



# ROTA NEWS



Rotary Opens Opportunities

**R.I. Theme 2020-21**

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Shekhar Mehta

### RI Membership Committee 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**

### PATRON

HE Dame Sandra Mason, GCMG, DA.

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### DISTRICT OFFICERS

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**10TH DECEMBER 2020**

### Club Officers & Directors

#### President

Fiona Hinds

#### President Elect

Robin Ford

#### Vice President

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#### Treasurer

Meryl Stoute

#### Club Administration

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Adrian Skeete

#### International/Rotary Foundation

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#### Immediate Past President

Peter Williams

#### Sergeant-at-Arms

Randy Marshall

Weekly meetings on **Thursdays** at

**Hilton Barbados**

(Hybrid Meetings via Zoom from Aug 6, 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 our club will be having a Business meeting which also encompasses the club elections.

Our Greeters for today are Rtn. Neal Griffith & Rtn. Nigel Pierre.

Our Zoom meeting Moderator will be PDG David.

OUR GUESTS — Meeting Held On 3RD December 2020

- Theodore Isaac – Guest of PP. Brenda Pope
- Michael Mercer – Guest of Rtn. Neal Griffith
- Maya Kellman – Guest of Rtn. Neal Griffith

Visiting Rotarians:

- David Antrobus — Rotary Club of St. Maarten-Mid Isle
- PP Leah Craig-Chadderton – Rotary Club of St. Kitts

Housekeeping:

- Attendance — 55%.
- Fines Collected — \$120.00
- Raffle proceeds — \$83.10

The raffle was won by Rtn Neal Griffith.

**It's time to  
VOTE!**

Here a reminder of the list of nominated candidates up for election for the 2021-22 club Directors positions.

- ♦ Rtn. Barbara Trieloff-Deane
- ♦ PP. Carole Jn Marie
- ♦ PP. Stanley MacDonald
- ♦ Rtn. Anton Nicholls
- ♦ Dir. Arlene Ross
- ♦ Rtn. Savitri St. John



Club Meeting—3RD December 2020

The meeting was called to order at 12.30 p.m. It was a fellowship meeting.

Singing of the National Anthem was led by PP Jerry Ishmael. The toast was raised to Her Majesty the Queen.

Rotarians on Zoom joined Rotarians at the Hilton and said the grace.

Acting SAA PP Michael Browne invited visiting Rotarians and guests to introduce themselves.

President Fiona welcomed the guests and visiting Rotarians.

PE Robin was asked to provide an update on the Carols by Candlelight Show.

His highlights were as follows:

- An early show will also be held on Dec.15, as the early show on Dec. 14 was sold out.
- Only persons with tickets will be allowed into the Drive-in for any of the shows.
- Provision has been made for Rotarians who are working to park on the West side.
- The gates will be open at 4 p.m. however, Rotarians on duty are required to report at 3.30 p.m.
- All COVID protocols will be observed (i.e.) hand sanitizing, taking of temperatures and tracking details from drivers of vehicles.
- If asked, the public should be informed that they are going to watch a movie and not a live show.
- Rtn Neal Griffith and his team will be managing the gate and the parking.
- Rtn Winston Warren and his team will be responsible for cleaning the Drive-in.
- Rotarians desirous of assisting should contact Rtn Neal.
- Rosters will be circulated.





## Club Meeting—3rd December 2020 Continued

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

#### **Seniors**

- There will be no Senior Citizen's Xmas Party. Instead Rotarians were asked to donate gifts for the seniors. The gifts are being collected at Party Occasions in Sheraton, no later than December 6, 2020 for distribution starting on December 9th. (President Fiona apologized for the late notice).

#### **Sustainable Living**

Continued with establishment of a garden at 9.30 a.m. on Dec. 04, at St. Ambrose School.

Composting Project – Continued on December 05, 2020 at 8.30 am, with a session on building compost tumblers at the home of IPP Peter Williams.

Elections are to held on December 10th, 2020.

Christmas luncheon – December, 17, 2020.

Acting Sergeant-at-Arms then disciplined the Club.

The raffle was won by Rtn. Neal Griffith. He donated the prize to PP Leah Craig-Chadderton from the Rotary Club of St. Kitts.

(Pictured on the right)



#### **Other announcements:**

- Deadline for Project Elevate – Feb. 28, 2021. Each project will be displayed.
- Next breaking bread session is on Dec.05. Rotarians are invited to join the Rotaractors to feed the homeless and needy. PP Stanley can be contacted for further details.

The meeting was adjourned at 1.20 pm with a toast to Rotary International.

