



# ROTA



# NEWS

Jan 28, 2016

## Rotary Club of Barbados



District 7030

Chartered March 07, 1962



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R.I Theme 2015-16

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#### President

K.R. "Ravi" Ravindran

#### President Elect

John F. Germ

**Rotary Foundation  
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Foundation Coordinator-  
Zone 34**

PDG David Edwards

### DISTRICT OFFICERS

#### District Governor

Milton Inniss

#### District Governor Elect

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Waddy Sowma

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**Council of Legislation &  
Distr. Programs Committee Chair**  
PDG Tony Watkins

#### District Treasurer

PP Lionel Moe

#### Assist. District Confer. Chair

PP Elvin Sealy

### Club Officers & Directors

#### President

Jedder Robinson

#### President Elect

Lisa Cummins

#### Vice President

Carl "Tony" Williams

#### Secretary

Robert "Bobby" Morris

#### Treasurer

Brian Cole

#### Club Service Director

Paul Ashby

#### Vocational Service Director

Winston Warren

#### Community Service Director

Annie Bertrand

#### International Service Director

Dr. Tracy Archer

#### Youth Service Director

Neal Griffith

#### Immediate Past President

William "Alex" Mc Donald

#### Sergeant-At-Arms

Heather Tull



### 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](http://www.clubrunner.ca/barbados)

## THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS WELCOMES ALL VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

### JANUARY : Vocational Service Month

*Last Thursday was a Public Holiday. We Celebrated with the Children of the Child Care Board at our Annual Picnic and Fun Day.*

*Today is a Fellowship Meeting. District Conference Chair, PP Sonya Alleyne will give an update on the Conference.*

*Our greeters are Past Director Geoffrey "Freddie" Hart and Club Service Director, PEE Paul Ashby*

### MEET OUR GREETERS

Past Director Freddie Hart relocated to Antigua and first became a member of the Rotary Club of Antigua in 1972. His career took him also to Belize and St. Lucia where he became a member of the Clubs in those jurisdictions and sat on both Boards of Directors. **You may learn more of the contribution by Freddie by reading his profile #12 in the Rota News for January 01, 2015.**



Club Service Director Paul Ashby joined the Club on March 05, 2009. His Classification is Banker. He was proposed by Past President Tony Williams. He served as Director New Generations 2010-2012. He served as Secretary for 2013-2015, and the Chair of the Attendance Committee and a member of the Fund Raising Committee for 2014-15. Currently he serves at the Director for Club Service and continues on the Fund Raising Committee. He was elected as President Elect for the year 2016-17



### MEET OUR PRESENTER

Conference Chair Sonya joined Rotary Club of Barbados South in June 2004. She became immediately immersed in Rotary activities with the arrival of Hurricane Ivan in 2004 and the joint Rotary effort in providing aid to Grenada. She has served as Director of Vocational Services, Director of Club Service, Club Secretary and Club President. She has also contributed at the District level having served on the District Public Relations Committee as Vice Chair and on the last two District Conference Committees for the Conferences held in Barbados. She has also served as Assistant Governor.



### HIGHLIGHTS & UPDATES FROM THE ACTIVITIES SINCE JANUARY 14, 2016

#### PRESIDENT'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

Saturday, January 16 at the home of Past President Andrew Bynoe and his Partner -In-Service Joyce.

*Welcome by PP Andrew*



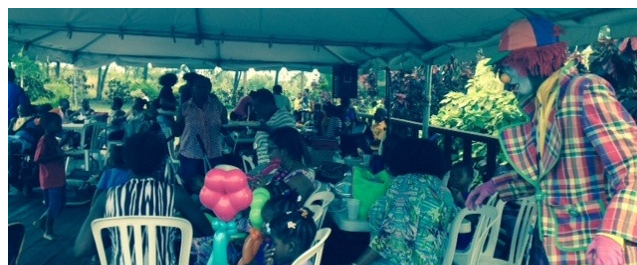
Are these known to you or your Spouse? OWN UP!!!! **IS IT THE TRUTH?**



### HIGHLIGHTS & UPDATES FROM THE ACTIVITIES SINCE JANUARY 14, 2016, CONT'D

#### FUN DAY FOR THE CHILDREN

This is scheduled for Thursday, January 21, Errol Barrow Day at Sandlewood Estates.



