



# ROTA NEWS



**ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE**

October 5, 2017

## Rotary Club of Barbados



District 7030 - Club # 6798

**Chartered March 07, 1962**

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

**District Governor**  
Waddy Sowma

**District Governor Elect**  
Dominique Venere

**District Governor Nominee**  
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**Assistant Governor**  
Peter Downes

**District Secretary**  
Rino Tjin Wong Joe

**District Treasurer**  
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Roger Bose

**District Grants Chair**  
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### Club Officers & Directors

#### **President**

Paul Ashby

**President Elect**  
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**Vice President**  
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**Secretary**  
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**Youth Service Director**  
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Lisa Cummins

**Sergeant-At-Arms**  
Chrispen Hackett

**Public Relations Chair**  
Donna Pierre

**R.I Theme 2017-18**

### **R.I. OFFICERS**

**President**  
Ian Riseley

**President Elect**  
Barry Rassin

**Zone 33-34 Executive  
Committee Member**  
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?

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](http://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 MAKING A DIFFERENCE**

**WELCOME TO THE 2017-18 YEAR**

**RECAP OF OUR SEP. 28 2017 MEETING**

The Club welcomed Ms. Sheena Bancroft who spoke to us about her experiences during the passing of Hurricane Irma in Tortola. Ms. Bancroft gave a heart wrenching account of the roof lifting off of the house and of her having to hide to protect herself amidst the chilling sound of the wind while praying for the storm to subside. Her first hand experience of a category 5 storm as she also recounted the power of the winds to move vehicles and refrigerators.



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**The Destination Experience Seminar**

We also heard from Mr. Kirk Hamilton of the Destination Experience which in his words “is purpose built to drive a paradigm shift in the economic outlook of the Caribbean.” and which is designed to uplift the image of the Caribbean as an attractive investment and luxury destination. Mr. Hamilton in speaking to the Club advised of the upcoming seminar to be held in Barbados entitled The Destination Experience Visionaries Summit to be held October 5 and 6. He also advised that part proceeds of the seminar would be donated in the form of supplies to disaster relief efforts.

Further information can be had by visiting the website [www.mydestinationexperience.com](http://www.mydestinationexperience.com)

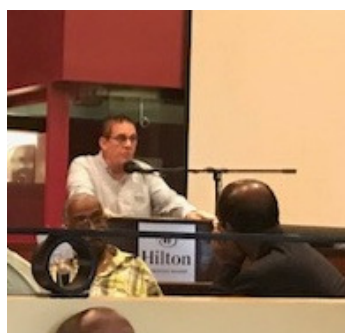


**LET MUH LAUGHT COMEDY SHOW— LESC  
SATURDAY OCT 6 AT 7:00 PM**

PE Shawn and PP Vic both addressed the Club on the upcoming Let Muh Laugh comedy show. Both PE Shawn and PP Vic re-iterated the need for both ticket sales and sponsorships in order that the Club realize a reasonable profit from the show.

The Show promises to be one filled with laughs, laughs and more laughs and all are encouraged to attend.

The show will be hosted by Mac Fingall and performing are Dave Martins, Nadia Phillips, Ro'dey, Nicky Crosby and Quite Perry.



**RAFFLE WINNER**

**And the winner of the Sep 28 Raffle is our guest Rtn. Dr. Rosita Moore who is the happy recipient of a dinner for two at Apes Hill Club House.**

**We thank her for her visit and hope that the meal was an enjoyable one.**



**MEETING DETAILS— Sep 28 2017  
SAA Chrispen Hackett**

Attendance: 59.4%

Fines: \$185.00

Raffle Proceeds \$220.00

Winner of Raffle: Dr. Rosita Moore

### DISTRICT NEWS:

Please note that the District Conference for this Rotary year will be held in Suriname on April 25 to 29, 2018.



Our Greeters today are PP Roger Smith and Rtn. Clifford Clarke

### CLUB PHOTO—November 2

November 2, 2017 we will be taking a Group Club photo.

Time 12:30 pm

Venue : Barbados Hilton Hotel

Dress code - Jacket and tie male and business attire female.

**All members are urged to attend this meeting to facilitate our group photo.**

### OCTOBER 6 LET MUH LAUGH

Only two days left to sell tickets for our upcoming comedy show.

All hands on deck as the date draws near. If you can assist in any way with the sponsorship or with additional ticket sales please contact PE Shawn or PP Vic.



