



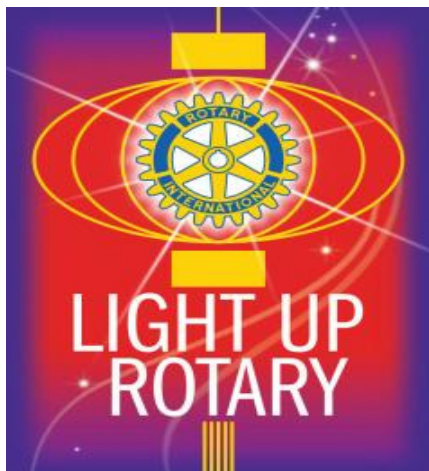
ROTA NEWS

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Rotary Club of Barbados, Barbados

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District 7030



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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?

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Weekly meetings on **Thursdays** at

Hilton Barbados

Needham's Point, Aquatic Gap, St. Michael

at 12 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

October is designated Vocational Service Month

Especially during this month we highlight the Second Object of Rotary - High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition and the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignity of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society

Today is a Fellowship Meeting when we will have as our Guest Speaker HE Mrs. Victoria Dean, the British High Commission to Barbados and The Eastern Caribbean. She joined the Diplomatic Service in 2000.



The High Commissioner is the UK government's representative in a Commonwealth nation. They are responsible for the direction and work of the High Commission and its Deputy High Commissions and/or Consulates, including political work, trade and investment, press and cultural relations, and visa and consular services.

Today, the smiling Greeting Team is made up of Past President Dr. Grenville Phillips and Club Service Director H. Waldo Clarke

Dr. Grenville W. Phillips, CBE, was granted this honour in the Queen's New Year Honours List for 2000. He was recognized for public service and services to accountancy. He joined the Club on May 01, 1976 and his Classification is Business Services—Consultancy. He served as President for the year 1986-87, which was the 25th Anniversary of Rotary in Barbados. It is said that he reported to the Club that "due to a lack of funds" there will be no designated Presidential Project; however the Club recognized twenty-five (25) persons who made a difference to the Community (**recognizing Vocations**). **Among the 25 were Rotarians St. Clair "Clarry" Clarke and Horace King.** Also during this time the first pace-maker was donated to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital; a program which still continues through Heartbeat International. PP Grenville has served the Club as secretary 1977-1979 and the District as Assistant Governor 2010-2012. He was awarded the Paul Harris Fellowship in 2006.



Director H. Waldo Clarke joined the Club on April 01, 2010 along with three other persons: Sanjay Amin, Mark Cox and Shawn Franklin. He was introduced by PP John Cabral. His classification is Manufacturing – Textured Coatings. In the year 2010-11, (**9 months membership**) January – June 2011, Waldo served out the term as Club Service Director for Neil Owen who was posted overseas. He served as Director New Generations (now Youth Service) 2011-12, 2012-13 and he returned to Club Service serving as Director for 2013-14 and 2014-15. Waldo is the grandson of the late St. Clair "Clarry" Clarke, PHF.



FOR THOSE WHO MISSED SEPTEMBER 25; HERE ARE THE HIGHLIGHTS.

The meeting uncharacteristically started after the designated 12.30 p.m. This was a pre-cursor for the unforgettable activities which were to follow.

Nicholle was asked to lead the National Anthem. She did this like a veteran; putting a number of local songsters to shame. More revelations were to come with the need for prompting with the Rotary Grace. No name revealed.

Being a Fellowship meeting SAA Vic was able to cast his net far and wide; which he did. The visiting Rotarians who had transgressed during the week were also called to account.

PP John Mackenzie gave an update on the Wine Tasting for Friday, October 03, 2014. (***This event has been rescheduled for later in the month***)

Youth Service Director Neal expressed thanks on behalf of our Youth Guests who had visited with us the previous week; highlighting how well they were graciously accommodated. Further he thanked all those who attended the Beach Clean up on Saturday, September 20th. He reminded members to be fully engaged as they visited the Rotaract and Interact Clubs.

Club Service Director Waldo drew the Club's attention to the new name badges which were to be adorned weekly and placed in the designated slots after each meeting.

He informed on the Rotarian At Work Safety Vests; which were appropriately modelled by Rotarian Nicholle and himself.



Meeting Details

Thursday, September 25, 2014
Sergeant-At-Arms: PP Vic Fernandes

- Attendance - 63%
- Raffle - \$102.00
- Winner – PP Michael W. Browne
- Fines - \$209.00

THE ANTI BULLYING INITIATIVE PART 2 CONT'D FROM SEPTEMBER 11 - MR. SHAWN CLARKE

The Anti bullying initiative is a national campaign to raise the awareness of the many forms of bullying and in particular cyber bullying which has grown almost out of control and is affecting many students and young adults in Barbados today.

WHAT ROLES DO STUDENTS PLAY IN BULLYING SITUATIONS?



This Bullying Circle is an important OBPP tool to illustrate roles in bullying situations, and to build understanding about how the program helps shift behavioral norms and attitudes. Peer group plays an important role in motivating and encouraging bullying in many situations. As this continuum shows, students who bully often get various types of support—from followers, supporters, and passive supporters.

Shows group phenomenon: roles vary among participants & observers. Some are much more active than others.

References: TG, pp. 23-25; SWG Doc. 1, pp. 15-16.

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

Research shows bullying prevention needs to happen on multiple levels to be effective. The four Olweus Program components are based on this and consist of:

- a school-level component
- a classroom-level component
- an individual-level component (working with individual students and their parents)
- a community-level component

PARENTS ARE VERY IMPORTANT FOR SUCCESS OF THE OLWEUS PROGRAM.

