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## Rotary 2013-14

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## August is

# Membership & Partnership Month

## Speakers Corner - Mr. Mark Orr & Mr. Bradley Johnson

### Topic: Lionfish Infestation and CULL Initiatives

The Mission of the Department of Environment is to facilitate responsible management and sustainable use of the natural environment and the natural resources of the Cayman Islands; through environmental protection and conservation, wise use, scientific research and public education. Visit [www.doe.ky](http://www.doe.ky) for more information.

In February 2008 the first juvenile Indo-pacific Red Lionfish was removed from a dive site in Little Cayman. Since this time, the Department of Environment, in partnership with local residents and dive industry operators, and with the support of the Governor's Fund and Joint Nature Conservation Committee (JNCC), has initiated a comprehensive control programme throughout the Cayman Islands.

This programme has been successful in bringing the conservation and economic implications of the invasive lionfish to the forefront of public awareness. In March 2010 the JNCC supported our Lionfish Control Program through a Grant. This money went towards enhancing an existing reef fish study, offsetting consumables involved in continuing DoE's response to the growing conservation problem, expanding equipment supplies and testing new control methods, and increasing public awareness and continuing the DoE's volunteer training programme.

The DoE is extremely grateful to the JNCC for the opportunity to expand its Lionfish programmes, and through these means, enhance the protection of our native reef species.



### Mr. Mark Orr

Mark is the Chief Conservation Officer at the Department of Environment who is one of the founding members of CULL - Cayman United Lionfish League. Mark recently organized the eighth culling tournament on June 1 and 2.

### Mr. Bradley Johnson

Bradley joined the Department as a summer student in 1993 and became a full time employee after graduating from Eckerd College in 1997 with a Bachelor's Degree in Marine Science. He has had involvement with most of the Department's projects over the years but now is involved with the Nassau Grouper study, the North Sound Current study and is responsible for data acquisition with an Acoustic Doppler Current Profiler.

## Meeting Location Change



Due to their seasonal closure of Grand Old House Rotary Sunrise will be conducting the weekly meetings at the George Town Yacht Club from **Wednesday, August 28 through to and including Wednesday, October 2**. Please make note of this change in your personal calendars.

District Secretary  
**Rosalie Twohey**

The GTYC is located at 612 North Sound Road or if traveling by boat to the marina 19°18.1694N / 81°21.5260W.

## Club Events

**Community Service Committee Meeting**  
Casanova's Restaurant  
Aug 27, 2013 05:30 PM - 07:00 PM

**Meeting Location Change**  
George Town Yacht Club  
Aug 28, 2013 - Oct 02, 2013

**Youth Service Committee Meeting**  
GTYC  
Aug 28, 2013 08:00 AM - 08:30 AM

**Dinner At Abacus**  
Abacus  
Aug 31, 2013 07:30 PM - 11:45 PM

**Rotaract Blue Weekly Meeting**  
Full of Beans  
Sep 04, 2013 06:00 PM - 07:00 PM

**Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman Weekly Meeting**  
Barnie's Coffee & Tea  
Sep 05, 2013 07:00 AM - 08:00 AM

**International Committee Meeting**  
Coffee Shop at Camana Bay  
Sep 07, 2013 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**International Literacy Day**  
Sep 08, 2013

**Rotaract Blue Weekly Meeting**  
Full of Beans  
Sep 11, 2013 06:00 PM - 07:00 PM

**Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman Weekly Meeting**  
Barnie's Coffee & Tea  
Sep 12, 2013 07:00 AM - 08:00 AM

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

**"Poolside with the Prez"**  
San Sebastian - Cabana by the Pool  
Sep 15, 2013 01:00 PM - 03:00 PM

**GTIPS Earlyact Meeting**  
George Town Primary School  
Sep 16, 2013 01:15 PM - 02:00 PM

**Rotaract Invasion**  
George Town Yacht Club  
Sep 18, 2013 06:45 AM - 08:00 AM

**Casino Night Fundraiser**  
Marriott  
Sep 28, 2013

**Inter-Club Forum (re-scheduled)**  
Holiday Inn (previously the Grand Caymanian)  
Oct 05, 2013 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM

**Inter-Club Fellowship Beach Bar-B-Q (rescheduled)**  
Holiday Inn (previously the Grand Caymanian)  
Oct 05, 2013 12:30 PM - 04:30 PM

**Darkness to Light Training (tentative)**  
Oct 06, 2013

**International Committee Meeting**  
The Coffee Shop at Camana Bay  
Nov 02, 2013 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**International Committee Meeting**  
The Coffee Shop at Camana Bay  
Dec 07, 2013 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

