

The Rotary Sun

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



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It's Rotary Magazine Month!

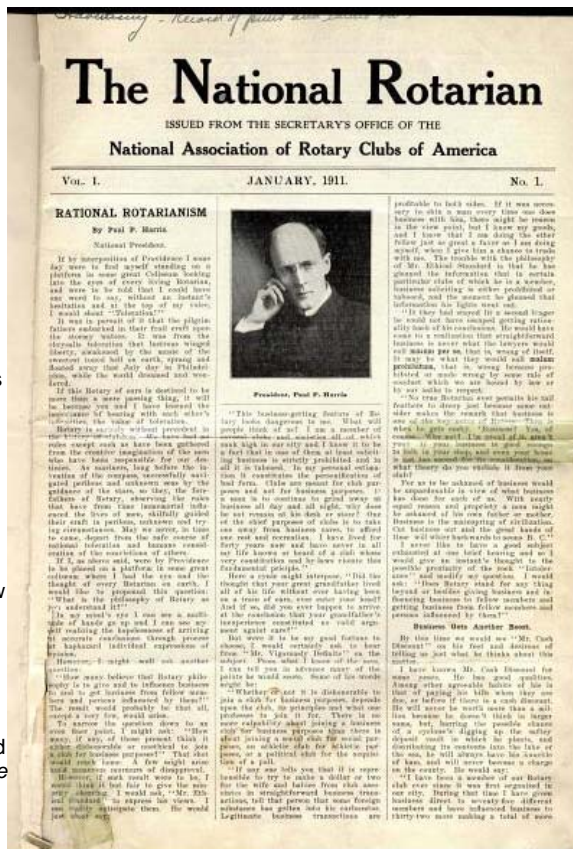
Have you checked this month's website, yet? The banner on the home page proudly proclaims that April is Rotary Magazine Month.

The first issue of *The National Rotarian* (later shortened to *The Rotarian*) appeared in January 1911 and quickly outsold its initial printing of 2000 issues. The theme of the magazine was "to provide a means for the exchange of ideas between Rotarians throughout the world, not to give the national officers an opportunity to express their views."

But 100 years of printed publications is now beginning to give way to the economies and efficiencies of digitized text. In July, just in time to kick off the new Rotary year, *The Rotarian* will be available in digital format. For those with an Apple mobile device such as an iPad, downloading an app from Zinio ("the world's largest newsstand") will allow you to carry around decades of digitally copied past issues of *The Rotarian* and automatically receive future digitally enhanced and empowered issues.

You can "test drive" a newly digitized version of the May 2011 issue of *The Rotarian* at:
<http://tinyurl.com/3vfoxm3>

However, our club's website also provides you with one-click electronic access to any issue of *The Rotarian* that has ever been published. Just go to <http://www.RotarySunrise.ky> and scroll to the bottom of the home page. To your left, just above the **RI Updates** section is a clickable image of *The National Rotarian*. Clicking on it will take you to the Google Books library with searchable issues of this venerable RI publication.



Book Signing
this Saturday
@ 10:30 a.m.
Books & Books

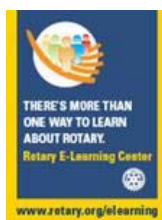
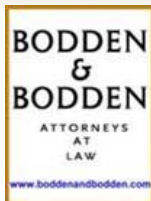
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Earth Day Cleans Up



The Sunrise team came out in force with approximately 40 members, Rotaractors, Early Actors, and friends collecting more than 40 bags of garbage along Dump Road on Saturday, April 2nd.

As AG Rosie says, "Many hands make light work." With so many people helping out, the clean-up task only took 90 minutes or so.



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Let Them Eat [Birthday] Cake!

Remember to sign up for Charter Night! This celebration of the club's ninth birthday will be held on April 20th at 5:30 p.m. at Casanova's Restaurant in George Town by the Waterfront. 58 people have already RSVP'ed, so don't miss out on the fun.

Register online at: <http://tinyurl.com/6j4r83v>



One of the three Community Heroes who will be honored at Charter Night is Zemrie Ramoon Thompson, of the Department of Children and Family Services. As Director Kim noted when he nominated her, "She truly knows what is happening in her community and goes well beyond the job requirements to mobilize resources to assist families in need."

A condensed version of Ms. Thompson's bio follows:

Zemrie Ramoon Thompson is the youngest of seven children born to Ms. Mary Ann Frances Ramoon of Central George Town. Ms. Thompson is the mother of five adult children, Antonio, Antoinette, Anthea, Andrae and Atarah, and the proud grand mother of three wonderful granddaughters, Amya, Akeira and Antonique.

Ms. Thompson credits her capacity for selfless service to the Lord Jesus Christ and her mother, Ms. Frances. My ambition in life is to use my talents and skills to inspire and motivate those that I meet. To empower my clients and members of the community to strive to reach their full potential, to have the courage to dare to dream and to work hard to achieve their goals.

Spread the Joy!

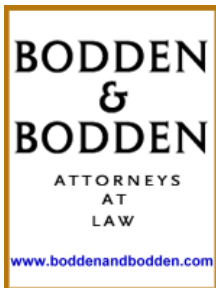
Help Sunrise spread *All the Joy in the World* to the youngsters you know by taking them to Books & Books on Saturday, April 9th at 10:30 a.m. There will be a book reading and signing by the author of this Sunrise-produced children's book, followed by a fun craft session where the young people will create hand-made kites.

