



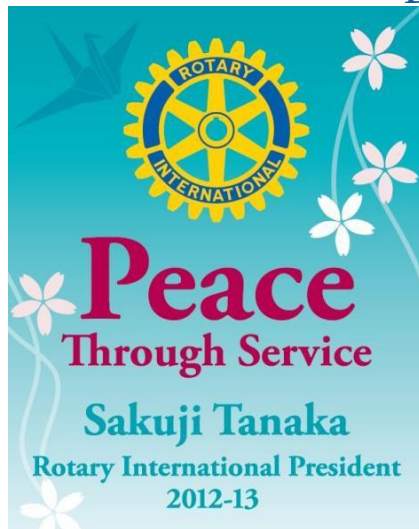
# ROTA NEWS



May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013

## Rotary Club of Barbados, Barbados

Chartered March 07, 1962  
District 7030



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### Officers

**President**  
Sakuji Tanaka

**President Elect**  
Ron D. Burton



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**District Governor**  
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**Sergeant-At-Arms**  
Heather Tull

## 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 noon

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

[www.clubrunner.ca/barbados](http://www.clubrunner.ca/barbados)

## ENGAGE YOUR AUDIENCE! TIPS FOR POWERFUL PRESENTATIONS WEBINAR

Greetings!

Want to learn how to be more persuasive, inspire your audience to take action, or just feel more confident in front of a group? Join two Rotarian experts to learn how to take your presentation skills to the next level at our **Engage your audience! Tips for Powerful Presentations** webinar.

The webinars will be led by Past District Governor Dean Rohrs and Past District Governor David Stocks.

Discussions will include: • Preparing for a presentation • Connecting with your audience • Creating and employing compelling visuals • Developing culturally appropriate content • Making your presentation interactive, and much more!

There are two webinar sessions scheduled, please register for the session that is most convenient for you:

**Wednesday 15 May 10 AM (Central Daylight Time, Evanston USA)**

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/9077735474014767616>

**Thursday 16 May 6 PM (Central Daylight Time, Evanston USA)**

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1137248315681595648>

All webinars will be recorded and made available to you to view and share afterwards.

Please forward this message to other Rotarians who might be interested in attending.

Sincerely,  
Membership Development Divis



### Water saving tips!

Barbados ranks among the driest countries in the world and our water supply is decreasing. Below are some tips we can integrate into our daily routine.

When you aren't actually using the water, give a quick flick of the wrist and turn off the tap. You can always turn it right back on again.

How many times a day do we mindlessly let the tap run? Brushing our teeth, shaving, washing our hands, rinsing the dishes, cleaning vegetables, getting a cold drink.

According to the new EPA [WaterSense](#) initiative, the average bathroom sink faucet flows at a rate of two gallons a minute. You can slow that flow by installing a new low-flow faucet.

You can also save up to 8 gallons of water a day simply by turning off the tap while you brush your teeth in the morning and at night. Do the same while you shave.

Remember that there are many countries in which water is a scarce commodity or even nonexistent and many Rotarians around the world constantly give their time and effort to help in any way possible.

## Meeting Details

At our Fellowship Meeting held on  
Thursday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2013

Sgt-at-Arms: **Kim Tudor**

- Fines \$150.00
- Raffle \$80.00
- Attendance 49%

## **PAINTING AT STERLING CHILDREN'S HOME**

Painting at Sterling Children's Home continues as a work- in-progress. Our Club is in the process of painting selected internal areas as a means of refreshing certain parts of the building which houses 18 young persons. Thus far, a few Rotarians came together on April 27 and May 04 to assist with the painting. We are also appealing for more Rotarians to come and assist as this project which is estimated to be 70% completed. We have earmarked **Saturday June 01, 2013** as the date on which this exercise will be completed. Fellow Rotarians, kindly mark this date in your diary and in addition to making a contribution to our community, we would also like our involvement in this exercise to serve as a fellowship event. We look forward to seeing you on June 01 at 8.30 a.m.



**President Tony on the job**



**Professional Painter PE Ron**



**Rtn Jedder providing guidance to one of the wards at Sterling.**



**Two supervisors overseeing the work of Rotarian Shawn**

## Upcoming Events

May 18<sup>th</sup>: [Treasure Hunt](#)

## Greeters

May 9<sup>th</sup> – PP Elvin Sealy & Rotarian Robin Forde

May 16<sup>th</sup> – Rtn Lisa Cummins & Rotarian Neal Griffith

May 23<sup>rd</sup> – PP John Cabral & Rotarian Makonem Hurley

## Guests – May 2<sup>nd</sup>

None

## Announcements

### Wedding Anniversary

David and Celia Harding	-	May 13 <sup>th</sup>	-	13 Years
Charles and Francie Toppin	-	May 14 <sup>th</sup>	-	13 years

### Birthdays

#### *Rotarians*

None

#### *Spouse Birthdays*

Mary Cozier	-	May 10 <sup>th</sup>
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### Join Date Anniversaries

Theodore Marie	-	May 12 <sup>th</sup>	-	2 years
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## MEETING SCHEDULED FOR ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION MONTH

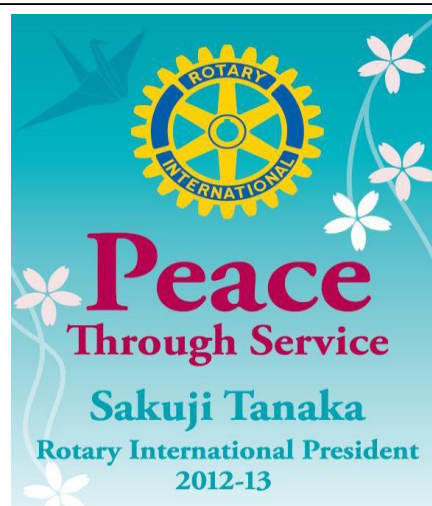
Thursday May 9<sup>th</sup> – Business Meeting  
Thursday May 16<sup>th</sup> – Guest Speaker  
Thursday May 23<sup>rd</sup> – Fellowship

## VISITING ROTARIANS – APRIL 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2013

PP Latchman Kisson – Rotary South

## 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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