



ROTA NEWS



**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

February 15, 2018

Rotary Club of Barbados



District 7030 - Club # 6798

Chartered March 07, 1962

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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

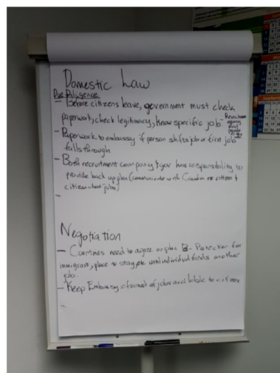
THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

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

**RI THEME: ROTARY MAKING A DIFFERENCE
FEBRUARY—**

RECAP OF THURSDAY FEB 8

MUN continued at the United Nations House each Saturday. The Theme this year is Human Trafficking. Thus far the sessions have been engaging and dynamic. Both students and Rotary attendees were enlightened on the theme of Human Rights as it is a topical theme with global consequences.



THURSDAY'S MEETING —RECAP

At our Thursday meeting we heard from President of Rotaract Club of U.W.I, Misty Marin who updated the Club on the many activities which the Rotaract Club of UWI both in their drive for fellowship and in their fund raising. Rotaractor Misty and her team were met with high praise from President Paul who noted that together with Rotaract Club of Barbados, the Rotaractors continue to grow from strength to strength both in numbers and the quality of their activities.



Right: President of the Rotaract Club of UWI Misty Marin as she addresses the Club



Rotaractor Misty outlined the following as some of the many activities to date:

- a cultural potluck in which the Rotaractors are able to have fellowship with each other while sharing aspects of their varied and diverse cultures
- Breast cancer walk
- Collaborative projects with Rotaract Club of Barbados and other service organizations at the Cave Hill Campus
- Seminar on Feb. 22 entitled "How to Successfully Effect and Manage Change". This is the Club's Second Annual CEO Forum

Also on Thursday, PP Carol Eleuthere Jn-Baptiste presented the Rotary moment.

In her moment, PP Carole used the opportunity to share with the Club her experiences while a member of the Rotary Club in St. Lucia. In particular, she noted the program in which they nominated and sponsored four troubled children with a view to guiding and inspiring them to self-improvement.



PP Carole found this program to be both moving and inspirational and in particular beneficial to the children, who following the programme continued to be appreciative of the help received.

An interesting Rotary moment which reminded us of the purpose of Rotary.

During the Rotary Minute the Club paid close attention to PP Carole as shown in this picture.



PP Vic was our Raffle winner and proudly and under the careful eagle eye of PP Carole presented the Raffle prize to our Rotaractor President Misty Marin Smiles all around!



MEETING DETAILS— Feb. 8 2018

SAA Chrispen Hackett

Attendance:: 59.0%

Fines: \$189.00

Raffle Proceeds \$66.00

Raffle Winner : PP Vic Fernandes

UPDATE RE: ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

TORONTO, CANADA

JUNE 23—JUNE 27
2018

Online registration

Register by 31 March to take advantage of the pre-registration discount

ROTARY CONVENTION
TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA
23-27 JUNE 2018



**DISTRICT 7030 P.E.T.S AND CONFERENCE 2018—
SURINAME**
**SEE WWW.DISTRICTCONFERENCE7030.COM TO
REGISTER**



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL NEWS 2018-19 PRESIDENTIAL THEME: BE THE INSPIRATION!

L.E.A.P— love, energy/enthusiasm, audacious and proof was the acronym introduced by RIPE Barry Rassin at his address to Rotarians.

In this address, R.I.P.E Barry advised Rotarians that they should “engage in Love - embracing Rotarians and their families and the community, remembering always that Rotarians are the engine of Rotary and should be treated with respect and given the tools to do their work; Bring Energy and enthusiasm to the table as these elements are essential if they are to inspire; he also called on them to be Audacious and to believe that nothing is impossible; and finally show Proof - Lead by example. He referred to this as the LEAP to leadership. Rotarians are leaders. Strong, knowledgeable and fair leadership is critical to attracting and maintaining quality members in Rotary.”



