

# ROTA NEWS



# Club of Barbados

District 7030 - Club # 6798 Chartered March 07, 1962

#### **PATRON**

HE Dame Sandra Mason, GCMG, DA. Governor General

#### DISTRICT OFFICERS

District Governor Dominique Véneré

**District Governor Elect** Trevor Blake

**District Governor Nominee** Lisle Chase

**Assistant Governor** Lisa Cummins

District Secretary Vincent Tacita

District Treasurer Charles François

Council of Governors Chair PDG Waddy Sowma

**District Rotary Foundation Chair** PDG Hervé Honoré

**District Grants Chair** PDG Milton Inniss

Council on Legislation PDG Tony Watkins



#### R.I Theme 2018-19

### R.I. OFFICERS

**President** Barry Rassin

**President Elect** Mark Maloney

**RI Membership** Committee Vice-Chair PDG David Edwards



# 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?

January 17, 2019

# **Club Officers & Directors**

President Shawn Franklin

**President Elect** Peter Williams

**Vice President** John Cabral

Secretary Neal Griffith

Treasurer Meryl Stoute

**Club Administration** Michael Browne

Membership/Youth Service Makonem Hurley

**Public Relations** Tracey Knight-Lloyd

**Community Service** Malcolm Vaughn

**International/Rotary Foundation** Adrian Skeete

**Immediate Past President** Paul Ashby

Sergeant-At-Arms Peter Arender

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: BE THE INSPIRATION

**RECAP OF OUR JANUARY ACTIVITIES TO DATE:** 

Today's meeting is a Fellowship meeting
Our Greeters are
PP Erskine Thompson and Rtn. Arlene Ross
Today is a Classification talk which will be presented by Rotarian Jeff Evelyn whose classification is
Security Systems and Services.

" a rolling stone gathers no moss" and this January we were busy gathering no moss.

 Our January 3 meeting was the first for the 2019 year. Reports were given by Directors Tracey Knight-Lloyd, Makonem Hurley, Dir. Michael Browne, PP Ron Davis and PE Peter Williams.

Director Tracey thanked all those who contributed to the success of Carols by Candlelight 2018. Through kind corporate sponsorship the Club was able to maximise its advertising investment which resulted in a successful Carols for the benefit of those in need—being why we do what we do.

Director Makonem advised of the upcoming activities of our Rotaract Clubs noting in particular the Rotaract Club of Barbados' signature event entitled "Signature" which is scheduled to take place at MQI, Wildey, St. Michael on Jan. 19 at 4:00 pm. This event is their flagship fundraiser and all are invited. The cost per person is \$50.00. Director Makonem also requested all those who ordered new Rotary shirts to contact him to collect them.

Director Michael advised the Club of the attendance to date noting that while there were some persons with 100% a concerted effort ought to be made to attend meetings. He also advised that he reviewed the various classifications of members as well as upcoming guest speakers.

PP Ron reminded the Club that all persons must account for their ticket sales without delay so that the final tally can be made.

PE Peter reported on the success of the Carols by Candlelight event and thanked the Club for their contribution and assistance on the day. He noted that a postmortem will be had to discuss the event and the Club will be advised in due course in this regard.

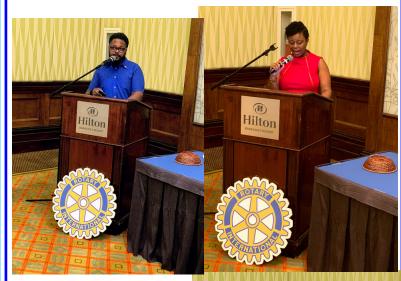
PRESIDENT SHAWN advised the Club of the upcoming visit to Barbados by the DG, Dominique Véneré.

AND YES, THERE WAS A RAF-FLE WINNER:

And not to be forgotten, we congratulate Rotarian Commander Willie Kirton on being Winner number 1 of our Raffle held on Jan 3, 2019.

Below: I-r—Director Makonem; Director Tracey, PP Ron and PE Peter and a snapshot of table 5 trademarked by a beaming Rtn. Freddie.









# JANUARY ALSO SAW US MEET AND GREET DISTRICT GOVERNOR DOMINIQUE VÉNERÉ ON HER VISIT TO BARBADOS.

DG DOMINIQUE visited each of the Clubs where she received detailed reports of their activities.

After she met with our Board who apprised her of our activities, and also apprised her with a preview of upcoming activities, she then visited LITE Primary School, a school for all children includ-

ing special needs children, where we had donated specialized reading material and play equipment for the benefit of the children. Right: DG Dominique with the RCOB Board.





