

# ROTA NEWS



District 7030 - Club # 6798

Chartered March 07, 1962

#### **PATRON**

HE Dame Sandra Mason, GCMG, DA.

Governor General

#### DISTRICT OFFICERS

District Governor Trevor Blake

District Governor Elect Lisle Chase

District Governor Nominee

Sonya Alleyne

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District Secretary Leah Sahely

District Treasurer Howard McEachrane

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District Rotary Foundation Chair PDG Milton Innies

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District Governor Special Advisor PDG David Edwards

District Training Chair/RLI Director DGN Sonya Alleyne

#### ROTARY CONNECTS THE WORLD

R.I Theme 2019-20

#### R.I. OFFICERS

**President** Mark Maloney

**President Elect** Holger Knaack

RI Membership Committee Vice-Chair PDG David Edwards



### THE FOUR WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

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

Aug 01, 2019

#### **Club Officers & Directors**

President

Peter Williams

**President Elect** Fiona Hinds

Vice President Elvin Sealy

**Secretary** Ermine Darroux

**Treasurer**Meryl Stoute

**Club Administration** Carl "Tony" Williams

**Membership/Youth Service** Makonem Hurley

**Public Relations**Arlene Ross

Community Service Adrian Skeete

**International/Rotary Foundation** Heather Tull

Immediate Past President Shawn Franklin

**Sergeant–At–Arms**Peter Arender

Weekly meetings on **Thursdays** at **Hilton Barbados** 

Needham's Point, Aquatic Gap, St. Michael at 12:30 p.m.

P.O. Box 148B, Brittons Hill, St. Michael, Barbados www.clubrunner.ca/barbados

## THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

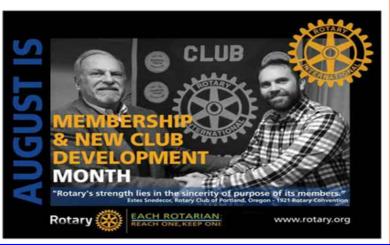
Mar 07 - Club Charter Date - 1962 - Club # 6798
RI THEME: ROTARY CONNECTS THE WORLD



August 08 meeting is a Business Meeting
Our Greeters are: PP Norman Barrow & Rtn. Nicholas Waithe

**Venue TBA** 

#### August is Membership & New Club Development Month.



#### **OUR GUESTS - JUL 25**

#### **Guests:**

- Nicholas Crichlow, Guest of Rtn. Neal Griffith
- Ted Isaacs & Anton Nichols, Guests of PP Brenda Pope
- Simone Passmore, Guest of Treasurer Meryl Stoute
- Gregory Wood, Guest of Jeff Kinch
- Sean Armstrong, Guest of PP Stanley MacDonald
- Nigel Pierre, Guest of PE Fiona Hinds
- Dr. Russell Broome-Webster, Guest of Pres Peter Williams

Attendance: 58% Fines: \$198.50 Raffle: \$91.00

#### **GREETERS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST**

Aug 08— PP Norman Barrow & Rtn. Nicholas Waithe Aug 15— Rtn. Dr. Carole Belgrave & Rtn. Malcom

Vaughn

Aug 22— Rtn. Dr. Albert Best & Dir. Heather Tull

Aug 29— Rtn. Roger Blackman & Rtn. Kim Tudor

#### **RECAP OF JULY 25 - FELLOWSHIP MEETING**



Honor-Krystal ary Rotarian Boyea ad-

dressed the Club. Krystal, who has been living with Type 1 diabetes for about 20 years has dedicated her life for the past 10 years to travelling, speaking, motivating, coaching, educating and empowering persons living with diabetes and other chronic diseases.

Krystal shared her personal experience on how her diagnosis changed not just her life but the lives of her family members. Some of the life changes she mentioned included going from being an active to a listless child, decreased ability to focus at school, constantly having to be aware of what she ate and most of all, a continuous cycle of insulin injections.

Because of education and the support of the people close to her Krystal says she is able to live as normal a life as possible. She showed her insulin pump which allows her to get a regular supply of insulin and explained that through trial and error she is aware of what foods and drinks work for her.

The Club was rapt as Krystal spoke about her travels, meeting other persons living with Type 1 diabetes, losing friends to the disease, and her many adventures including summitting Mount Kilimanjaro and showing literally that heights can be reached even while being inflicted with a chronic illness.

At the end of her talk Krystal received a standing ovation from the Club and she fielded questions on whether Type 1 diabetes was hereditary, how did she access her insulin pump, where did she access her pump and whether it was very costly. How is it that she went off to parties and drank alcohol.

Krystal also expressed how happy she was to be an honorary member of the Club and encouraged the Club to join the drive to assist persons living with Type 1 diabetes and other chronic illnesses.



