

ROTA NEWS

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Rotary Club of Barbados, Barbados

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District 7030



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District Secretary

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District Treasurer

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Wilbert Kirton

International Service Director

Carol Belgrave

New Generations Director

Waldo Clarke

Immediate Past President

Erskine Thompson

Sergeant-At-Arms

Stanley MacDonald

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 FRIENDSHIP?
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.rotarybarbados.org

President's Message



Fellow Rotarians, I am honoured that you have given me the opportunity to lead the club in such a historic year as this - our 50th year of existence. I hope that by my actions and deeds I will live up to the examples set by the distinguished roll of past presidents who have served this Club before me.

As I said in my installation address, the tenets around which I plan to conduct my programme of activities in this our 50th year are based on the things that RI itself suggests are the ingredients which are key to being a successful Rotary Club namely:

- Sustaining and increasing our membership
- Conducting successful Community Service Projects
- Supporting the Rotary Foundation and its programmes
- Developing leaders at club level and beyond.

In doing the above I will specifically reach out to the "hidden weapon" of Rotary - namely the partners in service.

Over the course of the next few weeks the board and I will be sharing our activities and plans for the year including my President's project. Most importantly, I hope to inspire us all to live the words of the theme from Rotary International President Kalyan Banerjee, as we **"Reach within to embrace humanity"** at all levels ...

- ... internationally - by donating to RI for use in its programmes including Polio Plus thereby allowing us to meet the Bill Gates Challenge and finally eradicate polio from our planet;
- ... regionally -. by supporting DG Lara's vision around family, the environment, continuity and the foundation;
- ... locally - by supporting and participating fully in the numerous activities planned to celebrate our 50th anniversary milestone, thereby allowing us to provide even greater benefits to our Barbadian society;
- ... personally - by recommitting to live according to the central philosophy which inspired us to join Rotary in the first place, namely ... "Service above Self".

Rotarians, let us remember, the Greek proverb:

'A civilization flourishes when people plant trees under which they will never sit'.

- Let us plant the trees! Both literally and figuratively.

YIR

Brenda Pope

Rotary International President



My dear brothers and sisters in Rotary!

All of us in Rotary are looking to change the world – why else would we be Rotarians? We believe that our world can be happier, healthier, and more peaceful, and that we can create that better world through our service.

In 2011-12, I will ask Rotarians to **Reach Within to Embrace Humanity**. I will ask you to search first within yourselves, to understand that all of us, everywhere, have the same dreams, the same hopes, the same aspirations, and similar dilemmas. When we understand, and truly feel, that others' needs are the same as our own, we begin to understand how important our work is. In the year ahead, we will have three emphases in our Rotary service.

Our first emphasis in this Rotary year will be the family. The family and the home are at the core of all our work – all our service begins here. And through the family, we approach all of our community and indeed, all of humanity, as an extended family, in which all members care for each other. In times of joy and in times of need, no one is ever alone.

Our second emphasis will be continuity – finding the things we do well and taking them to the next level. We must build on our successes, expand on them, and strive to do even more. Of course, our greatest obligation is to PolioPlus, where success is now so close.

And our third emphasis will be change. We must understand that true change can only begin with each of us, and start within us. We cannot share peace with others if we do not have it to give. We cannot look after the whole world without first looking after those closest to us: our families, our clubs, and our communities.

Mohandas K. Gandhi said, “You must be the change you wish to see in the world.” In Rotary, we endeavor to live ethically and honestly, to share friendship and fellowship, to see equal worth in every human being. We are not interested in the lowest common denominator, for Rotary is anything but common. Instead, we work to elevate ourselves, elevate others, and thereby embrace the world.

Together, we will **Reach Within to Embrace Humanity**. And in peace, harmony, and friendship, we will bring change – and a more joyful world.

Kalyan Banerjee
President, Rotary International

Meet Our New District Governor Lara Quentrall-Thomas



Lara Quentrall-Thomas is the founder and CEO of **Regency Recruitment Limited**. In addition to recruitment and HR, she facilitates training workshops and lectures on career, interview and resume preparation. A frequent media guest, Lara is regularly called on to speak about employment related issues.

Her education includes an MBA from Henley School of Management and degree in Business and Tourism Management from the University of the West of England.

