



ROTA NEWS



February 23, 2017

Rotary Club of Barbados

District 7030 - Club # 6798

Chartered March 07, 1962

DISTRICT OFFICERS

District Governor
Roger Bose

District Governor Elect
Waddy Sowma

District Governor Nominee
Dominique Venere

Assistant Governor
Peter Downes

District Secretary
Anne Marie Rogers

District Treasurer
Steve Ramlakhan

Council of Governors Chair and
Immediate Past DG -
Milton Inniss

ARRFC and Zone member of the Zone
Executive Committee -
PDG David Edwards

Zone Sub-Committee
PDG Tony Watkins



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?

Club Officers & Directors

President

Lisa Cummins

President Elect

Paul Ashby

Vice President

Brenda Pope

Secretary

Bobby Morris

Treasurer

Joel Brathwaite

Club Service Director

Diana Douglin

Vocational Service Director

Winston Warren

Community Service Director

Anne Bertrand

International Service Director

PP Elvin Sealy

Youth Service Director

Neal Griffith

Immediate Past President

Jedder Robinson

Sergeant-At-Arms

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 SERVING HUMANITY

ROUNDUP AND RECAP : FEB. 16, 2017

Directors' reports in brief:

Director Neal reported on the upcoming International Rotaract Week from March 13 to 19, 2017. The Rotaract Club of Barbados will hold its Club Forum on March 2 at 8 pm.

Director Elvin MUN is now in its fifth week and all are encouraged to see the 24 young debaters as they debate the very topical issue:

Director Elvin also reminded the Club of the upcoming DISTRICT CONFERENCE in Trinidad.

Director Annie reminded the Club that there are 3 young adults who are about to leave the homes but who need to have employment. Please contact Director Annie if you are able to provide work for any of these 3 hardworking young women. She further reminded that the Rotaractors are going to the Nightengale home on March 4 and all are invited to come. The time for meeting at the home will be given in the near future.

Director Winston announced that the Club will be erecting a plaque with THE FOUR WAY TEST thereon at the secondary schools across the island with Rotarians going to the schools to speak on their use of The Four Way Test.

PE Paul provided updated report on the Nett surplus to date raised by Carols by Candlelight namely \$74,715.00 of which 18,500.00 is attributed to cash sponsorship. A total of \$125,380 to date has been made of which expenses totaled \$50,665 There was much debate on this with a suggestion that the Club revisit the planning of Carols

Treasurer Joel reminded the Club of its obligations to pay all outstanding dues and contributions.

PP Jerry for Director Diana reminded of the upcoming Founder's Day Service on Sunday Feb. 19 and fellowship lime at PP Andrew's beach house in St. James.

ADDITIONAL UPDATES:

PP Ron informed the Club of the annual fundraiser for the Schoolhouse project to be held on April 8 at the Concorde. Tickets will soon be available for sale by the Club.

Rtn. Freddy reminded the Club of the need to revisit the projects for the signs and tree planting the latter of which was mentioned at the funeral of Hon. Rtn. and Founder Paul Foster.

Rtn. Fiona Hinds on behalf of Rtn. Mark Wheeler reminded the Club of the Rotary Feeding Program - a food initiative to help needy families where shoppers of A-one Supermarkets at Carlton and Emerald City were to be encouraged to donate non-perishable food stuffs.

**ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION :JUNE 10-14, 2017
ATLANTA GEORGIA**

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

FEBRUARY 28, 2017: LAST DAY TO PROVIDE NAMES FOR GROUP HOUSING ROOMS

MARCH 31, 2017: PRE-REGISTRATION DISCOUNT ENDS; ONLINE REGISTRATION CONTINUES AT THE ON-SITE RATE

APRIL 30, 2017 REGISTRATION AND TICKET CANCELLATION DEADLINE

MAY 11, 2017 LAST DAY TO RESERVE INDIVIDUAL HOUSING THROUGH ROTARY'S HOUSING PROVIDER



MUN UPDATE:

On Sat, Feb 18 Ms. Marie Legault, the Canadian High Commissioner to Barbados spoke to the MUN students as they continued to participate in M.U.N.

From all reports the session was one where the students were both engaged and engaging.



A BIRTHDAY BOTTLE OF WINE FOR OUR RAFFLE WINNER

PP DR. GRENVILLE PHILLIPS who was the happy winner of our raffle draw held on Thursday Feb. 16.

Congrats to PP Grenville.



MEETING DETAILS— Feb. 16 2017

1. Attendance - 58.0%
2. Raffle Proceeds - \$86.00
3. Fines - \$190.00
- 4.. Raffle Winner: PP Dr. Grenville Phillips

MEET OUR GREETERS

PE PAUL ASHBY joined the Rotary Club of Barbados on March 5, 2009. His Classification is Commercial Banking. He was proposed by PP Tony Williams and served as Director New Generations, Secretary for 2013-2015 and as Chair of various committees including Club Service Chair and Attendance Committee Chair. He is the President elect for the year 2017-18.



