

## THE WAVE

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Plant a tree means, plant a million lives



# A Green Rotary Year is here











#### **MEET THE EDITORIAL TEAM**

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new Rotary year. It is all excitement at the WAVE, as we congratulate all those who have accepted the honor of supporting the District Governor along the way. We thank District Governor Ken for entrusting us with this task and we hope that we shall be able to live up to his standards. In this issue, we have shared the new leadership expectations both at Rotary International and our District 9211. We would therefore like

always exciting - and so it is with each

to encourage all Rotarians to take advantage of this platform to showcase the solutions that you are applying to the challenges in your respective communities. As you will note, District Governor Ken has a passion for environment. The green in our Newsletter is to remind you District Governor Ken's expectations from each one of you. Please keep in touch with us and enjoy the first issue!

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## ROTARY INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Ian H.S. Riseley President Rotary International 2017-2018





ROTARY: MAKING A DIFFERENCE

Some years ago, a new acquaintance asked me what should have been a simple question: "What is Rotary?" I opened my mouth to reply and then stopped short with the realization that I simply did not know where to begin. The problem wasn't that I didn't know what Rotary was. The problem was that Rotary was — and is — too large and complex to easily define. We are a member-based organization. а club-based organization, and a service based organization; we are local, regional, and international; we are community members, businesspeople and professionals, working and retired, active in nearly every country in the world. Every one of our 1.2 million members has a unique set of goals, experiences, and priorities; every one of us has a unique understanding of Rotary.

To me, Rotary is defined not by who we are, but by what we do — by the potential that Rotary gives us, and the ways we realize that — potential in meaningful and lasting service. Rotary has been around for a long time: 112 years.

some ways, we've changed tremendously, we've grown, as matured, and adapted to the changing needs of our members and communities. In our fundamentals. however, we remain the same: an organization of people with the desire — and through Rotary, the ability — to make a difference

in our communities, and the world.

We answer the question "What is Rotary?" with our actions, by making a difference through our service.

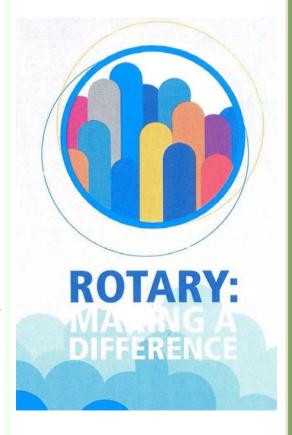
As an organization, we recognize how important it is that the world understand what Rotary is, and what we do. At the same time, we know that it is more important than ever to allow our clubs to define Rotary service for themselves. As Rotarians, we have more flexibility than ever to decide how we want our clubs to meet, work, and grow. We're focused more than ever on making sure that Rotary reflects the people it serves, with more women and a more diverse membership. And we're working hard to ensure Organization, by emphasizing long-term planning, sustainable service, and continuity in leadership on every level.

In 2017-18, we will answer the question "What is Rotary?" with the theme Rotary: Making a Difference. However each of us chooses to serve, we do it because we know our service makes a difference in the lives of others. Whether we are building a new playground or a new school, improving medical care or sanitation, raining conflict mediators midwives, we know that the work we do will change people's lives - in ways large and small — for the better. Whatever motivation each of us had for joining Rotary, it is the satisfaction

we find in Rotary that causes us to remain, the satisfaction of knowing that week by week, year by year, we are part of *Rotary: Making a Difference.* 



Ian H.S. Riseley President, Rotary International, 2017-18



#### **MANDATORY ACTIVITIES**

- Pay July semiannual dues to RI on time
- RI PRESIDENTIAL CITATION

• Report volunteer hours and service project contribution in Rotary Club Central

### **FOCUS**

- 1. All goals are tied to data points that RI can measure.
- 2. Report volunteer hours and service project contribution in Rotary Club Central.
  - 3. Increase Club membership, diversity and engagement
- 4. Clubs MUST report their goals in Rotary Club Central as several goals in the citation are linked to goals in Rotary Club Central.
  - 5. Rotarians will be able to access a new Presidential Citation dashboard on My Rotary.