She has held many Rotary positions including Club President, GSE Team Leader and District Rotaract Chair. DG Lara is also a major contributor to The Rotary Foundation.

Annual Dinner 49th Installation of Officers Ceremony



Rotarian Paul and Partner in Service



Rotarian Jomo and partner in service



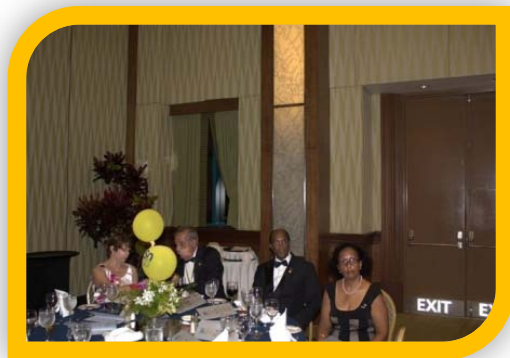
PDG David and Rotarian Waldo Gazing on



Rotarian Joe capturing the moment



PP Algie proposing a toast



PP Bobbie taking in the proceedings





President Brenda's Family



Partner in Service Donna looking delightful



PP Andrew Bynoe being very attentive



Rotarian Sophie having a laugh



Taking a look at the Programme



President Brenda receiving her pin from DG Lara



Rotarian Heather receiving her Award



PP Erskine receiving his pin



Rotarian Willie receiving his pin



Secretary Jomo receiving his pin

Rotary Club of Barbados Committees – 2011/2012

Club Service Committee:

Director – Jedder Robinson

Deputy Director –

Shawn Franklin

Attendance Subcommittee:

Paul Ashby

Roy Smith

Clifford Clarke

Tony Williams

Club Bulletin Subcommittee:

Kim Tudor

Lionel Moe

Sanjay Amin

Michael Browne

Adrian Sealy

Sophie Richer

Algie Leacock

Fellowship Subcommittee:

Jerome Ishmael

Sanjay Amin

Shawn Franklin

Ron Davis

John Mackenzie

Nicholas Waithe

O'Reilly Lewis

John Cabral

Orville Durant

Trevor Fields

Marie Theodore

Rotary Information and

Classification Subcommittee:

Lionel Moe

David Edwards

Erskine Thompson

Bill Highton

Tony Watkins

Elvin Sealy

Heather Tull

Guest Speakers & Classification

Talks Subcommittee:

Sophie Richer

Stanley MacDonald

Andrew Mallalieu

Anthony Shaw

Vic Fernandes

John Mayers

Peter Williams

Public Relations Subcommittee:

Angela Carter

Vic Fernandes

Lars Soderstrom

Tony Reece

Steve Brathwaite

John Grace

Fund Raising Subcommittee:

Tony Williams

Brenda Pope

Ron Davis

Berkeley Blades

Norman Barrow

Andrew Mallalieu

Andrew Bynoe

David Edwards

Jerry Ishmael

Vic Fernandes

Adrian Sealy

Ronald Williams

Algernon Leacock

John Cabral

Allan Cruikshank

William Tomlin

Peter Hermant

Ex officio (board)

Website Maintenance &

Information Subcommittee:

Steve Cozier

Brian Cole

Robin Ford

Marie Theodore

Donald Austin

Alex McDonald

Neil Owen

Sergeant-at-Arms Subcommittee:

Stanley MacDonald

Alex MacDonald

Joel McCarthy

Vocational Service Committee:

Director - Heather Tull

Deputy Director – O'Reilly Lewis

Vocational Subcommittee:

Scott Oran

Nicholas Waithe

O'Reilly Lewis

Anthony Shaw

Algie Leacock

Peter Williams

Paul Ashby

Tony Reece

Steve Brathwaite

Randall Goddard

John Mayers

Phillip Sattaur

Community Service Committee:

Director - Wilbert Kirton

Deputy Director – Elvin Sealy

Children's Homes Subcommittee:

Shawn Franklin

Ronald Williams

Joel Brathwaite

Berkeley Blades

Donna King-Brathwaite

Clifford Clarke

Jerry Ishmael

Dwight Sutherland

Trevor Fields

Marie Theodore

Freddy Hart

David Walker

Drug Awareness Subcommittee:

