



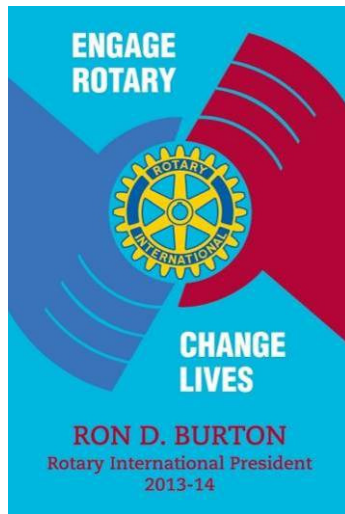
ROTA NEWS

June 12, 2014

Rotary Club of Barbados, Barbados

Chartered March 07, 1962

District 7030



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Officers

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Ron Burton

President Elect
Gary C.K. Huang



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Alexander McDonald

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

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS TO THIS WEEKLY MEETING

IN MEMORIAM

Alison Saunders -June 10

Last night our dear dad Rev. Philip Saunders passed away peacefully at the age of 91. He was a wonderful father to Angela Gaskin and me, while still tirelessly serving God and his fellow man. We give God thanks for his life.

Reverend Philip with Past President Orville at our Lunch Meeting on April 10, 2014, his 91st Birthday.



Rev. Philip was born in British Guyana and served as a Methodist Minister throughout the Caribbean. He joined the Rotary Club of Barbados on Dec 12 1990 in the Presidency of Orville Durant. He recently celebrated his 91st Birthday with us on Thursday, April 10 2014.

Rev Philip will be especially fondly remembered for his year as Sergeant at Arms when he was re-christened "Philip the More" as he extracted a high level of fines in his year-1995/96.

He was the long serving chairman of our Drug Awareness Programme from 1993-2007. Also he led the prayers on many of our club events including Installations – the Senior Citizen Party at Government House and Pride of Workmanship Awards Dinners, where he moved away from the Rotary Grace and would lead us as the Spirit moved Him to guide us.

He was married to Marjorie and they celebrated their 58th Wedding Anniversary on May 26th.

He was recently recognised by Rev Canon Paul, along with Sir Frank Blackman and Dr John Mayers as one of the "Elderly" who, on Thursdays, would generally be found sitting near the door. However, I was emphatically informed that it was not the "Scooters Table."

For his contribution to the community and Rotary he was recognised with a Paul Harris Fellowship Award in 2000 by President Stephen G. Brathwaite.

May he Rest In Peace!

The Funeral Service of Rotarian Reverend Philip Saunders will take place on Friday June 13th from 10:00 a.m. at The James Street Methodist Church.

Last Week was a Business Meeting where the Directors and Officers gave an update on the State of the Club.

COMMUNITY SERVICE – Shawn Franklin

The Children Homes Committee hosted a beach picnic for the children from the Child Care Board (CCB) Homes at Browne's Beach on Saturday, 31 May 2014. The aim of the event was to celebrate Child Month 2014 while providing the opportunity for Rotarians, CCB officers, staff and the children to meet for social interaction and fellowship at the beach. The event was a success.

Meeting Details

Thursday, June 05, 2014

Sergeant-At-Arms: PE Alex

- Attendance - 60%
- Raffle - \$117.00
- Fines - \$194.00

COMMUNITY SERVICE CON'T– Shawn Franklin

Approximately 150 children and CCB staff attended the event where they enjoyed activities which included beach football, tug-o-war and boat rides complements of Barbados Blue Dive Shop.

This month the Children's Home Committee has also launched its "Transitions" program. The aim of this program is to work closely with the recent alumni of the Children's Homes and those approaching that age to assist in a smoother transition into the potentially traumatic world of Adulthood. The committee will be calling on various members of the club from time to time for assistance in training, job placement or mentorship.

VOCATIONAL SERVICE – Jedder Robinson

PARISH SIGNS PROJECT

The sample sign that was prepared by one of the workers at the Ministry of Transport and Works was returned to one of the technicians to effect the changes that were suggested by the members of the Club.

The material that is required to make the signs is available locally but is very expensive. Negotiations are ongoing with the technician to source the material from overseas at a very reasonable cost.

ROTARY DISPLAY

During the month of May 2014 the Club was unable to effect the Exhibition at Carlton Supermarket. However the two signs with Rotary's projects were displayed.

CLUB SERVICE – H. Waldo Clarke

Attendance – low 60%, Fines are an average of \$200.00.

Rotarian Annie gave her Classification talk on May 15 and PDG David reminded members of the need to contribute to the Rotary Foundation. This could be achieved through the EREY. He offered to assist members in setting up their Profiles.

It was reported that the President's Party on May 10 was an enjoyable event.

On May 22, 2014 Mr. Stephen O'Malley Resident Coordinator of The United Nations Development Program (UNDP) gave a briefing to club. On May 29, 2014 we received a presentation from Mr. Peter Boos on "Regaining Paradise". This was extensively covered in the media.

