

**DISTRICT 7030**  
**CLUB#6798**  
Chartered March 07, 1962



**Nov 21<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

# ROTANEWS

## CLUB OFFICERS & DIRECTORS

**President**  
Arlene Ross

**President Elect**  
Jeff Evelyn

**Vice President**  
Ron Davis

**Secretary**  
Jamella Forde

**Treasurer**  
Nikita Gibson

**Club Administration**  
Randy Marshall

**Membership/Youth Service**  
Tamara Allman

**Public Image**  
Keri Mapp

**Community Service**  
Katrina Alkins

**International Service**  
David Antrobus

**Immediate Past President**  
Ermine Darroux-Francis

**Sergeant-at-Arms**  
Peter Arender

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**Club Weekly Meetings**  
**Thursdays at 12.30 pm**  
**Hilton Barbados**  
Needham's Point, Aquatic Gap,  
St. Michael

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St. Michael, Barbados

## R.I. OFFICERS

**President**  
Stephanie Urchick

**President Elect**  
Mário César Martins de Camargo

## PATRON

**HE The Most Honorable Dame**  
**Sandra Mason, FB, GCMG, DA, SC.**  
President of Barbados

## DISTRICT OFFICERS

**District Governor**  
Debbie Roopchand

**District Governor Elect**  
Soraya Warner-Gustave

**District Governor Nominee**  
Maurice Saad

**Assistant Governor**  
Paul Ashby

**District Secretary**  
Giselle Holder

**District Treasurer**  
JR Ramnarine

**Council of Governors Chair**  
PDG Brian Glasgow

**District Rotary Foundation Chair**  
PDG Waddy Sowma

**District Disaster Relief Chair**  
PDG David Edwards

**District TRF Fundraising Chair**  
PDG Elwin Atmodimedjo

**District Conference Chair**  
Safeeya Mohammed



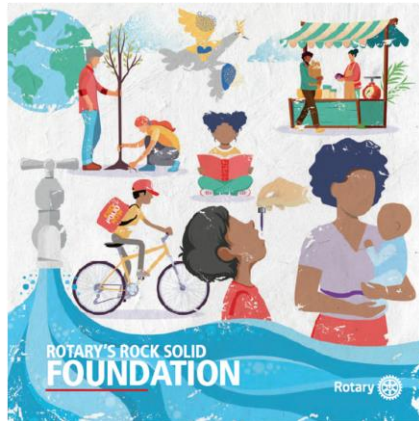
**THE FOUR-WAY TEST**  
OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY OR DO

1. IS IT THE TRUTH?
2. IS IT FAIR TO ALL CONCERN?
3. WILL IT BUILD GOOD WILL AND BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERN?



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## The Rotary Club of Barbados welcomes visiting Rotarians and Guests.



Today November 21st, 2024 is a Fellowship Meeting, which commences at 12:30pm at the Hilton Hotel. . Our guest speaker will be Hon. Rtn. Sgt. Kim Harris

### Meeting Details – Nov 14th, 2024

#### Guests

None

#### Rotarians, Rotaractors and Interactors

None

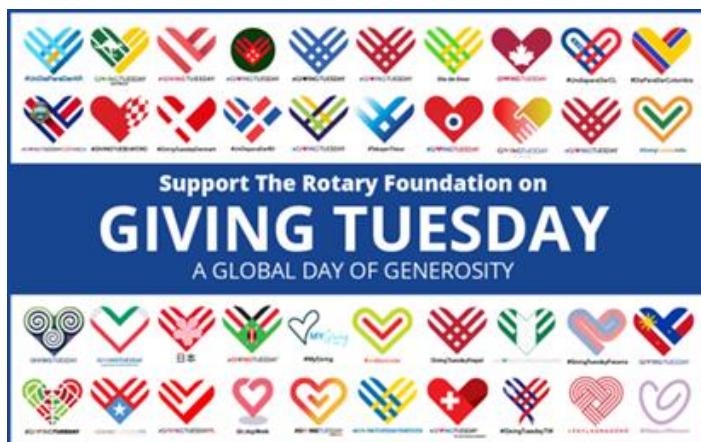
#### Honorary Rotarians

None

Fines: BBD 114.00

Raffle: BBD 72.25 won by Dir. Keri Mapp

Our next scheduled weekly meeting will be on November 28th, 2024, which will be a Fellowship Meeting and will commence at 12:30 p.m. at the Hilton Hotel.



