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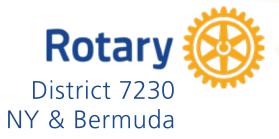
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on 100 years of Service to our Community.

Kirk Kitson, Chairman, Kitson Group of Companies Hamilton Rotarian since June 1st 1966 Founding Member of Rotary Interact Youth Club (1976) Past President, Hamilton Rotary Club (1981-83)



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## **100 YEARS OF SERVICE**

## BERMUDA ROTARY CLUBS 1924 — 2024

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## Object of Rotary

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

- *I. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;*
- II. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his/her occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
- *III.* The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his/her personal, business and community life;
- *IV* The advancement of international understanding, good will, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional Rotarians united in the ideal of service.

### INTERNATIONAL

This page sponsored by Mansfield "Jimmy" Brock, Past President and Director of Hamilton Rotary Club.



### Introduction

The Bermuda Rotary Clubs' place in Rotary International (RI) is special, if not unique. On this Atlantic island, our 4 clubs with some 104 members form part of an international District 7230, with over 1200 Rotarians in 46 clubs, 9 Rotaract clubs of young adults and 11 Interact clubs comprised of teenagers. The District includes Westchester, the Bronx, Manhattan Island, Staten Island, and Bermuda.

The Bermuda clubs have played important roles in the worldwide organisation that is Rotary International. Indeed, from our Bermuda clubs have come: a President of Rotary International, Jack Davis (1977–78); one of the 3 official RI observers at the inauguration of the United Nations, Director of RI, Sir Stanley Spurling; and the first Executive Director of the PolioPlus programme, Walter Maddocks (1986–88). At the District level, 7 District Governors began their Rotary lives in Bermuda: Sir Stanley Spurling (1940–41); Jack Davis (1961–62); Tom Keill (1968–69); Walter Maddocks (1976–77); Bill Masters (1983–84); David Sullivan (2003–04); Barbara Edwards (2017–18).

Action is at the heart of Rotary. Each club president leads a plan for assisting charities and humanitarian agencies by providing a wide range of support by a variety of means. Every name in the list of Paul Harris Fellows represents a story of contributing to the community. These individuals have been recognised, with an award named after Rotary's Founder. Each club has also sponsored overseas projects in cooperation with a Rotary club near the project site.

At the same time, the Bermuda clubs have periodically combined efforts in support of such agencies as the Salvation Army and the Lady Cubitt Compassionate Association. Perhaps the most apparent example of long-term support of Bermuda's clubs working together is the Rotary International Student Exchange programme, which has been in existence for over half a century. While the clubs have hosted students from a variety of countries from around the world, they have collaborated in sponsoring Bermudian students to spend a year in countries, imbibing cultures, different from their own and learning to speak international languages. These students have testified to their life-changing experiences. Another club-wide investment in developing our young is the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards. It can be said that, if the Rotary clubs did no more than participate in these programmes, the clubs' existence would have been worthwhile.

At the time of Bermuda Rotary's 90th Anniversary in 2014, Bermuda's Rotarians united to erect the four-faced Rotary Clock positioned in the forecourt of Hamilton's City Hall. Each face represents one of the 4 clubs and points to the 4 corners of the globe, thereby representing both local and world-wide ambits of activity. Drawing upon the principles activating Rotarians, the clock also highlights the work of Walter Maddocks, whose massive fund-raising efforts — including from our local clubs — enabled the PolioPlus campaign to support on a grand scale the effort to expunge the polio virus from the Earth.

By working together, Bermuda's Rotarians view with pride the achievements of this century of service. These include the clubs' efforts to reflect in their membership and activities the social changes that have taken place in the communities in which they exist and which they serve. In this centennial year, Bermuda's Rotary clubs will collaborate with other organisations to plant 100 endemic trees, one tree for each year of Rotary's existence in Bermuda — Junipers, Palmettos, and Olivewoods – across these islands. A 17th–century writer, Thomas Fuller, has said that the person who plants trees loves more than himself. Such a sentiment epitomises the efforts of Rotarians to enhance human welfare.

As all service clubs adjust to changing social norms, Rotarians continue to be rewarded in spirit when giving back to their communities and working to enhance peace in the world. The results of the PolioPlus programme exemplify the value of the combined effort of Rotarians under the founding motto: "Service Above Self".

#### "Bermuda Salutes the following Rotary clubs also chartered on 15th March, 1924"

Rotary Club of Wigan, England Fort Pierce, Florida | Hopewell, Virginia | Jenkintown, Pennsylvania Lapeer, Michigan | Ridgewood, New Jersey Webster Groves, Missouri.



### GOVERNMENT HOUSE BERMUDA

H.E. Ms Rena Lalgie Governor and Commander-in-Chief



I am pleased to send greetings to the Hamilton Rotary Club in this its Centenary Year.

Service clubs like Rotary deserve the recognition of the community for not only their service and donations to the community, but their efforts in international cooperation and understanding.

During its existence the Hamilton Rotary Club has supported several programmes for youth, through educational opportunities and international exchange and helped develop community and international service projects addressing many of society's most critical issues. The Rotary motto "Service above self" says a lot – 100 years of service says even more.

I wish the Hamilton Rotary Club good wishes for this anniversary, as well as continued success in the future.

Rena L'algie

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8 August 2023

R. Gordon R. McInally President, 2023-24 Rotary International

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Dear Rotary Club of Hamilton,

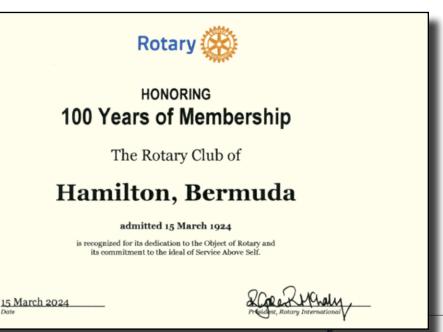
Congratulations on your club's 100 years of Rotary service. Your continued devotion to Rotary is an inspiration, and I hope your enthusiasm will inspire fellow members to care for each other as they would care for the people we serve.

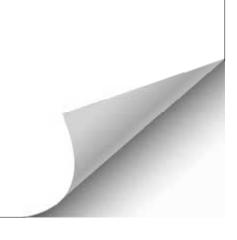
Rotary's ability to create lasting change begins with the bonds we form with each other. Together, it is within our power to bring peace and soothe those afflicted by conflict, both in their communities and in themselves.

Active and engaged clubs like you make it possible to *Create Hope in the World*. Thank you for your dedication to the Rotary family and your commitment to service.

Warmest Regards,

R. Gordon R. McInally President, Rotary International 2023-24







Drew Kessler RI Director

Treasurer 2023-24 Rotary Club of North Rockland (Haverstraw) New York, USA



22 February, 2024

Dear Friends and Fellow Rotarians,

As we stand at the threshold of a remarkable milestone, it is with great pleasure and profound gratitude that on behalf of the Rotary International Board of Directors we extend our warmest greetings to all who have been a part of Rotary's inspiring journey in Bermuda over the past century. In celebrating your 100 years of service, we reflect on the countless lives touched, the communities transformed, and the enduring spirit of fellowship that has propelled you forward.

Since your inception in 1924, Rotary's existence in Bermuda has been a shining beacon of hope, embodying the core principles of Rotary International and embracing the power of unity and service above self. Through the dedication and unwavering commitment of your members, you have forged lasting partnerships, initiated impactful projects, and championed noble causes that have left an indelible mark on the island and beyond.

Having personally experienced the work the local Rotary Clubs are doing in planting mangroves to protect the island it is an example for the Rotary world what is possible.

To all those who have contributed to the extraordinary tapestry of Rotary's presence in Bermuda—past and present—I express my heartfelt appreciation and admiration. It is through your unwavering support, generosity, and passion that you have been able to uplift the lives of countless individuals and inspire positive change in your communities.

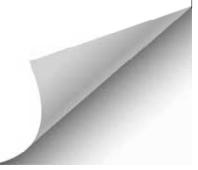
As we embark on the next 100 years, let us do so with optimism, determination, and a shared commitment to uphold the ideals of Rotary. Together, we will continue to be a force for good, a source of inspiration, and a beacon of hope for generations to come.

In closing, I extend my warmest congratulations on this momentous occasion and express my deepest gratitude to all who have been instrumental in shaping your remarkable journey. Here's to the next century of service, fellowship, and making a difference!

