



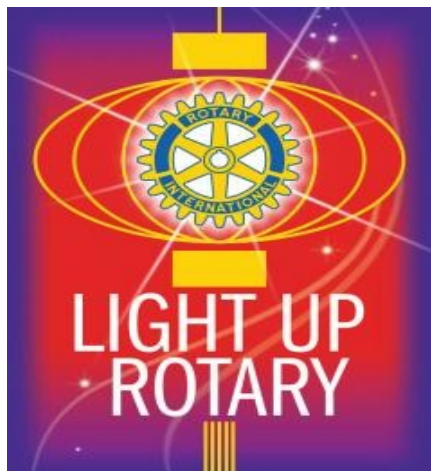
ROTA NEWS

Rotary Club of Barbados, Barbados

Chartered March 07, 1962

District 7030

August 28, 2014



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R.I. OFFICERS

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Gary C. K. Huang

President Elect

K. R. Ravindran

Rotary Foundation Assistant Regional Rotary Foundation Coordinator-Zone 34
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?

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Neal Griffith

Immediate Past President

Ron Davis

Sergeant-At-Arms

Vic Fernandes

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

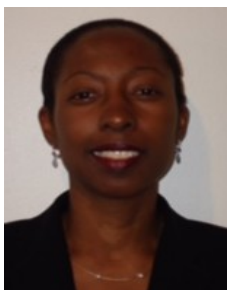
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THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

The Greeting Team this week consists of Treasurer Brian Cole and Past Secretary Clifford Clarke.

Today will be a Fellowship Meeting with Guest Speaker, Dr. Shirley Alleyne presenting the first in the series on Anti Bullying.

The **Anti bullying initiative** is a national campaign to raise the awareness of the many forms of bullying and in particular Cyber bullying which has grown almost out of control and is affecting many students and young adults in Barbados today.



Dr. Shirley Alleyne is a board certified Paediatric and Adult Psychiatrist. She is a reviewer for the Journal of the American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and serve as an Associate Lecturer, Psychiatry with the University of the West Indies where she teaches in the area of Paediatric Psychiatry. Dr. Alleyne completed her undergraduate training in Medicine at the University of the West Indies. She graduated in 1999 and was awarded the Psychiatry Prize for the graduating class.

She subsequently pursued post graduate training in General Psychiatry at Upstate Medical University and Child and Adolescent Psychiatry training at Yale University. She served as the Al Solnit chief resident in the second year of her training at the Yale Child Study Center and was awarded the Melvin Lewis prize for medical student teaching upon graduation.

Dr. Alleyne returned to Barbados in 2007 and assumed the post of Advisor for Mental Health and Non-Communicable Diseases for the World Health Organization/Pan American Health Organization for two and a half years. She currently provides consultant Psychiatric services to the Barbados Defence Force and clinical services to ministries of health, education and social welfare, paediatricians and families in Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean Countries.

Meet Treasurer Brian and Past Secretary Clifford



Treasurer Brian joined the Club on January 02, 1985. He served as Director of Vocational Service 1988-89 and Club Service 1993-94. This is his second stint as Treasurer having held the position during the years 2001-03 and now 2013-15. He has also served as District Conference Treasurer 2004-05 and 2010-11. He is a member of the Rotary Roosters. He was awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship in 2012.

Past Secretary Clifford joined Rotary on March 24, 1994. He is the long Standing Chair of Safety & CPR a position he has held from 1996-2006 and 2010 – present. He is a former Chief Fire Officer. He served out the term of Director of Community Service for the year 1997-98 when the substantive holder Tom Robitaille was re-posted overseas. He has served as Chairman Children's Homes 1998-99 and as Secretary 2006-07 after Alex McDonald was unable to take up the position.



For those who missed last Thursday; here are the highlights.

Past President Vic (2000-01) chaired the special Past Presidents Day meeting. He stated that with no females in the Club when he joined in Jan 1986, he never had this opportunity—therefore he invited our female members to lead in the singing of the National Anthem and the Rotary Grace. Past Director Heather MT was purposeful but not stentorian on this signal occasion.



The Head Table – PPs Roger (SAA), Stanley, Elvin, Ron, Vic, John Mac. (out of photo - PP Tony Williams and Treasurer Brian)

Following is a Summary of the Presentations - The Leaders of Our Club –1962 to 2014—From Sir Theodore to Ron Davis.