RTN. MAKONEM HURLEY joined the Rotary Club of Barbados on June 21, 2012. He was introduced by Past President Stanley P.P. MacDonald. His Classification is Computer Programming. For 2012-2016 he has served as a member of Website Maintenance & Information and Interact Committees. In the 2015-16 year he was a member of the District Conference Planning Committee. Rtn. Makonem is elected to serve as Director on the 2017-18 Board.



FOUNDERS DAY CELEBRATIONS

SUNDAY FEB. 19 WE CELEBRATED FOUNDERS' DAY STARTING WITH A CHURCH SERVICE AT SANCTUARY AND FOLLOWED BY LUNCH , FELLOWSHIP, SUN, SEA, DOMINOES AND FUN AT PP ANDREW'S BEACH HOUSE.



Left: Director Winston - Selfie pose!

Immediately below Past President Algie and his Partner in service and PP Grenville



While in the picture below a skilful game of dominoes is had and enjoyed by all including PP John and PP Bobby.



"SERVICE ABOVE SELF"

FYI

ROTARACT AND INTERACT NEWS

PLEASE SEE BELOW THE TIMES AND DATES FOR THESE CLUBS. THE ROSTER IS ALSO BELOW:

The Codrington School

Every Monday:
12:30—1:00pm

The School requires to be advised as to attendees, please therefore advise Director Neal if you are attending.

St. Michael's School

Every Friday: 2:15pm
(commencing Sep. 16)

Rotaract Club of Barbados

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER: HAVE YOU MARKED YOUR CALENDARS?

FEBRUARY

MUN continues Saturday in Feb. 25

Venue: UN House
Time 9 am to noon

MARCH

MUN continues

Closing Ceremony : March 4

Our Treasure Hunt will be held—stay tuned for the date

Recommended 4 people in a car to solve this year's quest and this year we will have an Urban Treasure Hunt

APRIL

DISTRICT 7030 P.E.T.S CONFERENCE & ASSEMBLY

You are reminded of the District Conference to be held at Hyatt Regency Trinidad & Tobago APRIL 26—29 2017. The District celebrates its 25th anniversary this year



DISTRICT 7030 CONFERENCE 2017

WHEN? 26TH - 29TH APRIL 2017

WHERE? HYATT REGENCY HOTEL, PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD

GET READY FOR MANY FIRSTS!

25TH ANNIVERSARY OF DISTRICT 7030
100TH ANNIVERSARY OF ROTARY FOUNDATION
THE ABC ISLANDS JOINING FOR THE FIRST TIME
JOINT ROTARY AND ROTARACT CONFERENCE

SEE YOU THERE

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UP-COMING EVENTS

Mar 07 - Club Charter Date - 1962

MARCH

Water and Sanitation Month

GREETERS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH

MAR 2	greeters— PP Jerry Ishmael and Rtn. O'Reilly Lewis
MAR 9	greeters—PP Algernon Leacock and Rtn. Joe Johnson
MAR 16	greeters—Rtn. Anthony Shaw and Rtn. Donna King-Brathwaite
MAR 23	greeters—Rtn. Tracey Knight-Lloyd and Rtn. Commander Willie Kirton
MAR 30	greeters—Director Neal Griffith and Rtn. Adrian Skeete

PLEASE NOTE THE UPCOMING EVENTS ON THE PREVIOUS PAGE!



OUR GUESTS

VISITING ROTARIANS

Juliet Wong, Rotary Club of Toronto, Eglinton Club

GUESTS

Ted Isaac - VP Rtn. Brenda Pope
David Stewart - PP Rtn. Richard Blanchette

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

None this week

Birthday - Rotarians

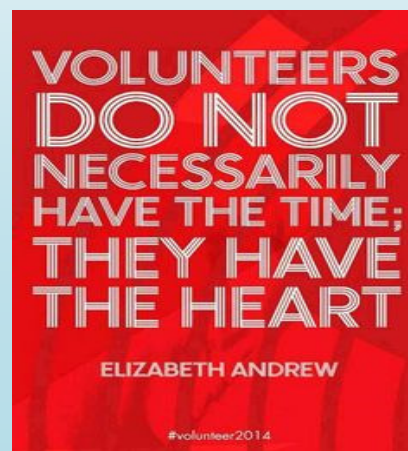
Rtn. Donna Pierre	Feb. 23
Hon. Rtn Pat Toppin	Feb. 20

Birthday - Partners in Service

Shirley Fields partner in service of Trevor Fields	Feb. 26
Ann Goddard partner in service of Randall Goddard	Feb. 27

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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