Left—AG Senator Lisa Cummins as she shows one of the books to DG



This visit was then followed by one to Tweedside Road, where the DG saw one of the kitchen gardens installed under the Sustainable Living Project.

Above right: Pres. Shawn with the DG discussing the sustainable kitchen garden.

DG had a productive meeting with both our Interactors and Rotaractors and of course the DG met the three Clubs for a night of fellowship at the Radisson Hotel. Held in the Courtyard at the Radisson on Tuesday Jan 8 the Rotarians of each Club had a chance to meet and greet DG (in English and in French—(un petit peu) while enjoying wine and hors d'oeuvres.



## MEETING DETAILS— January 3, 2019

Sergeant-At-Arms: Rtn. Peter Arender

Attendance: 57% Fines: \$ 182 Raffle: \$ 106

Winner: Rtn. Commander Willie Kirton

#### **ROTARY INTERNATIONAL NEWS**

#### ROTARY CONNECTS THE WORLD

President Elect Mark Maloney proudly opened his arms at the International Assembly held in January in San Diego, California, USA to announce the Rotary Theme for 2019 to 2020 to the incoming district governors.

Rotary International President Elect [R.I.P.E.] Mark Maloney "explained his vision for building a stronger Rotary, calling on leaders to expand connections to their communities and to embrace innovative membership models".

In his words, he states that "the first emphasis is to grow Rotary to grow our service, to grow the impact of our projects, but most importantly to grow our membership so that we can achieve more"

He noted that "Rotary allows each Rotarian to connect with each other in deep and meaningful ways, across our differences".

The R.I.P.E.'s message resonates with each of us as there can be no doubt that Rotary is a conduit to connect the world for the greater good of those in need and reminds us of those early words of our Paul Harris, in which he encourages us to continue pioneering for kaleidoscope positive change.



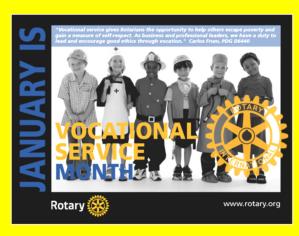


Paul Harris Rotary Founder

"I would like to think that the pioneering days of Rotary have only just begun. There are just as many new things to be done as ever there were. Kaleidoscopic changes are taking place, many of them without our will. Even to hang on to the fringe of this fast-changing world is about all most of us can do. Rotary simply must continue to pioneer or be left in the rear of progress."

The Rotarian Magazine - 1945

# **Theme For January**



# **Greeters for January**

Jan. 24 AG Senator Lisa Cummins and Rtn. Steve

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Jan 31 Rtn. Dr. Albert Best and PE Peter Williams

#### **Announcements**

#### **Wedding Anniversary**

PP Erskine and Ena Thompson	49 yrs	Jan 17, 1970
PP Norman and Amy Barrow	44yrs	Jan 21, 1975
PP Andrew and Joyce Bynoe	36 yrs	Jan 22, 1983

# **Birthday - Rotarians**

PP W. Alex McDonald	Jan 20
Rotarian Anthony Shaw	Jan 20
Rotarian Sanjay Amin	Jan 23
Rotarian Robin 'Baron' Ford	Jan 23

#### **Birthday - Partners in Service**

Paige Whitehead - Rotarian Alex Whitehead Jan 19
Andrea MacKenzie—PP John MacKenzie Jan 24

# **Join Date Anniversary**

AG Senator Lisa Cummins	7 yrs	Jan 19, 2012
Director Malcolm Vaughn	2 yrs	Dec 08, 16

# REGISTRATION IS ONGOING FOR OUR ANNUAL PETS AND ROTARY DISTRICT CONFERENCE







#### **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.

# **ROTARY GRACE**

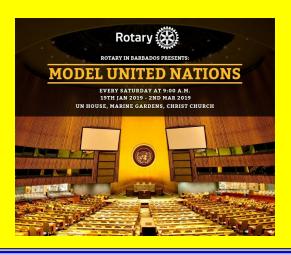
O Lord and giver of all things good We thank Thee for our daily food May Rotary friends and Rotary ways Help us to serve Thee all our days.

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Jan 19 Model United Nations 2019 opens at 9 am at the UN House. This year's theme is "The Blue Economy: Sustainable Fisheries and Marine Environment". MUN will beheld every Saturday from January 19 to March 2.

Jan 21 ANNUAL CHILDREN'S PARTY—We are hosting 77 children at Sandalwood Estate from 10:30 for fun and fellowship. At 2:30 pm the children will be taken for a visit at Harrison's Cave.

Jan 24 Guest speaker, Mr. Jerry Franklin Managing Director of of EnSmart Inc. And President of the Barbados Renewable Energy Association. Mr. Franklin will address us on the Green Economy.



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