Eight Rotarians were invited to present in this order -

Past President	Presenter
1. Sir Theodore to Neville Grosvenor	- Horace King
2. John Nelson to David Harvey-Reid	- PDG David Edwards
3. Pat Toppin to Sir Trevor Carmichael	- Stan MacDonald
4. Harold Tryhane to Orville Durant	- Sir Trevor Carmichael
5. David Edwards to Anthony Watkins	- Vic Fernandes
6. Norman Barrow to CQ Williams	- Andrew Bynoe
7. Roger Smith to Erskine Thompson	- John Mackenzie
8. Brenda Pope to Ron Davis	- Heather M. Tull



The Past Presidents who took the opportunity to savour the moment— after the meeting!

Meeting Details

Thursday, August 21, 2014– Past President's Day
Sergeant-At-Arms: Roger Smith

- Attendance - 54%
- Raffle - \$116.00
- Winner – PP Brenda Pope
- Fines - \$191.00

PROFILES OF OUR PAST PRESIDENTS—1962-2014

Sir Theodore to Neville Grosvenor—Horace King

1962-63

Sir Theodore Brancker, Q.C.* - PHF, Charter President. Astute lawyer and politician. Longest serving Speaker of the House of Assembly.



1963-64

Stanley Chapman* - Along with the C Sisters founded the Challenor School, Andrews House, Blackman's St. Joseph - our first major project which is still supported. It then moved to Whitehall House, Codrington St. Michael and now Canefield House, St. Thomas



1964-65

Sam Ashby* - Chairman of IDC
Challenor School officially opened September 07, 1964



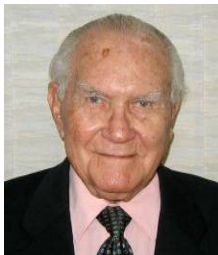
1965-66

John (Jet) Nelson* - MD of Pan Am. Set a high standard of fellowship and did much for our visitors



1966-67

Sir Stanley Blanchette* - PHF - Erected drinking fountain in the Fairchild Street Bus terminal as an Independence gift to Barbados. District Governor 1985-86.



1967-68

Denis Bell - Became President when Sir Winston Scott was elevated to the office of GG and could not hold both positions. Opened the Fiscus Club in St. Thomas for young men. The Senior Citizens Christmas Party commenced at Government House



1968-69

Neville Grosvenor* - PHF- Editor of the Barbados Advocate. Did much to promote relationships with the clubs of the District. Editor of 3 decades of Rotary in Barbados—1961-1991



PROFILES OF OUR PAST PRESIDENTS—1962-2014

John H. Nelson to David Harvey-read— PDG David Edwards

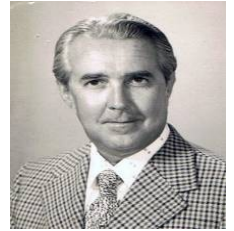
1969-70

John (Electric) Nelson* - Was Manager of B'dos Light and Power Co, and assisted with many of the clubs projects. One of these was the lighting up of the area around the "Hotpot" near the former Holiday Inn at Pebbles Beach



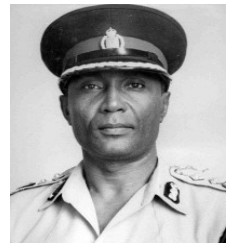
1970-71

Dr. Douglas Carter*
A Medical Doctor who assisted with cases in need especially medical. A fully equipped emergency van was presented to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital



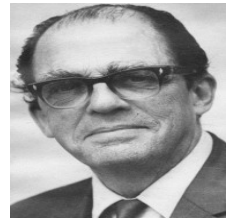
1971-72

Girwood Springer* - Commissioner of Police. The club assisted with the reformation of the Barbados Boys' Scout Band



1972-73

Pat Castagne*
Penned the words to "Let's join Hands" which was sung during the Barbados National Chain Link Day on Independence Day, November 30, 1979



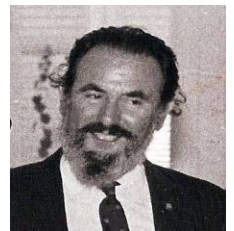
1973-74

Lester Whitehead* QC. Maintained the existing projects, especially the Challenor School. Donations were made to youth organizations including the Church Lads Brigade Regiment. At his hand over meeting he indicated that due to the oil crisis, water shortages and rising cost of materials, the main project at Trevor's Way could not be completed. The Club received the President's Award from the Boys' Scouts Association for its service to scouting in the island.



