



ROTA NEWS



March 07, 2019



BE THE INSPIRATION

R.I Theme 2018-19

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Mark Maloney

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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?

Rotary Club of Barbados



District 7030 - Club # 6798

Chartered March 07, 1962

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HE Dame Sandra Mason, GCMG, DA.
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Weekly meetings on **Thursdays** at

Hilton Barbados

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

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St. Michael, Barbados

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

Mar 07 - Club Charter Date - 1962 - Club # 6798

RI THEME: BE THE INSPIRATION

March is Water and Sanitation Month

Today's Meeting is a Business Meeting. The Directors will give an update on their various activities. Today is also our Club's Charter Date today we are celebrating Rotary since 1961.

We will welcome Lady Brancker, the wife of our Charter President, Sir Theodore Brancker.

A Charter Edition RotaNews has been prepared

RECAP OF FEBRUARY 28- FELLOWSHIP MEETING

NEW MEMBERS:

Our Club continues to grow at a steady pace. Last week the Club welcomed three new members into our Rotary family. Our new members are as follows: Jamella Forde—Property Manager/Event Planner, was proposed by Dir. Makonem; Randy Marshall—Marketing/Entrepreneur, was proposed by Dir Adrian; and Onika Stewart —Law, was proposed by Anthony Shaw. The new members were welcomed by Pres Shawn and received a standing ovation from the Club to usher them in. Each new member addressed the Club expressing their joy and gratitude and pledging their intention to work along with the Club to continue to assist our communities.

GUEST SPEAKER:

Dawn Wood who is a skipper with the Essex Police Marine Unit, is now the second fastest and only the seventh female to row solo across the Atlantic. She completed the 3,000-mile (4800km) journey from the Canary Islands to Barbados in 53 days. Dawn made the daring journey in order to raise awareness of plastic pollution in the ocean. As she arrived in Barbados, Dawn was anxiously greeted by several members of our Club along with her family members who were awaiting her arrival and Minister John King. In her address to our Club Dawn indicated that it was her intention to inspire people, to let them know that they can row their own ocean, whatever their ocean might be. Despite her many outstanding accomplishments Dawn says she is an ordinary person like everyone else and she believes that if she could accomplish this then it is proof that once we set our goals and work hard at them, they can be achieved. She shared several examples of her encounters out at sea such as being accompanied by turtles in the moonlit night. When asked what kept her going Dawn said that it was the accountability of knowing that people were rooting for her and expecting her to succeed.



