



ROTA NEWS



**ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE**

December 7, 2017

Rotary Club of Barbados

District 7030 - Club # 6798

Chartered March 07, 1962

DISTRICT OFFICERS

District Governor
Waddy Sowma

District Governor Elect
Dominique Venere

District Governor Nominee
Trevor Blake

Assistant Governor
Peter Downes

District Secretary
Rino Tjin Wong Joe

District Treasurer
Agnes Mowensi Sokow

Council of Governors Chair
Roger Bose

District Grants Chair
Milton Inniss

Club Officers & Directors

President

Paul Ashby

President Elect
Shawn Franklin

Vice President
Algernon Leacock

Secretary
Neal Griffith

Treasurer
Joel Brathwaite

Club Service Director
Crisy Laurent

Vocational Service Director
Tracey Knight-Lloyd

Community Service Director
Malcolm Vaughn

International Service Director
Adrian Skeete

Youth Service Director
Makonem Hurley

Immediate Past President
Lisa Cummins

Sergeant-At-Arms
Chrispen Hackett

R.I Theme 2017-18

R.I. OFFICERS

President
Ian Riseley

President Elect
Barry Rassin

**Zone 33-34 Executive
Committee Member**
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?

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

**THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS
WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS**
Mar 07 - Club Charter Date - 1962 - Club # 6798
RI THEME: ROTARY MAKING A DIFFERENCE
**DECEMBER—DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT
MONTH**

RECAP OF WEEK COMMENCING NOV. 27

Last Tuesday, Nov 28, the Rotary Clubs hosted a joint meet and greet with DG Waddy Sowma at Apes Hill
Last Thursday, there was no meeting as we celebrated Barbados' 51st Independence day.

HIGHLIGHTS OF DG WADDY SOWMA'S VISIT TO BARBADOS

During the course of the preceding week we welcomed DG Waddy Sowma to our Club. President Paul together with the Presidents of Rotary Club of Barbados West and Rotary Club of Barbados South met with and hosted DG Waddy. The activities were numerous and ranged from meeting with the Governor General (Acting) and visiting some of the Clubs' projects. On Tuesday Nov. 28 a cocktail reception was held at the beautiful grounds of Apes Hill. The DG in his address to the Rotarians had this to say:

"Don't be a R.I.N.O !" - That was the fervent appeal of District Governor Waddy Sowma as he addressed Rotarians at his Welcome Cocktail Reception at the Apes Hill Clubhouse. The DG reminded Rotarians that we are to be a "people of action" and not Rotarians In Name Only (RINO).

With several Rotarians and Partners in Service in attendance, including Past District Governors, Past Assistant Governor Sonya Alleyne and Assistant Governor Peter Downes, it was the perfect occasion for DG Waddy Sowma to outline his vision for District 7030.

The DG also spoke of each Rotary Club's obligation to support Rotary Foundation, insisting that Rotary is a "premier service organisation dedicated to peace". DG Waddy encouraged local clubs to access more District Grants as well as to work on enhancing our public image.

On that night, Rotarians also witnessed the culmination of their hard work during the **We Care Radiothon**. The We Care Radiothon held on September 16th, 2017 raised over \$200,000.00 for our Caribbean neighbours affected by the recent spate of hurricanes. President Paul Ashby of Rotary Club of Barbados accepted the cheque from Starcom's Anthony Greene. In making brief remarks, Mr. Greene thanked the Rotary Clubs of Barbados for partnering with them on this national appeal and revealed that to-date, the event has exceeded their expectations.

The evening ended on a high note filled with fun and fellowship.

ANNUAL SENIOR CITIZENS TEA PARTY

On Sunday Dec. 3, amidst the majestic grounds of the Government House of Barbados, we treated our senior citizens to tea and carols.

The evening was nothing short of majestic and was enjoyed by all including Sir Philip Greaves our acting Governor General and host for the evening.

L-R : PP Paul and PDG David ; head table PP Paul, Gillian his Partner in Service, His Excellency Sir Philip Greaves Acting Governor General and PDG David



Below : Comm'r Willie Kirton, PE Shawn and Rtn. Winston; GG meeting a 104 year old senior citizen



Right: Rtn. Steve, Secretary Neal and PDG David display their seasonal ties



MEETING DETAILS— November 30, 2017

**INDEPENDENCE DAY AND HENCE NO THURSDAY
MEETING**

ILARO COURT

AS WE PREPARE TO HOST OUR ANNUAL CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE BELOW TO DO LIST—ESPECIALLY IF YOU ARE SERVING DRINKS OR FOOD:

1. MORNING SET UP AT ILARO COURT IS CRITICAL. SEE PE SHAWN AND SECTY NEAL FOR FURTHER DETAILS.
2. AFTERNOON SET UP COMMENCES AT 2 PM - SEE ROSTER
3. HEALTH CERTIFICATES MUST BE OBTAINED AND GIVEN TO PRESIDENT PAUL. PLEASE CONSULT RTN. DR. BEVERLEY AGARD SHOULD YOU REQUIRE ASSISTANCE.
4. ALL PERSONS SERVING MUST HAVE THEIR HEADS APPROPRIATELY COVERED
5. GLOVES MUST BE WORN
6. PLEASE DO NOT WEAR SLEEVELESS SHIRTS
7. IF SERVING DRINKS THE SCOOP FOR THE ICE MUST NOT BE LEFT IN THE ICE BUCKET

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT HELP IS NEEDED BEFORE DURING AND AFTER THE EVENT.

