



# ROTA NEWS



## Rotary



### Club of Barbados

District 7030 - Club # 6798

*Chartered March 07, 1962*

#### DISTRICT OFFICERS

District Governor  
Roger Bose

District Governor Elect  
Waddy Sowma

District Governor Nominee  
Dominique Venere

Assistant Governor  
Peter Downes

District Secretary  
Anne Marie Rogers

District Treasurer  
Steve Ramlakhan

Council of Governors Chair and  
Immediate Past DG -  
Milton Inniss

ARRFC and Zone member of the Zone  
Executive Committee -  
PDG David Edwards

Zone Sub-Committee  
PDG Tony Watkins



R.I Theme 2016-17

#### R.I. OFFICERS

President  
John F. Germ

President Elect  
Ian Riseley



#### 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?

March 30, 2017

#### Club Officers & Directors

President  
Lisa Cummins

President Elect  
Paul Ashby

Vice President  
Brenda Pope

Secretary  
Bobby Morris

Treasurer  
Joel Brathwaite

Club Service Director  
Diana Douglin

Vocational Service Director  
Winston Warren

Community Service Director  
Anne Bertrand

International Service Director  
PP Elvin Sealy

Youth Service Director  
Neal Griffith

Immediate Past President  
Jedder Robinson

Sergeant-At-Arms  
PP Andrew Bynoe

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

[www.clubrunner.ca/barbados](http://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 SERVING HUMANITY

ROUNDUP AND RECAP : March 23, 2017

Today's meeting was dedicated to our Past Presidents and chaired by PP Elvin Sealy. VP Brenda successfully conducted a Chinese auction for a bottle of wine won by PE Paul. This was followed by two speeches

- Mr. STEPHEN O'MALLEY who is currently the UN Resident Coordinator and UNDP Resident Representative for Barbados and the OECS and
- PDG TONY WATKINS

**GUEST SPEAKER:** Mr. O'Malley addressed the Club on the topic "Human Development for everyone". He spoke of Barbados' ranking in this report [54th] and of the role of the UN in encouraging countries to reach out to those who are not empowered so that that no one grouping in society is more empowered than any other.



**PDG TONY WATKINS** spoke on the importance of club membership and attendance. Under the theme "Rotary the world over", PDG Tony reminded the Club of the benefits of fellowship both in your own Club and in other clubs locally, regionally and internationally. He reminded that "better membership leads to better societal contribution"; that the attendance counts whether at a fellowship meetings or any other organized meeting or activity of the Club.



#### QUICK FACTS ABOUT MEMBERSHIP AND ATTENDANCE:

1. ALL ATTENDANCES AT FELLOWSHIP MEETINGS COUNT AS DO ATTENDANCES AT CLUB FUNCTIONS / ORGANISED EVENTS
2. The Manual of Procedure is available on our ClubRunner website via the links section under the head 2016 Manual of Procedure. For attendance see pages 91 et seq.
3. Members must advise the Secretary of the attendance in another club or activity.
4. The attendance must be within 14 days, before or after, the missed attendance date at your club

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION :JUNE 10-14, 2017

ATLANTA GEORGIA

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

MARCH 31, 2017: PRE-REGISTRATION DISCOUNT ENDS;  
ONLINE REGISTRATION CONTINUES AT THE ON-SITE RATE  
APRIL 30, 2017 REGISTRATION AND TICKET CANCELLATION DEADLINE  
MAY 11, 2017 LAST DAY TO RESERVE INDIVIDUAL HOUSING THROUGH ROTARY'S HOUSING PROVIDER



#### FELLOWSHIP LIME AT THE HOME OF PP JERRY AND HIS PARTNER IN SERVICE, DEIDRE

Notwithstanding that the treasure hunt had to be postponed to another occasion, members still converged on the home of PP Jerry and his Partner in service, Deidre, for food, drinks and fun. The food and company were both enjoyed by all who attended.



#### MEETING DETAILS— March 23, 2017

1. Attendance - 73%
2. Raffle Proceeds - none held
3. Fines - \$400.00

## PAST PRESIDENTS DAY—March 23, 2017

Today's meeting is dedicated to our Past Presidents when we will honour those who have had the distinction of leading our club.

### TODAY IS A FELLOWSHIP MEETING OUR GREETERS TODAY ARE:

**Director Neal Griffith** joined the club in June 21, 2012. His classification is banking/offshore and his sponsor is Past President Vic Fernandez. He was immediately recruited to the Youth Service committee and served on that committee until he became Youth Service Director in July 2013, a post he continues to hold until the end of this Rotary year. Director Neal is also an original member of the anti-cyber bullying committee which started its work in 2015. He is a member of the Fund Raising committee and has been responsible for parking management at our club fund raisers since Carols By Candlelight 2014.



**Rtn. Adrian Skeete** joined the Club on November 12, 2015 and his classification is ICT Security Technology. He was introduced by Director Neal. He is a business owner in the ICT and systems integrator space. In 2003 he moved to Barbados with his then partner Harriette Skeete, and they moved with the hope of building a foundation and to help them to define their goals and purpose. Rtn. Adrian has a keen interest in helping the youth and is especially interested in combining his interest in helping the youth in our society with his passion for football. He has been elected to serve on the 2017/18 RCOB Board. He is on the Youth Service and Sargeant-at-arms Committee.



## ROTARY DISTRICT 7030 NEWS

DISTRICT 7030 CONTINUES TO PREPARE FOR ITS ANNUAL DISTRICT PETS & CONFERENCE APRIL 26 - APRIL 29.