**Above: New members L to R
Jamella Forde, Randy Marshall
Onika Stewart**



**Below: New members and their
proposers**

**Right: Dawn Wood
addressing the Club**



**Dawn, her husband Ja-
mie and Act SAA Meryl
looked on as the
new members were be-
ing pinned**



**Dawn Wood and President
Shawn exchanged banners**

**Rtn. Jeff won the raffle
and presented his
prize to Dawn**



MARCH 11-17—WORLD ROTARACT WEEK

<p>Rotaract UWI Cave Hill South Barbados Barbados West Barbados</p> <p>WORLD ROTARACT WEEK 2019 CLUBS OF BARBADOS SUNDAY 10^{PM} CHURCH SERVICE</p> <p>LENTEN WORSHIP</p> <p>IN OBSERVANCE OF LENT, ROTARACTORS ARE ASKED TO AVOID BRIGHT COLORS AND WEAR SOLEMN COLORS. EXAMPLES INCLUDE, BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE FOLLOWING:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BLACK PURPLE DARK/NAVY BLUE GREY BURGUNDY <p>WE WILL BE TAKING A GROUP PICTURE OF ALL ROTARACTORS AFTER THE SERVICE. BE PREPARED.</p> <p>WESTERN LIGHT CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, WEST TERRACE, ST. JAMES 8AM (AST)</p>	<p>WORLD ROTARACT WEEK 2019 CLUBS OF BARBADOS TUESDAY 12^{PM} PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SESSION</p> <p>SUSTAINABILITY with Jamalia Wyllie, EMIT and Christopher Kinch THE WAY FORWARD</p> <p>Rotaract UWI Cave Hill South Barbados Barbados West Barbados</p> <p>Guardian General Sports Complex 6PM (AST)</p>
<p>Rotaract UWI Cave Hill South Barbados Barbados West Barbados</p> <p>WORLD ROTARACT WEEK 2019 CLUBS OF BARBADOS WEDNESDAY 12^{PM} SOCIAL MEDIA CAMPAIGN</p> <p>I REP ROTARACT DAY</p> <p>CALLING ALL ROTARACTORS AND FRIENDS OF ROTARACT! WE'RE REPPING ROTARACT FOR WORLD ROTARACT DAY!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> POST A PICTURE OF YOU OR YOUR MOST MEMORABLE COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT STATE WHY IT IS THE MOST MEMORABLE FOR YOU WEAR BLUE AND YOUR CLUB PINS USE THE FOLLOWING HASHTAGS: #IREPROTARACT #WRW #ROTARACTCLUBSINBARBADOS #WORLDROTARACTWEEK2019 #ROTARACTINTERNATIONAL #BETHEINSPIRATION <p>ALL SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORMS ALL DAY</p>	<p>Rotaract UWI Cave Hill South Barbados Barbados West Barbados</p> <p>WORLD ROTARACT WEEK 2019 CLUBS OF BARBADOS FRIDAY 12^{PM} COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITY</p> <p>BOOK DONATION</p> <p>THIS WILL INVOLVE A BOOK DONATION AND SCHOOL WALK THROUGH, WITH THE POSSIBILITY OF INTERACTING WITH SOME OF THE STUDENTS VIA SIGN LANGUAGE!</p> <p>CAN'T MAKE IT TO THE BOOK DONATION BUT STILL WANT TO VOLUNTEER? YOU CAN ASSIST WITH THE PURCHASE OF HAMPERS/GET WRAPPING PAPER OR HELP SORT AND PACKAGE BOOKS ON THURSDAY AT 7:00 P.M. AT PE KAREEM'S RESIDENCE.</p> <p>ERVING WILSON SCHOOL, THE PENE, ST. MICHAEL 11AM (AST)</p>
<p>Rotaract UWI Cave Hill South Barbados Barbados West Barbados</p> <p>WORLD ROTARACT WEEK 2019 CLUBS OF BARBADOS SATURDAY 12^{PM} ISLAND SAFARI</p> <p>IT'S TIME TO GO OFF-ROAD WITH OUR FUN FILLED ISLAND SAFARI WITH A TWIST! WE WILL ENGAGE ROTARACTORS WITH A MINT SCAVENGER HUNT AND WATER BALLOON FIGHTS ALONG THE WAY!</p> <p>ROTARACTORS ARE ASKED TO WEAR THEIR 'END POLIO NOW' SHIRTS FOR THIS EVENT. OTHERWISE, WEARING ANY OTHER SHADE OF RED IS APPROPRIATE.</p> <p>TO CONFIRM ATTENDANCE, A 25% DEPOSIT (\$12.50) MUST BE PAID BY WEDNESDAY 5TH MARCH 2019! CONTACT YOUR CLUB PRESIDENT/WRW REP TO ARRANGE!</p> <p>PRICE: \$20 DURATION: 3 HOURS STARTING POINT: TBN 12:30PM (AST)</p>	<p>Rotaract UWI Cave Hill South Barbados Barbados West Barbados</p> <p>WORLD ROTARACT WEEK 2019 CLUBS OF BARBADOS SUNDAY 12^{PM} ROTALYMPICS! READY, SET, GO!</p> <p>IT'S BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND! END THE WEEK OF ACTIVITIES ON A HIGH WITH AN ARRAY OF FUN SPORTING EVENTS.</p> <p>THREE LEGGED RACE, OBSTACLE RACE, FOOTBALL TRICK SHOTS, HUMAN PYRAMID, CHANT OFF COMPETITION, CAR WASH RELAY, 100M DASH, TUG-OF-WAR & 4X1 RELAY.</p> <p>THIS IS A SUNDAY POTLUCK! SO BRING YOUR TENTS, TABLES, CHAIRS, BANNERS/POSTERS, FOOD AND DRINKS!</p> <p>WE HAVE A TIGHT SCHEDULE SO TIMELY ARRIVAL TO THE EVENT IS HIGHLY ENCOURAGED!</p> <p>COMBERMERE SCHOOL, WATERFORD, ST. MICHAEL 11AM (AST)</p>

A week of interesting and exciting activities!

MEETING DETAILS - February 28 2019

Sergeant-At-Arms: - Rtn. Meryl
Attendance: - 70%
Fines: - \$233
Raffle proceeds: - \$120
Raffle winner: - Rtn Jeff Evelyn

HIGHLIGHTS FROM MODEL UNITED NATIONS

MUN is coming to an end and it has been yet another remarkable journey for all involved. As always there has been visible growth and development in the students over the last few weeks and a sense of pride and satisfaction which leaves us with the assurance that the future of our nation is in good hands.



Rotary District Conference from April 24th to 27th, 2019



WELCOME TO GUADELOUPE



Have you booked your spot?

More Dawn highlights as promised.

Dawn has had a very busy few days with us in Barbados and Dir. Adrian will tell us more.



OUR GUESTS— FEBRUARY 28

Guests:

Dawn Wood, Jamie Wood, Barry Smith, Sheila Smith - Guest of RCOB

Suzanne Davis - Guest of PP Ron

Jamella Forde - Guest of Dir Makonem

Onika Stewart - Guest of Rtn Anthony Shaw

Randy Marshall - Guest of Dir Adrian

Dale Bourne - Guest of Dir Adrian

Harriette Skeete - Guest of Dir. Adrian

Dustin Edwards - Guest of PDG David

Keri Mapp - Guest of Treas. Meryl

Ted Isaacs - Guest of PP Brenda

Winston Warren - Guest of Winston Warren

Cara Foster (Media) - Guest of RCOB

Gercene Carter (Media) - Guest of RCOB

Visiting Rotarians:

Dianne Adams - Rotary Club of Burlington Ontario

Dan Kalmats - Rotary Club of Burlington, Ontario

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

PP Vic Fernandes

08 March

Birthday - Partners in Service

Harriette Skeete (Dir Adrian Skeete) 14 March

Join Date Anniversary

None this week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

The Model United Nations 2019 - January 19 to March 09, will be held at UN House. This year's theme is "The Blue Economy: Sustainable Fisheries and Marine Environment."

March 07 - Charter Day—Celebrating Rotary since 1961

March 11-17—World Rotaract Week

March 17 - Morning Hike with the National Trust, starting 6:00 a.m. from the Orange Hill Pavilion, St. James.

If you are able to participate —Breakfast will be served at the home of PDG David & Donna later in the morning

Please note that our upcoming Club Forum has been re-scheduled and will now take place on Saturday March 30, 2019. Please update your calendars.

April 24-27—District Conference

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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