1974-75

Miles Rothwell*
Charter President of the RCoB West. August 14, 1975 Charter issued to Rotary Club of Barbados West. He served as Governor of District 404—1979-80



1975-76

David Harvey-Read*
Men's Club opened at Clarkes Hill, St. Catherine St. Philip. Everton Halfway House, Dash Valley, St. George developed. Trevor's Way developed.
August 14, 1975 Charter issued to Rotary Club of Barbados West.



PROFILES OF OUR PAST PRESIDENTS—1962-2014

Pat Toppin to Sir Trevor Carmichael - Stanley P.P. MacDonald

1976-77

Charles L. Toppin - PHF
Commencement of Bajan Night (Dinner Event) which saw its last stand in 2006. It was the major Club Fundraiser until the advent of Carols By Candlelight in 1995



1977-78

Harold L. Cole* - PHF
Was Manager of Esso SA Ltd and became District Secretary under DG Richard Joachim—1984-85 and Sir Stanley 1985-86



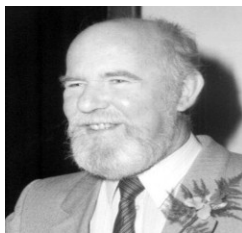
1978-79

Colin A. Jones* - PHF
Relationship started with the Thelma Vaughn Home



1979-80

Peter L. Inniss* - PHF
Barbados National Chain Link – November 30, 1979. confirmed that 93,111 persons joined hands across the nation. Over \$150,000.00 was raised through a raffle



1980-81

J.W. (Bill) Highton - PHF

Get Rotary Sailing—
Sailing programs for the Youth



1981-82

Richard Blanchette - PHF. Junior Library Project to donate approximately \$25, 000.00 in books and other auxiliary equipment to the Barbados Library. On Saturday mornings motivational talks and other interaction were provided to children between the ages of 5 and 14. supported by international clubs.



1982-83

Sir Trevor Carmichael - PHF
The voice for the Blind. Reading tapes were collected and assembled for the blind. Tapes installed and used at the Oistin Branch of the Barbados Public Library.



PROFILES OF OUR PAST PRESIDENTS—1962-2014

Harry Tryhane to Orville Durant - Sir Trevor Carmichael

1983-84

Harold Tryhane - PHF
The Barbados Computer Project was conceived. 64 Commodore Computers were provided to secondary schools across the island. The financing for the project was over \$49,000.00



1984-85

George Hadchity* - PHF
Initiated the restoration of the Boys' Scout Headquarters



1985-86

Robert M.O. Morris - PHF - Annex at the Children's development Centre along with the Business Community. Completed the restoration of Boys' Scout Headquarters. Rotary Club of Barbados South Chartered January 13, 1986. Charter President was Peter Hollands. Chairman of 50th Anniversary Project



1986-87

Grenville Phillips - PHF – 25th Anniversary of RCoB – Recognized twenty-five (25) persons who made a difference to the Community. First pacemaker donated to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital



1987-88

Rex. E. Wason* - PHF - Tree planting at Lodge School. Rekindling of the Interact spirit at St. Michael School. A new Club was formed in September 1987. Major focus on Polio eradication.



1988-89

Leo Leacock * - PHF – Assisted in the procurement of the computer equipment for the Club project 1983/84. Contributed to the ongoing work of the Salvation Army.



1989-90

Dr. Frank Ramsey* - PHF Tree planting on ABC Highway from Lowlands to the Grantley Adams Airport. Planting was also planned from Haggatt Hall to the Belle. Championed the activities of Heartbeat International. Magi Jim Newman came to visit. Regional coordinator for the Polio Plus Campaign 1987-88.



PROFILES OF OUR PAST PRESIDENTS—1962-2014

David Edwards to Anthony Watkins - Vic Fernandes

1990-91

Orville Durant - PHF – Did much to start the Drug Awareness Programme; which continues today. The project would focus on visits by secondary school pupils in fourth form at the 21 schools to the Psychiatric Hospital at HMP at Glendairy where they gained first hand knowledge and insights from inmates on the results of the use of drugs. Included today is the SAF centre at Verdun.



