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NEWS

Rotary

Club of Barbados

District 7030

Chartered March 07, 1962



Dec 17, 2015



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R.I Theme 2015-16

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Community Service Director

Annie Bertrand

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Youth Service Director

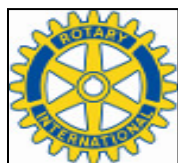
Neal Griffith

Immediate Past President

William "Alex" Mc Donald

Sergeant-At-Arms

Heather Tull



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**

DECEMBER : Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

Today we will have a Fellowship Meeting with our Partners -in-Service as our Special Guests for our Annual Christmas Lunch.

Dec 17 - Rtn. Andrew Niven & Past Director Shawn Franklin

Our Greeters are Past Director Scott Oran and Past Chair Robin Ford.

MEET OUR GREETERS

Rotarian Andrew Niven joined the Rotary Club of Barbados on October 02, 2014. His Classification is - Wholesale. He was introduced by Past President Ron Davis.

Following is an extract from the Classification talk given on Sep 17, 2015

I came to Barbados nearly eight years ago it's my partner Sandie and set up a small wholesale business which is my classification called niven wholesale and distribution supplying the supermarket hotel and saturated trades with products. A sub division of that company is wine Barbados for which I am probably better known.

Andrew serves on the Rota News and Fellowship Committees.



Past Community Service Director Shawn Franklin joined

the Club on April 01, 2010. He was introduced by PP John Cabral. His Classification is Valuations Surveyor.

He has served as Director Community Service from 2012-15. Before that he served as Chair Children's Homes for 2011-12. In 2010-11 he served on the RYLA Committee. For the 50th Anniversary Celebrations 2011-12 he served on the Multi-media Committee. Shawn was awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship in 2014. Currently he serves on the Children's Homes, Fellowship, Website Maintenance & Information and the Donation/Investigation Committees.

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MEET OUR SPEAKER - WHAT ROTARY MEANS TO ME

Past President Algie Leacock joined the club on September 02, 1984. He served as President for the year 2001-02.

He spoke of the great influence of his father Past President Leo Leacock (1988-89) as he exemplified "Service Above Self in his daily living. PP Leo was involved with the YMCA and the Salvation Army.

He offered that even though he was not as involved as his dad with these other service organisations and may not be as active in Rotary; he still has the passion to give.

He recounts the humbling occasion when chosen to lead the Club and fondly recalls the hands on project which involved the repairs at the Roman Catholic School and the training of teachers in the Montessori Method.

For 2014-15 PP Algie served on the Attendance, Guest Speaker & Classification and the Children's Homes Committees.

For 2015-16, he continues to serve on the Attendance and Guest Speaker and Classification along with the Fund Raising Committee.



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Following is a Summary of the presentations

Election of five Directors.

Nominee Rtn. Fiona Hinds withdrew from the contest. This allowed for the remaining five (5) nominees to be announced as elected, by President Jedder.

The Team for 2016-17 to be led by President Lisa are:

President Lisa Cummins, current President Elect
President Elect Paul Ashby, current Club Service Director
Vice President, PP Brenda Pope
Secretary, PP Bobby Morris, continues in the Office
Treasurer, Past Chair Joel Brathwaite
Directors

Dr. Tracy Archer, currently Director of International Service
Annie Bertrand, currently Director of Community Service
Diana Douglin, currently Chair of Community Challenge
Neal Griffith, currently Director of Youth Service
Winston Warren, currently Director of Vocational Service

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2016-17 TEAM



President Elect Lisa Cummins joined the Club on January 19, 2012. She was introduced to the Club by Past President Brenda Pope. Her Classification is Business Services – Development. Lisa has been very active in the club. She has served as a member of the Rotaract sub-committee 2012-13 and to served as Director of International Service (2013– 2015). For the incoming Board 2015-16 she was nominated unopposed for the position as President Elect - 2016-17. In July 2014 her contribution was recognised with the Award of a the Paul Harris Fellowship.



Club Service Director Paul Ashby joined the Club on March 05, 2009. He served as Director New Generations 2010-2012. He served as Secretary for 201-2015. and the Chair of the Attendance Committee and a member of the Fund Raising Committee for 2014-15. Currently he serves at the Director for Club Service and continues on the Fund Raising Committee.



Past President Brenda Pope joined the Club on January 13, 2005. She along with former Secretary Karen Smith were the first female members inducted to the Club. She became our first female President for the year 2011-12, our 50th Year. She has also served as Treasurer 2007-08, Director Vocational Service 2008-09 and Director Community Service 2009-10. Currently she serves on the RICMD, GS&C, Fund Raising, and Drug Awareness Committees. She was awarded the Paul Harris Fellowship in 2011.