Yours in Rotary,

Drew Kessler

Rotary International Director 2022-2024





Dear Rotary Club of Hamilton,

On behalf of District 7230, we extend our heartfelt congratulations to the Hamilton Rotary Club for completing 100 glorious years of giving service above self. Every member of the club has distinguished themselves for their selfless and continuous service to the people of Bermuda, the District, and around the world.

Your brilliant and committed members have set the standard for impacting and changing lives for 100 years. Working with you has been a real honor, and we value every opportunity we have had to partner with you in your service to others. Everything you do proves time and time again just how committed you are to Rotary's Four Way Test:

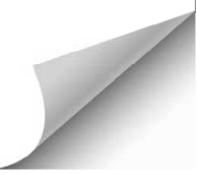


Is it the truth? Is it Fair to all concerned? Will it build goodwill and better friendships? Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

It is my distinct pleasure and honor to recognize the Hamilton Rotary Club, as well as your sister Bermuda Clubs, Pembroke, Sandys, and St. George, as they join collaboratively on the auspicious occasion to celebrate your 100th Anniversary. I can say, without fear of equivocation, that your service has been amazing for all of your 100 years, but the best is still yet to come. District7230 stands ready to support you in whatever projects you engage, knowing that the results will be transformative in the lives of whomever you choose to serve.

Again, I say, Congratulations!

Yours in service, J. Loren Russell Rev. Dr. J. Loren Russell District Governor District 7230 Rotary International





14 February 2024

Dear Members of the Rotary Clubs of Bermuda,



On behalf of the Government of Bermuda, I congratulate you on your 100th anniversary and a century of dedicated service to our community.

The Rotary Clubs of Bermuda have consistently embodied the motto 'Service Above Self' and 'One Profits Most Who Serves Best' and the vision of Paul Harris of professionals from diverse backgrounds to exchange ideas, form lasting friendships and make the world a better place through service to others.

The commitment of the Rotary Clubs of Bermuda to creating positive change on our island has been evident throughout the decades. You have consistently supported our public institutions, such as our schools and charities, through the generosity of donations. And equally, if not more valuable, your members have devoted time, knowledge and expertise to students and residents through educational programmes and partnerships.

Your efforts in youth development, particularly through the Interact Youth Club, the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards and scholarship programs, have empowered our young people, paving the way for a future of knowledgable, compassionate and ethical community leaders. Your support, encouragement and guidance are helping our young people to dream big about the positive impact they can and will have on our island.

As you celebrate this significant milestone, know that your contributions are invaluable. The Government of Bermuda is committed to building a better and fairer Bermuda, but we also recognise that we cannot do this alone. Organisations like the Rotary Clubs of Bermuda are pivotal to achieving this goal, and we thank you for all you have done and continue to do.

Congratulations once again on this momentous occasion.

Sincerely,

The Hon. E. David G. Burt, JP, MP Premier

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February 9, 2024



Dear Members of the Rotary Clubs of Bermuda,

On behalf of the One Bermuda Alliance, I extend heartfelt congratulations on reaching this remarkable milestone. This is a momentous occasion that reflects a century of unwavering dedication, service, and impact within the community and beyond.

Since its inception, the Rotary Clubs of Bermuda have been beacons of hope, catalysts for change, and pillars of support for countless individuals and communities. Your commitment to the Rotary motto of "Service Above Self" has undoubtedly transformed lives, uplifted spirits, and fostered a culture of compassion and collaboration.

Over the past century, your initiatives and programmes have left an indelible mark on Bermuda, touching every aspect of society.

Your tireless efforts have inspired others to join in the noble pursuit of making the island a better place.

As you celebrate this significant milestone, take pride in the legacy you have built and the countless lives you have touched. Your dedication to service exemplifies the very best of humanity and serves as a shining example for generations to come.

As you embark on the 100 years, may you continue to lead with passion, purpose, and perseverance. Together, let us strive to create a brighter future filled with hope and opportunity for all.

Once again, congratulations on your remarkable 100 years of service. Here's to many more years of making a difference and transforming lives!

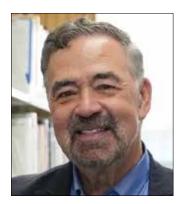
Warm regards,

The Hon. Jarion Richardson JP MP

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P. O. Box 785 New Rochelle, New York 10802 December 18, 2023

Mr. Greg Soares President, Hamilton Rotary Club c/o Dr. George L. Cook P.O. Box 146 Hamilton, Bermuda HM AX

Dear President Soares and Rotary friends in Bermuda,

On behalf of the Rotary Club of New Rochelle, I send my hearty congratulations on the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Rotary in Bermuda!

It is wonderful to know that an initiative of our Club a century ago has borne such fruit – four active clubs in Bermuda, and a century of dedicated service to the people of Bermuda and Rotary International.

All Rotarians share a commitment to service above self, and to supporting measures to promote world peace and understanding, a critical mission in these times.

I understand that you are celebrating the anniversary with a gala on March 15 (using your original bell from New Rochelle) and also with a plan to plant 100 trees, a most worthy project. We wish you great success with these and other events this year!

Sincerely yours,

Tom Geoffino

President Rotary Club of New Rochelle



### The Hamilton Rotary Club approaches 100 years of existence since 15th March,1924.

Members of our club express their thanks to all those who have sent their greetings and congratulations on this historic occasion for Rotary in Bermuda.



GREG SOARES President, Hamilton Rotary Club, 2023-2024

We hope that members of the public will share in our celebration.

Building on the foundation of a century of service to our community, we face the challenges of the next century in the spirit of *"Service Above Self"*.





Greetings from President Eunice and the members of the Rotary Club of Wigan, England, on your forth coming celebration of the centenary of your club receiving its' charter.

The Wigan Club will also be celebrating on the 15th March their one hundred years of Rotary in the town at their Charter Dinner. Although much has changed over the years of our clubs existence, we can still share a common aim to service and friendship across the world.

The Rotary Club of Wigan sends heartiest congratulations on reaching your centenary.

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Rotary International To Accompany Club Application for Membership in Rotary International

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Chesley R. Perry,					
221 East 20th Street, Chicago,	Ill.				
Dear Sir:					

Herewith I have the honor of transmitting the application for membership fro	m the
Rotary Club of	
together with check for \$10000covering its charter fee.	
This club was instituted on the6th day of February	1924

by\* John H. Troy with 25. Charter Members.

The history of the organization of this club is as follows:

During my visits to Bermuda early 1923, I talked Rotary with Arthur Purcell - later on meeting such men as Alan McNichol: J. Hartley Watlington; J. P. Hand; Stanley Spurling; Jack Arnold; Harry Marriott, etc. All Rotarians, but they did not know it. Most Loveable Men. They will make history in Rotary as they are off to a good start. I hope to see the 29th District hold their next annual Convention there.

This club has adopted the standard constitution prescribed by Rotary International for local clubs, certified copy attached.

This club has a satisfactory charter list of members as is indicated by the list (in dupli-cate) attached to its application.

This club has duly elected its members.

I recommend the election of this club as a Member Club of Rotary International.

Respectfully submitted.

City\_New\_Rochelle\_New\_York.

Special Representative ACOMPERATORIES 19.24 the Botarian who represented Rotary International at the institution of the club.

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### Bermuda's Grand Old Man

#### 1897 - 1961

### BERMUDA'S GRAND OLD MAN IS DEAD



termuda's Grand Old Man, Sir Stanley Spurling, Com-on of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, holder of Vrder of the British Empire, died early yesterday after-in the King Edward VII Memorial Hospital after suf-g two heart attacks. Is was 81 years old. Of him Archdeacon the Ven. John , rector of Sir Stanley's parish, St. George's, said yester-

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Sir Stanley advised that permis-Sir Shaniey advised that permis-sion be granted, with the proviso-that Imperial Airways be given the same facilities. This was the start of a regular air service to Bermuda — an air service which today brings the bulk of the Island's visitors. Sir Stanley was most proved of

Island's visitors. Sir Stanley was most proud of the 1944 Parliamentary Conference, because at the conference mem-bers of the United States Senate and House of Representatives attended as observers for the first time — a practice followed ever since since.

