



# ROTA NEWS

August 18, 2011

## Rotary Club of Barbados, Barbados

Chartered March 07, 1962

District 7030



The Rotary Club of Barbados

### R.I. Officers

#### President

Kalyan Banerjee

#### President Elect

Sakuji Tanaka



Reach Within to Embrace Humanity

R.I. Theme 2011-2012

### District Officers

#### District Governor

Lara Quentrall-Thomas

#### District Governor Elect

Stephen Ramroop

#### Assistant Governor (B'dos)

Grenville Phillips

#### District Rotary Foundation Chair

David Edwards

#### District Disaster Relief

W. Anthony Watkins

## Club Officers

#### President

Brenda Pope

#### President Elect

Anthony Williams

#### Vice President

Elvin Sealy

#### Secretary

Jomo Hope

#### Treasurer

Anthony Shaw

#### Club Service Director

Jedder Robinson

#### Vocational Service Director

Heather Tull

#### Community Service Director

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 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 noon

P.O. Box 148B, Brittons Hill,  
St. Michael, Barbados

[www.rotarybarbados.org](http://www.rotarybarbados.org)

## CLUB RUNNER WEBSITE

Fellow Rotarians we are in the final stages of making our Clubrunner website live.

Members may login at <http://www.clubrunner.ca/barbados> using the following User ID and password format:

**User ID: firstnamelastname7241**

**Password: 7241**

**EX: Joe Smith= joesmith7241 and 7241**

Alternately, members can also click on the "Forgot your password?" link from the login page to retrieve their login information.

It is strongly recommended that each member update their login information with a unique user name and password to further increase security measures. More information about how a member can update their personal profile is available in the ClubRunner eSupport Center.

Also remember that when the site is live only basic information on a person will be visible. Other personal details are only available to the president, secretary, treasurer and the webmaster who are at access levels above 30 & 40.

Board members are at club executive level (50), bulletin editor and sub-committee chairpersons at 60 and everyone else has been set to member access level 70 as shown in the table below:

Functionality	30	40	50	60	70	80	90
Edit club settings (meeting time and date, etc)	Y						
Delete user accounts	Y						
Add new members and users	Y	Y					
Mark members as Ex-Members	Y	Y					
View and edit members' profiles (*)	Y	Y	Y				
Email Services (including Pres., Pres.-Elects, and Sec. in other clubs)	Y	Y	Y				
Edit the homepage	Y	Y	Y	Y			
Create and manage events	Y	Y	Y	Y			
Edit and send the e-Bulletin	Y	Y	Y	Y			
Email Services	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		
View Club Photo Directory	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Register for Events	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y



### REMINDER

#### AUGUST- MEMBERSHIP OUTREACH MONTH

Rotarians are reminded that Rotary Club of Barbados celebrates membership outreach month during this month, members are specially invited to bring guests and prospective Rotarians to the meeting on the 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2011 where there will be a guest speaker.

## RI Convention 2012 Bangkok, Thailand



Fellow Rotarians the 103<sup>rd</sup> Rotary International Convention will be in Bangkok, Thailand, **6-9 May, 2012** it is proposed to be an incredible event in one of the world's most fascinating cities. Thailand is a spectacular destination, truly the Land of a Thousand Smiles.

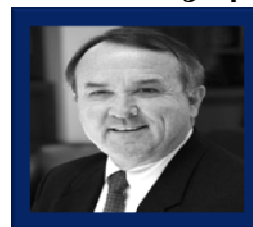
At the convention, Rotarians will have the chance to see all those communities represented in one place and to hear all the languages, see all the people, and learn about all the projects of the past year. Nothing brings home the internationality of Rotary like a Rotary convention, and nothing else has the same power to inspire.

For more information visit:

<http://www.clubrunner.ca/portal/SitePages/SitePage.aspx?did=7030&pid=62155>

### RI President

#### Burton is choice for 2013-14 RI President



Ron D. Burton, a member of the Rotary Club of Norman, Oklahoma, USA, is the selection of the Nominating Committee for President of Rotary International 2013-14.