# The Rotarian Conversation: Jonathan Quick

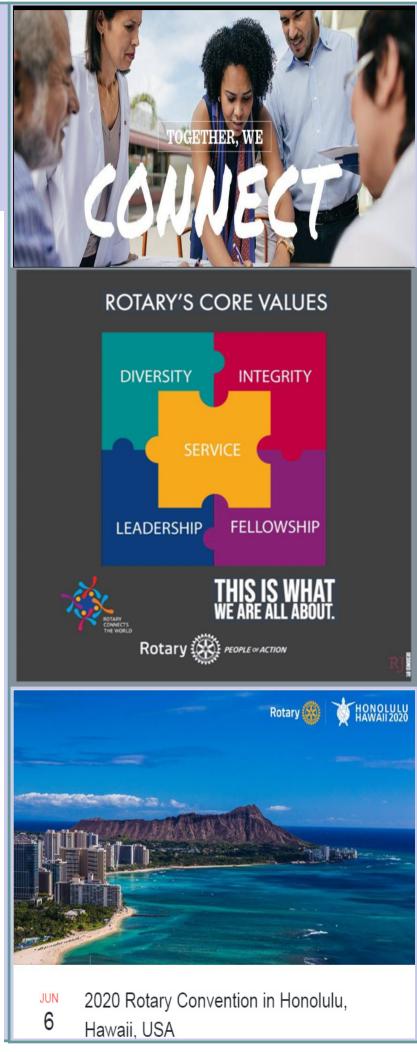
When it comes to addressing epidemics, the public health expert says we have the solutions.

We simply have to embrace them

Jonathan Quick thinks on a grand scale. His book *The End of Epidemics: The Looming Threat to Humanity and How to Stop It* argues that we can end not just one particular epidemic, but all epidemics. He lays out a seven-point call to action (e.g., "Invest wisely, save lives"; "Active prevention, constant readiness") to prevent the inevitable outbreaks of diseases from growing into epidemics that kill thousands or even millions. The scale of his ambition is matched only by the scale of the problem and the price tag on his proposed solution: Quick calls for an investment of \$7.5 billion annually for the next 20 years in prevention, but he points out that a severe pandemic — when an epidemic goes global, something made more likely by our interconnected world — could cost the global economy up to \$2.5 trillion.

When it comes to public health and disease prevention, Quick knows what he's talking about. He earned his M.D. at Duke University and spent 10 years at the World Health Organization, working with local governments on access to medicine, particularly AIDS medications, in Pakistan and Kenya. During his time in Kenya, he was a member of the Rotary Club of Nairobi-South and was involved in the club's polio vaccination efforts. When he returned to the United States in 2004, he led Management Sciences for Health, a nonprofit focused on helping governments develop effective health systems management.

Quick decided to write *The End of Epidemics* in 2014 during an Ebola outbreak in West Africa. He viewed with alarm the failure of governments, nongovernmental organizations, and affected populations to learn the lessons of recent epidemic outbreaks. "Based on what I'd seen with AIDS, with SARS [severe acute respiratory syndrome] in 2003, with Ebola, I asked myself where we would be in three years," he recalls. "And my sense was we'd be just as vulnerable because we tend to go through a cycle of panic and neglect. I fear we're going to leave my daughters' generation a world that's in more danger of pandemics if we don't really get a good, solid, persistent response." Senior editor Hank Sartin spoke with Quick about the factors that make for robust public health infrastructure, how engaged individuals have made a difference, what we should be focused on now, and the recent measles outbreak.



#### WE CONNECT PEOPLE

# Rotary unites more than a million people

Together, we see a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change – across the globe, in our communities, and in ourselves.









## Young Leaders in Action

July 2019

Engaging the next generation of Rotary leaders

### HOW FAR WE'VE COME IN

## GROWING

ROTARACT

1,223
ROTARACT CLUBS

172,030
REPORTED ROTARACT

179
COUNTRIES WITH ROTARACT CLUBS

#### How far we've come in growing Rotaract

At the start of the 2018-19 Rotary year, Past President Barry Rassin set a number of goals to grow Rotaract. Check out some of the key accomplishments from the year:

- Read Past President Barry Rassin's <u>reflections and farewell</u> from the year
- For the first-time ever, Rotaractors were invited to join district governorselect at International Assembly. President-elect Holger Knaack is continuing this success by inviting 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 district Rotaract representatives (DRR) and Multidistrict Information Organization (MDIO) leaders to join him in San Diego in January 2020. Learn more and nominate your leader by 15 August.
- Council on Legislation elevated Rotaract to partners in service with Rotary.
   Read the FAQ to learn more about Enactment 19-72.
- Ready to build on the momentum from last year? Check out new resources and inspiring stories to start a Rotaract club in your community or university.

#### **ROTARY GRACE**

O Lord and giver of all things good We thank Thee for our daily food May Rotary friends and Rotary ways Help us to serve Thee all our days.

#### <u>Announcements</u>

#### **Wedding Anniversary**

- Kathy-Ann & Rtn. Roger Blackman 22yrs—Aug 09 1997
- Deborah & PP Roger Smith 32yrs—Aug 09 1987

#### **Birthday - Rotarians**

- Rtn. Keri Mapp Aug 10
- Rtn. Trevor Fields Aug 13

#### **Birthday - Partners-in-Service**

- Jenifer Johnson— Rtn. Joseph Johnson—Aug 09
- Harriet MacDonald— PP. Stanley MacDonald—Aug 09
- Katie Hermant—Rtn. Peter Hermant—Aug 13

#### **Join Date Anniversary**

John Mackenzie —26 yrs—Aug 12 1993

#### **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:

FIRST: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity of service;

SECOND: High ethical standardain business and professions, the recognition

nition and the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

**THIRD:** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business and community life; and

**FOURTH:** The advancement of the international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world of fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

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