#### INVITATIONS

time — a practice followed ever since. INVITATIONS At his suggestions invitations were sent by the President of the Legislative Council to the Presi-dent of the United Statest, and by the Speaker of the House of As-sembly to the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Sir Stanley was born on August 3. 1879 on Banjo Island, St. George's. He was christened Scibioury after the Prime Minis-ter of England, and Stanley after the great African explorer, his father believing that a man's name could influence his career. At the age of 14 he was told that his schooldays were over, but, on protesting, he was allowed to con-tinue at Saltus Gremmar School of the could pay his fres. This he did by working at night in a gro-cery tore. He bicycled every day from St. George's to school, but this did not prevent his taking full part in the sports at school for he was captain of the football team. His nicknames were "Salt Bag" and "Big Duke," the latter referring to his size. Leaving school at the age of 18. he spent a year with the shipping from of stater brought him back to Bermuda in 1899, and two years later, when his father's death lett a vacancy in the House of Assem-by, he became the youngest man ever elected to the House of Assem-by, he became the youngest man ever elected to the House. He held his scater continuously until 1942, a period of 41 years. In Enterval Came in 1912 when Sir Stanley was burnt in effigy in Market Square. The incident oc-

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aground on a reef in Hamilton Harbour. Sir Stanley proposed that the dredger be diverted to remove the shoal, which was proving a

the shoal, which was proving a danger to shipping. This did not please the St. Georglens, and Sir Stanley, having been burnt in effig. lost his seat. He regained it a few years later. Sir Stanley served on the Execu-tive Coencil from 1925 to 1930. In 1942 be was appendixed to the Larie 1942 he was appointed to the Legi-lative Council, and had a six-year term. He also saw service on a large number of Government large Boards.

Bermuda Railway Co., Ltd. PATRON At the time of his death Sir Stanley was honorary patron of the Royal Commonwealth Society. In which he had been the new the the Royal Commonwealth Society, in which be had been the moving opirit for most of his life. Up to last year he had been president of the society – a post he had held for many years. He then re-tifred as president, but remained on the council of the Bermuda branch. At the annual general meeting of the society in early December he retired from the council, and was made honorary patron. patron.

He believed strongly in Anglo-

patron. He believed strongly in Anglo-American relations, and was active in the English-Speaking Union. Interested in painting, ne helped found the Bermuda Society of Arts. Another Interest was the Lads Cubitt Compassionate Asso-ciation, of which he was a patron at the time of his death. Although he retired last year as a churchwarden of St. Peter's, Sir Stanley was a member of the Synod at the time of his death. He had been a member of the Synod for about 40 years, and had been a member of a delegation to the Archbuishop of Canterbury, which urged that Bermuda, instead of beeng linked with Newfoundland. become a separate diocese, and that the Rev. Arthur Heber Browne become its first Bishop.

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Sir (Salesbury) Stanley Spurling

1926 - 1927 Hamilton Rotary President

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**District Governor** 

#### 1946

**Rotary International** observer at the opening of the UN

#### 1952

**Rotary International** Director

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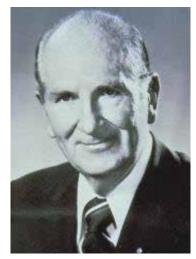


### W. Jack Davis: uncommon international leader

Jack Davis – Rotary International President 1977-78, "Serve to Unite Mankind"

Jack Davis of Hamilton, Bermuda, Rotary's President elect for 1977–78, was a director of The Bank of N.T. Butterfield & Son, Ltd, and retired senior partner in the firm of Pearman, Watlington & Company, which operates retail stores, automobile distribution and a Hamilton engineering firm. Born in Canada, he was educated there and in the United States. He is chairman of the Advisory Architectural Panel of the Bermuda, a founder trustee of The Willowbank Foundation and The Heydon Foundation, and a founding member of the Salvation Army Advisory Board in Bermuda.

An article by Rex Webster with this title appeared in *The Rotarian* (July, 1977), as Jack Davis was about to commence his presidency of Rotary International. "Jack", as he was always known, became a worldly and widely travelled man by virtue of his business and Rotary activities. Since the age of 22 years, he had made his home in these tiny Atlantic islands of Bermuda, though he had originated in the Canadian province of Ontario. He was born in 1911 in the small farming community of Foxboro near the city of Belleville. His father, Cornelius, ran a mixed farm; from an early age, therefore, Jack knew what it was to do his chores before and after school. He walked to and from school, loved sports



and was active in scouting. Hard work and active participation were integral to his persona and view of the world.

Jack went on from his Belleville home and schools to attend the Rochester Business Institute in upstate New York. During his educational breaks, he worked at a tourist resort, named "Honeymoon Cottage", near Niagara Falls in Ontario. The Bermudian owner, Charles Burland, was impressed and, in 1930, invited him to visit him in Bermuda. Here he met J. Hartley Watlington — who had been one of the 1924 charter members of the Hamilton Rotary Club — and was invited to join the staff of the Bermuda Transportation Company, a subsidiary of Pearman, Watlington & Company. Jack had arrived intending upon a short stay, but he decided to stay longer. Within a few years he was married to Doris Aubrey. Thus, with the year 1931 began his

The Rotarian, June 19



Bermuda-R.I. President Ed Cadman dedicates the W. Jack Davis Student Pavilion in honor of the late 1977-78 R.I. past president and the country's four R.I. past district governors. Ber-muda's four Rotary clubs renovated the structure, formerly an old naval barracks, into a dormitory for students of marine archaeology. Left to right are Bermudan Premier John Swan; R.I. Past District Governor Jack Ruger; Libby Webb, daughter of Jack and Doris <mark>Davis</mark>; Mrs. Mary Keill, wife o lack and the late PDG Tom Keill; President Ed; R.I. Past Governor Bill Masters; Hamilton Rotary Club President Jay Bluck; and Marni McAllister, also a daughter of the Davises.



business career, spanning some 30 years, which would lead in 1946 to a partnership in the firm and, during which time, his expansion of the interests would take him around the world.

Jack Davis was also a religiously devout man. He became much involved in the affairs of the Wesley Methodist Church, not merely as a member but also as a trustee and steward. He was also a founder trustee of The Willowbank Foundation and the Heydon Foundation, organizations devoted to counselling and the Christian mission. Jack's Christian spirit underpinned his devotion to serving humanity through service.

Jack joined the Hamilton Rotary Club in 1943. Soon an active member of club committees and participant in projects, he was elected president in 1948–49. By 1961–62, his work had expanded to include his election as Governor of Rotary District 723(0). There followed his becoming a Director of Rotary International (1968–70) and the organisation's Third Vice-President (1969–70). That led to deep involvement in the world-wide activity of R.I. In succession, he served as a presidential aide (1970–72), member of the presidential nominating committee (1973–74), and a member and chairman of R.I.'s planning committee (1971–74). During those years, Jack's travels on business and Rotary affairs took him to over 40 countries; and he served as a representative for the president of R.I in 7 countries.

On commencing his presidential term, Jack Davis chose the theme "Serve to Unite Mankind". At the 1978 Rotary International Convention held in Tokyo, Jack initiated the "Health, Hunger and Humanity (3H)" programme. Grants of \$100K to 500K funded projects that sought to bring groups together on the advancement of human welfare. One of the earliest such grants was to support a project to inoculate children in the Philippines against the polio virus. This project effectively became the precursor of the PolioPlus programme, with which another Bermudian Rotarian, Walter Maddocks, became intimately associated.

After Jack's death (1 April, 1981), a Rotary International Marker was raised at his birthplace in Foxboro, Ontario, as a memorial to his 38 years of Rotary service. At the Rotary Peace Park in Melbourne, Australia, Jack Davis is remembered with other past presidents of Rotary International (beginning in 1935) with a memorial tree, a Red Ironbark. It symbolizes "strength and continuity", thus representing Jack Davis' dedication to uniting mankind through service. In Bermuda, the Rotary clubs funded the "Jack Davis Student Pavilion", an accommodation and research facility for visiting marine archaeology students at the then Bermuda Maritime Museum complex at the Royal Naval Dockyard.



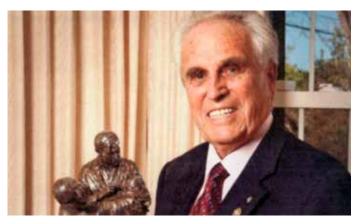


### Walter Maddocks: One of a Kind

Walter Maddocks: One of a Kind | Written by Darlene McCarthy Barnfield | Photography by: Scott Tucker

Jonas Salk made history in 1955 when he created a vaccine to rid the world of polio, and by the late 1970s the disease was virtually eradicated in the United States. But it would take an army of volunteers to rid other nations of tis devastating disease. Bermuda resident Walter Maddocks became one such soldier in the war against polio 1986.