1991-92

David Edwards - PHF- Constructed the Respite Centre at the Challenor Home to allow live-in facilities for Respite Care. Such a facility will enable parents to spend a weekend away from home and at the same time allow them to appreciate much needed rest. Chairman RI President Bill Huntley's Friendship Conference at Sherbourne 1994, District Governor 2004-05. Appointed Asst Rotary Foundation Regional Coordinator for Zone 34 2013. Founding Convenor District 7030 Council of Past Governors



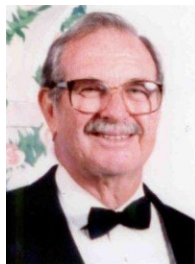
1992-93

John Cabral - PHF - Establishment of the Kingsland Recreational Park. Chairman Junior Library Project, 1981-82



1993-94

John Grace* - PHF Environmental/Agricultural Project. The secondary schools interfaced with the Children's homes and produced crops. This was to twin/bridge 17 of the business community with 17 schools and the community at large for the betterment of the environment. Computers and Televisions were offered as prizes for the Schools



1994-95

Andrew Bynoe - PHF – Rotary Education Project at the St. James Composite School. The project was designed to improve the academic and social performance of students. This included a "Remedial Teaching Program." He has said that this project was the "fore-runner" of the Alma Parris Secondary School. Friendship Conference held.



1995-96

Stanley P. P. MacDonald - PHF – Introduced Carols by Candlelight, the Schools Drive Carefully safety signs – Rotary Resource Room and the Learning Centre St. James. Build Boview Home – Challenor School



1996-97

W. Anthony Watkins - PHF – Proposed project derailed by Government's EDU TECH Program – donated two multi-media computers and printers to the Learning Centre and Challenor School – Became District Governor 2010-11.



PROFILES OF OUR PAST PRESIDENTS—1962-2014

Norman S. Barrow to CQ Williams - Andrew Bynoe

1997-98

Norman Barrow - PHF – Initiated the refurbishment of a building at Verdun, St. John – Substance Abuse Foundation, to provide living quarters for five councilors. It is expected that this will incur a cost of \$75,000.00. Major fund raising project for HBI. Formation of Rotary Roosters. Founders Day Service moved from St. Joseph Parish Church & St Aidan's, held at St. Lawrence



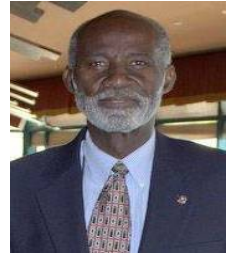
1998-99

William M. Tomlin - PHF - Projects to assist the needy in the community – "Get Involved" Each Rotarian provided with \$850.00 (82 members) to be spent on a "hands on" Project. Over \$50,000.00 spent. Completed the Verdun project. Saw another club forum discussion on the admittance of females to the club. Regularized the Trust Fund - National Chain Link Project



1999-2000

Stephen G. Brathwaite - PHF. Asked to take over as President in April 1999 while attending the District Conference in Guadeloupe after PE David Harding, due to a major change in his business, could not continue as President. Review of all Projects – refurbishments done at the Boy Scouts HQ and the Challenor School



2000-01

Victor Fernandes - PHF – A focus on the Environment. Introduced Earth machines (composters) for recycling, environmental and greening project. Sports and recreational equipment provided to the Government Industrial School. Sale of the CD produced by the Rotary Roosters



2001-02

Algernon Leacock - PHF – Re-launched the Pride of Workmanship Awards – with the first group – ZR Drivers, SSA workers and Postal Workers – Started refurbishment work at the St. Patrick RC School after fire.



2002-03

Lionel Moe - PHF – Continued work at the St Patrick RC School. Trained Montessori Teachers. Donated \$50,000.00 to Challenor Adult Training Centre. Served multiple times as District Treasurer.



2003-04

Clyde Q Williams - PHF – Donated musical instruments to the Barbados National Youth Orchestra to the value of \$50,000.00. Along with two Canadian Clubs donated over \$60,000.00 for the construction of the General Arnold Brown Centre at the Salvation Army HQ, Reed Street, Bridgetown.



PROFILES OF OUR PAST PRESIDENTS—1962-2014

Roger Smith to Erskine Thompson- John MacKenzie

2004-05

Roger Smith - PHF – Refurbished the Kitchen at the St. Thomas District Hospital – Gordon Cummins – was lead in the Grenada – Ivan Relief Project. As the 100th Anniversary of Rotary project, along with the 2 other Clubs refurbished the Fountain in Queen's Park, which was designed by Lady Carter. First two females joined the club on Jan 13 2005



2005-06

Anthony Reece - PHF – First Fund Raising Concert by the Barbados National Youth Orchestra. Donation to BNYO Training Fund. Saw the final Bajan Night Event in his year. \$95,000.00 was given back to the Community.



