



"Vision without Action Is a Dream.  
Action without Vision Is Marking  
Time. Vision with Action Can  
Change the World."

# The Rotary Sun

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## DUTY ROSTER 29 September 2010

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## Sunrisers Distribute Free Cameras to Kids

Written by Rotarian Christine Sanders with photos by Jonathan Adam



A group of Rotarians met at the National Trust office this past Saturday to distribute free digital cameras to young people entering the 10Ten10 photography competition. Additionally, they provided advice to the entrants collecting their cameras. *(See more photos online at [www.RotarySunrise.ky](http://www.RotarySunrise.ky))*



**Please volunteer to help distribute cameras on Saturday, October 9th**  
9 a.m. to Noon at the National Trust office!

Contact PE Andrea Bryan for more information: [PE@RotarySunrise.ky](mailto:PE@RotarySunrise.ky)

## Sunrise Adult Training Centre

**We like the name, but we really like brightening their day**

... a "Service" Month message ...

Written by Director Kim Remizowski

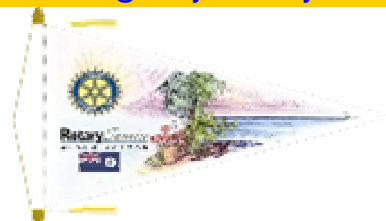
The Sunrise Adult Training Centre (SATC) completed its 23rd year of operation on November 8, 2009. The primary function of the programme under the long serving Executive Director, Roberta Gordon, is to provide opportunities for Adults with Disabilities (AWDs) to learn the skills they need to become responsible, productive and fully functioning members of the community. This is done through Life Skills courses, Prevocational Training, supervised Job Placement, Recreation Skills Training, Academic Upgrading and Computer Assisted Learning.

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**2010-2011 Leadership**  
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**Errol Alberga**  
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**J. Rosalie Jamieson**  
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**The Four-Way Test**  
 Of the things we think, say or do:  
 Is it the truth?  
 Is it fair to all concerned?  
 Will it build goodwill and better friendships?  
 Will it be beneficial to all concerned?  
 \*

**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.  
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There are presently 58 persons enrolled in the programme, ranging in age from 18 to 55 years old. In addition, 30-35 Day Clients attend the Centre Monday to Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. They come to the programme from all over Grand Cayman. Eighteen clients are employed in the community in a variety of full and part time jobs such as laundry helpers, grounds people, cafeteria assistants, hotel housekeepers and janitors. Those who work still rely on the centre for counseling and support, individual programme needs and to socialize when their work schedules permit. Outreach Services are provided to 10 others.

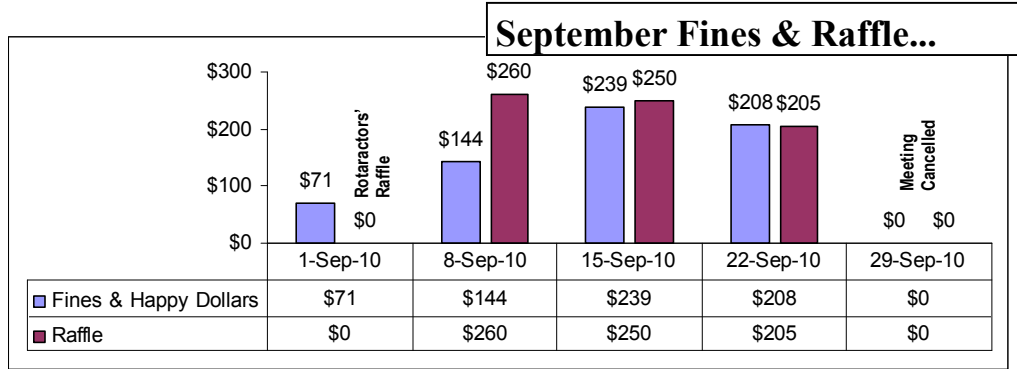
At present there are no residential options for AWDs. Many would benefit from an opportunity to live in a supported independent living situation or in a group home. Families need respite care facilities to give them an occasional break from the year round stress of caring for a high need family member. At SATC it is part of the mandate to promote the development of such facilities in the near future. SATC currently operates out of a leased residential facility which is a less than optimum environment for their programmes.

Rotary Sunrise has supported SATC on an ad hoc basis for several years and strengthened that commitment in late 2008 with small capital improvement projects and hands on events which afford Rotarians the opportunity to interact directly with the SATC clients. Capital projects have included tiling and painting, yard clean-up and a partnership lead by Phoenix Construction which saw the conversion of the garage to an occupational therapy room. Rotary Sunrise also acquired a high performance sling lift for physically disabled clients to improve mobility options.

During the summer of 2010, Rotary Sunrise, with generous contributions from Clive Harris, Foster's Foods, Wendy's and Tiki Beach, supported the SATC summer programme which over six weeks, replaces the regular programme with a series of daily outings and fun recreational activities as a "summer break" for both staff and clients. Those Rotarians who had the pleasure of joining in the activities will confirm that a couple of hours with these happy and open people is truly uplifting.

Other outings sponsored by Rotary Sunrise have included regular "Afternoon at the Movies" events, a trip to Dolphin Cove and a tour of the Cayman Motor Museum at which we were joined by District Governor Diana.

If you are interested in expanding your relationship with SATC and getting to know their clients better, please contact Kim Remizowski, Director of Community Service who will be happy to ensure you are on the active volunteer list.



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