



The weekly bulletin of the Rotary Club of Montego Bay ~ Issue 6 ~ 16 August 2011

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

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Monthly Theme August ~ Membership Development & Extension Month!

Business Meeting - 9 August 2011

Members Present: PP Alfred, Rtn. Andrea, Rtn. Blondel, PP Conrad, PP Denton, PP Duncan, Rtn. Emmanuel, PP Erica, PP George, PP Kay, Direc. Maria, Rtn. Phyllis, PE Roxanne, Pres. Vernella

Apologies: PP Larklin, PP Bhagwan, AGE Michelle, PDG Pishu, Rtn. Joliker, Rtn. Dudley, Tres. Karen, Sec. Natasha, PP Robin.

The Follwing topics were discussed by the Club:

- 1. Increase in Dues The Club approved an increase to \$16,000 per annum, effective immediately.
- Pres. Vernella ~ Club's Achievements in July ~
 please see August Newsletter for details.
- 3. **Membership Drive Cocktail Evening** 30 August, The Atrium
- 4. PP Conrad Scholarship Presentation Luncheon please see *Announcements* below.
- 5. PP Duncan: Foundation Fundraiser Rotarians who cook **16 October, PP Robin's Home.**
- PP Denton: Major Golf Fundraiser Planning in full flow; date to be chosen from; 13 & 20
 November
- Director Maria: Club Shirts Possible choices and ordering procedure~please see your emails for more information
- 8. **50**th **Anniversary Gala Dinner 26 October** ~DG Guy Theodore confirmed as Guest Speaker Venue to be confirmed.
- UWI Request suggestions needed from Club on how we would like to see the Western Campus develop ~ Please send your comments to Sec. Natasha or Pres. Vernella
- 10. New name badges now available.
- 11. Ambassadorial Scholar Shaniek Update given.





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Announcements RCMB:

- Guest Speaker Club Luncheon 16
 August ADG Govind;
 Ambassadorial Scholarships.
- Club Assembly 21 August, 12:00m- 2:00 ~Montego Bay Conference Centre – Chair, Director Maria Ho Sue
- Scholarship Disbursement
 Luncheon –29 August 12:00 2:00 Hummingbird Hall
- Cocktail Evening Membership
 Drive and Fellowship 30

 August The Atrium
- Book Boxes donated to Primary schools – week of 11 September
- President's Project Essay competition Launch & Volunteer Accreditation Scheme – week 11 September
- Sponsored Walk & Breakfast Hummingbird Hall Joint Project,
 Fellowship with Rotaract &
 Christmas Hampers Fundraiser, 25 September; 6am-9am

Announcements RCMB (Continued)

- Guest Speaker Mr. Garfield HigginsUWI 27 September
- District Governor's Visit to RCMB –
 25 October, 2011
- **10. 50**th **Anniversary Gala Dinner** 26 October 2011 ~ Venue to be confirmed
- 11. Club's Website
 http://www.rotarymontegobay.com
 advertising on Club Website- Please contact the Editorial Team for really competitive deals.
- 12. 8. We now have a Facebook Page.

 Please Click on this link and *like* -

www.facebook.com/rotarymontegobay

Announcements - Other Clubs & District:

- Rotaract Club of Montego Bay Bake Sale –
 20 August, Fairview Shopping Centre
- 2. Falmouth Club Wine & Cheese Cocktail
 Party- 27August, 7pm Breezes, Falmouth
- Rotaract Club of Montego Bay Launching of Project CARE – 30 August
- Rotaract Club of Montego Bay Hosting of Installation of Montego Bay Comm. College – 31 August.





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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.

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

- 1. Media Launch of Flow & Montego Bay Sunrise Computer Literacy Drive
 9 Aug. 4pm, Wexford Hotel Pres. Vernella
- 2. Meeting ~Bookland book store re President's Project Pres. Vernella
- Meeting~ Principal Irwin Primary School 11 August, PP Erica, PE Roxanne, Pres. Vernella
- 4. Negril Installation Beach Party 13 August, 2pm Half Moon Beach, Negril Pres. Vernella
- 5. Meeting ~Dr. Lawson 15 August, ELC Literacy @ Church on the Rock Independent School Pres. Vernella
- 6. Montego Bay Conference Centre ~Meeting & Show pre Club Assembly 15 August, Pres. Vernella

Rotarian of the Month - July (75 points)

Rtn. Blondel for:

- * Attendance 3 of 4 Club Luncheons in July
- Attendance at Board Meeting
- ❖ Attendance at Club Installation
- Inviting 2 Guests to Club Luncheons
- * Weekly Collection of Luncheon fees

Runners up were:Rtn Maria (70 points) & PP Conrad (60 points)

Birthdays & Anniversaries in August:

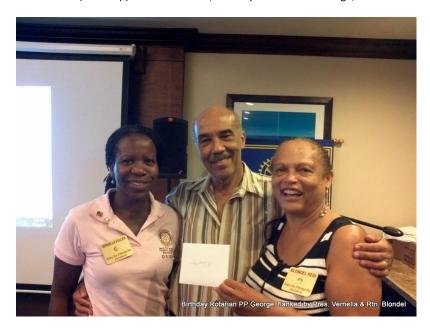
- 1 August PP Duncan Birthday
- 9 August PP George Birthday
- 15 August IPP Mexine Birthday
- 19 August AGE Michelle Anniversary





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Photographs of the Week: (from top) Pres. Vernella, Brthday Rotarian PP George, Rtn. Blondel



Rtn. Andrea, raffle winner, and PE Roxanne







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Rotary Club of Negril - Installation Beach Party, Half Moon Beach, Negril



Ambassadorial Scholar Shaniek, Rotary Presentation, North of England









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Meeting Opportunities in Jamaica:

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)

THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

 Is it the TRUTH?
 Is it FAIR to all concerned?
 Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
 Will it be BENEFICIAL to all

Avenues of Service

concerned?

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.