

The Rotary Sun

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the Rotary Club of Grand Cayman Sunrise...



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Rotarian Phil Receives Certificate and Badge of Honour

A dapper looking Rotarian Phil finally received his Cayman Islands Certificate and Badge of Honour, which he proudly displayed in this photo sent to President Andrea last week.

As previously reported in the June 15th newsletter, Sunrise Rotarian Phil Thomas, who is currently overseas undergoing medical treatment, was one of five Caymanians who were named by Governor Duncan Taylor as recipients of the Cayman Islands Certificate and Badge of Honour on Saturday. The public announcement was made during a ceremony on Saturday celebrating Her Majesty the Queen's 85th birthday.

As stated in the *Caymanian Compass*, "National recognition for Mr. Thomas stems from his

dedication to keeping the Islands energised and for helping develop and regulate the local electrical utility industry. In 2002 Mr. Thomas became one of government's first chief financial officers. Government ultimately enlisted him to establish the Electricity Regulatory Authority, which regulates Cayman's two electricity providers, CUC and Cayman Brac Power & Light." He also helped to draft the Electricity Regulatory Authority Law.

Please feel free to offer your congratulations to Phil Thomas regarding his well-deserved public recognition and his 30 years of service in Rotary. You can find his e-mail address in the club's online membership directory.

Mark Your Calendar for July 31st!

From 11:30 a.m. until 5 p.m. the Rotary and Rotaract Clubs will join forces for the kick-off fellowship event of the new Rotary year. The BBQ at Kaibo will take place at Foster's Cottage at Rum Point. There will be music, games, food, fun, and fellowship galore. Bring the children. Guests are also welcome.

This is one event you REALLY don't want to miss. And for only \$15 you'll experience some of the best food on the island—not to mention the very best fellowship and fun. For more information, contact Fellowship Director John Elliott: fellowship@RotarySunrise.ky



Inter-Club BBQ
Sunday, 31 July, 11:30 am
Foster's Residence, Rum Point



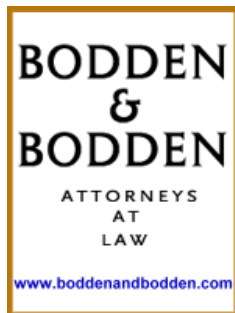
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The 4-Way Test

Of the things we
 think, say, or do:

Is it the truth?

Is it fair to all concerned?

Will it build goodwill
 and better friendships?

Will it be beneficial
 to all concerned?



New Rotary Sign Graces Airport Arrival Area!

Thanks to weeks of effort diligently pursued by Rotarian Martha Connolly, the airport departure room between the baggage claim area and the customs declaration space now has a sign that (1) spells the name of the Rotary Sunrise club correctly, (2) includes information about the island's Rotaract clubs, and (3) lists the correct meeting places and times for all six Rotary and Rotaract clubs.

In addition, the airport's ticket counter area now sports a new Automated External Defibrillator (AED) with a sign jointly attributing it to the Cayman Islands Red Cross and the Rotary Sunrise Club.

It's Time for Rotary Leadership Institute...

Even if you aren't interested in seeking a leadership role in Rotary, the Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) can help you become a better Rotarian by teaching you more about Rotary International and how the things we do as a club impact lives throughout our community and around the globe.



The next RLI has been scheduled for Saturday, 6 August 2011 and Sunday, 7 August 2011 at the UCCI Executive Centre above the UCCI Library. Register online at www.rlitraining.org and be prepared to pay with a credit card. The cost per module is US\$95.00 and President Andrea has confirmed that the club will subsidize 50% of the cost for those members who wish to attend. (The registration system will ask for a zip code, so simply use five ones – 11111 if necessary.)

For more information, contact IPP Michael: ipp@RotarySunrise.ky

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.