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**MEETING DETAILS - Thursday December 10, 2015
SAA - PD Heather M. Tull**

- Attendance - 86.9%
- Raffle - \$113.00
- Winner - Voc Ser Dir Winston Warren
- Fines - \$276.00

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Secretary, Past President Robert "Bobby" Morris was first a member of the Rotary Club of Grenada which he joined on the 1st day of October 1977. He joined the Barbados Club on relocation to Barbados on the 1st day of May 1978.

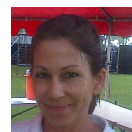
More on Secretary Bobby is found in Profile in Community Service, August 21, 2014



Rotarian Joel Brathwaite joined the Club on July 21, 2006. His Classification is Communications—Postal Services. He was introduced to the Club by PPLionel A. Moe. He has served as a member of the Club Bulletin Committee 2007-2011, Drug Awareness & Environment 2011-12. For 2012-13 he served on the Children's Homes and Environment subcommittees and for 2014-15 Vocational Service, Environment sub-committees. Joel has accepted the responsibility for guaranteeing the timely delivery of The Rotarian, in his capacity as Post Master General.



Dr. Tracy Archer joined the Club on January 16, 2014. For 2014-15 she was the Chair of RYLA, and is a member of the Assistance/Investigations, Heartbeat International, Safety & CPR and MUN Committees. Currently she is the Director for International Service.



Community Service Chair Annie Bertrand joined the Club on January 16, 2014. For 2014-15 she served as the Chair of Children's Homes and the Anti-Bullying Initiative and a member of the Interact/Rotaract Committees. Currently she serves as the Director for Community Services



Chair of Rotary Challenge Committee Diana Douglin became a member of the Rotary Club of Barbados on June 06, 2013. Her Classification is Legal Services – Corporate. She was introduced to the Club by PD Heather Tull. She has served on the Vocational and Membership Development Committees. For 2014-15 she served on the Attendance, Bulletin, Safety & CPR and Vocational Service Committees. She is the researcher for the Profiles in Community Service Series.



Youth Service Director Neal Griffith joined the Club on June 21, 2012. In 2012-13 he served as a member of the Interact and Vocational Service Committees. Currently he serves as Director Youth Service. He is a member of the Vocational Service, Rotary Information and Fund Raising Committees.



Vocational Service Director Winston Warren joined the Club on Dec 06, 2012. He served as the Chair of the Environment Committee 2013-2015. For 2014 –15 he continues as Chair of the Drug Awareness Committee. He is the Quartermaster of the Club. Currently he serves as the Director for Vocational Services



President Jedder joined the Club on June 09, 2005. He was introduced by Past President Orville Durant. His Classification is Has served as Director Club Service 2011-12, Director of Vocational Service 2012-2014 and Quarter Master. He would, as PE, Chaired the Fundraising Committee.

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT - UPDATE



President Elect and Fund Raising Committee Chair made an impassioned plea to members seeking confirmation of our support in making the 2015 Carols by Candlelight the best ever.

She indicated that all team leaders have been briefed.

She reminded that tickets not returned today (December 10) would be deemed sold.

Also she asked that members check their emails as updates will be ongoing.

LOOKING BACK AT CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT-2015

ROTARY COMMUNITY CHALLENGE# 5 - Past Chair Nicholas Waithe



As you may know by now, we officially launched the Rotary Club of Barbados' November Community Challenge project, Faces Speak, on CBC yesterday. For those who are still not sure what Faces Speak is let me

use this opportunity to provide a brief overview.

Faces Speak is a social experiment and campaign designed to raise awareness about homelessness and the poor in our society. It seeks to encourage people who can help to give what they can to assist the Charities who work tirelessly for 365 days to provide comfort in any measure to people in unfortunate circumstances and in some cases who are alone without the support system that we ourselves have.

To make this project a success we need your support. Together we can make a difference in our lives, in the lives of our colleagues and most importantly in the lives of people who need assistance. So let's join together in solidarity around the theme of building a focussed-community-spirited society that looks after its own and display this support by using the attached image across our individual Social Media footprints with the hashtags **#homelessfor24 #ipledgemysupport #facespeak #Rotary, on December November 17, 2015.**

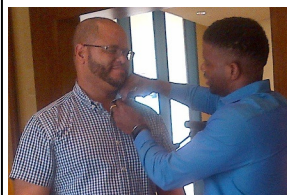
On another note, we will be launching the Homeless for 24 video shortly via Social Media; however, if you are interested in seeing it again or would like to share it with your colleagues you can do so using the link below.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qPvaHq70iZc>

Let me know if you have any challenges.

