

ROTANEWS



District 7030 - Club#6798 Chartered March 07, 1962

R.I. OFFICERS

President Jennifer Jones

President ElectGordon R. McInally



Is it the truth?

Is it fair to all concerned?

Will it build goodwill and better friendships?

Will it be beneficial to all concerned?



PATRON

HE The Most Honorable Dame Sandra Mason, FB, GCMG, DA. QC.

President of Barbados

DISTRICT OFFICERS

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District Governor Nominee Debbie Roopchand

Assistant Governor Peter Thompson

District Secretary Alana Wilson

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District Rotary Foundation Officer PDG Waddy Sowma

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District TRF Fundraising Chair PDG Roger Bose

District Conference Chair Richard Strachan



October 13th, 2022

Club Officers & Directors

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Jamella Forde

Treasurer

Peter Williams

Club Administration

Savitri St John

Membership/Youth Service

Barbara Trieloff-Deane

Public Relations

Keri Mapp

Community Service

Anton Nicholls

International/Rotary Foundation

Carole JnMarie

Immediate Past President

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Sergeant-at-Arms

Randy Marshall

Club Weekly Meetings Thursdays at 12.30 pm Hilton Barbados

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The Rotary Club of Barbados welcomes all visiting Rotarians and Guests



Today, Thursday October 13th, is the 'Pride of Workmanship' dinner, which commences at 6:00 p.m. at the Sandals Royal Barbados.

Our greeters today are: PDG David Edwards and PP Oliver Jordan

Guests
Ted Isaac – PP Brenda Pope Kevin Gill – Rtn. Neal Griffith Michelle Sutherland – PP Neil Owen Michael Jordan – Rtn. Karen Cole

PP Sheila Tallon – RC Cornwall Sunrise, Canada Rtn. Sharyn Duffey – RC Cornwall Sunrise, Canada PP Neil Owen - Rotary Club of St. Kitts

None

Attendance – 35 pct

The raffle prize was presented by Pres Tracey to PP Sheila Tallon, a visiting Rotarian who was celebrating her birthday. The raffle raised BBD 112.00

Fines collected BBD 169.00

Staycation for 2 at the Sands Hotel auctioned by Sarge Vic. Sold to PP Paul Ashby

Our next scheduled meeting will be a Fellowship Meeting, to be held on October 20th, 2022, which commences at 12:30 p.m. at the Hilton Hotel.

Our scheduled greeters will be PP Vic Fernandes and Rtn. Davina Layne.

Summary of the RCOB Meeting Held on October 6th, 2022

Summary of Directors Reports

President's Report

The Board met virtually with the DG who was very complimentary of the Club's Programme and performance to date. He advised focus on:

- Polio Plus
- **Rotary Branding**
- Childhood obesity
- Environment
- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion (DEI)

The DG complimented the members who participated in the Learning Programme.

Director Community Service - Anton Nicholls

Reminded of the POW Awards Dinner, October 13, 2022, at Sandals Royal Barbados Hotel and invited Chair of the Committee. Rtn. Meryl Stoute to update the club.

- Members to be seated by 6.00 pm.
- Start time 6.45 pm.
- 15 tables sold to Corporate Barbados.
- Three Awards to be given + a plaque to Marina
- Members intending to attend to register by Monday October 10, 2022.
- Registration fee \$150.00 per person.

Director Club Administration - Savitri St. John

- Attendance for September 64.16%.
- 26 Rotarians with 100% attendance.
- Club Manual in preparation by PP Peter Williams.
- **Upcoming Guest Speakers**
 - Amb. Gabriel Abed "Metaverse"
 - TBA "Climate Change"
 - Fellowship Event October 22, 2022, Games and Karaoke at School House for Special Needs. Contribution \$65.00.

<u>Director Youth Service – Barbara Trieloff-Deane</u>

Prioritise Youth Programmes based on ideas from Breakout Session at Club Forum.

- **Education and Literacy**
- Mentoring support in basic skills
- Youth at Risk Programme (YES)
- Financial Literacy
- Environmental sustainability
- Leverage Stem for early teens

Director Public Relations – Rtn. Jamella for Dir. Keri **Mapp**

- Very good social media performance on Instagram and Facebook
- Media Presence via Nation Newspaper, Barbados Today, Advocate of Beach, re Presidents Installation, Beach Clean-up.

