotaract Act Club of Montego Bay**



**PP Denton, Guest Pauline, Rtn. Phyllis**



**PP Denton with Guest Ava, receiving presentation on behalf of Director Maria – Joint Rotarian of the month of August**







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## PHOTOS OF THE WEEK

Family of Rotary Visits: Pres. Vernella, PP Sam Reid, PP Kay & PP Alfred



PP Kay, Lynn Coley (widow of PP Gerald Coley) , PP Alfred & PP Vernella



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## Meeting Opportunities in Jamaica:

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### **Mondays:**

St. Andrew North – Hilton Kingston Hotel (6:30p.m)  
Kingston East & Port Royal- Morgan's Harbour Hotel (7:00 p.m)

### **Tuesdays:**

St. Andrew – Jamaica Pegasus Hotel (12:30p.m)  
Montego Bay – Sandals Royal Caribbean (12:45p.m)  
Mandeville- Golf View Hotel (12:45p.m)  
Falmouth - Glistening Waters (5:30p.m)  
Port Antonio – Conf. Hall RADA, Folly Road (6:00p.m)  
Savanna- la –Mar – Hotel Commingle (6:30p.m)  
Spanish Town- Hilton Kingston Hotel (6:30p.m)  
Rose Hall – The Atrium, Rose Hall (6:30p.m)  
Santa Cruz -Beadle's Club (7:30p.m)

### **Wednesdays:**

Montego Bay Sunrise - Wexford Hotel (7.30a.m)  
Kingston Downtown – Hilton Kingston Hotel (12:30p.m)  
Lucea- Grand Palladium (6:00p.m)  
Negril – Negril Escape Resort (6:00p.m)  
Ocho Rios-Sand Castles Hotel (6:00p.m)  
Christiana- Spauldings Skills Trade centre (7:00p.m)  
Portmore – Eden Gardens (7:30p.m)

### **Thursdays:**

Kingston- Jamaica Pegasus Hotel (12:30p.m)  
North St. Catherine- Windalco Sports Complex (6:00p.m)  
Liguanea Plains- Eden Gardens (6:30p.m)  
Trafalgar New Heights, Kingston -Liguanea Club (6.30pm)  
May Pen – Hotel Versailles (7:00p.m)  
Montego Bay East – Sunset Beach Resort (7:00p.m)  
Black River- Luna Guest House ( 7:30 p.m)

### **Fridays:**

New Kingston Pegasus Hotel (7:00a.m)

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### **THE FOUR-WAY TEST**

**Of the things we think, say or do:**

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

### **Avenues of Service**

**Club Service** focuses on strengthening fellowship and ensuring the smooth functioning of Rotary clubs.

**Vocational Service** involves club members serving others through their professions and aspiring to high ethical standards. Rotarians, as business leaders, share skills and expertise through their vocations, and they inspire others in the process.

**Community Service** Community Service is the opportunity Rotary clubs have to implement club projects and activities that improve life in the local community.

**International Service** encompasses efforts to expand Rotary's humanitarian reach around the world and to promote world understanding and peace. It includes everything from contributing to PolioPlus to helping Rotary Youth Exchange students adjust to their host countries.

**New Generations Service** recognises the positive change implemented by youth and young adults through leadership development activities such as RYLA, Rotaract, Interact and Earlyact club service projects, and creating international understanding with Rotary Youth Exchange.