The ongoing improvement in the production and distribution of the Rota News was commended.

HUANG SETS GOAL OF INCREASING MEMBERSHIP

Members of Burton's Rotary Club of Norman, Oklahoma, United States, and RI President-elect Gary C.K. Huang's club of Taipei, Taiwan, took the stage to exchange club banners, a tradition that unofficially marks a changing of the guard.

Huang will become Rotary International president on 1 July. During his term in office, he has set a goal of growing Rotary's membership to 1.3 million. Huang told the audience that increasing and sustaining membership will help Rotary achieve its goals. He shared a story about a small Taiwanese club that had only six members. But after asking their wives to join, the club grew to 29 members in three years because the spouses asked their friends to become members as well.

"I want to remind everyone that sometimes getting a new member is as easy as asking," said Huang, whose wife, Corinna, became a member in July. "It made perfect sense. She was a great match for Rotary. Corinna enjoyed it so much that our three children joined Rotary as well. They have been around Rotary their whole lives. They did not need to be convinced. It was a natural step for them," said Huang.

Huang, whose presidential theme for 2014-15 is Light Up Rotary, also encouraged members to conduct Rotary Days throughout the year to help the community become more familiar with Rotary's work.

"It can be a day to educate your community about polio, it can be a service project, or a celebration. Just make sure to invite the public, your families, and friends," he said. "Show your community what you do, both locally and internationally. Make sure your community knows that Rotary is there, that Rotary is active, Rotary is fun, and it is doing good work."

Huang gave attendees three words to guide them this year: hand, head, and heart. "Use your hand to help, use your head to make sure you are helping in the right place, and use your heart to make it sincere. Without your heart, nothing else matters."

Source: Ryan Hyland, Rotary International

THE TEXT OF THE 2013-14 PRESIDENT-ELECT'S KEYNOTE SPEECH PRESENTED BY GARY C.K. HUANG AT THE ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA ON 4 JUNE 2014 CAN BE FOUND AT - <https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/document/147146>

UPCOMING EVENTS

June 19 – Special Meeting

June 26 – Classification Talk – Nicholle Manz-Baazaoui

Installation Night – July 12

GREETERS

June 12 – PP John Cabral and David Walker

June 19 – PP Tony Williams and Sec Paul

June 26 – Nicholas Waithe & Trevor Whitehall

GUESTS

George Stanfield, GM Hilton Barbados -

Director Shawn Franklin

Hadley Alleyne - Winston Warren

Maxwell Hampshire - Florida USA, - Winston Warren

HELP US NAME THE ROTARY FOUNDATION CENTENNIAL BOOK - [Rotary International](#)

Rotary has commissioned Rotarian and author David Forward to write the history of The [#Rotary](#) Foundation to celebrate its centennial in 2016-17.

From now through 15 June vote at <http://ow.ly/wLeCg> for one of four selected titles or submit your own for a chance to win a trip to the 2017 Rotary Convention in Atlanta or a free copy of the book.

History fact and [#tbt](#): At the 1980 Rotary convention in Chicago, Dr. Albert Sabin told Rotarians of the need for "community campaigns for mass vaccination of all children under four or five years of age" to eradicate [#polio](#).

In this photo from Rotary's archives, Sabin and 1984-85 RI President Carlos Canseco appear at a press conference to announce the launch of Polio 2005 (PolioPlus) in 1985.

VISITING ROTARIANS

President Peter Thompson - Rotary Club of Barbados - South

Robert Chase – Rotary Club of Barbados - 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.

Announcements

Wedding Anniversaries

Director Shawn and Cheryl Franklin	June 14
Donald and Molly Austin	June 15
Past President Richard and Dr. Margaret Blanchette	June 16
Steve and Mary Cozier	June 17

Birthdays - Rotarians

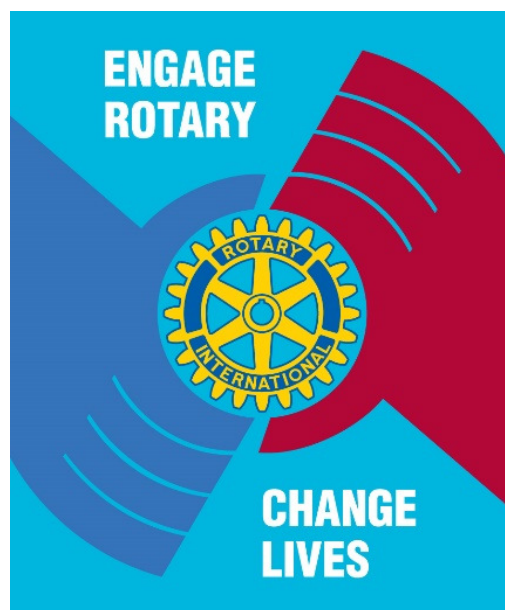
Michael W. Browne	June 15
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Birthdays - Partners in Service

Dr. Deanne J. Ford – Robin	June 15
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Join Date Anniversaries

None this week!



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