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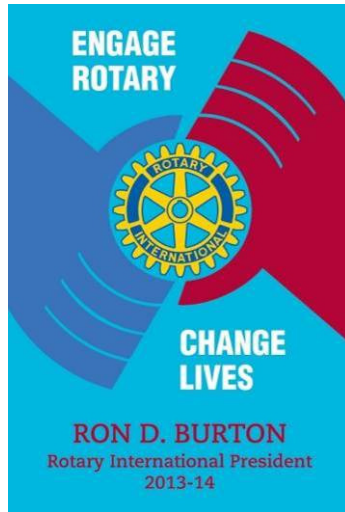


May 29, 2014

Rotary Club of Barbados, Barbados

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District 7030



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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 noon

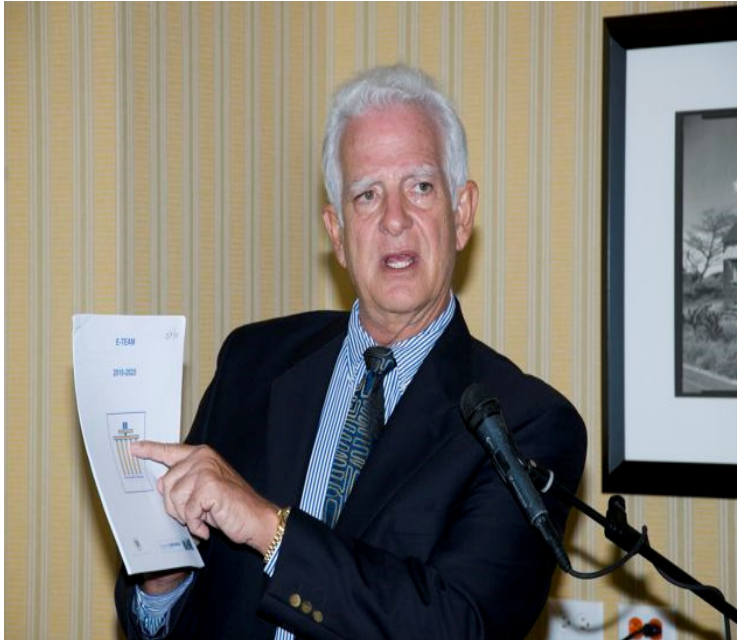
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THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS TO THIS WEEKLY MEETING

Your greeters for today are:
Rev. Curtis Goodridge and Clifford Clarke.

Today our Guest Speaker will be Mr. Peter N. Boos, FCA. He is well known in the financial and economic circles of the region. His topic is: **"Regaining Paradise"** and he will speak specifically to our present economic situation and provide ideas on the way forward.



Micro - Bio

Mr. Boos is the Chairman at The Barbados Entrepreneurship Foundation. He was educated in England from 1957-1963 at the Oratory School, Berkshire. He was articled to a firm of Chartered Accountants in City Of London from 1963 to 1969. In May 1969, he became a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England & Wales.

Peter joined the Barbados branch of Ernst & Young in 1969, eventually becoming partner on January 1 1973. He continued to become Managing Partner of Ernst & Young, Barbados from 1982 to 2000 and later Executive Chairman of Ernst & Young, Caribbean from 2000 to 2004. Currently he is Chairman Emeritus of Ernst & Young, Caribbean.

Peter specialises in the areas of international tax and corporate planning, business strategy and development, real estate development, marketing and communications, leadership and organisational development, entrepreneurship and human resources development.

More to come in the formal introduction.

Last Thursday was a Fellowship Meeting with the Induction of new member Ms. Sue Springer and a presentation by Guest Speaker Mr. Stephen O'Mally, Resident Coordinator of the UN in Barbados with responsibility for Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean and the Head of the United Nations Development Program (UNDP).



New Rotarian Susan Springer pinned by her sponsor Past President Brenda Pope ©SFC

Following is a summary of the Introduction of Susan Springer by PP Brenda:

Fellow Rotarians, I am extremely pleased today to introduce and propose Mrs. Susan Springer as our newest member of the Rotary Family.

Sue is a veteran hotelier of some thirty years who holds a Master of Science in Tourism and Hospitality Management and is a Member of the Hotel Catering Industrial and Management Association (HCIMA).

She commenced her career in London, England, at the Waldorf Hotel followed by stints in Bahrain and Guyana. She then moved to Barbados to take up the position of Training Manager at the Sandy Lane Hotel, and later managed Discovery Bay, Colony Club and Tamarind Cove Hotels, after which she became Operations Manager at Almond Beach Village. Sue also opened and managed Turtle Beach Resort.

She has lectured at Guilford and Plymouth College of Technology in England in various disciplines including Front Office, Housekeeping, Sales and Marketing and also lectured in Barbados at the Barbados Community College Hospitality Institute.

Meeting Details

Thursday, May 22, 2014

Sergeant-At-Arms: PE Alex

- Attendance - 54%
- Raffle - \$72.91
- Fines - \$168.55

She sits on several statutory bodies and is a Board member of the Tourism Development Corporation (TDC) and Barbados Conference Services Ltd (BCSL). In addition, she was a member of the Technical Vocational Education & Training Council (TVET) and Hospitality Lead Body for National Vocational Qualifications (NVQ's).

Sue is Past President of the Barbados Hotel & Tourism Association (BHTA) and is currently Executive Vice President of the Association a position she has held for the past 12 years. She was also the President of the Caribbean Society of Hotel Association Executives (CSHAE) for four years and currently is an Executive Member of the Caribbean Hotel and Tourism Association (CHTA).

