



ROTA NEWS

December 29, 2011

Rotary Club of Barbados, Barbados

Chartered March 07, 1962
District 7030



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District Rotary Foundation Chair

David Edwards

District Disaster Relief

W. Anthony Watkins



Reach Within to Embrace Humanity
R.I. Theme 2011-2012

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.clubrunner.ca/barbados



December 2011 Message from Rotary Trustee Chair

Make giving to our Foundation an annual tradition

As Rotarians, we often reduce our words to initials. We talk of GSEs, VTTs, NIDs, and PHTFs. Our district officers are DGs, DGEs, and DGNs, and in Evanston we have a GS. We have plenty of PDGs and an occasional PRIP. I am sure you could add many more.

This month, I would like to focus on another set of initials: EREY. The words are Every Rotarian, Every Year, and they encourage every one of us to make an annual contribution to our Foundation. Despite the economic problems and the awful natural disasters, our giving to the Annual Programs Fund last year was the second highest in history. Thank you for your confidence that we are building a Foundation that will be stronger and even more effective in the future.

I read a lot of district and zone newsletters, and I smiled at a quote in a recent newsletter from District 7600, in Virginia, USA. In it, Bill Billings talked about how Rotary became more important to him as he became more involved. He went on to say, "These are my brightest days in Rotary because now I am learning what I can do for Rotary. I give to The Rotary Foundation every year because it feels so good." At this point, his sense of humor came through. I am not sure if every country has telemarketing, but if yours does, you will appreciate Bill's next words: "But I also give to the Foundation because it is the best defense against annoying telemarketers. When they call me I simply say, 'I give my money to The Rotary Foundation, but thanks for calling and have a nice day.' Click!"

Bill has made our Rotary Foundation his charity of choice. I hope you will too.



Meeting Details

At our Meeting held on Thursday, December 22nd, 2011.

Sgt-at-Arms: **PP Victor Vernandes**

- Fines \$ 442.00
- Attendance 65%
- Raffles \$234.00

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, January 14, 2012

President's Party at President Brenda's House

Saturday, January 28, 2012

Leadership Training/Forum with 3 clubs at BL&P Training Room from 9am-12pm

"On the Lighter Side"





Rotarians Enjoy a Festive Christmas Lunch



MEETING SCHEDULE

Today, Thursday, December 29th, 2011
Fellowship Meeting

Thursday, January 5th, 2012
Classification Talk
RI Foundation Update

Thursday, January 12th, 2012
Business Meeting

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Club Anniversary

Richard Blanchette	January 01
Brian Cole	January 01
Victor Fernandes	January 01
Paul Foster	January 01
Patrick Hinds	January 01

Wedding Anniversary

Carl and Beverley Williams	December 27
Anthony and Phyllis Reece	December 28
Anthony and Tessa Shaw	January 02
Robin and Jennifer Forde	January 03

Birthdays

Phyllis Reece (Anthony)	December 27
Stephen Cozier	January 03
Beverley Morris (Robert)	January 03
Orville Durant	January 04

Guests

Guest

Grace, Grenville II, Graham & Vanessa Phillips
 Shirley and Kenya Carter
 Deborah and Kyle Smith
 Hariette McDonald
 Ena Thompson
 Grace Durant
 Heather Robinson
 Dario Thornhill
 Ralph Ifill
 John Brathwaite
 Richelle Catlin
 Carolyn Cummins
 Oneko Grosvenor
 Cheryl Leacock
 Harold Hinkson
 Albert Tudor
 Avril Byer
 Joyce Bynoe and Ali Thalia
 Nola Mayers
 Jan Cabral
 Dr. Jeff Massay
 Donna Edwards and Arlene Miller
 Mia, Kady and Tessa Shaw
 Alexia and Ferida Fernandes
 Florine Moe
 Matthew Mullan and A. Pope
 Selena MacDonald
 Lady Blackman and Paul Blackman

Rotarian

Grenville Phillips
 Ronald Carter
 Roger Smith
 Stanley McDonald
 Erskine Thompson
 Orville Durant
 Jedder Robinson
 Jedder Robinson
 Jedder Robinson
 Heather Tull
 Heather Tull
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 Heather Tull
 Elvin Sealy
 Andrew Bynoe
 John Mayers
 John Cabral
 Anthony Reece
 David Edwards
 Anthony Shaw
 Victor Fernandes
 Lionel Moe
 President Brenda
 Alex MacDonald
 Frank Blackman

VISITING ROTARIANS

Jack Keith – Markham Rotary Club

TODAY'S GREETERS

Today, December 29th

Alex McDonald
 Lionel Moe

NEXT WEEK'S GREETERS

January 5th

Joel McCarthy
 John Mayers

QUOTATION

"Since you get more joy out of giving joy to others, you should put a good deal of thought into the happiness that you are able to give."

Eleanor Roosevelt

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.



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 Kim Tudor