**Community Service Committee Meeting**  
Casanova's Restaurant  
Feb 25, 2014 05:30 PM - 07:30 PM

**Cayman Islands Health Fair**  
TBD  
Mar 22, 2014 12:00 PM - 06:00 PM

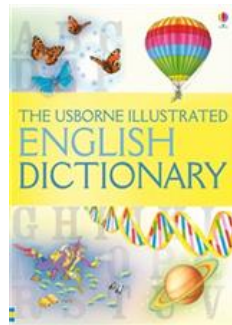
**District 7020 Conference**  
The Westin Casuarina  
Apr 29, 2014 - May 04, 2014

**Rotary International Convention**  
Sydney, Australia  
Jun 01, 2014 - Jun 04, 2014

## Upcoming Breakfast

## Dictionary Sticker Party

Submitted by PP Director Andrea Bryan, LITERACY COMMITTEE



Our Literacy Committee's Sticker Party went off without a hitch, despite the evening's lumbering weather outside. We were hosted by PP Woody in the cozy lunchroom of Foster's Distribution Centre and in no time at all approximately 700 illustrated English dictionaries were stickered and ready for distribution to schools for International Literacy Day.

Eleven Sunrisers showed up, along with one non-Rotararian and they not only stayed afterwards for the wine and nibbles, amazingly, they stayed on for our brief committee meeting as well! Folks, your attendance at the committee meeting counts as a make-up, so if you're needing one, let Secretary Deirdre know.



Thank you to everyone who showed up, namely, President JD, President-Elect Kim, PP Woody, Pauline McGettigan, Ciara Aspinall, PP Hendrik, Jonathan Adam, John Lee, Faye Lippitt, Director Gina, Robert Powell and me.

## Extended After School Program

Compliments of the CI Government Information Services

Rotary Sunrise is committed to supporting our youth and we recognize the impact the Extended After School Programme has on children and young adults. This is why our Youth Services Committee and our Community Services Committee are pairing up to make a special cheque presentation to Mr. Michael Myles on behalf of the Extended After School Programme. This is a great pairing of Youth and Community Services that truly makes an impact on providing children with opportunities to grow and develop their characters as they mature.

To find out more about the Extended After School Programme, here is a short 4 minute video produced by the CI Government Information Services SpotLight.



## Facts About Members - Part II

Submitted by VP Christine Mathews, MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Our members all have interesting facts about their lives you might not be aware of. Next time you are sitting beside one of them and need a conversation starter...

- Rotarian Wendy:** Training to be a yoga teacher
- Rotarian Bob:** Tried out for a professional basketball team in Europe
- Rotarian Anthony:** Enjoys sports
- Rotarian Daniel:** Enjoys chess
- Rotarian Fave:** Enjoys hiking in the Rockies

## Speakers

Aug 28, 2013

Mr. Mark Orr & Mr. Bradley Johnson  
Lionfish Infestation and CULL Initiatives -  
Department of Environment

Sep 18, 2013

Rotaract Pres. Lauren Langlois & RCGC  
Directors  
Business Meeting

Oct 16, 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  
and better friendships?

Will it be beneficial  
to all concerned?

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Rotarian enjoys playing in the bushes

**Rotarian Mark:** Determined to catch a fish one day

**Rotarian Bina:** Into astronomy

**Rotarian Krishna:** Enjoys painting

**Rotarian Geoff:** Acted in radio plays for the BBC

**Rotarian Pauline:** Speaks Irish

**Rotarian Romesh:** Born in Casablanca

**Rotarian Jocelyn:** Favourite meal is roast lamb

**Rotarian Claude:** Enjoys gardening

**Rotarian Barbara O:** Aspires to be a golfer

**Rotarian Enoka:** Owns a pair of rollerblades

**Rotarian Perry:** Lived on the North Pole

**Rotarian Andy:** Enjoys movies

**Rotarian Pat:** Hates lima beans

**Rotarian Ron:** Enjoys yoga

**Rotarian Lynne:** Passionate about fashion

**Rotarian Sook:** Enjoys karaoke



## Getting to Know You - Rotarian Victor

*Submitted by Rotarian Victor Crumbley*

Born in Tampa, Florida to an American father and a Caymanian mother, Victor Crumbley is an honors graduate of John Gray High School and has a bachelor's degree in marketing from the University College of the Cayman Islands.

