



# The Rotary Sun

...the official newsletter of  
the Rotary Club of Grand Cayman Sunrise...



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## What the Prez Sez...

### Three Cheers for Rotaract!

Submitted by President J.D.



With last week's induction of District 7020 Rotaract Chair Adrean Russell, Rotary Sunrise has added another past Rotaractor to our membership roster. That means our list of Rotaractors-turned-Rotarians has quadrupled in less than one month. (Our original Rotaract graduate is Rotarian Martha Connolly.)

As past Rotaractors, these young Rotarians are certainly not your typical Red Badgers. They have been part of the Family of Rotary for years and bring a vibrancy that is contagious and exciting.



Hooray!!

And I'm happy to announce that yet another past Rotaractor, **Leigh Smellie**, is actively seeking membership into our club! Leigh is Marketing Executive for DMS Offshore Investment Services and the daughter of the Chief Justice of the Cayman Islands, the Honourable Anthony Smellie Q.C., J.P.

Hooray!!

And for the icing on our blue-and-gold cake, PP Chris has proudly announced that the Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman (RCBC) presented him with (1) a bulging box filled with coins for PolioPlus, (2) a check for CI\$3,509.77 representing additional funds that RCGC raised for Polio Plus during Rotary Year 2012 - 2013, and (3) a "heap of money" from car raffle ticket sales conducted on behalf of Rotary Sunrise by the Rotaractors.

Hip-Hip-Hooray!!

Our past and present Rotaractors are undeniably a resource of strength, inspiration, and invigoration for our club. Let's follow their example and make this new Rotary year a time of joyful "Service Above Self"!

## Fish & Chips & Beer Night

Submitted by Director Nigel Twohey - FELLOWSHIP

## Rotary 2013-14

Rotary International President  
**Ron D. Burton**

District Governor 7020  
**Jeremy Hurst**

Past District Governor 7020  
**Vance Lewis**

Assistant Governor Cayman  
**Rosalie Twohey**

### Club Events

**Fundraising Committee Meeting**  
Offices of ManagementPlus  
Jul 18, 2013 05:30 PM - 06:30 PM

**Literacy Committee Meeting**  
Fosters Airport Location  
Jul 18, 2013 05:30 PM

**Fish & Chips & Beer Night!**  
Triple Crown Pub  
Jul 20, 2013 07:00 PM - 11:30 PM

**Clubrunner Training for Directors Only**  
DART Offices  
Jul 21, 2013 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

**"Poolside with the Prez"**  
San Sebastian - Cabana by the Pool  
Jul 21, 2013 01:00 PM - 03:00 PM

**Beach Cleanup & Volleyball Fellowship**  
Spotts Cemetery Beach  
Jul 28, 2013 09:00 AM - 01:00 PM

**Clubrunner Training Basics & Refresher**  
TBA  
Aug 03, 2013

**"Poolside with the Prez"**  
San Sebastian - Cabana by the Pool  
Aug 08, 2013 05:00 PM - 07:00 PM

**Spotts Cemetery Beach Project (tentative)**  
Aug 10, 2013

**Board Meeting**  
Foster's Airport Boardroom  
Aug 13, 2013 07:00 AM - 08:30 AM

**Fundraising Committee Meeting**  
Offices of ManagementPlus  
Aug 15, 2013 05:30 PM - 06:30 PM

**"Poolside with the Prez"**  
San Sebastian - Cabana by the Pool  
Aug 18, 2013 01:00 PM - 03:00 PM

**Literacy Committee Meeting**  
Fosters Airport Location  
Aug 29, 2013 05:30 PM

**Champagne Reception**  
99 Nelson Quay  
Aug 29, 2013 05:30 PM - 08:30 PM

**Inter-Club Forum**  
TBA  
Sep 07, 2013 09:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**"Poolside with the Prez"**  
San Sebastian - Cabana by the Pool  
Sep 12, 2013 05:00 PM - 07:00 PM

Please join Prez JD and the Fellowship Committee for Fish & Chips at the **Triple Crown on Saturday July 20 at 7pm.**

CI\$25 a head gets you the best English Fish & Chips and mushy peas in Cayman. Pints of Ale and/or Vino will be served by the fine

wenches at Triple Crown. We will have our own area for Fellowship. More details at Wednesday meeting. Bring friends and relatives.

Contact [nigel@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:nigel@rotarysunrise.ky) or register for the event on the Clubrunner calendar on the website.



## Speaker's Corner - Mr. Omar Afflick

### Topic: Hurricane Preparedness and Disaster Management Plan for the Cayman Islands



Omar is the Deputy Director of Preparedness at HMCI and the Manager of the National Emergency Operations Center (NEOC). He has been in this position for the last 6 years. His primary responsibility at Hazard Management Cayman Islands to ensure a high level of preparedness for the Cayman Islands to all hazards the islands are susceptible to. This includes plan development, public education and simulation

exercises. Omar is a trained Urban and Regional Planner that has been practicing disaster risk management for over 16 years. His experience started at the Office of Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management where he worked for 10 years in middle and senior management. He departed the agency in 2007 as Senior Director of Preparedness and Emergency Response. He has lead delegations from Jamaica to regional disaster, emergency response trainings and forums and was also the national coordinator for hurricane Ivan relief and Disaster and Emergency Planning for Cricket World Cup 2007. Omar is married with two children.