They are involved at all four levels. We will discuss each of these briefly.

Overview of School-Level Components

1. Establish a Bullying Prevention Coordinating Committee (BPCC)
2. Conduct committee and staff trainings
3. Administer the Olweus Bullying Questionnaire
4. Hold staff discussion groups
5. Introduce the school rules about bullying
6. Review and refine the school's supervisory system
7. Hold a school kick-off event to launch the program
8. Involve parents

THESE ARE THE EIGHT MAIN COMPONENTS OF OBPP IMPLEMENTED AT THE SCHOOLWIDE LEVEL.

SLIDE #5: INTRODUCING THE SCHOOL RULES ABOUT BULLYING.

School rules about bullying

- We will not bully others.
- We will try to help students who are bullied.
- We will try to include students who are left out.
- If we know that somebody is being bullied, we will tell an adult at school and an adult at home.

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THE ANTI BULLYING INITIATIVE PART 2 CONT'D

All schools have rules governing student behavior, but many do not explicitly address bullying. Existing rules may not use the term, "bullying" & frequently omit indirect/subtle forms (e.g., social exclusion)—need to include full range of behaviors. OBPP recommends schools adopt these 4 rules

Only 1st rule addresses children who bully; remaining 3 focus on bystander behavior.

Expectation is that ALL students won't bully AND will take action to help students who are bullied.

Rule #4 applies to students being bullied themselves (not just bystanders.)

Post in all areas & discuss in detail with staff, students & parents. These rules supplement not replace other school rules.

Classroom-Level Components

1. Post and enforce schoolwide rules against bullying
2. Hold regular class meetings
3. Hold meetings with students' parents

School rules should be posted and consistently enforced in the classroom, using positive and negative consequences. Rules and policies do nothing if not enforced consistently in and across classrooms.

Class meetings should be held weekly for a full class period for grades K-8 and every other week for grades 9-12. Research findings show that teachers who systematically held class meetings saw larger reductions in bullying after 1 year than those who used them less, or not at all.

Parent Meetings It is recommended that teachers hold classroom-level (or grade/team-level) meetings with parents periodically during the year.

Individual-Level Components

1. Supervise students' activities
2. Ensure that all staff intervene on-the-spot when bullying occurs
3. Hold meetings with students involved in bullying
4. Hold meetings with parents of involved students
5. Develop individual intervention plans for involved students

Community-Level Components

1. Involve community members on the BPCC
2. Develop partnerships with community members to support your program
3. Help spread anti-bullying messages and principles of best practice throughout the community

There are three community-level components. [READ SLIDE]

Community groups can provide support to your school and can help spread messages to the broader community.

References: SWG, Ch.14 (pp. 89-93); TM Tab 1, Doc. 6. & Tab 2, Doc. 26.

OBPP Training/Consultation Information

Training and consultation is essential for successful program implementation and fidelity

Training for BPCC is provided by a Certified OBPP Trainer/Consultant

Consultation is required for at least 12 months

Committee trains and supports staff every year for program sustainability. Training is essential for successful implementation and fidelity.

TAKE-HOME MESSAGE

IT IS POSSIBLE TO REDUCE BULLYING.

IT REQUIRES A TEAM EFFORT.

IT REQUIRES A LONG-TERM COMMITMENT.

OCTOBER
Vocational Service Month
NOVEMBER
Rotary Foundation Month
NOVEMBER 01

1. Deadline to submit nominations for the Service Award for a Polio-Free World
2. Deadline to submit nominations for the Vocational Service Leadership Award

UP-COMING EVENTS	
Oct 06	Board of Directors Meeting
Oct 17	Wine Tasting - PP Vic
Oct 12-16	Official Visit by DG Elwin
Oct 15	JOINT DINNER MEETING
Oct 23	PoWA - Dinner Meeting
November	RYLA
Nov 13	Nominations - Board -2015-16 - PE 2016-17

GREETERS

Oct 09 - PDs Heather and Dr. Carol
 Oct 15 - DINNER MEETING:PE Jedder & PD Horace
 Oct 16 - NO MEETING
 Oct 23 - PP Jerry and Rtn. Joel Brathwaite
 Oct 30 - Rtn. Joel McCarthy and VP John Cabral

OUR VISITORS

September 25

Guests

Nicholas Gill - PP Erskine
 Michael A. Lalla - PP Greg Hazzard RCoB West

Rotarians

PP Greg Hazzard - RCoB West - Civil Engineering
 Sec MacNeal Lashley - RCoB West - Project Unit

VISIT AN INTERACT OR ROTARACT CLUB!

UWI Rotaract

Every Saturday at 12.30 p.m. during the Semester
St Michael Interact
 2:30pm on Fridays, upstairs in Room 5.3.
Codrington Interact
 2.10 p.m. Wednesday, Humanities Room, opposite the
 Library- twice monthly

SCHEDULED VISITS TO OUR YOUTH

October 03 - SMS - Director Waldo
October 08 - CS - PE Jedder
October 24 - SMS - Ron Williams

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.

Announcements

Wedding Anniversary

Past President Bill and Diane Highton Oct 02

Birthday - Rotarians

Past Secretary Clifford Clarke Oct 05
 Past President Richard Blanchette Oct 08
 Rtn. Joel Brathwaite Oct 08

Birthday - Partners in Service

None this week

Join Date Anniversary

None this week

WORLD POLIO DAY

Be a part of Rotary's Livestream event celebrating World Polio Day on 24 October! Hear inspiring stories, musical performances, and more. Add the event to your calendar today! (<http://new.livestream.com/rotaryinternational/worldpolioday>)

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:

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| FIRST: | The development of acquaintance as an opportunity of service; |
| SECOND: | High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition 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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