Victor owns and operates Dash Strategies Limited, a social marketing company incorporated to address local youth development issues. Dash advises various public and private organisations and interest groups on youth development policies, youth-targeted television and radio media and social marketing initiatives. Dash's best known project is a scholarship and mentorship programme for young men who would not otherwise pursue further education or who are not eligible for traditional scholarship opportunities. The project was initiated while Victor was still a student at UCCL and his efforts were formally recognised by the University College's Board of Governor's Award, the college's most prestigious award.



Victor is a charter member and 2 term past president of the Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman and a past president of the Cayman Islands Students' Association. Under his leadership, the Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman established its firm foundation in Cayman and across the Caribbean and won the District 7020 Rotaract Club of the Year Award and received Rotary International Presidential Citations. Victor volunteers with a number of government entities, notably the Youth Services Unit and the National Youth Commission. He is an experienced foster parent, having raised a special needs teenager for over 3 years. Victor is a member of the First Baptist Church of Grand Cayman and a volunteer literacy tutor at John Gray High School. He is a Bill Brooks Memorial Scholarship recipient and was a finalist in the 2013 Young Caymanian Leadership Awards.

For fun Victor enjoys playing basketball and contemplating non-violent methods of re-homing one of his pet dogs who insists on using his beloved Air Jordan sneakers as a chew toy.

## Rotary Sunrise - In the Media

*Submitted by Director Gina McBryan, COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE*

This past week Rotary Sunrise made it onto the top news on Cayman 27, published in the Cayman Compass and social media.

### Cayman 27 - Thursday, August 22



Rotary Sunrise's Literacy Committee article regarding the success of the Buy-a-Kid-a-Book collection made it onto the news broadcast as well as being highlighted in the email list of Top News. If you missed it, just click on the link below.

<http://www.cayman27.com.ky/2013/08/22/rotary-clubs-novel-idea-for-kids>

## Cayman Compass - Friday, August 23

The full press release article from the Literacy Committee made it to print in the Friday newspaper being **published on page 11** top right hand side. The article was also published on their website. If you missed it, just click on the link below.

<http://www.compasscayman.com/caycompass/2013/08/23/Literary-program-takes-novel-turn/>

### Facebook and Twitter

The power of social media is not to be underestimated. Our Facebook and Twitter status regarding the same Literacy article was posted on August 22 and one of our Twitter followers re-tweeted the message to their followers. Thereby broadcasting the message to at least 250 people.



### What the Prez Sez...

## The Council on Legislation -- 2013

*Submitted by President J.D.*

Every three years, the "laws" by which Rotary clubs function are subject to change. This year in April, the Council on Legislation (COL) met to determine what rules our Rotary club will abide by until 2016.

According to the Rotary International website, "While the Board of Directors sets policies for Rotary International, the Council is where Rotary clubs have their say in the governance of the association." In 1986 the Council launched PolioPlus and in 1989 the Council declared that women were eligible to become Rotarians.

Every district from around the world sends a representative Council member to deliberate and vote. That's 500 people from different lands and speaking a variety of languages in one room, voting on nearly 200 different pieces of proposed legislation.

7020's District Governor Jeremy Hurst has shared a list of essential changes for Rotary clubs based on the 2013 COL decisions. I have sent that list and other documents to the Sunrise Board of Directors for their consideration.

Among the most interesting changes that were designed to heighten member engagement is the ability for members to "participate in club projects or other events and activities for at least 12 hours in each half of the year to receive attendance credit." Also, the original "85 Rule" has been reinstated, so that no matter how old a Rotarians is, "When your age and club years total 85, you are recognized as not having to adhere to attendance rules."

In addition, active employment is no longer a critical issue if someone wants to become a Rotarian. "You can now invite individuals who have interrupted their employment or never worked in order to care for children or assist their spouse in their work to be members of your club."

As you can see, RI's focus is on making it easier than ever to recruit and retain Rotarians. With August winding down as Membership Month, I urge you to consider how these COL changes will help all of us further strengthen Rotary Sunrise.



## Kiva Micro Loans - International Service

*Submitted by Rotarian Pat Steward, INTERNATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE*

Information sources: Wikipedia and Kiva.org

Kiva is a non-profit organization with a mission to connect people through lending to alleviate poverty. Leveraging the internet and a worldwide network of microfinance institutions, Kiva lets individuals lend as little as \$25 to help create opportunity around the world.

In November 2010 Rotary Sunrise, through the efforts of the International Committee, set up a lending portfolio to aid others around the world and do their part to alleviate poverty. Over the 3 years, the International Committee has deposited **US\$2,290** to fund a total of **137 loans**. With the funds being

re-paid and re-loaned again to total **US\$5,550 lent.**

Meet 2 of the recipients from the Philippines who have helped themselves through our support to better their businesses and provide for their families.

