



The Rotary Club of Saint Lucia

"The Spoke"

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Rotary District 7030 PETS, Suriname April 8-11, 2015

Weekly Duties				
The 4-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		January 9	January 16	January 23
	Meeting	Business meeting	Guest Speaker	Fellowship meeting
	Greeters	Timothy M Soraya	Michael Ginelle	Albert Andre
	Prize	Ginelle	Frank	Anthony
	If you can't make it as above, please tell Dir. Ginelle ASAP!			



Birthday in January

Anthony Bergasse - January 27

Board 2014-2015

<i>President</i>	Chester Hinkson
<i>Vice President</i>	PP Leathon Khan PHF
<i>President Elect</i>	
<i>Immediate PP</i>	Rudolph "Doddy" Francis PHF
<i>Secretary</i>	Timothy James
<i>Treasurer</i>	PP Robert "Bobby" Frederick PHF
<i>Sergeant at Arms:</i>	PP Timothy Moffat PHF
<i>Public Relations:</i>	PP Carole Jn Marie PHF

Directors

Club Administration:	Ginelle Nelson
Service Projects:	PP Konrad Wagner PHF
Membership:	Joanna Charles
Rotary Foundation:	PP Digby Ambris, PHF
Youth Service:	Selma St.Prix

District responsibilities

Asst. District Governor	PP Timothy Moffat PHF
District Advisor (TRF) Major Gifts	PAG Malcolm Charles PHF
Vice Chair IFRM D7020 & D7030	PAG Malcolm Charles PHF



Club Meeting - December 19, 2014



This was the annual Christmas lunch

Meeting statistics

Attendance:

25 Rotarians 60%
1 Visiting Rotarian
4 Visiting Rotaractors
32 guests

Pres. Chester chaired this special Christmas meeting

Serge Tim raised \$ 183.40
an the raffle earned \$ 275.00



Save these dates

- Tuesday January 20, 2015 lunch meeting with PDG Steve and visitors at RCGI
- Saturday February 7, 2015 13th. Annual Wine and Cheese Fiesta
- Rotary Calabashers concert, new date to be announced



President Chester started the meeting with a moment of silence remembering Brian Willet past member of the club. Brian passed away after a prolonged illness. He is sadly missed by family and friends



DISTRICT 7030 - PETS, ASSEMBLY & CONFERENCE
SURINAME 2015
08 - 11 April - 23rd Anniversary

District conference 2015 is only 3 months away. Are you planning on attending?

Get ready for the District 7030 PETS, Assembly and Conference 2015, hosted by the three Rotary Clubs of Suriname: Rotary Club of Paramaribo, Rotary Club of Paramaribo Central and Rotary Club of Paramaribo Residence. Brasa is Surinamese for a warm hug, an embracement of people wishing each other the best. At this conference we aim to share with you the experience of a Surinamese Brasa. Join us and Brasa the Suriname Spirit!



Please register now:

See more at: <http://portal.clubrunner.ca/60070#sthash.uTeOnB07.dpuf>

District 7030 DG Elwin Atmodimedjo.

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Rotary Christmas Hamper distribution



With the assistance of Rotarians over 80 hampers were packed.

A special tank you goes to PP Bobby and wife June, PP Anthony and wife Nasha, PP. Carole, Rot. Ginelle and guests and PP Konrad and guests for completing the hampers in time for Rotarians to collect some and distributed to less fortunate homes.

Additional bulk food items and toiletries were by past Rotarian Marcus and PP Konrad delivered to the Aids clinic, Cornerstone, St. Lucy's and Marian home.



Once again a big thank you to Dr. Marcus Day for all his assistance and recognition of Rotary on radio

Visitor and guests at the Christmas meeting

Many Rotarians used the annual Christmas lunch meeting to bring their significant other as their guest.



It made for a full house enjoyed by all.

Here Pres. Chester is exchanging banners and sharing a light moment with VR. Stacy from the Bahamasand Spoke photographer Birgitta



The club used the opportunity to thank a very special gentleman.

Chester Dupres our host at the regular weekly lunch meeting and annual Santa Claus was thanked for his support and assistance over the last year.

Thank you Chester



The Calabashers led Rotarians and the many guests in the singing of Christmas Carols





Rotary Christmas lunch at Castries town hall

The traditional New Years lunch for the less fortunate members of our society was once again held on Friday January 2, 2015 at the Castries town hall.

There never seems to be a shortage of people living not far from us in need of assistance. When it was all said and done we had served pumpkin soup, chicken, fish, yam, fried rice, macaroni and cheese, vegetables, lentils and cake for almost 200 adults and children.



Thank you to Rot. Paul for the catering, Dir. Konrad for making the arrangement with the Castries City Council and Pastor Ben for chairs and the many Rotarians and friends that attended to assist. It was a Sunday noon well spent.



All laid on hands and with excellent team work the entire event from setting up to breaking down and cleaning the venue after the activity went smoothly and without a hitch. If you missed it you deprived your self of a wonderful Rotary experience and you are encouraged to put it into your diary for January 2, 2016 NOW.

And what would be a Rotary project without a little fellowship.

The "blue boys" clearly enjoyed the doing good and Dr. Joe is maintaining his positive spirit for 2015.

Word has it a newly wed Rotarian took some of the boys for refreshments to Assou Square.



Unfortunately the Spoke photographer was not in attendance.

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