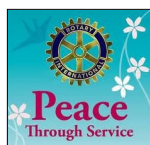




# The Rotary Club of St. Lucia

## "The Spoke"



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**[Rotary District Conference 2013 Grenada April 17 - 20, 2013](#)**

### 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 con-  
cerned?

### Weekly Duties

	December 14	December 21	December 28
<b>Meeting</b>	Speaker	Christmas lunch	Fellowship
<b>Greeters</b>	Anthony Bert	Andre	Anthony Bert
<b>Prize</b>	Ian	Tim Moffat	Azmina
<b>If you can't make it as above, please tell Dir. Andre ASAP!</b>			

### December Birthdays



**Marcus - December 3**  
**Doddy - December 11**  
**Cheryl - December 12**  
**Brad - December 14**  
**Birgitta - December 26**

### Board 2012-2013

<i>President</i>	Konrad Wagner PHF
<i>Vice President</i>	PP Charles Serieux PHF
<i>President Elect</i>	Rudolph "Doddy" Francis
<i>Immediate PP</i>	Digby Ambris PHF
<i>Secretary</i>	Rudolph "Doddy" Francis
<i>Treasurer</i>	Gloria Williams PHF
<i>Sergeant at Arms</i>	PP Timothy Moffatt PHF
<i>Public Relations Officer</i>	PP Dr. Azmina Long PHF

### Directors:

Club Administration:	André Cherebin PHF
Service Projects:	Dr. Marcus Day PHF
Membership:	Chester Hinkson
Rotary Foundation:	PP Albert Daniels, PHF
New Generations:	Selma St.Prix



## Club Meeting - December 7, 2012

That Friday was a business meeting

### Meeting statistics

Acting Sergeant at Arms Bobby raised \$ 130.00 in fines and the raffle yielded \$ 152.00

Attendance: 22 Rotarians 40%,  
2 visiting Rotarians,  
2 Rotaractors,  
2 guests



The raffle prize sponsored by Rot. Sabia was won by Rot. Birgitta

Visiting Rotarian Grayson from Grenada exchanged banners with President Konrad



### Save these dates

- Rotary children Christmas party, La Croix Maingot Sunday December 23, 2012 10.00 AM
- Future Vision Training in Saint Lucia to be conducted by PDG Lara Quentrall-Thomas Saturday February 2, 2013 9.00 AM—3.00 PM Mandatory attendance by PE and TRF Director
- RYLA 2013 Guyana 21st - 24th March, 2013
- District Conference 2013 Grenada 17th - 20th April, 2013

### Rotary joint water project for Babonneau launched







## Directors reports



**Rot. David deputized for Dir. Marcus and gave an update on the Clubs Christmas activities.**

**The plans for the Children Christmas party at La Croix Maingot are spearheaded by Rot. David and coming together nicely.**

**Christmas hamper packing is scheduled for Dec 22, 2012 at Rot. Marcus' home and the lunch for the homeless will take place on January 2, 2012 at the town hall.**



**Dir. Andre briefly touched on the 2 Calabashers concerts and the planned annual Christmas lunch on Friday December 21, 2012.**

**He is in communication with the Rotary Club of Gros Islet to possibly have a joint Christmas lunch at Sandals Halcyon.**

**Dir. Andre is currently awaiting confirmation Harris.**

**Efforts are afoot to have the Calabashers sing a few Christmas Chorals with the members.**

**Attendance numbers are needed in order to advise Sandals accordingly.**



**Treasurer Gloria updated the members on the various account balances.**

**The club continues to enjoy good reserves in the club as well as charity accounts.**

**On Rot. Peter K. question about the interest earned he was assured by Treasurer Gloria that a significant amount of the charity money is in an interest bearing bank account at Bank of Nova Scotia.**

**An appeal went out o all members to please submit they money for the Calabash concert tickets sold in order to finalist that P & L statement.**



**Dir. Albert talked briefly about the Rotary Foundation and the importance of fiscal compliance with TRF requirements. He announced a Rotary New Vision Seminar to be conducted by PDG Lara on Saturday February2, 2013.**

**He also gave a short update on New Generations during Dir. Selma's absence from the meeting. She called last minute asking to be excused.**

**Rotarians were encouragved to participate in the Rotary / Interact / ARC tree planting activity on Saturday December 15, 2012 in Dennerly**



**Dir. Chester talked briefly about membership.**

**As so often the timely processing of membership applications was discussed.**

**Ms. Mary Anna Lewis was recommended for membership and her details have been circulated to the members awaiting possible comments.**

**One potential member was not considered for membership by the board and the sponsor was advised accordingly.**



**Rotaract President Samara gave a brief report on the recently completed District 7030 Rotaract Presidents conference.**

**The event was very successful and as a result of their prudent financial Management it achieved a small financial surplus.**

**She thanked the Rotary Club of Saint Lucia for the support prior and during the conference.**

**Especially Rot Timothy James deserves recognition for all his time and work.**





Visiting Rotarian Kitt Ray presented a cheque from her club in Canada in support of our Rotary Easter Anti Drug Camp 2013. Kitt had made a similar presentation last year in support of our Rotary Camp d-life. Thank you to our Canadian friends and supporters. Also visiting were Rotaractor Akinlabi Holder from Trinidad. He extended his visit to Saint Lucia after the Rotaract Presidents Conference



Akin Holder



Daman O'Donnell



and Shaggy Isaac

[More pictures from the launch of the Rotary water project](#)  
As reported on several TV stations on Tuesday December 11, 2012