The Philippines (officially known as the Republic of the Philippines), is a sovereign island country in Southeast Asia in the western Pacific Ocean. With a population of more than 98 million people the Philippines is the seventh most populated Asian country and the 12th most populated country in the world. According to Kiva the average annual income is US\$1,175.



**Milagros** is a hardworking entrepreneur who has a candle-making business in the Philippines. She has been in this business for ten years but earns more income from raising pigs. She was loaned **US\$250** to purchase additional wax, oil and other materials for use in her candle-making business.

Milagros has been sustaining her business activities through her own efforts with the help of the loans. She dreams to save enough money so that she can afford to send her children to college in the future. Milagros has repaid 100% of her loan.

**Analie** is 35 years old and married with three children. She works very hard to provide for them.

Analie runs a general store in the Philippines and was loaned **US\$450** to buy items to sell like shampoo, canned goods, soap, rice, etc in her general store business.

Analie has been in this business for three years. In the future, Analie would like to save enough to expand her business. Analie is currently repaying her loan.



To find out more about Kiva and other projects supported by your International Services Committee, contact [pavlov@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:pavlov@rotarysunrise.ky). The next Committee meeting is scheduled for **Saturday, September 7.**



Last week, guest speaker Mr. Paul Robinson was asked about libraries inter-operating, book loans and sharing of information. Paul referred to a group he chairs called the CIIP. This group main initiative focus on the area discussed. Paul wanted to pass on the website information for any member who may be interested in finding out more.

<http://www.ciinprofessionals.org/home>

The Cayman Islands Information Professionals (CIIP) is the first professional library and information science association in the Cayman Islands. It was founded in 2013 by information specialists, living and working in the Cayman Islands. The members of the founding committee are Paul Robinson, Ashley Farr, K.C. Williams and Shauna Owens. Membership is open to all individuals who work in information management fields, or who have an interest in these sectors. We are a nonprofit organization and operate under the Cayman Islands Company Law 2007 Part III, Section 80, Subsections 1-2. [extract from CIIP website]


## Have You Paid Your Club Dues?

There are still a few members with outstanding balances. If you have not paid **Treasurer John Lee** please bring cash or check (or cheque) on Wednesday to settle up. Remember the Sarge will be fining **\$4 per member** this week for those who still have not paid. And it will go up to **\$5 next week.**

Remember, to reach out to your Membership Committee ([christine@rotarysunrise.ky](mailto:christine@rotarysunrise.ky)) if you have concerns you would like to address.

## Rotaract Corner

Do you have any books that are not being used? - In recognition of International Literacy Day on September 8th, 2013. Rotaract Blue is



**got books?**

Help give the gift of reading to a child. Members of Rotaract Blue are collecting books in aid of Year 1 students at Prospect Primary School. Collection: July 17th - August 16th 2013. Please donate a book today.

to donate a book, contact:  
**Kholesiah Barboram**  
Call 926-6634  
or communityservice.rb@gmail.com

doing a book drive which started on the 17th of July and was to end on the 16th of August 2013. However, we have extended the drive until the 31st of August. The aim is to highlight the importance of literacy to individuals, communities and societies. Community Service Director Kholesiah Barboram says "We are driving education of our young people to another level."



If you are not attending the Fellowship dinner at Abacus on Saturday, August 31 and have a few friends who want to battle it out then look no further than the Battle of the Sexes hosted by Rotaract Club of Grand Cayman. The fun starts at 7pm at Margaritaville and there will be special drink prices for all in attendance. Come on out and support RCGC.. kacaw!



### Duty Roster for August 28, 2013

Posted by Gina McBryan on Aug 28, 2013

Here's the list of members performing the respective duties for this week's meeting. We thought we would keep you all guessing this week.