## Summary Minutes of the RCOB Meeting Held on November 14th, 2024

President Arlene opened the meeting and asks the club to face the flag for the singing of the national anthem and asked PP Erskine to start.

Acting Sarge welcomed visiting guests.

Today we had another Paul Harris Fellow – Peter Williams who is now Paul Harris +3.



President Arlene announced we will go into the nomination process and handed over to Secretary Jamella.

Sec. Jamella announced that nominations are being accepted for the 2025/2026 year.

Nomination for the position of President was opened and President Arlene nominated Sec. Jamella Forde for president. This was seconded by PP Peter.

Sec. Jamella opened the nominations for Vice President. PP Ron Davis was nominated by PE Jeff, and this was seconded by PDG David.

Sec. Jamella opened the nominations for Secretary. Rotarian Davina Layne was nominated by PP Jedder, seconded by Rotarian Meryl.

Sec. Jamella opened the nominations for Treasurer. PP Erskine nominated Nikita. Seconded by PP Elvin. Nikita is off island but stated she would accept.

Sec. Jamella opened the nominations for the five directors. Dawn Greaves was nominated for position of Director by Dir. Keri. She has confirmed though off island. Seconded by PP Robin.

PP Erskine nominated Danielle Donawa-Spencer for the post of Director. Seconded by Rtn. Heather. She is absent but has accepted.

PP David Antrobus was also nominated and though absent, sent confirmation that he would accept the nomination by Dir. Keri. Seconded by PP Elvin.

Dir. Tamara Altman was nominated by Davina for Director. Seconded by Rtn. Keri.

President Arlene, nominated Katrina Alkins for the post of Director. Seconded by PP Carole. Katrina has accepted though absent.

Sec. Jamella moved to have the nominations closed. Sec. Jamella announced the nominations in closing.

President Arlene asked the Acting Sarge to discipline the club.

President Arlene made the announcements.  
President Arlene called the meeting to close with a toast to RI.

## District 7030 Newsletter

Please see the link for the September/October Edition of the 2024 Rotary District 7030 newsletter [bit.ly/4hFwtaS](https://bit.ly/4hFwtaS)

## Rotary Leader

Healing club and District leaders Achieve Success< November 2024 Please click on the link below to view:  
<https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/#inbox/FMfcgzQXKMxZmSWvGcKDCVqZdMILTdv>

## Project Amai

Friday was the 6<sup>th</sup> session of Project Amai, and the theme was "Nutrition". Dr. King gave a presentation and discussion on "Nutrition for Baby and Me". We also had yoga instructor Natasha to come and give the participants a yoga session, which was enjoyed by all, Natasha will give a session every other week. Thanks go out to Sec. Jamella for acquiring more items for our nursery. Due to the amount of little ones today our 'Rotary Aunties' were kept busy.



Dr. King giving her presentation

## Youth Elevation Scheme

Saturday's theme was 'Building Coping Skills for Wellbeing'. A 'Big Thank You' went out to AG Paul for leading the emotionally intense and deeply impactful session. Most of the children are dealing with some form of trauma in their lives and the session sought to create a safe space for them to express themselves and reflect on their experiences. A special thank you also went to partner-in-service Deanne who was available for those children that needed one-on-one counseling.