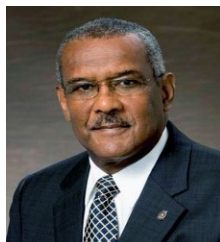
2006-07

Michael Browne - PHF – Started the Senior Citizen Sunset Concerts. Initiated the refurbishment of the Evalina Smith Children's Ward – St. Philip District Hospital. Oversaw the first fundraiser after Bajan Night—Love Unmasked at Bagatelle Great House. Installed by PDG Ethelbert Thompson. Served as District Assistant Secretary/Treasurer 2000-01



2007-08

Jerome F. Ishmael - PHF – Completed refurbishment at the Evalina Smith Children's ward. Up graded the Sir Clyde Gollop Men's Hostel, Hindsbury Road



2008-09

Elvin Sealy - PHF – Breakfast feeding program with YWCA
Visit by RI President – **Dong Kurn Lee** - May, 2009



2009-10

John Mackenzie - PHF - Initiated a Community recycling project in conjunction with B's Recycling Barbados. This has been replicated in a number districts. Commenced planning for the 50th Anniversary.



2010-11

Erskine Thompson - PHF
Continued planning for the 50th Anniversary including the Sea For All Project with Director Carol. Maintenance of the Evalina Smith Project at the St. Philip District Hospital, where he was Project Lader in 2006.



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Brenda Pope to Ron Davis- Heather M. Tull

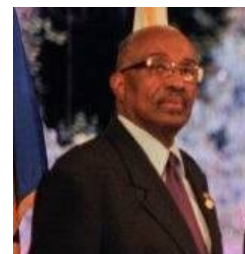
2011-2012

Brenda Pope - PHF – Launched Sea For All Project. 50th Anniversary celebrations. Refurbished two homes for the needy. Donated \$50,000.00 (matching grant) worth of equipment to the Evalina Smith Children's ward. Establishment of 50 trees in the "Rotary Arboretum" in the National Botanical Garden, Codrington, St. Michael. Visit by RI President Kalyan Banerjee.



2012-13

Carl "Tony" Williams - PHF - Refurbished two wards at the Geriatric Hospital – St. Michael District Hospital. Mini M.U.N. program commenced.



2013-14

Ron Davis - PHF – Ongoing fundraising for the **The Schoolhouse for Special Needs**. Western Jamboree fund raising event in support of the Little Pink Gift Foundation. Funds were donated to assist in providing prosthetics to a young female who is a quadruple amputee. Other contributions were made to a young male for corrective eye surgery and the Paralympic Association of Barbados.



Past Presidents attending the meeting

1. Norman S. Barrow
2. Michael W. Browne
3. Andrew A. Bynoe
4. John Cabral
5. Trevor Carmichael
6. Ron Davis
7. David Edwards
8. Vic Fernandes
9. Jerome Ishmael
10. Algernon Leacock
11. Stanley P.P. MacDonald
12. John MacKenzie
13. Robert Morris
14. Brenda Pope
15. Elvin Sealy
16. Roger Smith
17. Erskine Thompson
18. Anthony Williams

Not able to be with us on OUR Day were

1. Richard Blanchette
2. Steve Brathwaite
3. Orville Durant
4. J.W. "Bill" Highton
5. Lionel A. Moe
6. Grenville Phillips
7. Anthony P. Reece
8. William Tomlin
9. Anthony Watkins
10. C.Q. Williams

Meeting Chairman Vic thanked both PR Chair Tracey and PP Michael for their excellent contribution in running with his idea "to recognize the former leaders of OUR Club."

Autism Awareness Corner—#1

Tracey Knight-Lloyd

Your friend's daughter doesn't look you in the eye when you are talking to her. Is she on the autism spectrum? Your child isn't talking -- yet. Does that mean he's autistic? Your nephew throws major tantrums - Is that a sign of autism? Here's what autism does -- and doesn't -- look like.

What is Autism

Autism (sometimes called "classical autism") is the most common condition in a group of developmental disorders known as the autism spectrum disorders (ASDs).

Autism is characterised by :

- impaired social interaction,
- problems with verbal and nonverbal communication, and
- unusual, repetitive, or severely limited activities and interests.

Other ASDs include Asperger syndrome, Rett syndrome, childhood disintegrative disorder, and pervasive developmental disorder not otherwise specified (usually referred to as PDD-NOS). **Males are four times more likely to have autism than females.**

How do you know if it is Autism?