**Greeter:** Rotarian Christian Cartagena

**Grace:** Rotarian TBA

**Four Way Test:** Rotarian TBA

**Raffle:** PP Woody Foster

**Sergeant's Assistant:** TBD

**Sergeant:** Rotarian Jonathan Adam



### Sunrise Birthdays & Anniversaries for August

Posted by Gina McBryan on Aug 01, 2013

#### Member Birthdays

Kent Green, 1st

Daniel Lee, 4th

Frank Balderamos, 5th

Christine Mathews, 9th

Alan Brady, 12th

Finley Josephs, 13th

Sybil McLaughlin, 24th

Barbara Oosterwyk, 26th

#### Sunrise Club Membership Anniversaries

Jonathan Adam, 7 years on 23-Aug

Alan Brady, 3 years on 25-Aug

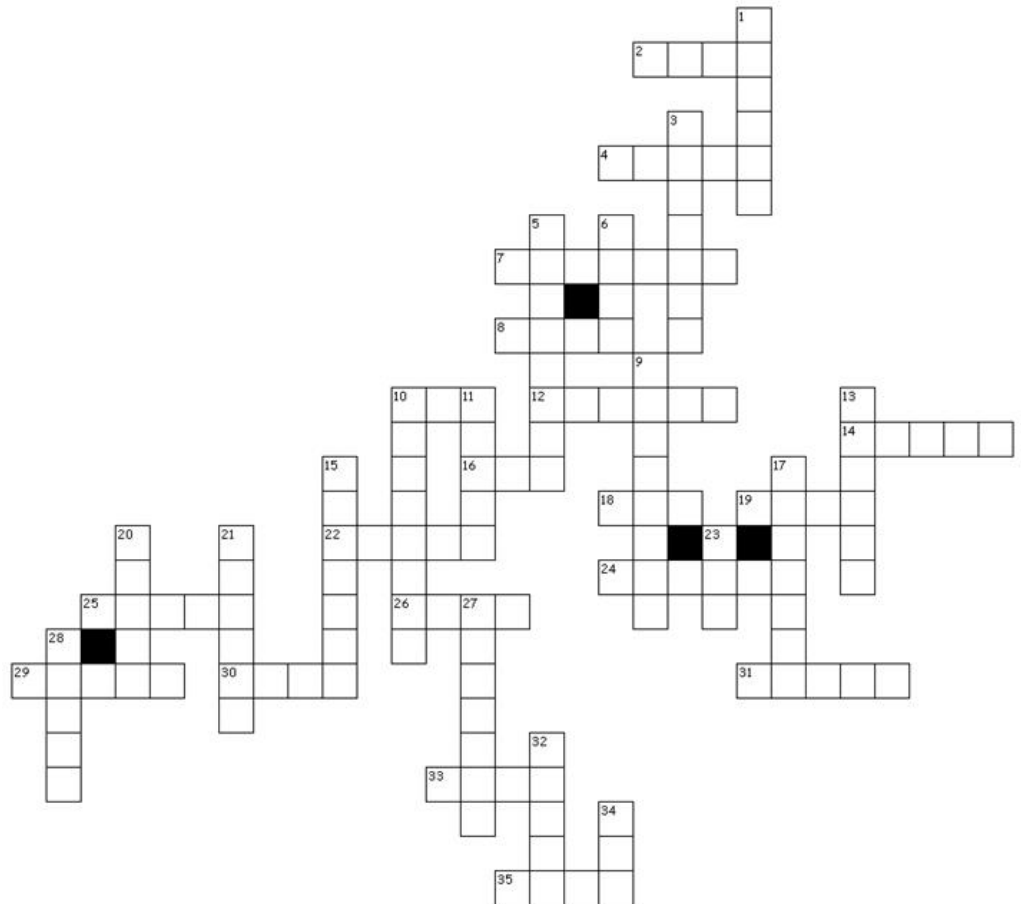
Mellisa Hudell, 3 years on 25-Aug

Bina Mani, 3 years on 25-Aug

## Rotary Sunrise Crossword

Theme: Members of Rotary Sunrise

See how much you have learned about our club members as we put you to the test with this fun crossword.



Hint: Half the answers are published in this newsletter

### Across

2. Into astronomy
4. Enjoys scuba diving
7. Doesn't like scary movies including Harry Potter
8. Determined to catch a fish one day
10. Tried out for a professional basketball team in Europe
12. Enjoys public speaking
14. Has four grandchildren
16. Enjoys yoga
18. Enjoys board games
19. Enjoys hiking in the Rockies
22. Speaks 6 languages
24. Enjoys chess
25. Owns a pair of rollerblades
26. Has set-up some unique companies
29. Lived on the North Pole
30. Self-confessed shoe fashionista
31. Training to be a yoga teacher
33. Enjoys movies
35. Likes road trips

### Down

1. Dreams of driving across the US visiting each State
3. Enjoys painting
5. Likes to go motorcycling

6. Enjoys karaoke
9. Aspires to be a golfer
10. Once did a parachute course
11. Received an MBE from the Queen
13. Born in Casablanca
15. Favorite meal is roast lamb
17. Speaks Irish
20. Likes travelling by train
21. Enjoys gardening
23. Has a cockroach phobia
27. Enjoys sports
28. Acted in radio plays for the BBC
32. Passionate about fashion
34. Hates lima beans

#### **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.