## The Lodge School Interact

On November 19<sup>th</sup>, the Lodge School Interact held their Pinning Ceremony. Congratulations to the new Executive of The Lodge School Interact Club. Wishing the Club another successful year. We are all proud of you. **Interact clubs** bring together young people ages 12-18 to develop leadership skills while discovering the power of Service Above Self.



The Lodge School Interact Pinning Ceremony

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- November 22<sup>nd</sup> – Project Amai
- November 23<sup>rd</sup> -YES Programme
- November 28<sup>th</sup> – Fellowship Meeting
- November 29<sup>th</sup> – Project Amai
- November 29<sup>th</sup> – Last Day of Shoe Box Collection
- December 3<sup>rd</sup> – Giving Tuesday
- December 5<sup>th</sup> – Business Meeting
- December 8<sup>th</sup> – Carols by Candlelight
- December 12<sup>th</sup> – Election Day – Guest Speaker Dr. Kimberly King
- December 14<sup>th</sup> – YES Programme
- December 15<sup>th</sup> – Senior Citizens Tea Party
- December 19<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Lunch

### RaCOB/Satellite Club/EarlyAct

- November 23<sup>rd</sup> - Brushes & Bubbly
- Early Act Helping Hands of Wills Primary School

### DISTRICT 7030 EVENTS

- April 23<sup>rd</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025 - District Conference, Trinidad





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**CHRISTMAS SHOEBOX PROJECT**

Bring joy to those in need by donating to the annual Christmas Shoebox Project.

This year, we are asking each Rotarian to donate \$50 to this worthy cause by Friday 29 November 2024. Funds will go towards purchasing two (2) outfits for each child; one (1) casual and one (1) semi-formal.

Donations should be given to Dir. Kandy.



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**Carols by Candlelight**

Sunday, Dec 8th

Ilaro Court, Two Mile Hill, St. Michael

Showtime 5PM Price: \$50.00  
1 adult & 3 children under 12

FEATURING  
Jennifer Walker, Sheldon Hope, Betty B, Natalie Burke, TC, Darin Holder, Jan Keizer, Phillip 7, Marisa Lindsay, Barry Chandler, Zukeli Inniss, Poonka Tuk Band, Elevé Performing Arts Centre, Phoenix Steel, Operation Triple Threat and Mustardseed Productions

BACKED BY  
The Pernel Farley Band with Rochelle Griffith, Nareesa Lynch



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**SENIOR CITIZENS' Tea Party**

YOU ARE INVITED TO SERVE AT THE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TEA PARTY HOSTED BY HER EXCELLENCY, THE MOST HONOURABLE DAME SANDRA MASON.

Location: The State House  
Date: 15 December 2024  
Dress code: Semi-formal  
Setup Time: 8:00 a.m. ■ Start Time: 2:00 p.m.

PLEASE CONTACT RTN DONNA TO SIGN UP.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Birthdays Rotarians**

Rtn. Karen Cole – November 21<sup>st</sup>  
 Hon. Rtn. Kerriann Hurley – November 21<sup>st</sup>  
 PP Carole Jean-Marie – November 22<sup>nd</sup>  
 Rtn. Makonem Hurley – November 24<sup>th</sup>  
 Rtn. Neal Griffith – November 27<sup>th</sup>

**Birthdays – Partners-in-Service**

None

**Wedding Anniversaries**

Rtn. Makonem & Hon. Rtn. Kerriann Hurley –  
 16 yrs November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2008

**Join Date Anniversary**

Rtn. Rochelle Haynes – 1yr – November 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023  
 PP Tony Williams – 21yrs – November 27<sup>th</sup>, 2003

**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;

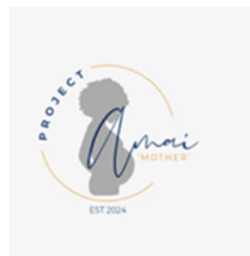
**SECOND:** High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition and the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

**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.



Bulletin Editor: PP Denise Antrobus