"We know that we can do more than we could ever hope to do alone." RI President Ian Riseley

#### RI PRESIDENT ELECT ACCEPTANCE SPEECH TO THE 2017 ROTARY CONVENTION

Sam F. Owori
Rotary Club of Kampala
Uganda—June 2017



I joined Rotary in 1978, and I will remain forever grateful to two people. First is my friend, Doctor, and Mentor, Professor Charles Olweny, who invited me and made it his duty to persuade a reluctant and suspicious me to attend a Rotary Club meeting. I finally went out of respect and was pleasantly surprised to discover that the club was full of people I already knew. This is the power of invitation and persistence.

Charles brought me into Rotary. But what made me want to remain a Rotarian were two successful Rotary starting with projects, а young Karimojong girl, Margaret Rose Illukol, from a remote northeastern part of Uganda. Margaret's entire face had been chewed up by a hyena when was left sleeping alone in the thatched hut of her nomadic parents. The Rotary Club of Kampala took up the case, and after wide press publicity, Australian Rotarians came ahead of America Rotarians and collected Margaret from Kampala and took her to Newcastle, Australia, where it took more than 20 complicated surgeries over several years for her face to be reconstructed. Margaret Rose not only survived, but went on ahead to become a registered nurse at the same hospital where she had been treated. The second project, which the American Rotarians started after they arrived too

late for Margaret, was that today is globally known as the Gift of Life.

successful This started with open-heart surgeries for three children: Grace Agwaru, John Egole and Robinah Nakabuve from Kampala. **Thanks** to Rotarian generosity, they are all well and alive. This is the power of Rotary projects and for me it was impossible to remain indifferent after learning of these cases.

The second person I am grateful to is PDG Juli Adelusi-Adeluvi of Lagos, Nigeria, who gave me confidence that I could become something. He came to me after I made a small presentation at Hiroii Mukasa's Presidential Conference in 1983 in Nairobi, looked straight at me and said, "Young man, you will one day be a district governor". Juli crossed my Rotary path again twice as an IA trainer in 1987, and as a substitute RI president's personal representative at my district conference in 1988.

Today, 39 years later, because someone invited me, and another one gave me confidence, I stand before you with great joy and utmost humility to accept the nomination as president of Rotary International for 2018-2019.

Friends, I know that many Rotarians qualify to lead organization. But only one person can do so at a time, and I am glad and humbled that I was selected to be that person 2018-2019. I was at the bus stop at the right time, and what you see here today is about opportunity. This honor is shared by my family, country and continent, knowing that I am only the second person ever to reach here from that old continent of 55 countries and 1 billion people. Africa has benefited in SO many from this ways organization, and it is a continent of great

Rotary potential for membership projects, as well as contributions.

I pledge to look forward and backward to embrace changes, and flexibility to reinforce, rather than lose sight of, the fundamentals o our cherished value propositions. will continue the culture o collaboration by the troika at the top echelon of our organisation, and draw on the knowledge and experience of the past president who have done so much for Rotary In addition, adherence to strategic planning will be entrenched fo smooth annual successions and consistent direction. I look forward to strengthening growth, retention and extension as well as good governance, including evaluations.

Our organisation has made landmark strides globally in police eradication, health, water, literacy and other concerns, and today we stand tall at the threshold of great possibilities. As a result, we should acknowledge and exploit Rotary's capacity and power to change the world, and I invite you all to join meto propel our Rotary ship into the orbit of relevance, visibility, and sustainability.

Rotary affords us an incredible potential to serve humanity. Bu truth must be told. In the process of doing good, we are the bigges beneficiaries, because our live change. We become better people and enjoy that intrinsic satisfaction to which we cannot put price. It is true that One Profits Most Who Serves Best. Accordingly, let us follower sleeves and get ready to have fun in Rotary Serving Humanity and Rotary: Making a Difference.

Long live Rotary! May it grow in stature and scope to do even more good in the world, our nations and our world.