At the time, he and his wife were living a serene life on a Kentucky farm, relatively unaware that the disease was still ravaging populations in Africa and Asia. Then a member of his Rotary group requested Maddocks to give up the lovely life he had been living in the U.S. in order to better the lives of others elsewhere. It would mean a twoyear commitment, geographical relocation, international travel, relentless fundraising and no pay.



Maddock's wife, Margaret, was uncertain. "She said, 'Oh, we couldn't do that, the farm is too busy." Remembers Maddocks. "Then there was a long pause and she said, 'It's too important to say no, isn't it"? He agreed and thus began a two-year journey that he accepted with determination and without complaint.

"Ninety-two percent of polio occurs in children under 3 years of age," says Maddocks, "And if you've seen the pictures of these horribly deformed children, you wouldn't need to ask why. As Margaret said, "it's just too important to say no."

As the new executive director of Rotary's first international polio immunization program, Polio Plus, the couple moved from their beloved Southern mansion to Rotary headquarters in Illinois. From there Maddocks travelled to 12 countries and countless cities pleading his case and asking for money to help protect children against polio.

Bill and Melinda Gates were just some of the people who generously contributed to the effort to eradicate the disease. Rotary clubs themselves were prime targets for Maddocks's speeches and requests. "are you the stupid bugger who thinks we can raise that kind of money?" asked one Rotarian, according to Maddocks. Another San Francisco Rotary member complained to Maddocks that his band of organizations could only raise \$7 million of its \$9 million goal. Maddocks flew to San Francisco at once to rally the troops and left with an inspired group that eventually raised more than they ever thought possible: \$10 million.

That contribution helped Maddocks exceed his own international fundraising projections for the entire two-year campaign. "We set a goal of \$120 million," says Maddocks. By 1988-, two and one half years after the campaign began, he had raised over \$264 million. That colossal amount of money funded vaccination programmes all over the world and saved the lives of thousands of children. "There were 355,000 cases the year before we started. That was down to 2,500 last year," says Maddocks.

But a handful of countries including India, Egypt and Nigeria are still reporting cases of polio, which means immunization efforts started by Maddocks in 1986 are still going on today.

While Maddocks has spent many years of his life in the fight against polio, another disease has claimed his attention. "I don't know what kind of cancer I've got. I just know I have cancer," says Maddocks. No complaint. Just fact.

Walter Maddocks is a fighter. Smart money is on him, He' determined and devoted to his beliefs. As a Rotarian for 50 years, he supports the organization's philosophy of volunteerism and has instilled that belief in his family. His wife says, about one of their daughters, "She knew the mantra of Rotary before she knew the Lord's Prayer," says Margaret Maddocks.

Through Rotary, Maddocks leaves a legacy that has helped thousands of people all over the world and still does today. But he shuns the spotlight. "Rotary is not about individuals. It's about the organization and the service it provides. The less we can emphasize the individual the better."

Rotarians made an exception for Walter Maddocks. They produced a one-of-a-kind bronze statue for a one-of-a-kind member. Which depicts a Rotarian administering vaccine drops to little children. "They had never done that before," says Maddocks. "it was quite special." And so was Walter Maddocks.

In 1989 President's Voluntary Action Award bestowed by President George H. W. Bush



### Bermuda Rotarians who became District Governors 7230

1940 - 41



(SIR) STANLEY SPURLING Hamilton

1976 - 77



WALTER D. MADDOCKS Hamilton

1961 - 62



W. JACK DAVIS Hamilton

1983 - 84



WILLIAM S. MASTERS, Jr Hamilton

2017 - 18



BARBARA EDWARDS Pembroke First Bermudian woman elected to US Rotary district governor 1968 - 69



THOMAS F. KEILL Hamilton

2003 - 04



DAVID SULLIVAN Sandys



### **Rotary Club of Hamilton**

Rotary began in Bermuda with the formation of the Bermuda (later Hamilton) Rotary Club.

This club, number 1674, was chartered on 15th March, 1924. The origins arise out of the work in 1923 of John H. Troy, a member of the Rotary Club of New Rochelle. As the special representative of the President of Rotary International, he met with interested members of Hamilton's business leaders and the professions who instituted themselves as a club on 6th February, 1924, with 26 charter members.

#### **THE OFFICERS WERE:**

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer Sergeant at Arms Director Director Director J. J. (Jack) Arnold J. H. (Hartley) Watlington J. J. (Joe) Outerbridge John Cox W. J. (Billy) Richardson E. M. (Ernest) Motyer C. H. G. (Peter) Collins A. M. (Arthur) Purcell

#### **THE CHARTER MEMBERS WERE:**

J. J. "Jack" Arnold	Cecil H. Neave
E. M. "Ernest" Astwood	B. C. C. "Chauncey" Outerbridge
S. Cecil Bell	J. J. "Joe" Outerbridge
Sir John Cox	Arthur M. Purcell
C. H. G. "Peter" Collins	W. E. "Walter" Spurling
Edmund G. Gibbons	Sir Stanley "S.S." Spurling
J. P. "J.P." Hand	Sir Howard (W.J.H.) Trott
J. Stanley Jones	Herbert F. Wilson
Ernest A. McCallan	H. W. "Harry" Watlington
W. Ernest P. Motyer	J. Hartley Watlington
H. L. "Harry" Mariott	W. J. "Willy" Richardson
Allan McNicoll	Chesley E. White
C. "Fred" Misick	W. J. "Billy" Young

On 14<sup>th</sup> January, 1925, at a regular meeting of the club at The Hamilton Hotel, John Troy presented the club both with the charter and a splendid gift from the New Rochelle Rotary Club. This was the magnificent bronze call bell that is in use to this day. It is embossed with the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes, the coats of arms of Bermuda and New Rochelle and various symbols, including Bermuda's lily, to signify the international nature of the Rotary District (now #7230) to which we belong.

Within two years of the founding, the club was signally honoured with the visit on 16<sup>th</sup> January, 1926, by the founder of Rotary International, Paul Harris. Beginning with the nomination of Jack Davis in 1968, the club has named more than 170 Paul Harris Fellows in recognition of their significant contributions to the local community. The club has been visited by one other President of RI, Nitish C. Laharry, in October, 1962.

The club has made notable contributions to the District. Five District Governors coming from Bermuda have been members and Past Presidents of the Hamilton club: Sir Stanley Spurling (1940-41); Jack Davis (1960-61); Tom Keill (1968-69); Walter Maddocks (1976-77); and Bill Masters (1983-84). Sir Stanley Spurling, Jack Davis and Walter Maddocks have also distinguished records in Rotary International.

The Hamilton Rotary Club is proud to have sponsored Bermuda's three other Rotary clubs: St. George's (chartered 18th June, 1951); Sandys (25th March, 1972); and Pembroke (18th May, 1981). As Bermuda's oldest "traditional" club, our members continue to meet at midday, originally at the Hamilton Hotel, then at the Bermudiana and Princess Hotels, and now at the Royal Hamilton Amateur Dinghy Club overlooking Hamilton Harbour.

In 1984, Hamilton Rotary Club was the first of the Bermuda clubs to invite a woman to become an active member. Our first lady president was elected in 2003, since which there have been more women leading the club. Interact clubs for young people have been successfully revived and are active in the secondary schools. The ongoing history of supporting youth development programmes continues through active participation in both the Rotary International Student Exchange programme and the Rotary Youth leadership Awards (RYLA). Support for the further education of young Bermudians remains important. The Ted Crawford Scholarship in Mathematics and Information Technology is a full two-year award tenable at the Bermuda College. It is named after a former Rotarian and Head of the Bermuda Technical Institute. Further, with funds derived from repaid loans to students provided by the Rotary Student Loan Fund (now discontinued), new financial aid programmes are being developed.

The club remains noted for the longstanding tradition of broadcasting the presentations of invited speakers on topical and pertinent issues in Bermuda, as an important community service for the interest and benefit of the public at large. In addition to participation in Keep Bermuda Beautiful litter-clearing events, Rotarians of this club in recent years donated time, energy and resources to the revival of the Agricultural Show as well as to club events such as "Walk a Mile with Your Child", fund-raisers like an "Interna-tional Night" and "Casino Night", and a 10K run/walk to finance insulin monitors for chil-dren with diabetes. Since 1924, the club has assisted many of Bermuda's charitable and welfare agencies with contributions towards their work with needed funds and manpower. The club has also regularly sponsored humanitarian projects overseas, most recently in India and Uganda.

