



ROTA NEWS



June 30th, 2022

Rotary 



SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

R.I. OFFICERS

President
Shekhar Mehta

President Elect
Jennifer Jones



THE ROTARY 4-WAY TEST

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?

Rotary 
Club of Barbados

District 7030 - Club # 6798
Chartered March 07, 1962

PATRON

HE The Most Honorable Dame
Sandra Mason, FB, GCMG, DA. QC.
President of Barbados

DISTRICT OFFICERS

District Governor
Sonya Alleyne

District Governor Elect
Leslie Ramdhanny

District Governor Nominee
Brian Glasgow

Assistant Governor
Peter Thompson

District Secretary
Paul Ashby

District Treasurer
Brian Robinson

Council of Governors Chair
PDG Lisle Chase

District Rotary Foundation Chair
PDG Milton Inniss

District Disaster Relief Chair
PDG David Edwards

District TRF Annual Fund Chair
Brian Glasgow

District Conference Chair
Neal Griffith

Club Officers & Directors

President

Robin Ford

President Elect

Tracey Knight-Lloyd

Vice President

Algie Leacock

Secretary

Ermine Darroux

Treasurer

Peter Arender

Club Administration

Savitri St John

Membership/Youth Service

Stanley MacDonald

Public Relations

Arlene Ross

Community Service

Anton Nicholls

International/Rotary Foundation

Carole JnMarie

Immediate Past President

Fiona Hinds

Sergeant-at-Arms

Randy Marshall

Weekly meeting

Thursdays at 12.30 pm

Hilton Barbados

Needham's Point, Aquatic Gap,
St. Michael

(Meetings via Zoom from July 15, 2021 to present)

P.O. Box 148B, Brittons Hill,
St. Michael, Barbados

Rotary 

The Rotary Club of Barbados welcomes all visiting Rotarians and Guests.



Today, Thursday June 30th, 2022 is the last fellowship meeting for the Rotary year 2021-22. This is a Zoom-only meeting.

Our guest Speaker is Mr. Michael Holmes, an anchor and correspondent with CNN. Please see Page 4.

Our greeters are PP John Cabral and Rtn. Mikey Mercer.

Our next scheduled meeting will be a fellowship meeting to be held on July 14th, 2022. This meeting will be an in-person meeting only at the Hilton Hotel.

Meeting Details — June 23rd, 2022

Guests:

- Ted Isaac – PP Brenda Pope
- Katrina Alkins – Rtn. Barbara Trieloff-Deane
- Leslie St. John – Rtn. Savitri St. John
- Sharron Van Zichem – PP Stephany Van Zichem

Rotarians & Rotaractors

- PP Stephany Van Zichem –RC Genesis, Suriname

Honorary Rotarians

None

Housekeeping:

Attendance – 49 pct

The raffle was won by PP Tony Williams

Raffle raised BDS\$148.00

Fines collected BDS\$160.00

Summary of RCOB Weekly Meeting held on June 23rd, 2022

- The meeting was called to order at 12:34 p.m. by President Robin.
- PP Erskine Thompson gave the invocation.
- SAA Randy introduced the guests and visiting Rotarians who are listed elsewhere in this periodical.
- President Robin made the customary Birthday and Anniversary announcements which are listed elsewhere in this periodical.

- PP David Antrobus delivered the Rotary Minute which was centered on the history of Rotary International Conventions.
- President Robin presented his board of 2021-22 with a token of appreciation saying they were an amazing board and very supportive of the plans and goals of the club for the year.



The board (from left to right) Dir. Anton, VP Algie, Dir. Savitri, SAA Randy, Pres. Robin, IPP Fiona, Dir. Stanley, Treas. Peter and Sec. Ermine.

- President Robin thanked RBC for the donation of US\$ 30,000 to the School House. Rtn. Meryl was also thanked for ensuring that the school was a consideration. Please see below for more info on this donation.
- SE Jamella gave us the info for the Installation of Officers Ceremony being held on July 9th at the Bentley Mansion. Did you Register by June 25th? It is a semi-formal affair with a buffet style dinner, and a band and DJ for your entertainment. The cost is just BDS\$155.00. Carpooling is available, please contact SE Jamella or Rtn Keri.



- SAA Randy disciplined the club with a team building exercise, he asked five questions. The winning table

received a bottle of bubbly and a package of tea while the runner up table won a bottle of wine.