## Beach Cleanup & Beach Bum Fellowship

*Submitted by Director Gina McBryan in teamwork with Director Finley Josephs (COMMUNITY SERVICE) and Director Nigel Twohey (FELLOWSHIP)*

Let's kick off the new Rotary year with a good old hands on project, some beach fun and some Rotary Family barbecue to tie it all together. Your community service and fellowship committees are coming together to provide an event that is not to be missed on **Sunday, July 28th at Spotts Beach.**

**BEACH CLEANUP** - everyone is welcome to join in with the beach clean up beginning at



### "Poolside with the Prez"

San Sebastian - Cabana by the Pool  
Sep 15, 2013 01:00 PM - 03:00 PM

### Casino Night Fundraiser

ARC @ Camana Bay  
Sep 21, 2013

### Darkness to Light Training (tentative)

Oct 06, 2013

### District 7020 Conference

The Westin Casuarina  
Apr 29, 2014 - May 04, 2014

### Rotary International Convention

Sydney, Australia  
Jun 01, 2014 - Jun 04, 2014

## Upcoming Breakfast Speakers

Jul 17, 2013

**Mr. Omar Afflick - Deputy Director of Hazard Mgmt**

Hurricane Preparedness and Disaster Management Plan for the Cayman Islands

Jul 24, 2013

**Director Gina McBryan**

Clubrunner Refresher, Rotary Apps & Social Media

Jul 31, 2013

**Mr. Mark Orr & Mr. Bradley Johnson (tentative)**

Lionfish Infestation and CULL Initiatives - Department of Environment

Aug 14, 2013

**Board of Directors Business Meeting**

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### The Rotary Grace

O God and giver  
of all good,

We thank thee for  
our daily food.

May Rotary friends  
and Rotary ways,

Help us to serve thee  
all our days.

### The 4-Way Test

Of the things we  
think, say, or do:

Is it the truth?

Is it fair to all concerned?

Will it build goodwill

8am (arrive for 7:30am). Bring your rakes, gloves, and garden shears and get ready to clean up debris from the beach line and surrounding areas. Your Community Service Committee will be providing garbage bags, hand wipes and a light breakfast with coffee to get your energy level up.



**FELLOWSHIP** - bring a cooler full of refreshments, snacks, sunscreen, towel and beach wear to socialize with fellow club members and their families as you enjoy the clean beach line courtesy of the clean up crew. There is a great barbecue pit that will have hot coals ready if you bring some meat to cook up for lunch. Stay for a while or all day for some nice family beach fun on a Sunday.

What is summer without some beach time with your Rotary Family. You can sign up on Clubrunner or email [finley@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:finley@rotarysunrise.ky). More details will be shared at this Wednesday's meeting.

## Upcoming Committee Meetings

*Submitted by Director Gina McBryan*

Whether you have officially signed up for these committees or simply want to attend to hear what plans are in the works, each club member and prospective club members are encouraged to attend the monthly committee meetings scheduled. Get involved and learn what about the committee's initiatives... you never know, you may even be inspired by a project and feel the need to contribute your time.



### **Literacy Committee** meets next on **Thursday, July 18**

contact Literacy Director Andrea if you wish to attend -

[andrea@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:andrea@rotarysunrise.ky)

### **Fundraising Committee** meets next on **Thursday, July 18**

contact Fundraising Director Frank if you wish to attend -

[frank@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:frank@rotarysunrise.ky)

## Facebook "LIKES" Challenge

*Submitted by Director Gina McBryan - COMMUNICATIONS*



Club members and friend of rotary who have a Facebook account are encouraged to visit the Rotary Sunrise Facebook page and click the "LIKE" to increase our awareness through social media. We have a goal to increase our LIKES to 300 by the end of the

Will it build goodwill  
and better friendships?

Will it be beneficial  
to all concerned?

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Your Communications Committee posts regular updates on the page about service events, recognition, upcoming events and general happenings from Rotary Sunrise. With increased visibility, through LIKES, we will be able to spread the good news Rotary Sunrise does in the community as well as providing education about Rotary to provide a positive public image. Anyone who LIKES our page will receive status notifications as events are posted. These broadcasts will provide information about Rotary Sunrise and what charitable services we are doing in the community.

Total Likes<sup>7</sup> 89 ▲ 8.54% People Talking About This<sup>7</sup> 41 ▲ 36.67% Weekly Total Reach<sup>7</sup> 780 ▲ 73.33%

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## 2013-2014 Honorary Members

*Submitted by Director Gina McBryan - COMMUNICATIONS*

The Board has reviewed the list of honorary members for 2013-2014 and have approved the following individuals for honorary status. A future meeting will be dedicated to having these honorary members attend for an official recognition by the club.