"Service Above Self" lives on.

#### **CLUB EXECUTIVES**

President	GREG SOARES
Treasurer	JEAN AKOL
Secretary	AVERYLON SIMONS
Imediate Past President	RICK RICHARDSON
Sergeant-at-Arms	

#### DIRECTORS:

GRAEME HENDERSON
RAPHAEL LOUTOBY
BARRETT DILL
BETTY-JEAN DESILVA
GWENDOLYN CREARY
GEORGE COOK
CATHY BASSETT
ΤΑΚΑ ΜUBAKO
TEE OGUNYEMI

## Hamilton Rotary Club – Past Presidents

J. J. "Jack" Arnold	1924 – 1926	Ed Rego	1977 – 1978
Sir Stanley "S.S." Spurling	1926 – 1927	Bryan Gibbons	1978 – 1979
Ernest M. Astwood	1927 – 1928	Albert S. Jackson, CBE	1979 – 1980
J. S. "Joe" Vallis	1928 – 1929	John G. Burland	1980 - 1981
J. Hartley Watlington	1929 – 1930	Kirk G. Kitson	1981 – 1982
W. E. "Walter" Spurling	1930 – 1931	Owen H. Darrell	1982 – 1983
Harry L. Mariott	1931 – 1932	Gerard W. "Gerry" Bean	1983 – 1984
Ernest H. Watlington	1932 – 1933	J. J. "Jack" Outerbridge	1984 – 1985
J. J. "Joe" Outerbridge	1933 – 1934	John "Jay" Bluck	1985 – 1986
Edmund G. Gibbons	1934 – 1935	John B. Hunter	1986 – 1987
Sir John W. Cox	1935 – 1936	Mansfield "Jim" Brock, CBE	1987 – 1988
Sydney P. Eve	1936 – 1937	F. H. "Eric" Smith	1988 – 1989
Arthur J. Gorham	1937 – 1938	Bruce H. Murray	1989 – 1990
E. L. "Lew" Gibbons	1938 – 1939	Gordon A. Ashford	1990 – 1991
L. H. "Laurie" Smart	1939 – 1940	Michael J. Plowman	1991 – 1992
A. F. "Chris" Christensen	1940 – 1941	Eric J. Clee	1992 – 1993
Robin D. Aitken	1941 – 1942	Reginald A. "Reg" Rawlins	1993 – 1994
W. S. "Will" Purvis	1942 – 1943	Michael J. Lohan	1994 – 1995
C. A. "Blucher" Munro	1943 – 1944	Jan Spiering	1995 – 1996
Ernest A. McCallan	1944 – 1945	Peter J. C. Smith	1996 – 1997
Wallace A. Macky	1945 – 1946	Arthur S. "Art" Morris	1997 – 1998
E. T. "Ted" Sayer	1946 – 1947	Gil Tucker	1998 – 1999
A. C. "A.C." Down	1947 – 1948	Wilhelm C. "Willy" Bourne	1999 – 2000
W. J. "Jack" Davis	1948 – 1949	David Rowntree	2000 – 2001
John G. Young	1949 – 1950	Harry B. Kast	2001 – 2002
P. W. "Percy" Ashton	1950 – 1951	W. A. "Toppy" Cowen	2002 – 2003
Sir Dudley "A.D." Spurling	1951 – 1952	Sharon H. Jacobs	2003 – 2004
J. Henry Masters	1952 – 1953	Averylon D. Simons	2004 – 2005
Horace E. Ward	1953 – 1954	Jefferson Sousa	2005 – 2006
Henry J. Hallett	1954 – 1955	Keith R. Clifton	2006 – 2007
H. Stewart Atwood	1955 – 1956	Christopher Morris	2007 – 2008
Ralph Patterson	1956 – 1957	Neville Tyrrell	2008 – 2009
John Gladwin	1957 – 1958	Barrett St. V. Dill	2009 – 2010
R. A. "Roddie" Ferguson	1958 – 1959	Taiwo "Tee" Ogunyemi	2010 – 2011
Eric Rule	1959 – 1960	Barrett St. V. Dill	2011 – 2012
T. F. "Tom" Keill	1960 – 1961	Averylon D. Simons	2012 – 2014
I. Stuart Outerbridge	1961 – 1962	Gregory Smith	2014 – 2015
J. S. "Bennie" Ferguson	1962 – 1963	Gregory Soares	2015 – 2016
Charles Ryall	1963 — 1964	Betty-Jean DeSilva	2016 – 2017
Ralph L. Gauntlett	1964 – 1965	Gwen Creary	2017 – 2018
Jerome P. Hollis	1965 – 1966	Raphael Loutoby	2018 – 2019
William S. "Bill" Masters, Jr.	1966 – 1967	Graeme Henderson	2019 – 2021
Francis J. Vallis	1967 – 1968	Jean Akol	2021 – 2022
George Buchanan	1968 – 1969	Ulric Richardson	2022 – 2023
Pat Wilkie	1969 – 1970	Gregory Soares	2023 - 2024
John B. Watlington	1970 – 1971		
Graham Lynn	1971 – 1972		
Charles Williams	1972 – 1973		
Walter Maddocks	1973 – 1974		
Geoffrey Kitson	1974 – 1975		
Danny Mannus	1975 – 1976		
John White	1976 – 1977		
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## Rotary Club of the Town of St. George

The Rotary Club of the Town of St. George, sponsored by the Rotary Club of Hamilton, under the presidency of Mr. Percy Ashton, received its Charter on June 18, 1951. The Charter Night was held on June 29, 1951 at the White Horse Tavern, in the Town of St. George.

Two members of the prominent Spurling family of St. George's figured largely in the Club's beginning. Sir Stanley Spurling was the moving spirit in getting the Club started. Sir Stanley was also Rotary District Governor 1940-41 and a Director of Rotary International 1952-53. Mr. Stewart Spurling was the first President of the St. George's Club.

Charter Night, June 29, 1951 was a festive and auspicious occasion, attended by Rotary District Governor H. Wood. The Charter Officers and Members of this fledgling Club were:

Officers:	Stewart Spurling	President	
	Roy Taylor	Vice-President	
	W.E. Lockhurst	Treasurer	
	R.J. Pitcher	Secretary	
	Albert Ball	Sergeant-at-Arms	
Members:	Arthur Booker	Charles Christianson	Evelyn Dallas
	Thomas H. Davis	Leonard Dempster	Maurice Fulton
	William Gleeson	Frank E. Gurr	Louis Hutchins
	Geoffrey Lamacroft	Charles Langry	John Mello
	Atholl Moulder	Howard E.D. Smith	John W. Stowe
	W. Lonsdale Taylor	Creighton Thomas	Arthur Woodman

Thomas Haskins Davis was the only known surviving Charter member when the Club celebrated its 50th anniversary in June 2001.

Over the course of fifty years, the Club prospered under the able leadership of many outstanding men in the community. The fiftieth anniversary dinner, at the Carriage House Restaurant, was made especially memorable by the installation of Mrs. Joan Davis as the Club's and Rotary Bermuda's first woman President, 2001-2002. She was succeeded by Ms. Grace Rawlins as the Club's second woman President, 2002-2003.

Since the Charter night at the White Horse Tavern, the Club has held its meetings in a number of different locations within the Eastern parishes. These include the St. George's Hotel, the Castle Harbour Hotel, the White Horse Tavern, the Pub on the Square, the St. George's Club and, now, Mulligan's restaurant.

The Rotary Club of the Town of St. George works tirelessly to donate time and money to organizations across the islands and in St. George's in particular. Activities include educational, social, cultural and environmental projects. The Club is especially proud of its work in maintaining Hen Island, located in St. George's Harbour.

In recognition that maintaining a viable membership is key to a dynamic future, St. George's Rotary is focusing on an aggressive campaign to increase the membership, which currently stands at 23. The Rotary Club of St. George looks forward to many more years of serving the community.