The Rotary Clubs in Barbados are excited to once again, for the 4<sup>th</sup> time, collaborate with United Nation Development Program to host the Model United Nations.

**Model United Nations**, also known as **Model UN** or **MUN**, is an educational simulation and

academic competition in which students can learn about diplomacy, international relations, and the United Nations. MUN involves and teaches researching, public speaking, and debating, in addition to critical thinking, teamwork, and leadership abilities.

Students from secondary schools in Barbados, between the ages of 15 and 18, known as delegates, will be assigned countries. They will then debate the position of their country on the topic, **Migration and Human Rights**.

The training for this conference commences on the 30<sup>th</sup> of January 2016 at the UN House, Balmoral Gap, Christ Church, and will continue for 5 consecutive Saturdays. Over the course of these 6 weeks, these young persons will be exposed to the world and work of the United Nation. UN diplomats and local officials will be dedicating their time to educate the students in international relations. The finale will be held on the Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> of March 2016. At the end of the conference, the best-performing delegate(s) will be recognized with an award. **ISD Dr. Tracy**



## HIGHLIGHTS & UPDATES FROM THE ACTIVITIES SINCE JANUARY 14, 2016, CONT'D

### Vocational Service - Winston Warren

January is designated as Vocational Service month by Rotary International.

However to fulfil the requirement of RI, we have decided to recognise the Rotarians completing the first six Rotary Community Challenge Projects with the Award of Framed Certificates.

#### The six Rotarians are:

Project Chair and Director Elect Diana Douglin  
Past Deputy Chair Dr. Albert Best  
Treasurer Elect Joel Brathwaite  
Past Deputy Director O'Reilly Lewis  
Past Chair Nicholas Waithe  
Past Treasurer Anthony Shaw



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Community Challenge #7 - January 2016 - The tiling of a ward and repairs to the bathroom and plumbing at a ward at the Geriatric Hospital. Project Leader Rotarian Berkley Blades.**

### WORLD ROTARACT WEEK-UWI CAVEHILL

This email serves to inform you of World Rotaract Week which will be held from **March 7-13 2016**. The Rotaract Clubs of Barbados will be having a week of activities and we are asking that all Rotarians continue to support us. Please find below the date and times for these activities. As soon as the everything is finalized we will send you the poster to share with you respective clubs.

Date	Event
March 6, 2016	Beach Clean-up
March 7, 2016	Panel Discussion- Project Reporting
March 9, 2016	Dyslexia Awareness Lecture
March 11, 2016	After work Lime
March 12, 2016	Bus Crawl
March 13, 2016	Church Service

Please note, even though the week actually starts on March 7 we will be having our **beach clean-up on the March 6, 2016**. Should you have any queries please contact the author at 231-1163. Regards, Alicia Simmons

### LAUNCH ANTI-CYBERBULLYING CAMPAIGN

The Anti-Cyberbullying Campaign will be launched on February 11 during a Rotary lunch meeting. This campaign is about spreading a message and educating the population through the media. The Campaign has attracted corporate sponsorship.

### CLUB CHALLENGE

President Jeddler announced the Challenge to provide 1,000 lbs of Ground Provisions for the Salvation Army Feeding Programme. This to be facilitated in the month of February..

### DISTRICT CONFERENCE

APRIL 20-23, 2016

The early registration deadline has been extended to February 15, 2016. Your club members may visit: <http://www.7030conference2016.com/> to register for the conference and may contact the Planning Committee via email using: 7030conference2016@gmail.com

### INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

The 2016 Rotary International Convention to be held Seoul May 28 - June 1, 2016—Info on the Convention and on Seoul:

[www.riconvention2016.org](http://www.riconvention2016.org)