She is a widow with two daughters and three grand children whom she adores.

I am confident she will bring not only her enthusiasm but her many talents around her vocation to put to use in the work of Rotary, in our club as well as further afield.

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END POLIO NOW



At www.riconvention.org, learn about what makes Rotary conventions inspiring. Follow the 2014 convention, 1-4 June in Sydney, with [#ricon14](https://twitter.com/ricon14)

[Find more at endpolio.org](http://endpolio.org)

Southeast Asia declared polio-free

The World Health Organization certified on 27 March that its Southeast Asia region has eradicated polio. The challenge now for the [Global Polio Eradication Initiative](#) is to eliminate the disease in the countries where it has never been stopped: Afghanistan, Pakistan, and Nigeria.

Pakistani Rotary member talks about his 20 years fighting polio

'The major challenge now is getting over political and religious objections to the vaccine' Workers and volunteers do their best to immunize children, even in extreme conditions. Walks, rallies, and talk shows are also part of the strategy to [End Polio Now in Pakistan](#).

Rotaract Clubs in Egypt bring polio vaccine to the slums of Alexandria

Effort is part of the response to Middle East outbreak. Rotaract members acted to [protect children in Egypt against polio](#) as surrounding countries worked to quell outbreaks of the disease.

CANADA

Districts [5360](#) (parts of Alberta and Saskatchewan, Canada) and [5370](#) (parts of Alberta, British Columbia, Northwest Territories, and Saskatchewan) raised CA\$350,000 as part of a joint campaign with the Alberta government, which matched that amount for a total of \$700,000.

More than 10,000 Rotary members in 30 countries raised over \$190,000 as of April by participating in the [World's Greatest Meal to Help End Polio](#).

The annual [Global Swimarathon](#), held on 23 February to mark Rotary's 109th anniversary, netted more than \$100,000.

In her new album, "Eve," Grammy Award winner [Angélique Kidjo](#) honors the women of Africa and pays tribute to Rotary's work to end polio worldwide.

More than 90,000 people from 170 countries have joined the [World's Biggest Commercial](#). We are "this close" to having 100,000 participants and you can help us surpass our goal. Upload your photo by 30 June, if you haven't already done so. Also, share the link to the commercial through social media.

[Find more at endpolio.org](http://endpolio.org) [Advocate for a polio-free world](#)
[Learn more about the polio endgame plan](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 31 – The Exhibition continues at the A 1 supermarkets until May 31
May 31 – Beach Day with the Child Care Board at Brown's Beach
June 1-4 - International Convention – Sydney, Australia
June 19 – Special Meeting
June 26 – Classification Talk - Nicholle
Installation Night – July 12

GREETERS

June 05 – PP John Cabral & David Walker
June 12 – PP Anthony Williams & Secretary Paul
June 19 – Nicholas Waithe & Trevor Whitehall

GUESTS

Neil Hurst – Barbados – Kristof Abbeloos
Steven O'Malley – Head of UN Barbados – Director Lisa Cummins
Sue Springer – Barbados - Past President Brenda Pope

HELP US NAME THE ROTARY FOUNDATION CENTENNIAL BOOK - [Rotary International](#)

Rotary has commissioned Rotarian and author David Forward to write the history of The [#Rotary](#) Foundation to celebrate its centennial in 2016-17.

From now through 15 June vote at <http://ow.ly/wLeCg> for one of four selected titles or submit your own for a chance to win a trip to the 2017 Rotary Convention in Atlanta or a free copy of the book.

History fact and [#tbt](#): At the 1980 Rotary convention in Chicago, Dr. Albert Sabin told Rotarians of the need for "community camp...aigns for mass vaccination of all children under four or five years of age" to eradicate [#polio](#). In this photo from Rotary's archives, Sabin and 1984-85 RI President Carlos Canseco appear at a press conference to announce the launch of Polio 2005 (PolioPlus) in 1985.

VISITING ROTARIAN

Robert Chase – Rotary Club of Barbados - South

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 President Jerry and Deidre Ishmael June 04

Birthdays - Rotarians

Past President Brenda Pope May 31

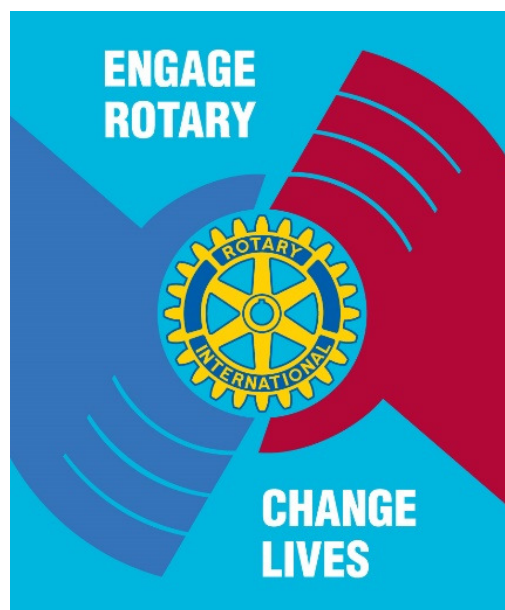
Director Elect Kim Tudor June 04

Birthdays - Partners in Service

None this week

Join Date Anniversaries

Hon Rotarian, Sir Harcourt Lewis June 01, 1986



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