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Human Rights Commission

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Ms Katherine Whittaker and PP Hendrik
van Genderen
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Polio Plus

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President Andrea and Directors
Business Meeting

Dec 21, 2011

President Andrea and Rotary Sunrise
Members
Rotary Sunrise Family Christmas Meeting -
5:30-7:00pm Grand Old House

Jan 04, 2012

Rotaract Blue

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What is a Matching Grant?

A "Rotary Foundation Month" article
by Hendrik van Genderen
Sunrise Foundation Chair 2011-2012



In fact a Matching Grant is exactly what you intuitively would think it is. It is a grant that is matched by the Rotary Foundation. Here is an example that Rotary Sunrise with the other clubs in the Cayman Islands is

working on. The public hospitals in the Cayman Islands look for funding of necessary medical equipment that they are unable to fund from direct revenue or subsidy from Government. Like many other hospitals in the world, they have set up a Foundation, in this case the Cayman Islands Caring for Life Foundation (CFLF), a non-profit organization to raise funds for medical equipment. The CFLF has approached the Rotary Clubs for help.

Rather than the Rotary Clubs directly providing the funds for specific medical equipment, they decide to not only join forces locally, but also globally. After all, Rotary clubs help the community, both locally and globally. If there is a good community project in the Cayman Islands, there should be clubs outside of Cayman that want to join us to help with a project that has been identified by the Rotary clubs of the Cayman Islands as useful and necessary.

Rather than that the Rotary clubs outside of the Cayman Islands directly provide the funds, the project is carried out as a Matching Grant. This is where the magic is because monetary donations increase. \$5,000 from Sunrise has the potential to become well in excess of \$100,000. It goes like this: each Rotary Club in the Cayman Islands pledges \$5,000; that is \$20,000 for the 4 clubs. Each club finds an overseas partner that matches the contribution, so we end up with \$40,000 (or more if we find more partners). The Rotary Foundation, through its Matching Grant programme matches the total from the Rotary clubs and we end up with at least \$60,000 or \$80,000.

Through Matching Grants, The Rotary Foundation matches contributions raised for international service projects by Rotary clubs and districts in two or more countries. The Foundation provides a one-to-one match for District Designated Fund (DDF)/SHARE contributions; basically this is a Matching Grant that goes through the District. If it does not go through the District the Foundation provides a \$0.50 match for every new \$1 cash contribution. Grant awards range from \$5,000 to \$200,000.

The Foundation, promoting good stewardship of funds, has several criteria and requirements for Matching Grants, to ensure that the money is well spent, properly accounted for and that the project receives proper recognition in the media, both in the country where the project takes place as well as in the country where donors are located. It is a must that local Rotarians and their overseas partners are involved in the project and ensure that money is well spent. If there is a partnership with local organizations, they must be bonafide and non-profit.

In summary, Matching Grants of the Rotary Foundation help to increase the funding of community projects carried out by Rotarian project partners in different countries; if the project is endorsed by the district of the receiving club, funds may be matched dollar for dollar, if it does not go through the district, funds are matched 50 cents to the dollar.

Stay tuned for the Matching Grant project of the Rotary Clubs of the Cayman Islands and the Caring For Life Foundation.

Save the Date!
**District 7020
Conference**
Cotes des Arcadins, Haiti
17-21 April, 2012

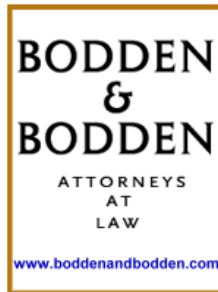
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The 4-Way Test

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?

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.

Guest Speaker

Richard Coles

Chairman, Human Rights Commission



Mr. Richard Coles was admitted as a solicitor in England and a Cayman Islands Attorney-at-Law. Richard is married to Karen and has 2 sons, Stephen who is married and lives in Grand Cayman with 3 children and Rupert who is married and lives in England with his 2 children.

Mr. Coles is a former Attorney General of the Cayman Islands and a Member of the Cabinet from 1992 to 1998. He is a Rotarian with Rotary Club of Grand Cayman and has served as Vocational Service Director. Richard is also a former Chairman of Meals on Wheels and current volunteer delivering meals.

Adding to his extensive service list, Mr. Coles serves or has served in the capacity of:

- Director with HF Fund Services Ltd
- Chairman of Human Rights Commission
- Chairman of Cayman Finance
- Member Judicial and Legal Services Commission
- Member Civil Service Appeals Commission
- Member Term Limit Review Committee
- Member White Paper Review Committee

Richard shares that when "I have any free time at all I love to take my grandchildren boating!"

Debate Competition Kicks Off

Reported by Rotarian Raquel Solomon



The Fred Speirs Interschool Debate Competition kicked off last Friday with passionate and rousing arguments from students representing most high schools on the island. The debates are sponsored by Brit Cay and coordinated by Rotary Sunrise. The moot, suggested by Rotarian Kevin Butler, was "Convicted sex offenders in the Cayman Islands should be named on a public register". With 7 high schools entering 8 teams, there were four debates in the first round of knockout competition.