Katrina N. Sam, District Secretary 2015 - 2016, District 7030

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## UPCOMING EVENTS, CONT'D

### 2016 Rotary Clubs of Barbados

### Model United Nations

### Theme: Migration and Human Rights

**January 30, 2016**

**8:30a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** Registration

**9:00a.m. – 9:30a.m.** – Model United Nations 2016 Induction Ceremony

**Welcome by Master of Ceremonies –Dr. Tracy Archer, International Service Director, Rotary Club of Barbados**

**Opening and Welcome Remarks - Mr. Stephen O'Malley, UN Resident Coordinator and UNDP Resident Representative**

**Remarks –Rotary Presidents**

*RCoB: Rotary Welcome*

*RCoB -West: Rotary and MUN*

*RCoB -South: Vote of Thanks*

**Remarks: Mr. Milton Inniss, District Governor**

**9:30 a.m. – 10: 00 a.m. Human Rights Approach to Migration, Ms. Michelle Brathwaite, National Human Rights Officer, Office of the UN Resident Coordinator**

**10:00 a.m. – 1015a.m.: BREAK**

**10:15am -12:30 pm**

**Program Overview Dr. Tracy Archer, International Service Director, Rotary Club of Barbados**

**Country Assignments, An Briefing on Country Profile**

**Preparations & Presentations for Week 2, Dr. Tracy Archer**

**Country position: Ms Lisa Cummins**

**11:45a.m. – 12:00 p.m.** Wrap-Up and Closing of Week One

## EVERY ROTARIAN – EVERY YEAR

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### 2016 Rotary Convention

28 May–1 June · 한국국제전시장 (KINTEX)

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## UP-COMING EVENTS

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Celebrating the Work of Rotary

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Feb 06 - Club Forum

Feb 21 - Founder's Day Service -St. Thomas Parish Church - 9:15 a.m. Further Fellowship follows from Noon at Prospect, St. James

**World Rotaract Week will be held from March 7-13 2016**

**District Conference: 20<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> April 2016, Bridgetown, Barbados.**

May 28 - June 1, 2016- **Rotary International Convention-** Seoul, South Korea

## GREETERS

Feb 04 - No Meeting - Club Forum Feb 06

Feb 11 - Past President Lionel Moe & Past Chair Peter Hermant

Feb 18 - Immediate Past President Alex McDonald & Past Secretary Jomo Hope

## OUR GUESTS



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## DISTRICT PROJECT - DYSLEXIA

a general term for disorders that involve difficulty in learning to read or interpret words, letters, and other symbols, but that do not affect general intelligence.



## DISTRICT PROJECT - AUTISM

World Autism Awareness Day, April 2, 2016 in the World

## 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

**Belated!!!**

**Past President Erskine & Ena Thompson**

**46yrs**

**Jan 17, 1970**

### Birthday - Rotarians

Rotarian Orlando Newton

Jan 30

Sergeant-at-Arms & Past Director Heather M. Tull

Feb 03

Past Director Waldo Clarke

Feb 06

Past President Sir Trevor Carmichael

Feb 09

### Birthday - Partners in Service

Norma Lady Blackman - Hon Rotarian Sir Frank

Feb 03

Eileen Clarke - Past Secretary Clifford

Feb 04

Dr. Marion Williams - Past President CQ

Feb 06

### Join Date Anniversary

Past Chair Ron Williams

13 years

Jan 30 2003

Past Secretary Steve Cozier

30 years

Feb 01 1986

Past Director Trevor G. Fields

25 years

Feb 01 1991

IP President Alex McDonald

16 years

Feb 01 2000

Past Chair Dr. John Mayers

35 years

Feb 05 1981

## LOOKING BACK WITH THE ROTARY CLUB OF BARBADOS

Mar 07 1962 - Club Charter Date

1968/69



Neville Grosvenor\* PHF- Editor of the Barbados Advocate. Did much to promote relationships with the clubs of the District. Editor of 3 Decades of Rotary in Barbados—1961–1991

1969/70

John (Electric) Nelson \*Was Manager of B'dos Light and Power Co, and assisted with many of the clubs projects. One of these was the lighting up of the area around the "Hotpot" near the former Holiday Inn at Pebbles Beach



## 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.

Bulletin Editor: Michael Wilson Browne