### NEWS FROM THE ST. MICHAEL SCHOOLS INTERACT CLUB

SMS INTERACT CLUB held its weekly meeting in which they appointed their new Board. President Paul, Secretary Neal and Director Makonem met with the Club and shared with them the tree planting initiative.

It was agreed that the actual tree planting will be scheduled for a few weeks from now. Further details will follow

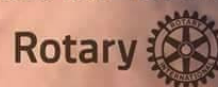
Below President Paul and Director Makonem with the newly appointed SMS INTERACT CLUB BOARD



### MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

- Oct 6** **Leh Muh Laugh! comedy show**  
Lloyd Erskine Sandiford Centre  
Time: 7 pm  
*All members are encouraged to sell as many tickets as possible. Your assistance on the day is also required.*
- Oct. 26** **PRIDE OF WORKMANSHIP AWARDS DINNER MEETING**

BECOME FRIENDS WITH PEOPLE WHO  
AREN'T YOUR AGE. HANG OUT WITH  
PEOPLE WHOSE FIRST LANGUAGE ISN'T THE  
SAME AS YOURS. GET TO KNOW SOMEONE  
WHO DOESN'T COME FROM YOUR SOCIAL  
CLASS. THIS IS HOW YOU SEE THE WORLD.  
THIS IS HOW YOU GROW.





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## OCTOBER —ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY

### DEVELOPMENT MONTH

#### Greeters for October

**Oct 12**      *PP Jedder Robinson and Rtn. Roy Smith*  
**Oct 19**      *Rtn. Brian Cole and Rtn. Anthony Shaw*  
**Oct. 26**      *No meeting POW Awards*

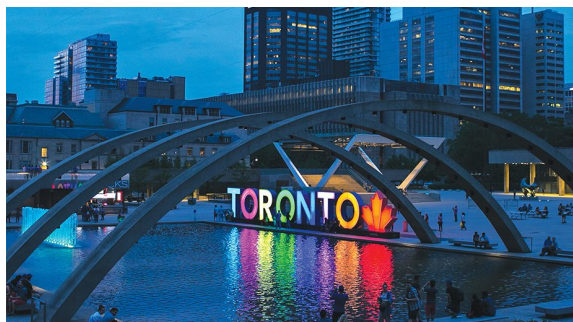
#### OUR GUESTS

##### VISITING ROTARIANS:

PP Albert Daniels—Rotary Club of St. Lucia  
Assistant District Governor—Dr. Wayne Moore, Colby  
Rotary Club, Kansas , USA  
Rtn. Dr. Rosita Moore—Colby Rotary Club, Kansas,  
USA  
PP Edmond Bradshaw—Rotary Club of Barbados  
South  
Latoya Grant—Rotary Club of Barbados West

##### GUESTS:

Sheena Bancroft—Guest Speaker  
Ashell Forde—guest of PP Albert Daniels  
Tracy Codrington - guest of Dir. Malcolm Vaughn  
Carson Hackett—guest of SAA Chrispen Hackett  
Sandra Franklyn—guest of PP Jedder Robinson



#### 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

None this week

##### Birthday - Rotarians

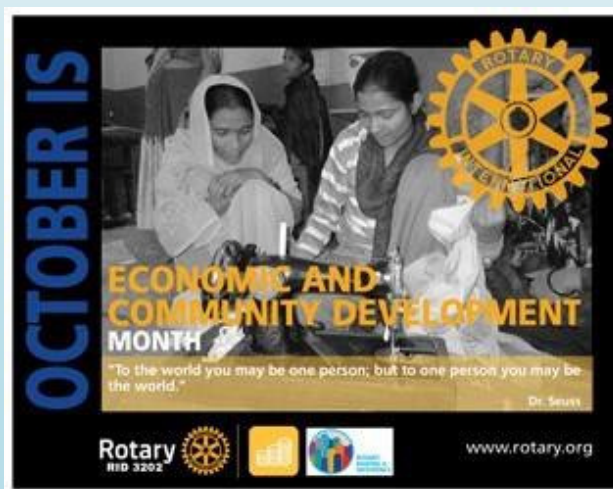
Rtn. Clifford Clarke	Oct 5
Rtn. Arlene Ross	Oct 5
PP Richard Blanchette	Oct 8
Treasurer Joel Brathwaite	Oct 8
PP Elvin Sealy	Oct 11

##### Birthday - Partners in Service

None this week

##### Join Date Anniversary

None this week



#### 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 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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