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#### By Rtn. Florence Kanyike

#### **INSPIRATION**



Rtn. Sam Owori accepts leadership of Rotary 2018-2019

I attended the Rotary International Convention in Atlanta and indeed it was a privilege. I networked with over 175 like minded delegates. I made new acquaintances. The House of Friendship was another great area I liked. This year's convention was very special because we had the centennial

celebration as well as the acceptance of the second African to the

high office of Rotary International. RIPE Sam Owori appeared on

Florence Kanyike is stage and made his acceptance speech. He committed himself to take up the leadership.

RC of Kasangati

This caused him a standing ovation from the delegates. We look forward to 2018-2019 as he takes up the highest office of Rotary International.





July 2017 -Start of new Rotary Officers year of Service

August 2017 -Membership and New Club Development

September 2017 -Basic Education and Literacy

October 2017 - Economic and Community Development

**November 2017** -Rotary Foundation Month

**December 2017** -Disease Prevention, Cure & Treatment

January 2018 -Vocational Service

**February 2018** -Peace and Conflict Prevention / Resolution

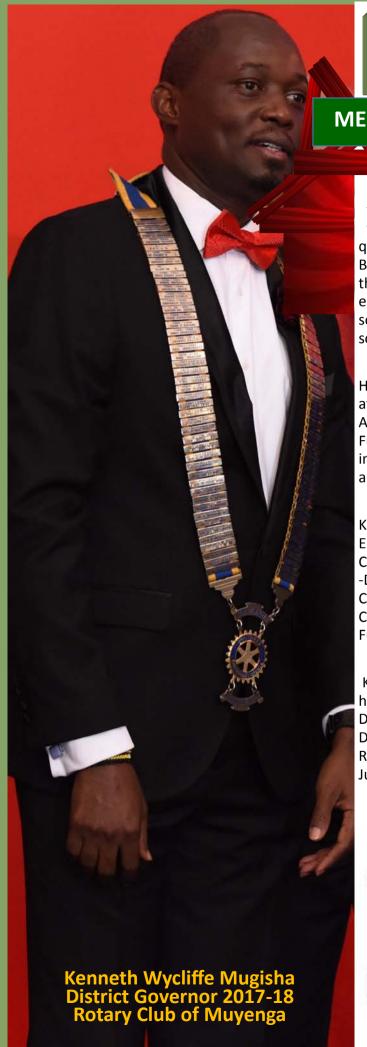
March 2018 -Water and Sanitation

April 2018 -Maternal and Child Health

May 2018 -Youth Service

June 2018 -Fellowship

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## **DISTRICT NEWS**

#### **MEET D9211 DISTRICT GOVERNOR 2017-2018**

Kenneth Wycliffe Mugisha is currently a Director on the Board of the Environmental Sustainability Rotarian Action Group (ESRAG) for the period 2017-2020. He joins a group of twenty highly qualified members from Australia, Canada, South Africa, Bangladesh, United States of America and United Kingdom. He is the Chairman of Kome View Limited a company dealing in real estate; a Director-Parapet Uganda Limited dealing in hygiene solutions; Director-Totally Wired a company providing Solar solutions and Chairman-Green Efforts Foundation.

He joined business in 1998 after seven years in official employment at Sembule Clearing and Forwarding Company and Uganda Revenue Authority. He serves as a Board Chair of Manuel Pinto Educational Fund and Board Member-Hospice Africa Uganda. He subscribes to investments clubs that include Biashara Capital, Ganyana Limited and Omni Capital.

Kenneth joined Rotary in 1996 and has served Rotary as Chair-DCA Entertainment; Chair-DCA Sergeant At Arms; Country Chair; Chair-The Rotary Foundation; Chair RYLA; District TRF Advisor; Chair-DCA Fundraising; Assistant Governor; District Treasurer; Chair-District Youth Services, President Rotary Club of Muyenga; Club Secretary, Club Treasurer, Director of Club Services and Chair Fundraising Uganda Rotary Home.