ALL ROTARIAN HANDS ON DECK AS WE DECK THE HALLS OF ILARO COURT





Carols By Candlelight
WHERE THE JOY OF CHRISTMAS COMES TO LIGHT
10TH DEC 2017 • ILARO COURT • 5:00 PM
IN SUPPORT OF LOCAL CHARITIES

\$40 ADMITS 1 ADULT AND 2 CHILDREN UNDER 12

WITH THE KIND PERMISSION OF PRIME MINISTER RT HON FREUNDEL STUART, QC, MP

BOX OFFICES:

- A & B MUSIC SUPPLIES - SHERATON
- LILIPUM - MILL HOUSE ST. THOMAS
- LITTLE MUNCHKINS BABY & TODDLER STORE - SKY MALL CAVE SHEPHERD
- CARLTON SUPERMARKET - BLACK ROCK
- EMERALD CITY SUPERMARKET - ST. PHILIP
- PARTY OCCASIONS - SHERATON
- SMART STORE - LIMEGROVE
- SMART STORE - WORTHING

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JANUARY 26-28 2018

ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE— IS HOSTING ITS ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL CURRICULUM AND BEST PRACTISES MEETING AT HILTON GARDEN INN, 7300 AUGUSTA DRIVE, ORLANDO, FLORIDA.

THIS PROGRAM IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED FOR ALL LEADERS PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE

Please see the following web pages

www.rotaryleadershipinstitute.org and <http://www.rli-training.org/rli-international-curriculum-meeting/>

WHAT IS RLI RLI is a grassroots coalition of Rotary districts implementing a leadership development program for "potential" leaders of Rotary CLUBS. Established in 1992, RLI has become a worldwide organization with divisions in every continent of the world. While it is an unofficial program of Rotary International, it has substantial support of a number of past Rotary International Presidents and current, past and incoming R.I. Directors. (See Senior Leaders Advisory Board under Organizational Information). The R.I. Board has adopted a resolution recommending RLI or similar programs to the districts and the Council on Legislation has twice recommended RLI to the Board.

RLI believes that excellent CLUB leadership (all types of club leaders) is essential to the future of Rotary in a complex and fast changing world. Most Rotarians have not been exposed to the great scope of Rotary around the world and have not considered what leadership skills are necessary to move Rotary forward.

SHOE BOX CHRISTMAS LIST FOR THE CHILDREN AT THE CHILDREN'S HOMES—A GIFT FROM US TO THEM



Once again we plan to treat the children at the Sterling Children's Home and Farr's Children's home to Christmas gifts. The children have given to us a wish list and every year we do our best to try to meet their requests (within reason of course). The list has been sent via ClubRunner for your review. It is suggested that two or more persons can collaborate to purchasing the gift given the small numbers

Thanking each of you for your contribution which is heartily appreciated by each of those young persons.

PLEASE CONTACT OUR RTN FIONA HINDS OR DIRECTOR MALCOLM VAUGHN BY DEC. 19 2017 TO INDICATE

1. YOUR NAME AND THE CHILD AND GIFT
2. WHERE MORE THAN ONE ROTARIAN, THE NAMES OF EACH

Mar 07 - Club Charter Date - 1962

DECEMBER—

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec. 10 *Carols By Candlelight*
Dec. 21 *Christmas luncheon*

IMPORTANT DATES

APRIL 25-28 PARAMARIBO SURINAME
ROTARY DISTRICT 7030 P.E.T.S AND CONFERENCE

JUNE 23-27 TORONTO CANADA
ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2018

PLEASE SEE THE WEBSITES FOR BOTH CONFERENCES
WHICH INCLUDES INFORMATION ON REGISTRATION
DEADLINES, COSTS AND ACCOMMODATION

OUR GUESTS

THERE WAS NO MEETING ON NOVEMBER 3, 2017 AS WE
CELEBRATED BARBADOS' INDEPENDENCE DAY



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"The prevention of disease today is one of the most important factors in line of human endeavor."

Charles Mayo

Rotary  

www.rotary.org

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 Anniversary

PP Lionel Moe and T. Florine Moe	49 years	Dec. 7, 1968
PP Vic Fernandes and Ferida Fernandes	22 years	Dec. 9, 1995

Birthday - Rotarians

PP Jedder Robinson	Dec. 1
Rtn. Berkeley Blades	Dec. 7
PAG Ivan Browne	Dec. 12
Hon. Rtn. Dr. Jeff Massy	Dec. 12
Rtn. Peter Williams	Dec. 13

Birthday - Partners in Service

Gloria Kirton - Comm'r Willie Kirton	Dec. 6
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Join Date Anniversary

Rtn. Dr. Albert Best	5 years	Dec. 6, 2012
Rtn. Winston Warren	5 years	Dec. 6, 2012
SAA Chrispen Hackett	1 year	Dec. 8, 2016
Rtn. Donna King-Brathwaite	12 years	Dec. 8, 2005
Dir. Malcolm Vaughn	1 year	Dec. 8, 2016

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.

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