



ROTA NEWS



July 25, 2019

Rotary Club of Barbados



District 7030 - Club # 6798

Chartered March 07, 1962

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R.I Theme 2019-20

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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 12:30 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 CONNECTS THE WORLD



**Today is a Fellowship Meeting
Guest Speaker Hon Rtn Krystal Boyea on
"Volunteerism"**

**Our Greeters are: July 25 -
Rtn. PP Paul Ashby & Rtn. Winston Warren**



July is New Leadership Month.

OUR GUESTS – JUL 18

Guests:

- Nicholas Crichlow: Guest of Rtn. Neal Griffith
- Ted Isaacs & Anton Nichols: Guests of PP Brenda Pope
- Simone Passmore: Guest of PDG David Edwards
- Gregory Wood & Barbara Trieloff: Guest of Jeff Kinch
- Manoj Vensimal & Nikita Gibson: Guests of Rtn. Makonem Hurley
- Omar Alahar & Matthew Sobers: Guests of Rtn. Freddie Hart
- Sean Armstrong: Guest of PP Stanley MacDonald
- Russel Wilson: Guest of Sec. Ermine Darroux

Attendance: 54%

Fines: \$269

Raffle: \$107.55 (Winner—Dir Heather Tull)

GREETERS FOR THE MONTH OF JULY

July 25 — PP Paul Ashby & Rtn. Winston Warren

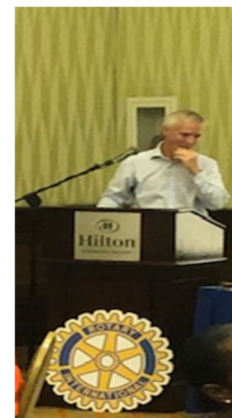
2019-20 Plans & Programmes

Following on from last week's presentations, members were provided with an overview of the rest of the Club's plans for the coming year.

Fundraising: PE Fiona spoke to the arrangements for our fundraising events, with a focus on our main fundraiser, Carols by Candlelight, which is scheduled for Sunday, December 8th at Ilaro Court. She confirmed that the RotaGames would again feature on the Club Calendar in June 2020 and also highlighted that the year's Schoolhouse for Special Needs concert featuring an Elton John tribute band is being arranged by PP Ron Davis for Saturday, November 9th. The Fund Raising Committee has started to meet and more details will be forthcoming.

Community Service: Director Adrian spoke to the plans for the Committee and the upcoming Pride of Workmanship Awards dinner, which will highlight the work of the Blood Collection Center and recognize regular Blood Donors. The event will be a corporate fundraising dinner with funds going to purchase equipment for the Blood Center.

Sustainable Living/Composting: President Peter updated the Club on plans for the Sustainable Living project which will include a composting project and will also continue the modular garden project which was started in PP Paul Ashby's year. Pres. Peter expressed his delight that Sharen Lady Carmichael, Partner-in-Service of Sir Trevor, has offered to be a member of the Project Committee and will bring passion and expertise to the project. The Committee will be chaired by Rotarian Randy Marshall and all Rotarians will be asked to participate by starting to compost at their homes.





My name is Krystal, and I have been living with Type 1 diabetes for 20 years. Growing up with Type 1 diabetes in a region and on an island where it's not well understood, was a challenge for me. Many, MANY times, I felt depressed and alone and did not perform well in school, whilst managing a condition that felt like a full time job. After many years of struggling, I decided that it was time to make a positive change!

I changed my profession, from a Geologist/Environmental Scientist, and began to pour my heart and soul into a condition that demanded all of my time. After a few weeks, diabetes became something that I enjoyed and now it has grown into one of the loves of my life and my passion. I completed my Masters in Public Health and also became a Certified Health Coach.

"You can fail at what you don't want, so you might as well take a chance at doing what you love."
Jim Carrey.

I have spent the last 10 years travelling, speaking, motivating, coaching, educating and empowering persons living with diabetes, chronic diseases...or just anyone who would listen. I love knowing that I can bring a smile to someone's face. I love knowing that I can put this horrible thing that happened to me to use.

For years I referred to the day I was diagnosed as the worst day of my life.

Now...I truly believe it was the reason for my life!!

If you would like any more information on my journey over the last 10 years, please see the PORTFOLIO PAGE or CONTACT me if you have any questions or for further information on my fees and services!

ROTARACT GOES TO NATURE FUN RANCH:

On Saturday July 19, Rotaract Club took a group of children to the Nature Fun Ranch to capture a better understanding of work undertaken at the Bruce Vale St. Andrew Facility.

Two groups were created: a) Interacting with Animals; and b) General cleaning of the Fun Ranch.

By all accounts, a great day was experienced by all in attendance.





A new Rotary year

We thank our 2018-19 trainers for their hard work and commitment to Rotary during the past year. We look forward to collaborating on learning strategies with our 2019-20 trainers as *Rotary Connects the World*.

New! Grant Management Seminar online courses

Polio: where we are now

The annotated guide to ending polio

By **Diana Schoberg** | Illustrations by **Gwen Keraval**

As the number of polio cases approaches zero, the challenges facing Rotary and its partners in the Global Polio Eradication Initiative are changing. We still need to reach every child with the polio vaccine – and we’re using innovative strategies to do that, in spite of geopolitical uncertainties.

But that’s only one part of our job.

We’re tackling vaccine-derived poliovirus, which can begin to spread in places where vaccine coverage is low. We’re becoming disease detectives, following up on any shred of evidence that wild poliovirus might still be circulating. And we’re fine-tuning our plan to keep the world free of polio forever.

Here’s what you need to know about where we are now.

Polio is an intestinal virus that is spread through contact with the feces of an infected person, which can contaminate water or food.

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.

G20 LEADERS “REAFFIRM COMMITMENT TO ERADICATE POLIO”



Announcements

Wedding Anniversary

- Heather & PP Jedder Robinson— 41 yrs July 28 1979

Birthday - Rotarians

- Rtn. Roger Blackman July 25

Birthday - Partners-in-Service

- Ferida Fernandes — PP Vic Fernandes July 25

Join Date

- Jeff Massay—15 yrs Jul 01 2004

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.

Bulletin Editor : Rtn. Randy Marshall