Kenneth is a Major Donor level 2 and a Bequest Society level 3. He has attended nineteen Rotary International Conventions and twelve District Conferences of which he was a Guest speaker at three District conferences. He was recognized as the Best Rotarian at the Rotary Club of Muyenga Silver Jubilee Celebrations. He and his wife Judith have two children Keith Mugisha and Tyra Mugisha.



## District Governor's Message

Kenneth Wycliffe Mugisha District Governor 2017-18 Rotary Club of Muyenga

#### My family of Rotary:

I greet you all and welcome you to the new Rotary Year 2017-2018.

Thank you for believing in me and trusting me with the delicate but important task of leading D9211.

Let me take this opportunity to appreciate the effort that each one of you has so far put in planning for the year ahead of us. A lot of good work has already been successfully accomplished, thanks to the commitment that you have put in, coupled with a high sense of togetherness and team spirit.

We had well attended DTTS and PETS, a fact that has boosted my confidence in all of you as Rotarians. The results of these trainings are—already being exhibited in the planning guides and the level of preparedness, which is evident in a good number of Clubs. Your love for Rotary is quite touching, and as your Governor I pledge my support and guidance as we struggle to make a difference that RI President Ian Risely demands of us in 2017-2018: PRotary is defined not by who we are, but by what we do by the potential that Rotary gives us, and the ways we realize that potential in meaningful and lasting service.

Now is our chance to demonstrate that we are men and women of action - ready, willing and able to make a difference in the communities we serve.

One of the biggest challenges in our times is the unmatched level of environmental degradation. How we respond to this crisis will greatly impact both current and future generations.

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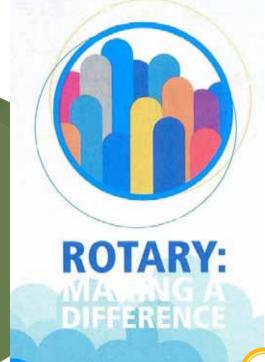




As Rotarians we can't sit back and watch as massive deforestation threatens our livelihoods, food security, health and in fact, our very existence. I therefore urge you all to join me in executing "Mission Green" – our signature programme for 2017-18 by planting trees in your communities, homes, along the highways and within the depleted forest reserves.

Undertaking this work in a sustainable manner will however require many hands and resources. We must therefore double our efforts in growing our numbers by taking advantage of the diversity around us. We must actively and enthusiastically engage men, women, youth, and children from our different communities as well as forge new partnerships so that we can widen our impact.

I wish you the best during our year of service and assure you of my unending support during 2017-2018 as we strive to make a difference in the world.



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ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE

#### 93RD DISTRICT CONFERENCE AND ASSEMBLY

Theme: "Making a Sustainable Difference"

2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> May 2018 Imperial Group of Hotels Entebbe - Uganda





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As Rotarians, we come together, discuss the challenges facing our communities, get solutions and take action. This year's priority challenge is Environment degradation which has been spearheaded by Governor Ken in what he termed as "Rotary Mission Green". This is a five year plan with two main focus areas:

**1. Afforestation:** We plan to plant 2.5 million trees during 2017-2018 through highways, schools and farmlands.

Fred Masadde is the District Chair, Mission Green Program RC Kampala Ssese Islands



**2. Energy Savers:** We are introducing energy efficient technologies to reduce the use of bio-mass in large institutions.

The Rotary Mission Green team has already engaged both the public and private sectors for technical and financial support. We call upon every Rotarian through respective clubs your mobilize your communities in which you work to plant trees to sustain our environment by following these six steps below:

#### **ROTARY MISSION GREEN EXPECTATIONS FROM CLUBS**

Step	Tick
Appoint a Rotary Mission Green Officer	
2. Launch Rotary Mission Green 2017	
3. Identify local partners for funding, land and labour	
4. Complete the Rotary Green Mission project form and submit to <a href="mailto:info@rotarymissiongreen.org">info@rotarymissiongreen.org</a> indicating the nature of the project	
5. Liaise with Mission Green team to sign off MoU's with agreed partners through info@rotarymissiongreen.org	
6. Actual Tree Planting	