Important Links

- ✦ [Rotary Club of Grand Cayman](#)
- ✦ [Rotary Club of Grand Cayman Central](#)
- ✦ [Rotary Club of Cayman Brac](#)
- ✦ [Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman](#)
- ✦ [Rotaract Blue Cayman Islands](#)
- ✦ [Rotary Club of Weston](#)
- ✦ [Rotary District 7020](#)
- ✦ [2011 District Conference in St. Thomas](#)
- ✦ [Rotary International](#)
- ✦ [RI YouTube Site](#)
- ✦ [2011 RI Convention in New Orleans](#)
- ✦ [Paul Harris Society](#)

2011-12 Rotary Leadership

RI President:
Kalyan Banerjee

District 7020 Governor:
Guy Theodore

Past District Governor:
Diana White

Asst. Governor - Cayman:
Rosalie Jamieson

1. Cayman Prep vs. John Gray B
2. Triple C vs. Cayman Academy
3. Cayman Brac vs. Grace Christian Academy
4. John Gray A vs. Clifton Hunter

The winners were Cayman Prep, Cayman Academy, Cayman Brac and John Gray A. Rotarians from the Central Club and Sunrise assisted with the 3 Grand Cayman debates and the Cayman Brac club coordinated the debate held there with the team from Grace Christian Academy flying over for the day.

The next round (two debates) will likely be held in the later part of November with a final debate planned for February. This is the 21st year of this Rotary sponsored debating competition and it is popular among students, coaches and parents. It is great to watch these students competing in an intellectual sport. Please make every effort to volunteer or just come out and watch the 50 minute debate. It is sure to entertain you and inspire you.

Sunrise Adult Training Centre 25th Anniversary Celebration

The Sunrise Adult Training Centre (SATC) in West Bay will be having a Community Appreciation Day on **Friday 11 Nov from 10 AM - 1:30 PM.**

Rotary Sunrise has done many projects with the SATC over the years and it would be really nice to have some of our members attend. Please contact Director Barbara Anley if you plan to attend on Friday.

Save the Date:
District 7020 Conference
Cotes des Arcadins, Haiti
17-21 April, 2012

Watch the announcement video at:
<http://tinyurl.com/6fjdro7>



Sunrise Birthdays & Anniversaries for November

Posted by J.D. Mosley-Matchett on Nov 01, 2011



November Birthdays

Rex Crighton, Nov. 6
Perry Rombough, Nov. 11
Barbara Anley, Nov. 16
Steven Sokohl, Nov. 18

November Club Anniversaries

Gareth Pulman, Nov. 8 (5 yrs)
Barbara Oosterwyk, Nov. 19 (8 yrs)
Tony Catalanotto, Nov. 21 (4 yrs)
Omar Chambers, Nov. 21 (4 yrs)
David Reid, Nov. 22 (5 yrs)
James Chiweshe, Nov. 26 (3 yrs)
Woody Foster, Nov. 30 (9 yrs)
Raquel Solomon, Nov. 30 (9 yrs)

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

Fundraising Co-Directors:
Glen Trenouth
Shannon Sylvestre

Fellowship Director:
John Elliott

New Generations Director:
Deirdre McFarlane

Literacy Director:
Woody Foster

Community Service Director:
Barbara Anley

International Service Director:
Richard Purdom

Public Relations Director:
Christine Sanders

Guests and Visitors from 2 November 2011...

Posted by Frank Balderamos on Nov 09, 2011



Guests of Rotarians on 2 November 2011 (as signed in):

Delbert Bolton, Guest of Director Shannon Sylvestre
George Carulho, Guest of Director Shannon Sylvestre
Betsy Kelly, Guest of Rotarian Michelle Bouchard
Marvalyn Lee, Club guest
Mark DeMercado, Club guest
Denise DeMercado, Club guest
Sandra Finnegan, Guest of Rotarian Debbie Strassburg
John Myles, Guest of Rotarian Finley Joseph
Jean Solomon, Guest of President Andrea Bryan

Visiting Rotarians on 2 November 2011 (as signed in):

Andrea Balderamos, Rotaract Rotary Club of Grand Cayman
Rick Burgos, Rotary Club of Grand Cayman

Duty Roster for 9 November 2011

Posted by Frank Balderamos on Nov 09, 2011



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

Greeter: Rotarian Daniel Lee

Grace: Rotarian Claude Myles

Four Way Test: Rotarian Simon Amesbury

Raffle: Rotarian Christian Cartagena

Rotary Minute: VP JD Mosley-Matchett

Sergeant's Assistant: Rotarian David Gordon

Sergeant: VP JD Mosley-Matchett