



ROTA NEWS



Rotary Opens Opportunities

R.I. Theme 2020-21

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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?

Rotary Club of Barbados



District 7030 - Club # 6798

Chartered March 07, 1962

PATRON

HE Dame Sandra Mason, GCMG, DA.

Governor General

DISTRICT OFFICERS

District Governor
Lisle Chase

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District Governor Nominee
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Peter Thompson

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Soraya Warner Gustave

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District Rotary Foundation Chair
PDG Milton Inniss

District Disaster Relief Chair
PDG David Edwards

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Sonya Alleyne

9TH JULY 2020

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Vice President

Ron Davis

Secretary

Ermine Darroux

Treasurer

Meryl Stoute

Club Administration

Jeff Evelyn

Membership/Youth Service

Stanley MacDonald

Public Relations

Arlene Ross

Community Service

Adrian Skeete

International/Rotary Foundation

Makonem Hurley

Immediate Past President

Peter Williams

Sergeant-At-Arms

Randy Marshall

Weekly meetings on **Thursdays** at

Hilton Barbados

(Virtual Meetings from March 26, 2020 to present)

Needham's Point, Aquatic Gap,

St. Michael

at 12:30 p.m.

P.O. Box 148B, Brittons Hill,
St. Michael, Barbados

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

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

RI THEME: ROTARY OPENS OPPORTUNITIES



Today's meeting will be a Business meeting.

We wish to extend a warm welcome to DG Lisle Chase and AG Peter Thompson to our first members meeting for the year.

Our Moderator will be PDG David Edwards.

#	AGENDA	LEAD	TIME
1.0	Rotary Anthem & National Anthem	Moderator	12:30 p.m.
2.0	Welcome and Introduction, Call to Order & Ground Rules	Pres Fiona	2 mins
3.0	Opening Prayer	PP Michael	2 mins
4.0	Welcome Guests	SAA Randy	3 mins
5.0	A Taste of Barbados	Moderator	3 mins
6.0	Announcements & Updates	Pres Fiona	5 mins
7.0	PRESENTATION		12:45 p.m.
7.1	2020-21 RCOB Plans & Programmes	Pres Fiona	15 mins
7.2	Remarks - AG Peter Thompson & Introduction of DG	AG Peter	5 mins
7.3	Remarks - DG Lisle Chase	DG Lisle	5 mins
7.4	Q&A – Please “Raise Your Hand” in Zoom	Moderator	5 mins
8.0	FELLOWSHIP		1:20pm
8.1	SAA to discipline the Club	SAA Randy	5 mins
8.2	Open Fellowship – Please “Raise Your Hand” in Zoom	Moderator	5 mins
8.3	Next Fellowship Meeting July 16, 20 at 12:30 p.m. via Zoom		
9.0	ADJOURNMENT	-	1:30 p.m.

Snapshots of the Virtual Installation Ceremony held on

July 2, 2020



President's Address by IPP Peter Williams



Our Featured Speaker was Past RI Director Bradford Howard. His speech looked at the possibility of Peace, with Rotary pushing the mandate globally.



DG Lisle Chase gave the congratulatory remarks.

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Our Club Awardees



Club: President Fiona Hinds; Rtn. Ermine Darroux;
Pride of Workmanship: Rtn. Adrian Skeete, Rtn. Meryl Stoute, Rtn. Winston Warren; Rtn. Malcolm Vaughn, Rtn. Jason Martin; and Rtn. Keri Mapp;
Covid-19: Rtn. Barbara Triefoff-Deane; PDG David Edwards; Rtn. Neal Griffith, PP Ron Davis, PP Elvin Sealy and Rtn. Heather Tull
Admin: PP Tony Williams
By-Laws: PP Lionel Moe; PP Grenville Phillips; PDG Tony Watkins
RotaNews: Rtn. Randy Marshall; PP Michael Browne; Rtn. Steve Cozier

Paul Harris Fellows Recognition



ROTARIAN ADRIAN SKEETE

Director Adrian Skeete joined the Rotary Club of Barbados on November 12, 2015
Adrian's seems to have an unlimited capacity for work, to give and to serve. He has generously contributed to every aspect of Rotary life including the Children's Party, the Senior Citizen's Party, Carols by Candlelight.



DR COREY FORDE

Dr. Forde is Head of the Infection Prevention and Control/Infectious Diseases Programmes at The Queen Elizabeth Hospital and currently serves as the National Coordinator of Isolation Facilities for COVID-19 management in Barbados.
He has been involved in leadership and mentorship in Infection Prevention and Control in collaboration with the World Health Organisation, the Pan American Health Organization, and the Center for Disease Control and Prevention.



ROTARIAN MALCOLM VAUGHN

Rotarian Malcolm joined the rotary Club of Barbados on December 8, 2016. Within six months of joining the club he was asked to fill some giant shoes by stepping up to be Director of Community Service.
Malcolm's capacity to serve is huge and he has generously contributed to every aspect of Rotary life including the Children's Party, the Senior Citizen's Party, Carols by Candlelight and most recently



ROTARIAN TREVOR FIELDS

Rotarian Trevor joined the Rotary Club of Barbados on February 1, 1991. Before joining our Club on February 01, 1991 he would have served for eleven years in the Rotary Club of Port of Spain.
Twenty five years ago, then Community Service Director Trevor Gordon Fields along with Past President Stanley MacDonald are credited with bringing Carols by Candlelight to Barbados in 1995. Trevor has served the Club in many capacities and is being recognized for his significant contribution to Rotary.