There are a number of warning signs which parents and caregivers should look for:

Very early indicators that require evaluation by an expert include:

- [no babbling or pointing by age 1](#)
- [no single words by 16 months or two-word phrases by age 2](#)
- no response to name
- [loss of language or social skills](#)
- [poor eye contact](#)
- [excessive lining up of toys or objects](#)
- [no smiling or social responsiveness](#)

Later indicators include:

- [impaired ability to make friends with peers](#)
- [absence or impairment of imaginative and social play](#)
- [stereotyped, repetitive, or unusual use of language](#)
- restricted patterns of interest that are abnormal in intensity or focus
- [preoccupation with certain objects or subjects](#)
- [inflexible adherence to specific routines or rituals](#)

Next week: What Should Parents Do If They See These Signs in Their Child?

Adapted from about.com

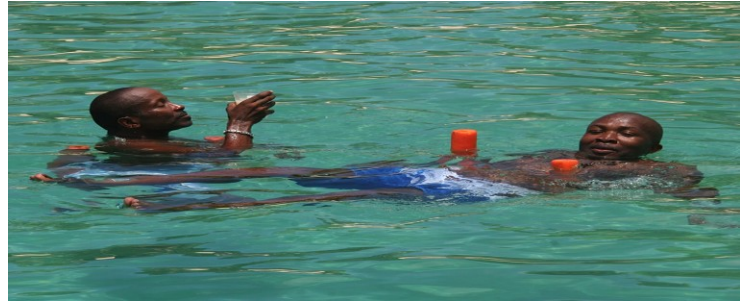
Autism Awareness is the Special District Project for 2014-15

The Boat Picnic—Sunday, August 24



Who is giving the Docking Instructions—Donna , John or David?

The Boat Picnic—Sunday, August 24



There has to be a plan, Ask Shawn or Winston!



Ron relaxing after his year as President—it's so good being IPP



Harriet, where is Stan?



Jerry and Deidre



"Proper" strokes!

UP-COMING EVENTS

September 06—Club Forum
September 11—Guest Speaker—Presentation
on Anti-Bullying #2 —Mr. Shawn Clarke

GREETERS

Sep 04 - No Meeting—Forum—September 06
Sep 11- Donald Austin and Past Director Donna
King-Brathwaite
Sep 18 - Past Director Dr. Adrian Sealy & Dr. John
Mayers

OUR VISITORS— August 21

GUESTS

Deidre Ishmael - Past President Jerry
Kimani Archer - Dr. Tracy Archer

September

New Generations Month

1 September — Deadline to submit nomina-
tions for the RI Service Above Self Award

Pakistan launches fresh polio drive for tribal regions - AFP—Aug 25

Pakistan on Monday launched a fresh drive to
vaccinate more than 700,000 children in its
restive tribal belt against polio, but officials said
nearly 300,000 others would miss out because
of threats from militants.

The World Health Organisation declared a
global "public health emergency" in early May
after new polio cases began surfacing and
spreading across borders from countries in-
cluding Pakistan.

It is one of only three countries, along with Af-
ghanistan and Nigeria, where the crippling dis-
ease remains endemic.

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 Anniversaries

Past Director Peter and Jennifer Williams	Aug 21
Past Director Warren and Shawn Mottley	Aug 22
Doni Zorzi and Ale de Rienzo	Aug 22
Kristof Abbeloos and Madoka Yamaue	Aug 23
Past President Algje and Sheila Leacock	Aug 25
Patrick and Marcia Hinds	Aug 31
Hon Rotarian Paul and Brenda Foster	Sep 09

Birthdays - Rotarians

Dr. Albert Best	Aug 27
Past Director Warren Mottley	Aug 30
Lennox O'Reilly Lewis	Sep 03
Past Vice President David "Pop" Walker	Sep 08

Birthdays - Partners in Service

Emelda Browne—PP Michael	Aug 27
Donna Edwards—PDG David	Aug 27
Kaye Williams—Ronald	Sep 01
Francie Toppin—Hon Rotarian Pat	Sep 03
Lisa Lewis—Lennox O'Reilly	Sep 07

Join Date Anniversaries

Past Director Randall Goddard	Sep 01, 1977
Past President Algernon Leacock	Sep 02, 1984
Past President Michael W. Browne	Sep 09, 1993

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 occu-
pations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupa-
tion as an opportunity to serve society; |
| THIRD: | The application of the ideal of service in each Rotar-
ian'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: *Michael Wilson Browne*