



ROTA NEWS



**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

Rotary Club of Barbados

District 7030 - Club # 6798

Chartered March 07, 1962



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April 12, 2018

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R.I Theme 2017-18

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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?

Weekly meetings on **Thursdays** at

Hilton Barbados

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

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

www.clubrunner.ca/barbados

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS

WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

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

RI THEME: ROTARY MAKING A DIFFERENCE

APRIL—MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH MONTH

RECAP OF THURSDAY APRIL 5 2018 -BUSINESS MEETING

The day's business meeting was informative and full.

Our Community Service Director Rtn. Malcolm Vaughn informed the Club of the upcoming children's beach party which will be held on the 26th day of May at 10 am at Browne's Beach, St. Michael. Set up commences at 8:30 am and all Rotarians are asked to come out and assist both with the set up and the playing with the children in their various games and activities.



Further information will follow.

Full of her normal zest and zeal, Vocational Service Director Tracey Knight-Lloyd addressed the club on an exciting and innovative autism awareness program to be hosted by Capital Media HD 99.3 and RCOB entitled "Capital Media and Rotary Go Blue—shining the light on autism!".



This Theme is in keeping with the international theme for autism awareness and will run throughout the month of April which is designated Autism Awareness Month.

On April 16 between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm Rotarians will be making short free public service announcements on a range of topics dealing with autism—ranging from what is autism, language difficulty, social awkwardness, tantrums, diagnosis/support, intelligence, signs and symptoms and treatment. Please contact Director Tracey Knight-Lloyd to confirm your assistance.

Treasurer's Report and Report PP Ron

"is it the truth; is it fair to all concerned; will it build goodwill and better friendships; is it beneficial to all concerned"... with the words of the Four Way Test before us, we are reminded that paying our dues is a must.



Treasurer Joel Brathwaite gave an update as to the outstanding dues to date and reminded all members to ensure that their accounts are in good standing. The account statements are emailed to all members and you are encouraged to review same and settle all outstanding amounts as a priority.

PP Ron Davis, updated the Club on the state of the accounts for the Club's charities namely the Rotary Trust Fund which includes the Chain Link Fund, the Schoolhouse Fund and General Fund.



MEMBERSHIP

President Paul raised the issue of membership noting that only one new member was welcomed to the Club. He encouraged the Club to promote the Rotary Brand and encourage their friends and colleagues to join.



MEETING DETAILS — April 5, 2018

SAA Rtn. Chrispen Hackett

Attendance: 60.0%

Fines: \$190.00

Raffle Proceeds: nil

Raffle Winner: no raffle held!

Congrats were offered to the Rotaract Club of the University of the West Indies which is celebrating 10 years of services from its Charter date on April 9, 2008.

In congratulating the Rotaract Club, our Youth Service Director, Rtn. Makonem Hurley reminded our Club of the Handing Over Ceremony of the Rotaract Club of the University of the West Indies, Cave Hill Campus on Thursday April 19, 2018 from 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm. The ceremony will be in celebration of the 2017-18 Executive and Club activities and will also welcome the incoming 2018-19 Executive.

The Handover ceremony will be held at the Henry Fraser Lecture Theatre HFLT also known as the Medical Sciences Lecture Theatre MSLT at the Cave Hill Campus. Donations of \$50.00 will be accepted at the door and the dress code is semi-formal.

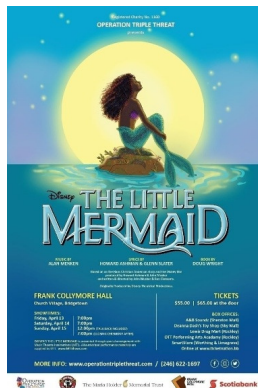
Director Makonem asked the Club to RSVP by replying by today Thursday April 12, 2018 by email.



OPERATION TRIPLE THREAT—THE LITTLE MERMAID

On Thursday April 5, we welcomed Mrs. Stacy Choate of Operation Triple Threat. Mrs. Choate has been a previous guest speaker and on Thursday spoke to the Club of the upcoming OTT Broadway styled presentation entitled the Little Mermaid, a duly authorized Disney Broadway production featuring a local cast. The show features a Charity night. Mrs. Choate in her address noted the importance of the funds raised in helping finance deserving children in careers in the theatre

**SHOW TIMES ARE FRIDAY APRIL 13 - 7 PM;
SATURDAY APRIL 14 - 7 PM AND
SUNDAY APRIL 15 FOR TWO SHOWS:
MATINEE 12 NOON AND EVENING 7 PM**



P.E.T.S ASSEMBLY AND DISTRICT CONFERENCE 7030 SURINAME: APRIL 25—28, 2018

With just 12 days to go to our annual district conference you are each encouraged to register and take part in what promises to be an exciting and educational conference in Paramaribo, Suriname.



Rotary
District 7030



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PETS, ASSEMBLY & CONFERENCE SURINAME 2018, 25 - 28 APRIL

What is a Rotarian?

As PDG David continues to celebrate his 40 years as a Rotarian, the question must be asked what is a Rotarian. An easy answer is PDG David as is seen in the many accolades commending his years in Rotary.

A more detailed answer is a Rotarian is a person who believes in service above self; helps persons he or she will never meet; gets things done in the community; forms friendships with other members of the Rotary Community and finally "is a problem solver who sees a world where people unite and take action to create lasting change— across the globe, in our communities and in ourselves".

A Rotarian is a person of action who uses his/her passion, energy and intelligence to take action on sustainable projects. WE ARE ALL ROTARIANS AND TOGETHER WILL CONTINUE TO BE A PEOPLE OF ACTION FOR THE GREATER GOOD OF OUR COMMUNITIES AND CONTINUE TO FORGE FRIENDSHIPS IN THE WAY OF PDG DAVID.



APRIL—MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH MONTH
Activities for April

- APRIL 19** **HANDOVER CEREMONY**
ROTARACT CLUB OF U.W.I
7:00 PM TO 10:00 PM
- APRIL 16** **PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT**
CAPITAL MEDIA AND ROTARY GO BLUE
SHINING THE LIGHT ON AUTISM
VENUE: CAPITAL MEDIA HD 99.3
10:00 AM TO 2:00 PM
- APRIL 25—28:** **DISTRICT 7030 P.E.T.S AND DISTRICT**
CONFERENCE
SURINAME

For Online registration see www.districtconference7030.com

GREETERS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

- April 12** **PEE Peter Williams and Rtn. Sanjay**
Amin
- April 19** **Rtn. Ron Williams and PP Richard**
Blanchette
- April 26** **Rtn. Heather Tull and Rtn. Kim**
Tudor

Announcements

Wedding Anniversary

- Rtn. Alex Whitehead and
Paige Whitehead 3 years April 12, 2015
- Rtn. Sanjay Amin and
Usha Amin 29 years April 13, 1989

Birthday - Rotarians

- Hon. Rtn. Frere Delmas April 13

Birthday - Partners in Service

None this week

Join Date Anniversary

None this week

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no matter how small
IS EVER WASTED

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OUR GUESTS—April 5, 2018

VISTING ROTARIANS: None today

GUESTS:

Rotaractor Haylee Shaw—guest of Rtn. Anthony Shaw
Stacy Choate - Guest of PE Shawn
Richard Jordan - Guest of Rtn. Chrispen Hackett
Graeme Brathwaite - Guest of Treasurer Joel Brathwaite

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.

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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