TAMARA MARSHALL

Canadian born, Tamara moved to Barbados with her family at age 11 and has since been recognized as one of Barbados' top female vocalists - aptly dubbed "The Diva of diversity".
Her impressive career includes touring with several bands and arranging backing vocals for Barbadian greats including Arturo Tappin, Nicholas Branker, Gabby, RPB, and The Merryman. Tamara's plays a key role in Carols By Candlelight over the past years.



DR ANTON BEST

Dr Anton Best is a public health practitioner who currently serves as a Senior Medical Officer of Health with the Ministry of Health and Wellness. For the last thirteen years he has been responsible for the HIV/ Sexually Transmitted Infections Programme of the Ministry and has also managed and co-managed health-sector projects with the World Bank, The United States President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief (PEPFAR) and the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). He has co-authored a number of research articles, published in peer-reviewed journals and has presented at various

Summary of the President's Address—Virtual Installation of Officers on 2nd July, 2020 By IPP Peter Williams

Highlights about the club from 2019-20:

- We need people of action....who live up to the high ideals of Rotary and with the addition of twelve new members this year we continue to add to the pool of resources hard at work within the club.
- Community based partnership through blood drives and donations with the Blood Centre.
- Raised the awareness of Kidney transplant programme at Queen Elizabeth Hospital.
- Involvement in the fight against diabetes through donations to the Diabetes Association and the Diabetes Foundation.
- Joint partnership with The Rotary Clubs of Barbados South and West to participate in Rotary International's *End Polio Now* campaign".
- In this time of adversity Rotary made a difference through partnering with Rotary South to supply face masks to keep government front line employees safe. We provided primary school students with tablets for online classes.
- Facilitating the packing and delivering of over half a million dollars' worth of food hampers to the Salvation Army for distribution to families hard hit by the Covid-19 pandemic.
- Fellowship was also sustained throughout the lockdown via our lively Zoom meetings, with guests from around the globe and top-class presenters.
- The Rotary Club of Barbados has qualified for the 2019-20 Rotary Citation with Platinum Distinction.
- Thank you sentiments expressed to all Directors, Rotarians, our Partners-in-Service and his own partner, Jennifer, for making these achievements possible.



Presentation of Tablets to our Schoolhouse for Special Needs and The Ministry of Education Monday July 6th, 2020.

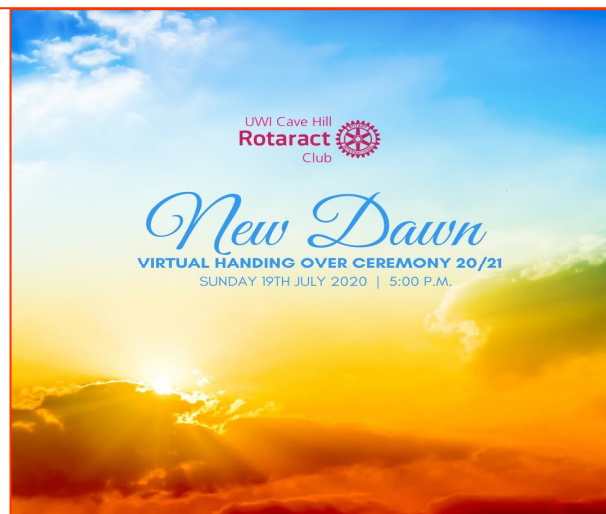


Present at the donation were Mr. Paul Holub Of RBC Capital Markets, Senator Dr. Romel Springer and Ms. Joy-Ann Haigh for the Ministry of Education.



Today's distribution of tablets at the Schoolhouse for Special Needs - some to the schoolhouse and 79 today to the Ministry of Education - to date RCOB has donated 111 tablets to assist children with online learning in a virtual and digital environment.

Our tablets have to date benefited the children of classes 2 - 4 in St Mary's Primary, Milton Lynch, Gordon Walters (formerly St. Patrick's), George Lamming, Charles F. Broome and our own Schoolhouse for Special Needs.



Registration is open via the following link:
<https://forms.gle/vha1dx6D3CySeAER7>

New Year Rotary Resolutions

1. Have Fun!
2. Grow My Club Membership
3. Support The Rotary Foundation
4. Introduce a Friend to Rotary
5. Promote Rotary More!
6. Tell More People About the Good Work We Do!
7. Engage More With Rotary Alumni, eg Rotaract + Interact
8. Eradicate Polio!!
9. Connect More with Local and Global Communities
10. INSPIRE OTHERS!



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Announcements

Wedding Anniversary

- Christopher JnMarie & PP Carole JnMarie — 26 yrs — Jul 16

Birthday - Rotarians

- Rtn. Chrispen Hackett — Jul 10

Birthday - Partners-in-Service

- Dr Margaret Blanchette — PP Richard Blanchette — Jul 13
- Kathy-Ann Blackman — Rtn Roger Blackman — Jul 15

Join Date Anniversary

- President Fiona Hinds — 05yrs — Jul 16
- Rtn Dr. Beverly Agard — 05yrs — Jul 16

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Our next on-line Club meeting to be held on Thursday, July 16, 2020 via Zoom. This will be a fellowship meeting.**
- **July 23, 2020's meeting will have a guest speaker (TBA)**
- **Our Moderator will be PDG David Edwards.**

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.

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.

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