**Eddie Balderamos**  
**Sybil McLaughlin**  
**Frans Manderson**  
**Meg Paterson**  
**David Baines**

**Rex Crighton**  
**Dr. Sook Yin**  
**Ed Mead**  
**Robert Ketron**  
**Margaret Ramsey-Hale**

## Approved Leave of Absence

Submitted by Director Gina McBryan

The Board has approved the following club members for a leave of absence in accordance with the LOA guidelines:

**Rotarian Christian Cartegena** - until August 5

**Rotarian Berna Cumins** - until August 19

**Rotarian Wendy Koll** - until August 20

**Rotarian Jocelyn Moss** - until August 31

**Rotarian Irene Gut** - until August 31

**Rotarian Tony Cowell** - until September 30

Enjoy your leave and we look forward to welcoming you all back soon.

## Rotary Classifieds

### HELP WANTED

**Webmaster in Training** – needed for January 2014. Interested club members will need to have basic understanding of website design. Previous clubrunner web knowledge is an asset but not required. Contact [gina@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:gina@rotarysunrise.ky)

**Committee Liaison Journalists** – your Communications Committee is in need of one member from each Committee to write brief articles detailing projects happening within your committee. If you feel you have the skills needed to highlight your committee's good works to help share the news with the club and local community then contact [gina@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:gina@rotarysunrise.ky) for more details about this role

**Reading Partners** – club members and "friends of rotary" are being asked to sign up now for our September back to school start of our Reading Partners Program. If you have 1 hour to spare each week with our literacy committee then contact [andrea@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:andrea@rotarysunrise.ky) for more details

**Graphic Designer for Sunrise Brochure** – we are looking for a member who has some basic design skills to revamp and renew our club's general tri-fold brochure leaflet. If you feel you can contribute your talents toward this project contact [gina@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:gina@rotarysunrise.ky) for more details

**Rotary Sign Painting** – our rotary sign hanging outside of GOH is in need of a painting touch-up. Any club members with mad painting skills (or access to professional painting services) willing to help should contact [gina@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:gina@rotarysunrise.ky)

**Rotary Sun Newsletter Printing** – club members who can provide service of printing 10-15 copies per week of the published Rotary Sun newsletter are encouraged to contact [gina@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:gina@rotarysunrise.ky). We are looking for 3 to 4 club members who can share in this task on a rotating basis. Printed copies at weekly meetings to help with communication of club events for club members, guests and visiting Rotarians.

**Prospective Members** – Friends of Rotary and associates of existing club members who are interested in learning more about membership at Rotary Sunrise are encouraged to attend a club meeting as a guest. Contact [christine@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:christine@rotarysunrise.ky) to make arrangements and for more information about becoming a member

Members interested in posting future classifieds to this section should contact [gina@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:gina@rotarysunrise.ky) with details.



#### **Duty Roster for July 17, 2013**

Posted by Gina McBryan on Jul 17, 2013

Here's the list of members performing the respective duties for this week's meeting.

**Greeter:** Rotarian Perry Rombough  
**Grace:** Rotarian TBA  
**Four Way Test:** Rotarian TBA  
**Raffle:** Rotarian Bob Kostich  
**Sergeant's Assistant:** TBD  
**Sergeant:** Director Nigel Twohey



#### **Sunrise Birthdays & Anniversaries for July**

Posted by Gina McBryan on Jul 01, 2013

##### **Member Birthdays**

Gareth Pulman, 1-Jul  
Howard Cross, 2-Jul  
Enoka Richens, 7-Jul  
Winston Connolly, Jr., 13-Jul  
Andrea Bryan, 16-Jul

##### **Sunrise Club Membership Anniversaries**

Ciara Aspinall, 5 years on 2-Jul  
Christine Mathews, 7 years on 5 Jul  
Perry Rombough, 7 years on 5-Jul  
Martha Connolly, 4 years on 15-Jul  
Daniel Lee, 2 year on 20-Jul  
Romesh Mirpuri, 3 year on 21-Jul

#### **Notices & Reminders**



**Make-ups:** In addition to make-up opportunities at Sunrise you can make up at another Club in Grand Cayman. The meeting time and place of the other Clubs are:

**Rotaract Blue:** Wednesdays at 6:00pm at Full of Beans  
**Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman:** Thursdays at 7:00am at Bernie's Coffee & Tea, GT Waterfront

**Rotary Club of Grand Cayman Central:** Tuesdays at 7:30pm at Grand Old House  
**Rotary Club of Grand Cayman:** Thursdays at 12:30pm at The Westin

**Rotary E-Club of the Caribbean 7020:** Online meetings any time. Visit [www.rotaryclub7020.blogspot.com](http://www.rotaryclub7020.blogspot.com) for more details. Make-up certificates will be provided promptly once you've completed the requirements.

**Travelling:** If you are going to be travelling for an extended period of time - more than two weeks be sure to let the Secretary know and remember to submit any make-ups you do in a timely manner.