## District Goals 2017-2018

#### **Youth Service:**

- 1. 80% of clubs sponsoring at least one Interact club or one Rotaract club.
- 2. At least on RYLA event (in each of the two countries) with at least 400 participants per event

#### Membership:

- 1. At least 10 new clubs initiated or chartered in Uganda and at least 5 in Tanzania
- 2. Increase membership retention from the current 50% to 80%
- 3. Growth in membership increased to 1000 in absolute terms (625 from existing clubs & 375 from new clubs)

#### **The Rotary Foundation:**

- 1. Contributions of US\$ 600,000 to TRF (US\$ 450,000 to the Annual Programmes Fund & Polio Plus)
- 2. At least 10 new Bequest Society Members
- 3. TRF utilisation of more than US\$ 3.5 million
- 4. At least 50% of the clubs with a global grant
- 5. At least two medical missions funded by a global grant (one in each Country)
- 6. Hold a Rotary Project Fair

#### **Public Relations:**

- 1. Each Country to maintain and build up a signature event
- 2. Each club to conduct at least one PR event
- 3. Each club to partner with at least one corporate body in a project

#### **Administration & Leadership:**

- 1. 100% RI Reporting and Payment obligations
- 2. Win at least one RI Performance award
- 3. At least 60% of clubs qualify for a Presidential citation
- 4. Leadership development at all levels

#### **Service Projects:**

- 1. Each club to have at least one significant project
- 2. More than 50% of the clubs to have at least one global grant project
- 3. Each club to take on at least one impactful health project

## **DG KEN AWARDS**



**Clubs with 100% Retention** 

Clubs with a sustainable Environment initiative

Clubs undertaking a Global Grant for the first time of at least US\$50,000.

Clubs with 100% Every Rotarian Every
Year (EREY)

"The World's Forest are shared stolen treasure that we must put back for our children's future." Archbishop Desmond Tutu



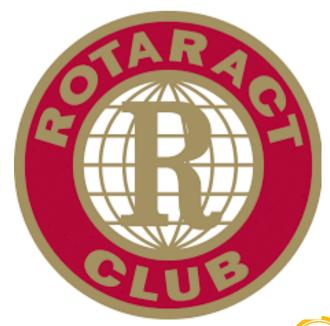
#### **YOUTH SERVICE**

Born on July 31, 1990, as the ninth child in a family of 10 - six sisters and four brothers. She attended Kampala Parents school and Nabisunsa Girls Secondary school for her primary and secondary education respectively. She holds a Bachelor of Science in Quantity Surveying of Makerere University.

She has worked as a Quantity Surveyor with Techno Tree Uganda Limited and Grand Construction Company. She is currently working as Quantity Surveyor at Roko Construction Limited. In addition she is a partner at Surveyor Lane Consultants.

She is a Charter member of Rotaract Club of Bukoto formed in 2013. She has served as: International Service Director, President Elect, President, Country Public Relations Officer, District Rotaract Public Relations Officer, District Rotaract Representative Elect and Vice Country Chair. She is now the District Rotaract Representative a similar position to a District Governor in Rotary. She is a Paul Harris Fellow.

She is a music fun and enjoys having fun. Away from official business and Rotary she is an Enterpreneur. She is the proprietor of **Aminah's Décor** since 2014. She also enjoys public speaking.



#### By Rctr. Amina Nasaazi

#### **MY ROTARY JOURNEY**



Looking back to that Sunday evening when I got a call from my friend and brother to join him for a meeting with some friends, I must say I do not regret giving him an affirmative answer and going further to show up for the meeting. Having been tasked by Rotarian Mike Sebalu, to spearhead the formation of the Rotaract Club of Bukoto are the moments that will forever be a Rotary Moment in my life. I had my first official meeting at then Steak-out Bar and Lounge, little did I know that this meeting will be a life changing one.

Since then, I have never looked back. We worked tirelessly as provisional members to make the best of this opportunity and platform. On 16<sup>th</sup> November 2012, the club was chartered and I was elected to serve as the International Service Director and with this, my journey of serving as a leader began.