YIR
Nicholas Waithe

Paul Harris Fellow + 2 Sapphire

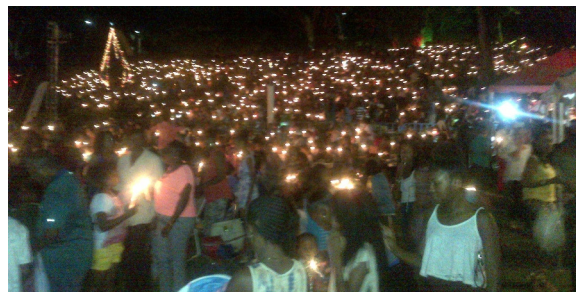


IPP Alex Mc Donald was recognised as having reached another level in his contribution to the Rotary Foundation.

Past Chair Nicholas was invited to pin IPP Alex, this after his very touching presentation Faces Speak. This project exemplifies the type of

project encouraged by the Rotary Foundation

Carols by Candlelight 2015—more to come



UP-COMING EVENTS

Mar 07 - Club Charter Date - 1962

DECEMBER : Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

Community Challenge #6 - Past Treasurer Anthony Shaw -
Repairs to the roof of a house occupied by two needy senior citizens at Silver Sands Christ Church.

Dec 17 - Christmas Lunch, with Partners -in-Service

Dec 24 - Christmas Eve - No Meeting

Dec 31 - Breakfast Meeting - 7:00 a.m.

JANUARY : Vocational Service Month

GREETERS

Dec 24 - No Meeting

Dec 31 - IPP Alex McDonald & PP Richard Blanchette

Jan 07 - Rtn. Orlando Newton & Youth Service Director, Neal

Jan 14 - No Meeting

Jan 21 - No Meeting

Jan 28 - Past Director Freddie & Past Director Warren

OUR GUESTS

VISITORS

Andrew Cave - Past Director Freddie Hart

Charlotte Enns - Rotarian Gery Enns

Chandry Druett - Rotarian David Druett

Damien Pinder - Past Chair Nicholas Waithe

Tremayne Gaul - Past Chair Nicholas Waithe

First Citizens Bank Rep. - President Elect Lisa Cummins

ROTARIANS

Hortence Deckman - Rotary Club of Paramaibo Residence, Suriname

Gery Enns - Rotary Club of Chilliwack of Fraser, Canada

David Druett - Rotary Club of Knaresborough, Yorkshire, England

Robert Chase - Rotary Club South, Barbados

Neil Owen - Rotary club of Basseterre, St. Kitts

DISTRICT PROJECT - DYSLEXIA

a general term for disorders that involve difficulty in learning to read or interpret words, letters, and other symbols, but that do not affect general intelligence.



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DISTRICT PROJECT - AUTISM

World Autism Awareness Day,
April 2, 2016 in the World



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

PP CQ & Dr. Marion Williams

PP Tony & Beverley Williams

PP Tony & Phyllis Reece

46 yrs Dec 30, 1969

40 yrs Dec 27, 1975

41 yrs Dec 28, 1974

Birthday - Rotarians

Past President Andrew

Hon Rotarian, Horace King

Past President Stanley MacDonald

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Birthday - Partners in Service

Ale de Rienzo - Past Chair Donella Zorzi

Susan Davis - Past President Ron

Beverley Williams - Past President Tony

Grace Phillips - Past President Dr. Grenville

Phyllis Reece - Past President Tony

Dec 20

Dec 22

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Dec 25

Dec 27

Join Date Anniversary

Past Director Kim Tudor

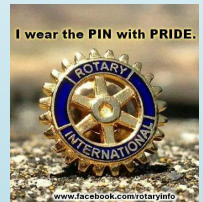
5 yrs Dec 24, 2010

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE



Welcome to ROTARY
AROUND THE WORLD Corner.

The aim is to keep you abreast of our upcoming District Conference and Rotary International Convention.



District Conference: 20th-23rd April 2016, Bridgetown, Barbados.



Dec 15- Early registration discount ends for [Rotary International Convention](#)

Rotary International Convention: 28th May -1st June 2016, Seoul Korea. Look out for additional information monthly!!!!Connect with Korea – Touch the World

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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