

DISTRICT 7030
CLUB#6798
Chartered March 07, 1962

May 9th, 2024

ROTANEWS

R.I. OFFICERS

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Gordon R. McInally

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Stephanie Urchick

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HE The Most Honorable Dame
Sandra Mason, FB, GCMG, DA, SC.
President of Barbados

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Immediate Past President
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Club Weekly Meetings
Thursdays at 12.30 pm
Hilton Barbados

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The Rotary Club of Barbados welcomes visiting Rotarians and Guests.



Today May 9th, 2024 will be a Business Meeting, which commences at 12:30 p.m. at the Hilton Hotel.

Meeting Details – May 2nd, 2024

Guests
None

Rotarians, Rotaractors and Interactors
IPC Shelley-Ann Sealy – Satellite Club ‘Rise Up’
Rtn. Mario Boyce – Satellite Club ‘Rise Up’

Honorary Rotarians
None

Housekeeping
Fines: BBD 144.00
Raffle: BBD 89.00 won by Dir. Antro

Our next scheduled meeting will be a Business Meeting on May 9th, 2024, which commences at 12:30 p.m. at the Hilton Hotel.


Summary of the RCOB meeting held on May 2nd, 2024

- The 36th meeting of the club year was called to order at 12.32 p.m. by President Ermine. It was a Fellowship meeting.
- The Anthem was sung followed with a toast by Pres. Ermine to Her Excellency the President of Barbados.
- The Rotary Grace was said by all present.
- Sarge Heather welcomed visiting Rotarians and guests.
- Pres. Ermine expressed sincere thanks to all the Rotarians, Rotaractors and family/friends who showed up on Saturday to assist with the Children’s Fun Beach Day. She recognized PP David Antrobus and PPs Denise, Shawn and their team for all the planning and work which went into making it a success and creating a memorable day for all the youngsters.
- Pres. Ermine also extended kudos to the RCOB marketing team for their continued work in raising awareness of NCDs as the project draws to a close.
- PP Fiona and PP Brenda were then presented with their PHFx4 pins by Pres. Ermine. In addition, PP Fiona was also recognized as being a member of the Paul Harris Society. She spoke briefly about the meaning and importance of the PH Society. She also stressed the importance of the PH commitment being another way to serve, whether a little or a lot, and how commitment permeates everything we do as Rotarians. She invited everyone to look on the website to see the details of the PH Society.
- PP Brenda was also presented with her individual “Hot Stepper” certificate from the Rotary District 7030 MOVES-STEP Challenge 2024. Pres. Ermine recognized her for being the highest stepper in RCOB and thanked her for her diligence in getting other RCOB members mobilized and active in the challenge which resulted in RCOB winning the overall award for the club in the district with the most steps.
- Lunch was then served to the members.
- Guests who came late were also introduced.
- Rtn Mario made a short presentation on the **Satellite Club of Barbados Rise Up**, highlighting the many activities undertaken during the last year. His presentation covered the following areas:
 - **Intro:** Reintroduction to the Club, its primary areas of Focus and meeting schedule
 - **Members:** Composition (including photos) of executive team and other team members
 - **What have we been up to?** *Anything but a Cup* fellowship event with Rotarians/Rotaractors; *Painting of the Pavilion* at All Saints School; *Charter Celebrations*; *Support* to Carols by Candlelight; *Kite Culture* (in conjunction with RaCOB, RaCOBW)
 - **The Way Forward:** Planned events include Fundraisers to support projects, Further assistance to adopted school (Wilkie Cumberbatch); Deepen relationship with RCOB; More collaboration with other Rotary and Rotaract clubs on island.



- View the presentation here
<https://clubrunner.blob.core.windows.net/00000007241/en-ca/files/homepage/satellite-club-rise-up-presentation/Rise-Up-2023---2024-and-beyond.pdf>

- Sarge Heather conducted a short but “healthy” discipline session of the club.
- President Ermine reminded all present of the funeral of PP Jerry the next day at St Patrick’s at 2:00 pm preceded by tributes at 1:30 pm.
- She also invited everyone to watch a short visual tribute to PP Jerry prepared by Director Randy.
- Several Rotarians shared brief personal tributes and memories of PP Jerry, with both humorous and serious anecdotes highlighting his ethics and independence, his focus on standards (work, dress, deliverables, etc), his constant usage of his classification to the benefit of the club, his love of plants and his generosity in sharing his time to assist and guide younger Rotarians.
- Pres. Ermine made the customary announcements and reminded members of the upcoming Presidents Installation on June 30, requesting everyone to register early.
- She also urged everyone to reach out to Rotarians who had not been seen in a while.
- The raffle, fines and attendance were announced by Pres. Ermine
- The meeting was closed at 1:40 p.m. with a toast to R.I.



Rotary
People of Action

Rotary is where neighbors, friends, and problem-solvers share ideas, join leaders, and take action to create lasting change



T-3 DAYS
JOIN THE ROTA CHALLENGE

NO STEP LEFT BEHIND

MORE INFO :
 ⌚ MAY 1ST-31ST, 2024
 🎁 WEEKLY PRIZES TO BE WON

UPCOMING EVENTS

- May 11th – Health Fair
- May 16th – Fellowship Meeting
- May 23rd – Fellowship Meeting
- May 25th-29th – International Convention
- May 30th – Fellowship Meeting
- June 30th – 62nd Installation of Officers

RaCOB/Satellite Club/EarlyAct
 May 1st-31st – The Rota Challenge

DISTRICT 7030 EVENTS
 April 23 to 26, 2025 - District conference



Rotary Club of Barbados

FAMILY HEALTH FAIR

Saturday 11 May, 2024
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Golden Square Freedom Park

<p>COMMUNITY RESOURCES</p> <p>Sagcor Life Inc. Ross University School of Medicine Bayview Hospital Group Pelican Market Supplies WIBISCO QEH Blood Collecting Centre The Barbados Cancer Society The Barbados Heart and Stroke Foundation The Maria Holder Diabetes Centre for the Caribbean Diabetes & Hypertension Association</p>	<p>FREE HEALTH SCREENINGS</p> <p>Height Weight Heart Rate Cholesterol Blood Sugar Oxygen Level Blood Pressure Respiratory Rate</p>	<p>KIDS ZONE</p> <p>Outdoor Games Interactive Games</p>	<p>MOVEMENT SESSION</p> <p>Dynamic Aerobics</p>
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Rotary

 Club of Barbados

62ND INSTALLATION

 OF OFFICERS

Save the date

JUNE

SUNDAY | 30 | AT 5 PM

2024

MAHOGANY RIDGE

 PLUM TREE ROAD, ST JAMES

 BARBADOS



OUR LEADERSHIP

YOUR DIRECTION IS

 MORE IMPORTANT

 THAN YOUR SPEED




 #RotaryShares #RotaryZones3334 #ElevateRotary

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Birthdays Rotarians
Rtn. Reuben Brathwaite – May 15th

Birthdays – Partners-in-Service
Mary Cozier – Rtn. Steve Cozier – May 10th
Kervin Francis – Pres. Ermine Darroux – May 11th

Wedding Anniversaries
None

Join Date Anniversary
None

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.



Bulletin Editor: PP Denise Antrobus