2011-12 Rotary Leadership

RI President:
Kalyan Banerjee

District 7020 Governor:
Guy Theodore

Past District Governor:
Diana White

Asst. Governor - Cayman:
Rosalie Jamieson



Past-Director Bruce John Expresses Appreciation

(Below is an abridged reprint of an e-mail sent by Past Membership Director Bruce upon learning that Rotary Sunrise was recognized by the Rotary International Board of Directors for the club's membership development initiatives...)

Hi Everyone,

This is wonderful news for the Club. Thanks go to all the members of the Membership Committee who were creative and open to new ideas, and to the Board in giving direction and supporting the changes. What a fantastic year Sunrise has had in 2010-11 under the leadership of PP Michael and my fellow former Board of Directors. I was very happy that I was able to finish out most of the Rotary Year with Sunrise and accomplish something for the Club. I truly miss the Club and its energy.

Sunrise is the best Club ever!

I managed to finally attend a Rotary make-up last Tuesday at the oldest Club in Hong Kong. There is simply no comparison with Sunrise. I have sent a Rotary banner and a short note on to Shannon which I have asked her to present to President Andrea and the Club.

I miss you all.

Shocking Development:

Rotarian James PROVES that a Rotary Minute Can Actually Last 60 Seconds!

In a startling demonstration of time management, Rotarian James actually delivered a Rotary Minute presentation in exactly sixty seconds. Prior evidence seemed to indicate that a Rotary Minute was actually closer to five temporal minutes in length, with some lasting as long as 20 minutes in extreme cases.

The Rotary world apparently remains stunned by this news. Meanwhile, Sunrise Rotarians should be proud to have witnessed what some had once thought impossible: a sixty-second Rotary Minute!

Well done, Rotarian James...



Mother Club Temporarily Moves Lunch

From Katherine Tatham, Secretary of the Rotary Club of Grand Cayman:

"The Rotary Club of Grand Cayman will be having our Thursday lunch 12:30pm, July 21, 2011, at Karma Restaurant, West Shore Plaza, West Bay Road. Hope to see you there in the event you need to complete a make-up."

2011-12 Sunrise Leadership

President:
Andrea Bryan

President Elect:
Tony Catalanotto

Vice President:
J.D. Mosley-Matchett

Immediate Past President:
Michael Levitt

Secretary:
Frank Balderamos

Treasurer:
Paul Drake

Club Service Director:
Deborah Chambers

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Glen Trenouth
Shannon Sylvestre

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John Elliott

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Deirdre McFarlane

Literacy Director:
Woody Foster

Community Service Director:
Barbara Anley

International Service Director:
Richard Purdom

Public Relations Director:
Christine Sanders



Visitors from 6 and 13 July 2011...
Jul 20, 2011

Visiting Rotarians on 6 July 2011 (as signed in):

President Leslie Wilson, Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman
President Marzeta Bodden, Rotaract Blue Cayman Islands
IPP Adrean Russell, Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman
Henry Elcock, Rotary Club of Paramaribo Residence

Visiting Rotarians on 13 July 2011 (as signed in):

President Leslie Wilson, Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman



Sunrise Birthdays & Anniversaries for July
Jul 01, 2011

Member Birthdays

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

Sunrise Club Membership Anniversaries

Ciara Aspinall, 3 years on 2-Jul
Garth Bryce, 5 years on 5-Jul
Perry Rombough, 5 years on 5-Jul
Christine Sanders, 5 years on 5-Jul
Martha Connolly, 2 years on 15-Jul
Romesh Mirpuri, 1 year on 21-Jul



Duty Roster for 20 July 2011
Jul 20, 2011

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

Greeter: Rotarian Andrew Scott
Grace: Rotarian Wendy Koll
Four Way Test: Rotarian Christopher Lumsden
Raffle: Rotarian Deborah Strassburg
Rotary Minute: Rotarian Finley Josephs
Sergeant's Assistant: Rotarian Alan Brady
Sergeant: Rotarian Margaret Ramsey-Hale