Adrian Sealy

Ronald Ramsay

Trevor Whitehall

John Grace

Philip Saunders

Peter Williams
Joel Brathwaite
Norman Barrow
Patrick Hinds
William Tomlin
Carol Belgrave
Ron Davis

***Donations/Investigation
Subcommittee:***

Joseph Johnson
Curtis Goodridge
Ronald Ramsay
Jedder Robinson
David Edwards
Ronnie Carter
Neville Smith
Paul Lashley

Environment Subcommittee:

John Mackenzie
Donna King-Brathwaite
Dwight Sutherland
Tony Reece
Adrian Sealy
Ronald Williams
Joel Brathwaite
Trevor Whitehall
Berkeley Blades
Lars Soderstrom
David Walker

***Challenged/Senior Citizens
Subcommittee:***

Donna King-Brathwaite
Peter Williams
Horace King
Jedder Robinson
Dwight Sutherland
John Grace
Orville Durant
Brian Cole
Kim Tudor
Donald Austin
Richard Blanchette
Trevor Carmichael
Randall Goddard

Safety & CPR Subcommittee:

Clifford Clarke
Erskine Thompson
Adrian Sealy
Horace King
Paul Lashley

New Generations Committee:

Director - Waldo Clarke
**Deputy Director - Stanley
MacDonald**

Rotaract Subcommittee:

Paul Ashby
John Mackenzie
Shawn Franklin
Elvin Sealy
Nicholas Waithe
O'Reilly Lewis
Erskine Thompson

Interact Subcommittee:

Marie Theodore
Michael Browne
Ronald Williams
Stanley MacDonald
Carol Belgrave
Tony Williams

RYLA/MUNA Subcommittee:

Roger Smith
Scott Oran
Erskine Thompson
Joel McCarthy

International Service Committee:

Director - Carol Belgrave
Deputy Director -Michael Browne

***International Service
Subcommittee:***

Carol Belgrave
Algernon Leacock
Joseph Johnson
Robin Ford
Tony Reece
O'Reilly Lewis

Orville Durant
Peter Hermant
Andrew Bynoe
Wilbert Kirton

Rotary Foundation Subcommittee:

Grenville Phillips
David Edwards
Tony Watkins
Kim Tudor
Roy Smith
Roger Smith
Trevor Carmichael

Other Committees

History & Archives Subcommittee:

Tony Watkins
Berkeley Blades
Nicholas Waithe
Richard Blanchette
Neil Owen
Paul Foster

***Rotary Trust for Community
Projects Subcommittee:***

Brenda Pope
Tony Williams
Erskine Thompson
Grenville Phillips
Anthony Shaw
Chief Welfare Officer

50th Anniversary Subcommittee:

Bobby Morris
Sophie Richer
Erskine Thompson
Orville Durant
David Edwards
Jerome Ishmael
Tony Watkins
John Cabral
Heather Tull
Nicholas Waithe
Ex officio (all other directors)

MEETING SCHEDULE

Thursday, July 14th

- Business Meeting

Thursday, July 21st

- Special Business Meeting – Plans & Programmes – 2011 – 2012

Thursday, July 28th

- Fellowship Meeting –Special Guest Speaker

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Club Anniversary

Ronald Ramsay July 13

Wedding Anniversary

Ronald and Suzanne Davis July 1

Stanley and Harriet MacDonald July 1

Harcourt and Claudette Lewis July 1

Peter and Kathleen Hermant July 7

Joseph and Jenifer Johnson July 8

Birthdays

Jeanette Cabral (John) July 3

Elizabeth Cole (Brian) July 6

Robert Morris July 7

Donna Clarke (Waldo) July 10

Donna Marie Cruikshank (Allan) July 12

GREETERS ROSTER

UPCOMING EVENTS

Membership and Extension Month –

- Wednesday, August 3rd, 2011 - 2nd Board Meeting - Review Strategic and Communication plan

QUOTATION

Let us not be satisfied with just giving money. Money is not enough, money can be got, but they need your hearts to love them. So, spread your love everywhere you go.

Mother Teresa

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
Kim Tudor



Reach Within to Embrace Humanity