As most newly chartered clubs would have it, the club was challenged with election of the next president and the Rotary year was already coming to an end, after holding a board meeting, I was elected as President Elect of the club 2013-2014. With only one month to plan, I took on the assigned task and with Allah's guidance and a dedicated board, we were able to deliver a successful year

exceling in Public Relations.

It was because of my excellent work as President that I was invited to serve on the Country Team as Public Relations Officer -2014-2015 and Chair, Youth Mobilization—Rotary Cancer Run 3 in 2014. Since then I have served in different positions as: Member RYLA 2015; District Public Relations Officer-2015-2016 and Vice Country Chair-2016-2017.

Before I knew it, my name was proposed for the position of District Rotaract Representative (DRR)! I must say, I was a bit hesitant but my profile was meeting the shared criteria so I agreed to the proposal and after the elections and at the 91<sup>st</sup> DCA in Entebbe my journey of serving as **DRR 2017-2018** began.

Being a Rotaractor for five years, serving in various positions has greatly contributed to molding me into the young lady that I am today and deserving enough to serve as DRR 2017-2018. Of course as a Rotaractor and a youth, the fun days have been there.

The current image and state Rotaract and the youth is lacking. therefore it is up to me and the incoming district and country team, to make a difference in the year 2017-2018 by restoring Rotaract to its Rotaract is "Rotary In action" and therefore it's my humble request to Rotarians, not to give up on mentoring the Youth especially the Rotaractors as these are future Rotarians. "BE THE **MENTOR YOU WISH YOU HAD"** 2017 -2018.

This year we are going to work with our sponsoring Rotary Clubs to implement **Mission Green.** 

We will also embark on the I am For a Girl Campaign (GIRLS HEALTH **SANITARY** AND MANAGEMENT). The Girls Sanitary Health "GSH" project is a District-wide initiative by Rotaract D9211 in response to girl-child school dropout rates in the region, aimed at improving sanitary health by addressing menstrual hygiene challenges and limitations borne to school-going girls aged between 12 years and 24 years.

That shared, am very humbled with this opportunity to serve and on behalf of the Rotaractors, I pledge our support to DG Ken and Rotary in general while making a difference this Rotary Year 2017-2018.

Amína Nasaazí is the District Rotaract Representative from Rotary Club of Bukoto sponsored by RC Bukoto







## D9211 DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S OFFICIAL VISITS JULY

M D3211 DISTRICT GOVERNORS CITTED AT 151153551					
DAY	DATE	CLUB	TIME		
Monday	3-Jul-17	Mengo	12:30p.m02:00p.m.		
Monday	3-Jul-17	Kampala North	6:30p.m8:30p.m.		
Tuesday	4-Jul-17	Kampala	6:30p.m8:30p.m.		
We	dnesday, July	, 5, 2017 Travel to Jir	nja @ 7:00 a.m.		
Wednesday	5-Jul-17	Source of the Nile	12:30p.m02:00p.m.		
Wednesday	5-Jul-17	Jinja	06:00p.m07:30p.m.		
Thursday	6-Jul-17	Iganga	09:00a.m11:00a.m.		
Thursday	6-Jul-17	Bugiri	12:00p.m01:30p.m.		
Thursday	6-Jul-17	Tororo	04:00p.m5:30p.m.		
Friday	7-Jul-17	Prov. Mbale Metro	01:00p.m03:00p.m.		
Friday	7-Jul-17	Mbale	06:00p.m08:30p.m.		
Saturday	8-Jul-17	Kumi	10:00a.m12:00p.m		
Saturday	8-Jul-17	Soroti Central	02:30p.m04:30p.m		
	Saturda	y, July 8, 2017 Travel	to Lira		
Sunday	9-Jul-17	Apac	08:00a.m10:00a.m.		
Sunday	9-Jul-17	Lira	12:00p.m02:00p.m.		
Sunday	9-Jul-17	Kitgum	06:00p.m01:30p.m		
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#### By Rtn. Rosemary Byanyima

#### **HEALTH**



The prevalence of HIV infection is at 7% as per 2015 study in Uganda. With introduction of Anti-retroviral treatment, there is better prognosis. However patients can still fail to respond to this treatment. This means that the patients continue to succumb to AIDS.