UPCOMING S.T.E.M AT UWI CAVEHILL

Rotarian Baron Ford has reminded the Club of the upcoming S.T.E.M conference [Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics) at the University of the West Indies Cave Hill Campus from March 12 through to March 15, 2018.

For these days volunteers from the Club are required to assist in the Conference.

All persons interested in volunteering are asked to contact Rtn. Baron who will advise the Club further closer to the dates.

OUR GUEST SPEAKER TODAY:

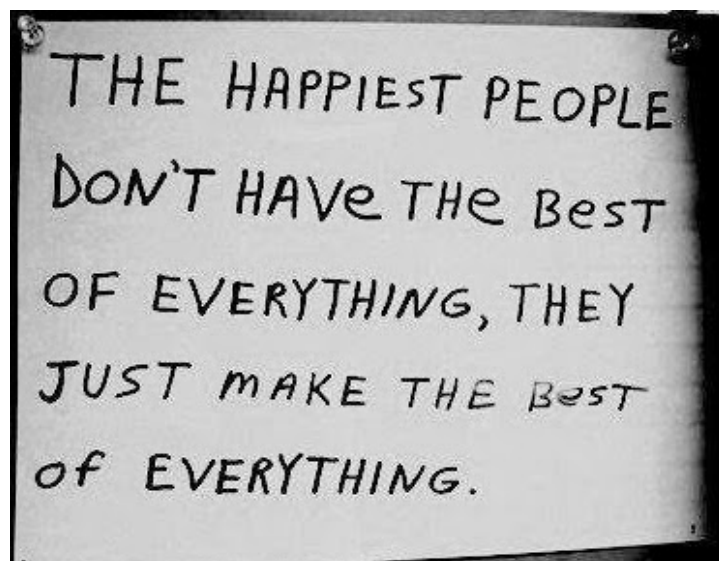


Today we welcome Madame Justice Jacqueline Cornelius, Judge of the High Court of Justice of Barbados who will address on the topic “**Women's Rights in the Caribbean in the Age of Weinstein: Breakthrough or Bandwagon.**”

This address is timely given the recent debates on sexual harassment locally, regionally and globally.

Thank you Mme Justice. Jacqueline Cornelius for addressing us today.

Welcome!



FEBRUARY— PEACE AND CONFLICT PREVENTION/ RESOLUTION MONTH

Upcoming events

Founder's Day week	commencing Feb. 22
Founder's Day Service	Feb. 25 9:15 am St. Barnabas Anglican Church
Founder's Day Lunch	Feb. 25 12:30 following Church Ser vice at PP Andrew's beach house in Paynes Bay. Cost \$50.00 per person

TODAY IS THE DEADLINE FOR THE ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PHOTO CONTEST: PERHAPS A PICTURE FROM CAROLS CAN BE SUBMITTED:

Information available on www.rotary.org/Photo2018. As many as three photographs related to Rotary projects and people are eligible

GREETERS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY

Feb 15 PP Tony Williams and Rtn. Donna King-Brathwaite

Feb. 22 Rtn. Ron Williams and Rtn. Ermine Darroux

OUR GUESTS—Feb. 8, 2018

Visiting Rotarians— PP Mark Thompson, Rotary Club of Barbados West

Guests

Misty Marin, President Rotaract Club of UWI - guest of RCOB

Clyde Griffith, guest of Freddie Hart

Ted Isaac, guest of PP Brenda Pope

Ambassador of Finland, Jukka Pietikainen, guest of PP Algernon Leacock

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 Anniversary

Rtn. Cmdr. Willie Kirton and Gloria Kirton	26 years	Feb. 15, 1992
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Birthday - Rotarians

Rtn. Dr. Adrian Sealy	Feb. 17
PP Dr. Grenville Phillips	Feb. 20

Birthday - Partners in Service

Florine Moe —PP Lionel Moe	Feb. 16
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Join Date Anniversary

None this week



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:

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| 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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