- Flyer issued for Carols by Candlelight December 11th, 2022.
- Tickets being issued to members.
- School Signs video and Social Media Promo.

Director International Service - PP Carol JnMarie (Assisted by PP Brenda)

- Reminder District Conference Grenada 13-15 April 2023.
- Hoping for registration of 20 persons (min)
- Reminder International Convention, Australia 27 31 May 2023.
- Importance of early applications for Visas.
- Rotary Minute to be presented by Roster in alphabetical order
- Rotarians encouraged to prepare their personal Rotary Minute.
- Model United Nations (MUN) planning is taking place. More info to come.

Treasurer's Report - PP Peter Williams

- PP David Antrobus, to provide an update on Polio Plans. A public outreach campaign to be organized as polio is re-occurring in the Americas.
- RCOB account is healthy.
- 70% dues collected.
- Treasurer's preference is for online payments.

For the complete board report, please click on the link below: https://clubrunner.blob.core.windows.net/00000007241/enca/files/homepage/board-september-2022-report/RCOB-Board-Reports---September-2022.pdf

ROTARY/FOUNDATION INTERNATIONAL MINUTE

Rotarians understand that the whole world is their backyard! They can see the effects of climate change in communities they care about — and are tackling the problem the way they always do: coming up with projects, using connections to change policy — and planning for the future.

We continue looking at "Drawdown: The Most Comprehensive Plan Ever Proposed to Reverse Global Warming," which ranked solutions from 1 to 80 based on their potential to avert or reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Regenerative agriculture practices include avoiding the use of plows to keep from disturbing the soil; planting a diverse array of cover crops; and limiting or abstaining from pesticides and synthetic fertilizers. These methods boost the amount of organic matter — carbon — in the soil, improving its health and that of the plants growing in it.

By reducing the need for fertilizer, regenerative agriculture can help cut carbon in the atmosphere while increasing farmers' production.

Forty people from Meihua village, Taiwan, were trained in organic farming techniques through a global grant project of the Rotary clubs of Taipei Lungmen, Taiwan, and Patumwan, Thailand.

The effort, carried out in partnership with the *Organic* Farming Association of Taiwan, included creating a training facility and providing internships at organic farms. Organizers expected that growing without pesticides would lower farming costs and that selling organic vegetables at a premium price would improve villagers' earnings.



UPCOMING EVENTS

* Building the Brand Called YOU October 3rd - November 25th *October 15th - YES Programme *October 20th - RCOB Polio Activity *October 22nd - YES Programme *October 22nd - Movie, Games & Karaoke Night *October 24th - World Polio Day *October 27th - RCOB Meeting *October 29th - YES Programme *December 11th - Carols by Candlelight

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*October 15th - Dollar Drive - Sheraton Mall *October 22th - Dollar Drive - Carlton Supermarket & Sky Mall *October 29th - Dollar Drive - Location to be confirmed

> DISTRICT 7030 EVENTS None



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SIGN UP!

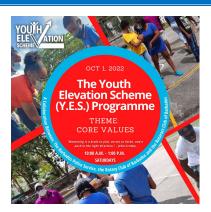
It's that time of year again!

The Building the Brand Called YOU will

This year we will be hosting the

- porgramme at:

 Deighton Griffith Secondary School
 The Lodge School
 St. Michael School









It's baaaaccckkkk..... 🐑 🐑

The EarlyAct Helping Hands Club of Wills Primary School will be holding their 'House to House Costume Event' on November 5th (the first one since 2019). In the coming days and weeks, we'll be reaching out for volunteers for parking and general help. This year, the Rotaractors will have their own Pokémon themed station. Let's support! Tickets are now on sale so please share the flyer with your friends and family and let's make this an epic event. Box Offices: iMart Sheraton Mall, iMart Lanterns at Hastings, iMart Haggatt Hall, iMart The Walk Welches and Wills Primary School Office. Proceeds go to The Precious Touch Foundation.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Wedding Anniversaries

PP John Cabral & Jeanette – 34 yrs – Oct 15th Rtn. Adrian Skeete & Harriette - 17 yrs – Oct 15th

Birthdays Rotarians None

<u>Birthdays – Partners-in-Service</u> Jennifer Williams – PP Peter Williams – Oct 19th

Join Date Anniversary None

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.

Bulletin Editor: PP Denise Antrobus