According to Malaria Control Program Bulletin of 2016, malaria is the leading cause of death among Ugandan claiming over 27% lives of Ugandans. The situation might not be very different for Tanzania. Both of the above diseases are preventable and it is our role as Rotarians to join in the fight to prevent these two diseases from claiming lives of our people.

Behaviours to enable one stay HIV negative

Supply chain Management for HIV related commodities

Improving Laboratory Services for testing and monitoring

**Access to ARVS** 

Service Utilization by those HIV infected









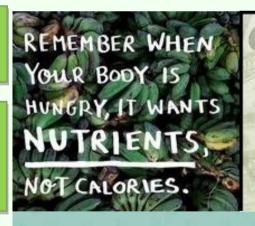
I therefore wish to request all Rotarians in district 9211 to advocate for:

Apply for GG with Malaria and HIV prevention and Treatment companets

Formulate and disseminate targeted messages for vulnerable groups e.g. youth, fisherment & pregnant mothers

Each Rotary club to hold 2 medical camps a year with malaria and HIV care activities

Form collaborations for Treatment and health education on HIV and Malaria control



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"It is health that is real wealth and not pieces of gold and silver."

~ Mahatma Gandhi



I can't control everything in my life, but I can control what I put in my body.

Rosemary Byanyima is the District Chair, HIV/AIDS & Malaria Rotary Club of Kololo

#### By Rtn. Dennis Jjuuko

#### Rotary Cancer Run advancing cancer treatment in Uganda

Six years ago, Rotarians in embarked on what Uganda many thought was an ambitious project to build a cancer centre that would provide specialist treatment and early detection for cancer patients. Their vision was a centre of excellence that would provide the vital early detection and cure cancer. pre and post treatment and most care importantly save many lives that were being lost needlessly.

With support of Corporates led by Centenary Bank, and a big push from St. Francis Hospital, Nsambya who gave us free land on which to build the center, construction work started in April 2011.

In August 2012, the Cancer Run was launched as the flag bearing fundraising vehicle. The results have been very humbling. We were able to complete the building to house the center and handed it over to Nsambya hospital in July 2015.

The run has proved to be popular with thousands of people turning up to run in what is one of the biggest Rotary events anywhere in the world.

In 2016, we introduced upcountry runs in most of the major towns in Uganda and we had the event in 16 towns on the same day drawing in thousands of people in races that the country

had never imagined. The participants totaled 20,000. The real outcome of the Rotary Cancer Run now in its sixth year has been the cancer centre at Nsambya Hospital.

"We managed together with our partners to build a 36-bed Rotary Centenary Bank Cancer Centre at Nsambya Hospital,"

PDG Stephen Mwanje, Chair of the Uganda Rotary Cancer Program says.

"It is operational today with some basic equipment and furniture. However, there is a still long way to go to make it truly a center of excellence in the treatment of cancer," he adds.

"This year, our focus is to raise money needed to build a bunker for the linear accelerator at Nsambya Hospital," explains Rotarian Patrick Kunobwa, the chair for the Rotary Cancer Run this year.

With the bunker built and the linear accelerator installed, the first phase of this previously mindboggling task would have been completed. "It is not an easy job as we need raise over a million dollars to achieve this," Rotarian Kunobwa adds.

However, even if the bunker was built and inaugurated today, the need for more cancer centres in the country will remain. At least each of the other four major regions in the country will too need this technology.

Dennis Jjuuko is the Chair, Public Relations , Rotary Cancer Run 2017 : RC Kampala Naalya





#### **SAVE THE DATES**

## Rotary District 9211 & District 9212





ROTARY: MAKING A DIFFERENCE





8<sup>th</sup>- 10<sup>th</sup> Februay 2018

## The 1<sup>st</sup> East African Rotary Projects Fair

More than 300 projects to choose from!!



Visiting International Rotarians will have

Rotarians will personally meet project

contacts and other local Rotarians

well as long lasting friendships.