## Photos from the Garden Setup at St. Ambrose

### Primary on Friday 4th Dec, 2020



**Rotary Club of Barbados**

**VIRTUAL CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT**

WHERE THE JOY OF CHRISTMAS COMES TO LIFE!  
MONDAY DEC 14TH, 2020 AT 6PM & 9PM  
GLOBE DRIVE-IN, ONLY \$55 PER CAR  
CHILDREN'S GIFTS WILL BE COLLECTED AT GATE!

**Entrance by Ticket Only!**

 Blood	 RPB	 Alan Sheppard	 Joel Brooks	 Bit Bit
 G-Syndicate	 Paula Hinds	 Sundown Superhero	 Homer Parranderos Parang Band (T & T)	 Tamara Marshall
 Louise Woodvine Dance Academy	 The Groove	 Iza Vybe & Trumpetboy Entertainment	 Phoenix Steel	 Millennial Soundz

Purchase your Tickets EARLY from Members of the Rotary Club of Barbados, Emerald City Supermarket, Six Roads, Carlton & A-One Supermarket, Black Rock, Party Occasions, Sheraton Mall and A&B Music Supplies, Webster Park, Wildey. **No Glass Bottles Allowed!**

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Join the Rotary District 7030 Peace  
Committee as we celebrate and promote

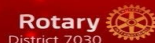
*Peace, Love & Joy  
at Christmas*

Tuesday 15th December 2020

at 07:00 to 08:00 p.m. AST

Featuring special presentation by PP Carlotta, Boadie Walcott,  
Psychotherapist, of the Rotary Club Stabroek, Guyana on  
Self-Care during the Covid 19 pandemic and at Christmas time.

Guest appearance by popular Comedian Errol Fabien.  
Other special vocal and musical performances.



Peace Committee

District Governor Lisle Chase will deliver a special holiday message to all attendees.

For more information go to:

<https://rotarydistrict7030.org/event/d7030-peace-building-committee--mental-health---depression>

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- ◆ Virtual Carols By Candlelight—14th Dec 2020
- ◆ Virtual Carols By Candlelight—Tue, Dec 15 - 6pm show only.
- ◆ Christmas Lunch—17th Dec 2020
- ◆ NO Weekly Meeting at Hilton — Thu, Dec 24th
- ◆ Fellowship Meeting—31st December, 2020

## Announcements

### Wedding Anniversary

- PP Paul Ashby & Gillian Applewhaite— 24 Yrs—14 Dec
- Sec. Ermine Darroux & Kevin Francis — 1 Yr — 14 Dec
- Hon. Rtn. Dr. Jeff Massy & Terry – 42 Yrs — 16 Dec

### Birthday - Rotarians

- PAG. Ivan Brown — Dec 12th
- Rtn. Jason Martin — Dec 12th
- Hon. Rtn. Dr. Jeff Massy — Dec 12th
- IPP Peter Williams — Dec 12th
- PP Lionel Moe — Dec 14th
- PP Tony Williams — Dec 15th

### Birthday - Partners-in-Service

- Amy Barrow — PP. Norman Barrow — Dec 16th

### Join Date Anniversary

- None this week

#### ROTARY GRACE

O Lord and giver of all things good

We thank Thee for our daily food

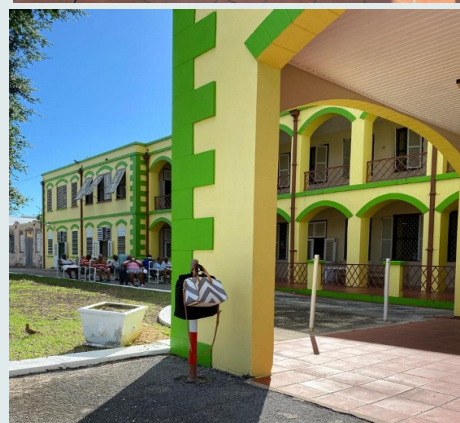
May Rotary friends and Rotary ways

Help us to serve Thee all our days.



A special visit was paid on December 8th by a few Rotarians to the Geriatric Hospital, in Beckles Road, St. Michael. During the visit donations were made on behalf of RCOB to the institution and some of the senior citizens were also treated to musical performances led by PHF Tamara Marshall.

A special thank you is extended to the participating club members as well as to those who made the day a memorable and rewarding one for the recipients and also to all those who contributed via donations. Similar musical visits were also paid to Almair Home - Dec 8; Gordon Cummins District Hospital—Dec 9, Vauxhall Seniors Home—Dec 9.



## 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.

*Bulletin Editor: Rtn. Carlos Depeiza*