#### **OFFICERS**

President	RICKILEE PITCHER
President Elect	SHAMMARA SIMMONS
Immediate Past President	MICHAEL DICKINSON
Treasurer	LARRY ROBERTS
Secretary	ANDREW ROBERTS
Club Membership Service	IHAB AZAB
Sergeant of Arms	JORDAN SIMMONS-TROTT
Community Service	DENORIS SMITH

DIRECTORS

c Image Co-Director REW ROBERTS	Community Service GRACE RAWLINS
nunity Service Director DRIS SMITH	Club Service MICHAEL GRINGLEY
c Image Co-Director IMARA SIMMONS	International Service LARRY ROBERTS
ral Development LEY KENNEDY *	Sergeant-at-Arms JORDAN SIMMONS-TROTT *Deceased

#### **PAST PRESIDENTS:**

*Stewart Granville Spurling	1951 – 1952	Brendan O'D. Hollis	1974 – 1975	*Phil Guishard	1999 – 2000
Geoffrey George Lamacraft	1952 – 1953	Thomas R. Mahoney	1975 – 1976	John Gergory	2000 – 2001
*Cecil Montgomery Moore	1953 – 1954	Robert S. Lewis	1976 – 1977	Joan Davis	2001 – 2002
*John William Stowe	1954 – 1955	*Charles F. H. Williams	1977 – 1978	Grace Rawlins	2002 – 2003
*James Alfred Mann	1955 – 1956	*Erskine E. Adderley	1978 – 1979	Alan Hunt	2003 – 2004
*William Eugene Meyer	1956 – 1957	Daniel W. Outerbridge	1979 – 1980	Reg Young	2004 – 2005
*Frederick Charles Dale	1957	David Ralston	1980 – 1981	Harry Ingham	2005 – 2006
*Frank Edward Gurr	1957 – 1958	Miles E. H. Outerbridge	1981 – 1982	Mariea Caisey	2006 – 2008
*Frank Edward Gurr	1958 – 1959	Alwyn McKittrick	1982 – 1983	Paul Elliott	2008 – 2009
*Thomas Haskins Davis	1959-1960	*Nel Furbert	1983 – 1984	Betty Ann Lewis	2009 – 2010
Joseph Vincent Harmon	1960 - 1961	George R. Outerbridge	1984 – 1985	Rex Brontmeyer	2010 - 2011
*Kenneth Gutteridge	1961	*Rodney R. Richardson	1985 – 1986	Tjerk Neijmeijer	2011 – 2012
*Frederick Gilbert Roberts	1961 – 1962	Stephen Roy Kendell	1986 – 1987	Antoinette Foggo	2012 – 2013
*Thomas Frederick Davies	1962 – 1963	*Leslie Barrett	1987 – 1988	Madeline Hayward	2013 – 2014
*Roy Appleby Taylor	1963 – 1964	John Dickinson	1988 – 1989	Donny McLaughlin	2014 – 2015
Otis Riall Henry	1964 – 1965	Charles H. B. Ingham	1989 – 1990	Madeline Hayward	2015 – 2016
Robert Andrew James	1965 – 1966	Andrew Richard Fogden	1990 – 1991	Andrew Roberts	2016 – 2018
*Charles Dudley Lewis	1966 – 1967	Larry Roberts	1991 – 1992	Raymond Walker	2018 – 2019
Colin Cameron George	1967 – 1968	*Earl Kelly	1992 – 1993	Rickilee Pitcher	2019 – 2020
Joseph Henry Hayward	1968 – 1969	Frederick Ming	1993 – 1994	Ihab Azab	2020 – 2021
William Keith Hollis	1969 – 1970	William Davis	1994 – 1995	Andrew Roberts	2021 – 2022
Colin MacKenzie Henderson	1970 – 1971	Brian Richardson	1995 – 1996	Michael Dickinson	2022 – 2023
*Andrew Wright Ramage Sloar	n 1971 – 1972	Harry Ingham	1996 – 1997	Rickilee Pitcher	2023 – 2024
Leonard O. Gibbons	1972 – 1973	Winston Esdaille	1997 – 1998		
Michael Gringley	1973 – 1974	Larry Jacobs	1998 – 1999		*Deceased

#### **Projects over the years:**

**1951** the Club started collecting second hand toys and repairing them for donation to the Salvation Army to give to under privileged children at Christmas. This tradition continues today with the members buying new toys.

**1952** the Club started a scholarship fund for a deserving student at the St. George's Grammer School. That fund still exists today, but it is offered to schools in the St. Georges Parish. It has been changed from "Scholarship" to "Bursary" to recog

#### Over the years since then

The Club has produced many fund raising functions, some of which are listed below.

Fund raising dances, Bingo, Fish and steak dinners, Golf Tournaments, members Pot Luck dinners, Fairs, Raffles, Bar Tending at the Music Functions put on in St. George's by Me. Eddie DeMelo.

At the end of the Rotary each year, we donated the net proceeds after expenses for the year to charities and other deserving causes. This leaves the incoming President zero balance bank account.

Some of the larger recipients over the years have been.

T.B. Association, Committee of 25, Red Cross, PALS, Meals On Wheels, Sea Cadets,

Following in the footsteps of many international clubs, In September 1996, The club elected to start taking female members. Since inception, the membership has fluctuated between 15 to 33 members.

#### A look back to 1951, Charter Night





## Rotary Club of Sandys

The Rotary Club of Sandys, Bermuda formed in May of 1972, with 20 members under the leadership of its Charter President C. L. *'Jimmy'* Vallis.

The third of Bermuda's four clubs to be formed, from the outset Sandys Rotary was a pioneer for events that became known throughout the island, and the District. Some of these survive to this day, though under the auspices of other organizations.

Many will remember the annual Motorcycle Gymkhana, which provided Bermudians over a 9-year period the opportunity for a self-deprecating laugh at us and our friends.

In the early eighties Sandy's Rotary established the often copied 'Super Raffle', arranging two - one of \$50,000 and a subsequent \$25,000 effort.

Other events, that did not endure but were very successful at the time, include the annual 'Blowhard' Sailing Regatta - which brought all of Bermuda's clubs together for a day of fun, competitive sailing; the Sandys Strollers (our own wandering minstrels), the Longest Golf Drive Competition. Many of us will never forget, the two international Circus events

- which alone generated some \$370,000.00 of fund-raising, and were seen, collectively, by over half of Bermuda's population!

Bermuda was intrigued by our efforts to make ice in January of 1991. We prevailed, however, allowing the Ice Show to proceed (a first and only!). The Club's Carnival another first - complete with a Ferris Wheel, Bumper Cars and the like, on White Hill Field was another challenge. The untimely death of the overseas promoter, the night before we opened a three week Carnival, did not deter our membership to raise \$80,000 for scholarships and deserving charities throughut Bermuda.

We gave Daniel's Head its 'hair', with new Casuarinas plantings. We have had a long association with Sandys Secondary School - playing them in, of all things, a one-sided soccer match, and also hosting their seniors for a vocational outing on Darrell's Island. Our club is the only organization to have honoured, with gala banquets, Bermuda's local craftsmen, in the persons of Mr. Bert Darrell, Mr. Alfred Birdsey, Mr. John Davis and Mr.

#### Hubert Smith.

Without the efforts of Sandys Rotary, who would know that the following events survive to this day:

- The Annual East/ West Soccer Match (first organized at the National Stadium).
- Good Friday Kite Flying (first put on by the Club at Whale Bay).
- The Annual Teacher Awards (established by the club held at the Sonesta Beach).
- The Jazz Fest (organized staging/seating and ticket sales for the inaugural event).
- The XL Tennis Tournament (we do the parking).
- Our annual Christmas Party (originally with Santa Claus and the Police Choir).

These Community and Vocational Service events have allowed our club to support the Packwood Home, the Sandys Rest Home, Sandys Secondary School, Warwick Academy and Warwick Secondary Schools, Agape House, the King Edward Hospital, The Sandys Community Center, various other schools, and organizations, and numerous individuals, in the furtherance of their activities and goals.

Our club is the driving force behind the Rotary Youth Exchange, Group Study Exchange and Youth Leadership Awards programs in Bermuda. Partnering over the years with private industry the Rotary Youth Exchange Program has benefitted from their generous sponsorship. This partnership has allowed for over 100 young people from Bermuda to go overseas for a year of academic & cultural exchange, and Bermuda has reciprocated the same number of foreign students exchanging to our island!