Nasaria Suckoo-Chollette, who wrote and illustrated this character-development book that features a story line wrapped around the 4-Way Test, also appeared with President Michael on the DayBreak show, hosted by Sheena Hurlstone. Share the interview with your family and friends by sending them to:
<http://www.cayman27.com.ky/news/item/9252>

President Michael will also announce the availability of the book next week at the District 7020 Conference in St.

Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands. He also plans to have the book displayed in May at the House of Friendship for the International Convention in New Orleans, Louisiana, USA. The goal is to encourage other Rotary clubs to adopt the book for use in their literacy programs. Stay tuned for more news about this wonderful tale.





Vehicle Raffle Launches

It's that time of year again and this time the rules have changed!

Anyone who sells a book of raffle tickets, will now be allowed to keep one ticket. You can sell the ticket or give it away, but please don't enter the draw with your own name because it would look REALLY bad for a Sunriser to win the raffle. (VP Tony suggests you use a loved one's name instead of your own--even a pet's name will do...)

Remember that this is the club's biggest fundraising effort of the year. Funds collected from the sale of these raffle tickets will be used

for charitable projects in PE Andrea's Rotary year. EVERY Sunriser must sell at least two books of tickets. So, sign up early and often when the schedule comes around to sell tickets at our partnering stores, including Foster's and A.L. Thompson.



Getting to Know Rotarian Debbie Strassburg

Who knew that we'd find a loquacious replacement for Director Bruce so quickly?

Shy, retiring, and normally quiet Rotarian Debbie took center stage and regaled the members with her youthful exploits that led her from her homeland of South Africa to her current residency in the Cayman Islands.

Sarge Has Heart of Rotary

For all the behind-the-scenes help he provides, last week's Sergeant Kevin was the surprised recipient of a Heart of Rotary award.

Besides his duties as one of our several Sergeant-at-Arms who take turns on a weekly basis issuing fines and keeping us laughing (or occasionally groaning), Rotarian Kevin also recruits and schedules the speakers who enlighten and enrich our club meetings every other week.

Rotarian Kevin is truly an example of "Service Above Self."



Guests and Visitors from 30 March 2011...

Apr 06, 2011

Guests of Rotarians on 30 March 2011 (as signed in):

Phillip Ebanks, guest of President Michael

Dr. Mikhail Kosiborod, guest of President Michael

Wendy Koll, guest of Rotarian Pauline

Rosa Ramsay, guest of Honorary Rotarian Margaret

Alistair MacDonald, guest of PP Chris

Enoka Richens, guest of Rotarian Geoff

Visiting Rotarians on 30 March 2011 (as signed in):

Trevor Neckles, Rotary Club of Grand Cayman
 Rick Burgess, Rotary Club of Grand Cayman
 Desiree Charles, Rotary Club of Grand Cayman Central
 David Kirkaldy, Rotary Club of Grand Cayman
 Brian Hurley, Rotary Club of Grand Cayman
 Derrick Vermont, Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman
 Lauren Langlois, Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman
 Brian Hurley, Rotary Club of Grand Cayman
 IPP Danielle Japal, Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman
 Carol Britton, Rotaract Club of of Grand Cayman
 Leslie Wilson, Rotaract Club of of Grand Cayman



Duty Roster for 6 April 2011

Apr 06, 2011

Greeter – Rotarian Conor Jennings
Grace – Rotarian Michelle Bouchard
4-Way Test – Rotarian Bina Mani
Raffle – Rotarian Colleen Mellott

Rotary Minute – Rotarian Martha Conolly
Sergeant – Rotarian Dawn Cummings
Sergeant's Assistant – Rotarian Chrs Anco



Sunrise Birthdays & Anniversaries for April

Apr 01, 2011

Member Birthdays

Simon Amesbury, 8-Apr
 Joanne Ruddy, 10-Apr
 Patricia Steward, 10-Apr

Ciara Aspinall, 15-Apr
 Garth Arch, 20-Apr
 Ron Stoll, 26-Apr
 Kim Remizowski, 30-Apr

Sunrise Club Membership Anniversaries

Howard Cross, 3 years on 9-Apr
 Kim Remizowski, 8 years on 9-Apr
 Christopher Bowring, 9 years on 18-Apr
 Hazel Brown, 9 years on 18-Apr
 Dawn Cummings, 9 years on 18-Apr
 Doyle Dally, 9 years on 18-Apr
 Geoff Mathews, 9 years on 18-Apr
 Jennison Nunez, 9 years on 18-Apr
 Margaret (Meg) Paterson, 4 years on 18-Apr
 Hendrik-Jan van Genderen, 9 years on 18-Apr
 Simon Watson, 9 years on 18-Apr
 Lynne Whittaker, 9 years on 18-Apr
 Maree Martin, 5 years on 20-Apr
 Deirdre McFarlane, 1 year on 21-Apr
 Frans Vandendries, 1 year on 21-Apr
 Frank Balderamos, 2 years on 29-Apr
 Patricia Steward, 3 years on 30-Apr