This project fair is intended to afford the

the opportunity to learn firsthand about

the community and the projects looking

establishing important partnerships as

host country the opportunity to utilize the event for the improvement of Rotary's

International Clubs will have a chance to

choose a project from a wide range of

You'll meet and get acquainted with local

Foreign clubs will also offer their projects

You'll be able to foster intercultural

Make friends/partnerships/relationships

public image, and to extend fellowship to

Benefits:

for assistance.

visiting Rotarians.

project promoters

to local clubs

Tourism

exchange



"I invite you to come to Uganda the Pearl of Africa and attend this first ever East African Rotary Projects Fair.

It is going to be massive, we have over 300 projects to choose from. All are in the six areas of focus.

Let's use this chance to network with rotarians from all over the world. This will be an annual event. See you at Entebbe."

PDG Stephen Mwanje Chairman, Rotary Projects Fair

#### To the Clubs in Districts 9211 & 9212

Invitation for you and your club members to be a part of the 1st East African Rotary Projects Fair.

- Please join us in Entebbe Municipality for three days of Projects Fair. From 8<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> February 2018 At Imperial Botanical Beach Hotel Entebbe.
- Participate in the Projects Fair
- Motivate Non- Rotarians to attend the Fair.

#### Program highlights:

- · Project visits,
- · Health camps,
- Training,
- · Project display
- Visit to key tourist sites, etc.

#### We have over 300 projects to choose from!!

The projects will be based on the six areas of focus. During this three-day event, clubs will exhibit their projects to visiting Rotarians.

#### PARTICIPATION & REGISTRATION

**CLUB PARTICIPATION FEE \$350** 

This guarantees you 1 Booth and 2 members in the booth INDIVIDUAL PARTICIPANT FEE \$175 includes:

- Coffee break
- 2 lunches
- **■** Final Dinner Event

#### STALL AND SPACE DETAILS

- Exhibition stand measuring 3m x 3m
- Accessories: 2 Chairs, 1 Table, Spotlights and waste bin

#### Imperial Botanical Beach Hotel

This is the venue for the Project fair. Located on the shores of Lake Victoria, it offers great accommodation. It is within 5 km of Entebbe International Airport, and offers free WiFi and free private parking.

Accommodation \$60 per night, Bed & Breakfast.

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#### 93™ DISTRICT CONFERENCE AND ASSEMBLY

2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> May 2018 Imperial Group of Hotels, Entebbe - Uganda





#### Dear Stakeholders

The 93rd DCA in Entebbe will be a unique and memorable experience - full of fun, learning and indulgence in Uganda's natural endowment and hospitality. The Conference Theme is "Making a Sustainable Difference." This highlights the added value of taking a sustainability outlook to our service in Rotary and our own interaction with the environment. The Conference will bring together various Rotarians, Rotaractors, Partners and Guests from the district and around the World, Join us in Entebbe for celebration of the difference we are making within communities, Rotary and the world. I urge you to take advantage of the Governor's early bird registration offer to secure your place.

I look forward to meeting you in Entebbe, May

Rtn. Kenneth Mugisha District Governor 2017-2018

#### Dear Colleagues

It is my great pleasure to warmly welcome you to the 93rd DCA Conference which will take place in Entebbe, Uganda from 2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> May 2018. We have selected the Imperial Group Hotels for business, leisure and other conference activities to ensure that you have an unforgettable experience during your stay, Within the vicinity you can take leisure walks along the shores of lake victoria, a boat cruise, a visit to the Uganda Wildlife Education Centre, Entebbe night life, Hospitality and more.

The host committee has eased systems for your early registration and is developing an exciting programme for all of us. This will be the most attended D9211 DCA with up to 2,000 delegates. I therefore encourage you to register now so that you are not left out.

Rtn. David Kasingwire 93rd DCA, Conference Chairman

#### REGISTRATION

Package	Deadline	Rotaractors	Rotarians/ Guests
Early Bird	31st August 2017	\$75	\$150

#### **ACCOMMODATION PER NIGHT**

Hotels Sharing/ Double Single Imperial Group of Hotels \$110 \$60

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