We have been active in International Service - sponsoring humanitarian programs in Haiti, Africa, Guatemala, Uganda, and sending a Rotarian work crew to Brazil to help construct a soup kitchen in the town of Birigui.

To culminate many of our achievements, our Club was able to offer one of its members for service with Rotary International. David J. Sullivan (Sully) a Rotarian from our club is the Past Governor for our District 7230! He lead 47 Clubs and over 1,800 Rotarians from New York and Bermuda. DG Sully, along with his wife and family, has taken our club's entrepreneurial spirit of camaraderie, friendship and Rotary fellowship throughout the District & Rotary International for the past twenty years.

Not bad for a bunch of bye's from the Parishes!!!

#### **CHARTER MEMBERS**

J. Christopher Astwood James Chiappa Allan Chilvers David Summers Malcolm R. Fletcher

#### **CLUB EXECUTIVES**

President EDGAR DILL President Elect ANTOINE LIGHTBOURNE Treasurer STEPHEN TODD Executive Secretary/Director JACK DURNER Secretary STEPHEN LAKE Immediate Past President ALLAN TREW Club Membership Chair **BARRY SHAILER** Club Rotary Foundation Chair SULLY SULLIVAN Sergeant-at-Arms JACK DURNER

Martin L. Greaves James W. Kempe Charles J. Lee R. Cyril Lindley Rory A. MacFarland Ralph W. Martin John Mitchell Colin W. Pearman John Pierce Reginald Pitman Antony Siese Cyril L. Vallis R. David Wheddon Chester P. Williams Walter Young

#### **DIRECTORS:**

Community Service	LESLIE GRANT
Club Service	JACK DURNER
Webmaster	JACK DURNER

#### PAST PRESIDENTS

C. L. (Jimmy) Vallis, Charter President	1972-1973	Michael Ternent David J. Sullivan	1997-1998 1998-1999
* J. C. (Kit) Astwood	1973-1974	Ralph Richardson	1999-2000
C. W. (Colin) Pearman	1974-1975	Perry Robinson	2000-2001
David Summers	1975-1976	Vaughn Mosher	2001-2002
* J. W. (Jimmy) Kempe	1976-1977	Charles F. Swan, Jr.	2002-2003
R. W. (Roy) Cook	1977-1978	Barry Shailer	2003-2004
Chester P. Williams	1978-1979	Wayne A. Dill	2004-2005
* Charles F. B. Swan	1979-1980	* Barry Whalley	2005-2006
Glenn M. Titterton	1980-1981	Edgar Dill	2006-2007
* Dr. Clarence Terceira	1981-1982	Alan Trew	2007-2008
Stephen W. Kempe	1982-1983	Roger Farge	2008-2009
* Leon E. Bean	1983-1984	James Watlington	2009-2010
* Edwin C. Perinchief	1984-1985	*JP Horst	2010-2011
Francis W. Purvey	1985-1986	Tracy Adams	2011-2012
Colin Furr	1986-1987	Jack Durner	2012-2013
* Bernard C. C. Manders	1987-1988	Stephen Todd	2013-2015
John Harvey	1988-1989	Dennis Tucker	2015-2016
John Drinkwater	1989-1990	Nathan Kowalski	2016-2017
Tom Burns	1990-1991	Malcolm Griffiths	2017-2018
Altimont Roberts	1991-1992	Marvin Hanna	2018-2019
* John Cooper	1992-1993	Jack Durner	2019-2021
Reginald E. Minors	1993-1994	Allan Trew	2021-2023
* Gary R. Pitman	1994-1995	Edgar Dill	2023-2024
Dennis Tucker	1995-1996		
Roger A.Titterton	1996-1997		*Deceased



## **Rotary Club of Pembroke**

The Pembroke Rotary Club was formed as a consequence of several members from Hamilton Club seeing the need to establish a Breakfast club in Bermuda. On December 16th 1980, The Hamilton Rotary Club approved the organization of an additional club within its territorial limits. The committee was made up of our then District Governor Eddie Berger along with then Hamilton members, Bryan Gibbons (referred to as our Godfather), Bill Masters, Ed Rego, Danny Mannus, Owen Darrell and Walter Maddocks.

On March 12th 1981, a meeting was held at the Rum Runners restaurant by the steering committee and a nucleus of new members. At that meeting the Rum Runners was confirmed as the weekly meeting place on Thursday mornings commencing at 7.30AM. In order to establish the club in its own right, a minimum membership of 20 was required, whilst at that point there were only 10 prospective members in attendance.

On March 19th 1981, at the club's third meeting it was agreed that the club would be called the Pembroke Rotary club. The total attendance at that meeting was 25 of which 17 signed membership forms and by the next meeting, an application for membership in Rotary International was completed with 32 charter members.

The Club received its Charter on May 12, 1981 and was officially presented to the Club by then District Governor Alan Nemlich of Scarsdale, NY on July 25th 1981.

The first president was Leonard O. Gibbons, who went on to serve as Chamber of Commerce President , a Member of Parliament and Minster of Government.

After a ballot taken during our first meeting, it was decided to name from several names put forward, a weekly chronicle called The Pembroke Rotary Chronicle.

The following is a list of Charter members:

Delano Ingham
Manders Ingham
Charles Jeffers
John Kessaram
Eddie Marshall
Michael Mello
Donald Morris
Vaughn Mosher
Jack Nash
Brian Northcott
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Roger Pedro Llewellyn Peniston Andrew Sloan Roger Snape Donny Tolaram Raoul Tyrrell John White Roger Wong Austin Woods

Over the years, Pembroke Rotary has gone from strength to strength while members have come and gone. Today, only 4 charter members are still with the club with Past Presidents John Kessaram and Delano Ingham maintaining 100% attendance for the entire period.

The Club has been involved in numerous projects over the years and one of its most notable community events was the building of a Geriatric garden at the Hospital. At the club's beginnings, it had the Haven and the Adult Education School as its "Pet" project for providing assistance. The club assists several local charities with their fund raising by volunteering annually to sell tags on their tag day.

For fund raising, a 'fines' mechanism was set up were members were made to pay whenever their name appeared in public news or they spoke of another member.

The club built a fitness park at Admiralty House, planted cedar trees, annually cleaned Fern Island, In addition it hosted visitors from the Rotary District and other organizations with Home Hospitality were the club received monetary donations for each person a member hosted for dinner. The list of projects goes on.

Eventually, we started to put on an annual Childrens' Fair which the club called "The Childrens' Sesame Street Fair". Because

of copy-right, we were forced to change the name to The Street Fair. As it turns out, this fair continues to be a great successup to the present. In recent years the Fair has grossed approximately \$130,000, the proceeds of which has gone to assist various schools and Rotary projects.

The club has been involved, off and on, in the Rotary Youth Exchange program with Timothy McKittrick as its first outbound student. With a \$10,000 donation from one of the club members, an interest free loan was set up for students wishing to further their studies. The club was able to build this fund to over \$30,000.

The club was involved with Polio Plus, Plant a Tree on Me, Operation Milk Flow and, most recently, arranged for Generators to be set up in Hati.

The club has presented more than 90 Paul Harris Fellow Awards to date and continues to look for projects to satisfy the ideals of Rotary International.

1995 – 1996

#### PAST PRESIDENTS

Leonard Gibbons Donnay Tolaram	1980 – 1981 1981 – 1982
Stan Oliver	1982 – 1983
Doug Backeberg	1983 – 1984
Austin Woods	1984 – 1985
Richard Gibbons	1985 – 1986
Delano Ingham	1986 – 1987
Horst Finkbeiner	1987 – 1988
Roger Snape	1988 – 1989
John Kessaram	1989 – 1990
Rick Faries	1990 - 1991
Ross Spurling	1991 – 1992
Larry Pitcher	1992 – 1993
Max Abend	1993 – 1994
Blake Marshall	1994 – 1995

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Sasha Castle

2010 - 2011

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\*\* The following was written by OpenAI's chatbot in 33 seconds flat in response to my request to "write me a 500 word summary of Rotary International's Rotary Youth Exchange Program". Nice work ChatGPT. Nice work. The power of Artificial Intelligence (AI)...

#### **Greg Soares**

President 2023/24 Hamilton Rotary Club and former Rotary Exchange Student (Thailand 1989/90)

Rotary International's Rotary Youth Exchange (RYE) program is a globally recognized initiative that facilitates cultural exchange and fosters international understanding among young people. Founded in 1927, RYE has since become one of the largest and most reputable youth exchange programs, operating in collaboration with Rotary clubs around the world.