ALL MEMBERS ARE REMINDED TO MAKE A SPECIAL EFFORT TO ATTEND OUR CONFERENCE BEING HELD IN TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO THIS YEAR. THE FLYER BELOW IS TO ENCOURAGE MEMBERS TO BOOK ATTEND THE HOUSE OF FRIENDSHIP ZONE AND SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE AND BRAINSTORM YOUR IDEAS WITH OTHER PARTICIPANTS.

**HOUSE OF FRIENDSHIP ZONE**  
ROTARY & ROTARACT DISTRICT 7030 CONFERENCE 2017

**DEADLINE April 7th 2017**  
**LIMITED SPACES**

**Attention all Rotary and Rotaract Clubs!**  
Do you have something beneficial that you would like to share with all conference participants?  
The House of Friendship is the spot for you!

- Must have a noteworthy project to showcase
- The booth must be manned for the duration of the conference i.e 26th - 29th April 2017
- Interested parties are encouraged to use visual tools to make the booth appealing
- Booths come with (1) custom sign and (1) table (undressed) with (2) chairs

APRIL 26TH - 29TH 2017  
HYATT REGENCY HOTEL | 600 DELEGATES | 17 COUNTRIES |  
SHARE KNOWLEDGE AND IDEAS | GROW | NETWORK |

Send applications to: [c.lallia@yahoo.com](mailto:c.lallia@yahoo.com)  
Applicants must include a brief of the project to be displayed

## UPDATE—RI CONVENTION 2017 Special March 2017 Newsletter Extra

**Zone 33-34** Mid-Atlantic and Southeastern USA, the Caribbean, Puerto Rico, French Guiana, Suriname, Antigua and Barbuda, Aruba, Barbados, Bonaire, Curacao, Dominica, French Guiana, French West Indies, Grenada, St. Lucia, Guadeloupe, Guyana, Martinique, Montserrat, St. Kitts-Nevis, St. Vincent and The Grenadine and Trinidad and Tobago.



Rotary International President John F. Germ and Judy

Rotary's 108th annual **International Convention** June 10–14 is expected to attract over 40,000 Rotary club members from over 160 countries.

**ZONES 33 & 34 WILL BE WELL REPRESENTED. WHOA!!!! THAT IS COUNTING YOU, WHO IS GOING TO REGISTER SOONEST.**

### Important Deadlines

**March 31, 2017:** Last day for preregistration discount (\$415 Rotarians/\$100 Rotaractors)

**June 14, 2017:** Last day for online registration (\$490 Rotarians/\$130 Rotaractors)

### TOP 5 REASONS TO JOIN US

1. Meet the most inspiring people in the world
2. Strengthen your club and your passion for Rotary.
3. Join The Rotary Foundation 100'th celebration.
4. Explore the American South.
5. Enjoy special tours and events offered by the Host Organization Committee

Some folks are doubling their friendship plus saving some travel dollars. Ask your District Governor what POOLS have been organized so far.

## BE INSPIRED! BE AN INSPIRATION TO OTHERS "SERVICE ABOVE SELF"

### FIND A PROJECT AND HELP

SOME OF OUR ONGOING PROJECTS ARE BELOW

1. **FEED FAMILIES IN NEED** Project—help is always needed for both collections of non-perishable food stuff and the distribution thereof.
2. **INTERACTING AND TEACHING THE CHILDREN AT FARR'S, STERLING AND NIGHTENGALE HOMES—CONTACT DIRECTOR ANNIE OR RTN. MARK WHEELER**
3. **ATTENDING ROTARACT AND / OR INTERACT MEETINGS . See Director Neal for times and dates.**

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APRIL

MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH MONTH  
GREETERS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL

- APR 6 Rtn. Heather Tull and PP Norman Barrow
- APR 13 Rtn. Sanjay Amin and Rtn. Peter Williams
- APR 20 Rtn. Ron Williams and PP Richard Blanchette
- APR 27 Rtn. Anthony Shaw and Rtn. Kim Tudor

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- APRIL 8 8 PM CHARITY CONCERT IN AID OF THE SCHOOLHOUSE FOR SPECIAL NEEDS AT THE BARBADOS CONCORDE EXPERIENCE
- APRIL 26 -29 DISTRICT P.E.T.S & CONFERENCE

Announcements

Wedding Anniversary

PP Robert "Bobby" Morris and Mrs. Beverly Morris 48 years April 5

Birthday - Rotarians

Rtn. Roger Smith Mar 30

Birthday - Partners in Service

Gillian Applewhaite partner in service Of PE Paul Ashby April 2

Deidre Clarendon partner in service

Of PP Jerry Ishmael

Join Date Anniversary

PP John Cabral	36 years	April 1, 1981
Rtn. Sanjay Amin	7 years	April 1, 2010
Rtn. Waldo Clarke	7 years	April 1, 2010
PEE Shawn Franklin	7 years	April 1, 2000



OUR GUESTS

VISITING ROTARIANS

- Rtn. Martin Dean— Rotary Club of Teddington & The Hamptons, United Kingdom
- Rtn. Michael Bohn—Rotary Club of Nürnberg-Sigena, Germany

GUESTS

- Stephen O'Malley—guest of President Lisa
- Arlene Ross—guest of Director Neal Griffith
- Kolé Mascoll—guest of Rtn. Makonem Hurley
- Meryl Stoute—guest of Director Winston Warren
- Harrison Niven— guest of Rtn. Andrew Niven
- Wenrick Clarke—guest of PP Algernon Leacock



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.

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