- Dir. Savitri and her secret weapon Leslie received from Rtn. Heather their prize of a BD\$100 voucher from Wine World. They won this voucher at the last Quiz night held on Zoom.



- Today's attendance was 49 pct.
- At our next meeting, a Zoom meeting only, our guest speaker will be Mr. Michael Holmes, an anchor and correspondent with CNN.
- Following the Toast to Rotary International, President Robin adjourned the meeting at 1:33pm.

ROTARY MINUTE

RI CONVENTION HISTORY.... DID YOU KNOW?

- Since 1910, the Rotary convention has combined fellowship with Rotary business and inspired attendees with notable guest speakers, entertainers, workshops, and messages from Rotary leaders.
- On 15 August 1910, Paul Harris convened the first Rotary convention and there were 60 registrants assembled at the Congress Hotel in Chicago. At the time, there were 16 clubs in the United States.
- In Rotary's early years, convention delegates debated and voted on changes to Rotary's Constitution and Bylaws. As membership and convention attendance grew, this process has evolved, however, the RI convention remains the main event for *meeting friends, celebrating accomplishments, and discussing the future of Rotary.*

SOME MEMORABLE CONVENTION MILESTONES.... Did you know?

- **1917: Atlanta, Georgia, USA: Outgoing President Arch C. Klumph inspired the creation of The Rotary Foundation.** To celebrate the

Foundation's centennial, the convention returned to Atlanta in 2017.

- **1921: Edinburgh, Scotland: First Convention held outside the USA. Delegates added the promotion of peace and goodwill to Rotary's Constitution.**
- **2004: Osaka, Japan: The convention sets a record for largest number of paid attendees, drawing 45,381 people.**
- RI conventions have evolved significantly since 1910 but the original Paul Harris vision for convention to be a place where Rotarians could "intersperse enough good time with serious business" so that the convention is not remembered as a sad occasion even though the primary purpose is to transact Rotary business, is still the highlight of each event!



INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION
27-31 MAY 2023
MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

RBC Charity Day for the Kids June 22nd, 2022

On June 22nd RBC made a donation of USD30,000.00 to the School House, the school for special needs.



Helping our Communities Prosper – RBC are committed to making a positive and measurable impact on the communities in which they live and work. Their initiatives focus on supporting youth, promoting Diversity and inclusion, celebrating the arts, and protecting the environment. This initiative was started in 2015, 58 charities have been helped across the globe. A big thank you goes out to RBC for this gift, it is truly appreciated.



Guest speaker Mr. Michael Holmes



Michael Holmes is an award-winning anchor and correspondent for CNN International based at the network's headquarters in Atlanta. He began his career at the age of 17, as a cub reporter with the Daily News, an afternoon newspaper in Perth. He has been in journalism for more than four decades.

Michael joined CNNI in 1996 as the first Australian anchor for the network, has also reported extensively from all corners of the globe including Asia, Europe, the Middle East, Mexico, India, Nepal, Africa, Pakistan and Afghanistan and has traveled to more than 80 countries.

Announcements

Wedding Anniversary
PP Ron + Suzanne Davis – 44 yrs – July 3rd
PP Stan + Harriet – 20 yrs – July 6th

Birthdays – Rotarians
Rtn. Savitri St. John – July 2nd

Birthdays – Partners-in-Service
Jeanette Cabral – PP John Cabral – July 3rd
Liz Cole – Rtn. Brian Cole – July 6th

Join Date Anniversary
Rtn. David “Pop” Walker – 36 yrs – 1st July 1986
Rtn Freddie Hart – 24 yrs – July 1st 1998

UPCOMING EVENTS

- * July 3rd – Installation of Officers Ceremony (RaCoB)
- * July 9th – Installation of Officers Ceremony (RCoB)
- * July 14th – Fellowship meeting - in person - at the Hilton Hotel.

DISTRICT 7030 EVENTS

None

**More Information on upcoming events will be published as soon as the details are available.



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.

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.

“
Only with more members, and more participants can we serve more, and change more lives.
 ”

Shekhar Mehta
 President-elect, Rotary International

Rotary

Past Present Future

Rotary Opens Opportunities

SERVE TO CHANGE LIVES

IMAGINE ROTARY

Rotary PEOPLE OF ACTION

Bulletin Editor: PP Denise Antrobus