The primary objective of the RYE program is to promote peace and goodwill by providing high school students with the opportunity to live and study abroad. Participants, typically aged 15 to 19, are selected through a rigorous application process and matched with host families in a different country. This immersive experience allows them to immerse themselves in a new culture, language, and way of life.

The exchange duration typically spans an academic year, during which participants attend a local high school, engage in community service, and participate in Rotary activities. This multifaceted approach ensures a well-rounded experience, fostering personal growth, cross-cultural understanding, and the development of global citizenship.

Rotary International emphasizes the importance of cultural exchange as a means to break down stereotypes and promote mutual understanding. By living with host families, participants gain firsthand insights into the customs, traditions, and daily life of their host country, forging lasting connections that extend beyond the exchange period. This not only broadens their perspectives but also contributes to the creation of a more interconnected and empathetic global community.

Language acquisition is another significant component of the RYE program. Participants are encouraged to learn and adapt to the local language, further enhancing their communication skills and cultural integration. The ability to navigate in a multilingual environment is a valuable life skill that extends beyond the immediate exchange experience, fostering effective cross-cultural communication in an increasingly interconnected world.

Rotary International's commitment to youth development is evident in the comprehensive support system provided to participants. Rotary clubs, host families, and local coordinators work collaboratively to ensure the well-being and safety of the exchange students. Regular check-ins, orientations, and cultural activities contribute to a supportive environment, enabling participants to navigate the challenges of living in a foreign country with confidence.

Upon completion of the program, RYE participants return to their home countries as ambassadors of goodwill, equipped with a deepened appreciation for cultural diversity and an expanded global perspective. Many alumni of the program go on to become leaders in their communities, leveraging the skills and insights gained during their exchange year.

In conclusion, Rotary International's Rotary Youth Exchange program stands as a testament to the organization's commitment to fostering peace and understanding among nations. By providing young people with the opportunity to live, learn, and connect with peers from different cultures, RYE contributes to the development of a more harmonious and interconnected world. Through this transformative experience, participants emerge as global citizens, poised to make meaningful contributions to their communities and the broader international community.



#### Testimonials from former Bermuda Rotary Exchange Students...



Rotary Youth Exchange is not just a program; it's a life-changing adventure that continues to shape my world view and enrich my life today. It was a year filled with exploration of cultural diversity, personal growth and lasting connections. I highly recommend this program to any young person looking to step outside their comfort zone and discover who they truly are.

#### Kristin Alexander,

Former Rotary Youth Exchange Student, Brazil, 2002/03

I consider myself extraordinarily fortunate to have had a year abroad in Thailand as a 17-year-old through the Rotary Exchange Program. It was an eye-opening experience that enriched my education and understanding in ways I could not have imagined. It was a pivotal time in my life, and long after its conclusion I have continued to benefit enormously from the lessons learned and connections made during this time.

#### Graeme Henderson,

Former Rotary International Exchange Student, Thailand 96-97

My Rotary Exchange year in Brazil, even after 23 years, continues to inspire and reward me. The values of service above self that I learned during that time have had a profound impact on my academic, professional, and personal life. I highly recommend this program to anyone looking to become a global citizen, experience a different culture, and connect with people from all over the world

#### Jereme Ramsay,

Former Rotary International Exchange Student, Brazil 99/00

My exchange year unlocked my potential in life-changing ways that I never would have predicted. By living abroad at such a formative age, I gained cultural understanding and Japanese language skills that I continue to use daily as a physician-scientist as part of my medical research and as an adjunct Professor of Medicine at Juntendo University in Tokyo. The Rotary Youth Exchange has empowered me to establish medical research and educational partnerships that span three continents, and set me on the path to become a global citizen.

Malcolm V. Brock, Former Rotary International Exchange Student, Japan 80/81





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### **Rotary 50th Anniversary**

### Stamp Issue



#### ... Another first for Bermuda Rotary



An almost unique opportunity has been offered to Rotary clubs in Bermuda. Eastern Airlines have agreed to have one of their planes officially named "Bermuda Rotary.

Usually Eastern do not have their planes officially named so it is an honour to Rotary in their 50th anniversary year.

The plane, a Whisper jet, will arrive in Bermuda next Wednesday where it will be met by representatives of Rotary clubs in Bermuda, and a plaque will be presented to be placed inside the aircraft telling passengers why the aeroplane has received its name.



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## **Rotary 90th Anniversary Clock**

#### Hamilton, Bermuda

A free-standing four-faced clock, built by the Verdin Company of Cincinnati, OH, was erected in the capital of Bermuda, Hamilton, in 2014 by the four Rotary Clubs of Bermuda on the 90th anniversary of the chartering of the Hamilton Rotary Club. The clock has the Rotary International insignia on each face. Above the each faces is the name of each of the Rotary Clubs in Bermuda: Hamilton, St. George's, Sandys, and Pembroke. The clock is also a memorial to Rotarian Walter Maddocks.

The four sided base of the clock has the following inscriptions:

90 YEARS OF ROTARY IN BERMUDA Service Above Self as exemplified by WALTER MADDOCKS 1930-2011 President, Hamilton Rotary Club (1973-74) Governor, Rotary District 7230 (1976-77) Executive Director, Polio Plus Campaign (1986-88) Attorney-General of Bermuda (1991-94)

Rotarians of the Hamilton, St. George's Sandys and Pembroke Clubs erected this memorial clock in collaboration with the Corporation of Hamilton during the celebration of the 90th anniversary of the Hamilton Rotary Club's charter (15th March, 1924)

Two sides have the Rotary insignia and the motto Service Above Self One side has inscribed the Four Way Test:

> THE FOUR-WAY TEST of the things we think, say or do First... Is it the TRUTH? Second... Is it FAIR to all concerned? Third... Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIP? Fourth... Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?









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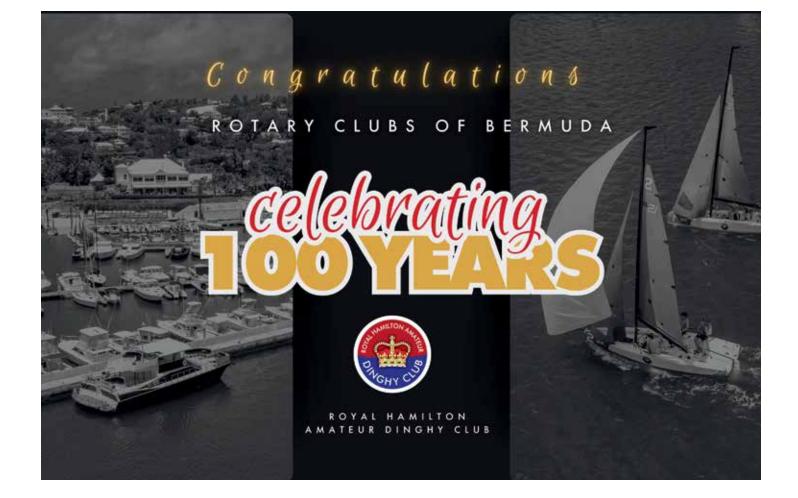
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From the earliest days of the organization, Rotarians were concerned with promoting high ethical standards in their professional lives. One of the world's most widely printed and quoted statements of business ethics is The 4-Way Test, which was created in 1932 by Rotarian Herbert J. Taylor (who later served as RI president) when he was asked to take charge of a company that was facing bankruptcy. This 24-word test for employees to follow in their business and professional lives became the guide for sales, production, advertising, and all relations with dealers and customers, and the survival of the company is credited to this simple philosophy. Adopted by Rotary in 1943, The 4-Way Test has been translated into more than a hundred languages and published in thousands of ways. It asks the following four questions:



### THE 4-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do

### first

Is it the TRUTH?

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Is it FAIR to all concerned?

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# **CONGRATULATIONS BERMUDA!**

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 We are proud to have you in Rotary District 7230, and offer congratulations in your having achieved this service milestone.
 Best wishes to you for many

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Rev. Dr. J. Loren Russell, District Governor



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Rotary District 7230, home to the United Nations in New York, is the governing organization of 50 Rotary Clubs, 6 Rotaract Clubs, and 11 Interact Clubs spanning the New York Metro area (Manhattan, The Bronx, Staten Island, Westchester) and Bermuda.