### Meeting Details

At our Fellowship Meeting held on Thursday, August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2011.

Sgt-at-Arms: **Heather Tull**

- Fines \$162.00
- Raffles \$65.00
- Attendance 54%

# Congratulations Ron!



Special congratulations to last admin's year awardee

## **Rotarian of the year Ron Davis.**

Ron has been a Rotarian for the last eight years, he was treasurer of the Rotary Club of Barbados from 2006 – 2007 and 2008 – 2011.

He has made an invaluable contribution to the club through helping others. Rotarian Ron was motivated to join Rotary by his driving need to give back to society.

Rotarian Ron's professional career spans thirty nine (39) years in the finance and banking sector.

Here is what Rotarian Ron had to say on being awarded Rotarian of the Year:

### **Why did you join Rotary?**

**Rtn. Ron:** I joined Rotary in 2003 specifically because I wanted to be able to give something back to society. I had already been involved in several programs on my own but came to realize that being part of a larger organization would afford greater opportunities to assist.

### **Is there a specific group that drives your commitment to assisting those in need?**

**Rtn. Ron:** My personal love is assisting special needs children as I find that sometimes they are the forgotten members of our society as assistance always seems to be centered around sports and other high profile activities.

### **What does being awarded Rotarian of the year mean to you?**

**Rtn. Ron:** Being awarded Rotarian of the Year was a complete shock to me especially since the award was made as a result of my involvement with a special needs project. I feel honored that my fellow Rotarians consider me a fitting recipient for such an award and while it is nice to be recognized in such a way the real reward is the looks and smiles on the faces of the persons whose lives are enhanced by our activities.

**WELL DONE RON!!!!!!!!!!**

MEETING SCHEDULE		ANNOUNCEMENTS	
<b>Thursday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2011</b> <b>Special Membership Outreach Meeting</b> <b>“Breast Cancer in Barbados”- Guest Speaker</b> <b>Dr Shirley Jhagroo – Chairperson of breast screening programme of the Barbados Cancer Society</b>		<b>Club Anniversary</b> No Club Anniversaries for this period	
<b>Thursday, August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2011</b> <b>Special Membership Outreach Meeting</b> <b>“Managing Stress” - Guest Speaker Ms. Ruth Chase, a highly trained Mental Health Nurse, with over 40 years training and experience, including metaphysics</b>		<b>Wedding Anniversary</b> Ronald and Marlene Ramsay August 17 Sir Frank and Norma Lady Blackman August 19 William and Debbie Tomlin August 19 Brian and Elizabeth Cole August 20 Peter and Jennifer Williams August 21	
		<b>Birthdays</b> No Birthdays for this period	
TODAY’S GREETERS		CLUB ACTIVITY UPDATE	
<b>August 18<sup>th</sup></b> Nicholas Waithe Ronald Turk		<b>International Service:</b> -Reminder to register for District Conference Director Carol -Sea Wheelchair project to be expanded - “Sea for All Day” arranged for Geriatric Homes for August 24, 2011	
<b>NEXT WEEK’S GREETERS</b> <b>August 25<sup>th</sup></b> Heather Tull Kim Tudor		<b>New Generations:</b> -A Mentoring and Leadership Development Programme to be developed for Rotaract and Interact Clubs. Meetings with the new Rotaract and Interact boards to be held over the next two to three weeks.	
		<b>Vocational Service:</b> -Plans for the Pride of Workmanship award and gala are progressing Director Heather	
VISITING ROTARIANS		UPCOMING EVENTS	
<b>August 11<sup>th</sup></b> <b>Rotarian Warren Mottley – Rotary Club of Kingston</b>		<b>Fellowship Event</b> <b>Saturday, August 20<sup>th</sup>, 2011 – Plantation Lime</b>	
<b>Rotarian Mark King – Rotary Club of Barbados south</b>		<b>QUOTATION</b> <i>“It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving.”</i> <b>Mother Teresa</b>	

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  
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