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DISTRICT 7030: CARIBBEAN & CENTRAL AMERICA
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ROTARY DISTRICT 7030

PETS & DISTRICT CONFERENCE
BARBADOS

**April
7-9th
2022**

*You're
Invited!*

We Are One Rotarian Family!





Sonya Alleyne
2021-22 District 7030 Governor



REGISTER NOW:

<https://www.districtconference7030.com/2022/>

@district7030  

Registration: US\$450

Conference Registration Closing Date: March 15th, 2022.

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- ✓ Educational Sessions
- ✓ Dynamic Speakers
- ✓ Captivating Activities
- ✓ Social Networking
- ✓ Fun & Fellowship Events

Friday April 8	FIRST PLENARY SESSION	FACILITATOR
7:30 AM	Registration	
8:00 AM	Rotarians, Guests to be Seated	
8:30 AM	Opening Ceremony	
10:00 AM	Break for Changeover of room	
10:30 AM	Remarks	
10:40 AM	Report on Childhood Obesity	COP Team
10:50 AM	Report on Interact	Interact Team
11:00 AM	Projects	
11:35 AM	Our Brand – Enhancing our Image	PI Committee
11:55 AM	Update on St Vincent	PDG David and SVG Team
12:15 PM	EarlyAct emerges	
12:30 PM	LUNCH	
1:30 PM	A frank discussion on Membership	Brian King - RI
1:50 PM	Know your future leaders	
2:20 PM	Projects	
2:35 PM	Your Foundation Dollar\$\$\$	PRIP Barry Rassin
3:00 PM	Rotaract – after Elevation	Rotaract Team
3:20 PM	Projects	
3:35 PM	Awards	
3:55 PM	Announcements and Closing of Session	
4:00 PM	Buses to Hotels	
6:30 PM	Hospitality Event	
Saturday April 9	SECOND PLENARY SESSION	
6:00 AM	Get Fit for Polio Warm up session and Awareness Walk	
9:00 AM	Projects	
9:20 AM	Navigating My Rotary – the advantages	RI support
9:40 AM	What you need to know about the Council on Legislation (COL)	PDG Lara Quentrall-Thomas
9:50 AM	Disasters and how we prepare	PDG Stephen Ramroop
10:05 AM	Project HANWASH	District 7020
10:20 AM	Projects	
10:40 AM	District Governor's Report - Interim	DG Sonya
10:50 AM	Projects	
11:10 AM	District Conference 2023	2022/2023 Team Grenada
11:25 AM	On to Houston, Texas USA	PRID John Smarge
11:35 AM	Financial Report 2020 – 2021	PDG D. Lisle Chase
12:00 Noon	Resolutions	
12:30 PM	Introduction of District Governor 2024 - 2025	
12:40 PM	Closing Remarks	
12:45 PM	Buses to Hotels	
7:00 PM	Celebration time	

LOUIS CARLESIMO ACTION WITH THE ROTARY CLUB FORT-DE- FRANCE SUD - LAPLAND



Four children from Martinique afflicted with cancer or in remission from the disease travelled to Lapland to meet Santa Claus.

It was The CARLESIMO Association who spearheaded the idea to give hope to more than 100 young people who are ill, through some actions.

ROTARY CLUB Fort-de-France SUD naturally became a part of the initiative and a significant partner for this operation by contributing to the funding and providing winter coats for the children throughout the visit in Lapland.

They came back from Lapland so happy with shining eyes!

All the members of RC Fort de France Sud do their best to perpetuate this kind of action every year with more children.

IN THE DISTRICT: PROJECTS

Here's how some Clubs have been Serving to Change lives!



Sanitation Projects, and the Suriname - Marathon

(1) Water, Sanitation and Hygiene. (2) Economic and Community Development



In conjunction with the marathon in Miami, where several fellows from Rotary Suriname participated, a 21K and 10K run was organized in Suriname on the 6th of February, as a joint project of all four Rotary clubs in Suriname. Similar to the Miami marathon, the Suriname run has two goals: promoting a healthy lifestyle and acting as a fundraiser. All 58 runners (Rotarians and non-Rotarians) promoted their run as a 'run for charity' and ask people in their network to donate for three non-profit organizations in Suriname.



On 27 and 28 of January 2022, the Rotary Club of Paramaribo Residence completed the renovation of the sanitation buildings of the St Benedictus school and the Shri Ganesh school, both primary school in Paramaribo. The renovation included washing and re-painting the building and some minor repairs. The sanitation building of the St Benedictusschool and the Shri Ganesh school were built in 2011 and 2014 through joint projects of the Rotary Club of Paramaribo Residence with foreign Rotary clubs. Years after the commissioning, these sanitation buildings are kept in a neat condition due to diligent housekeeping of the school, only requiring some minor repairs and a paintjob.



RC PRINCES TOWN

Refrigerator and Microwave for Princes Town District Health Facility
Disease Prevention and Treatment



On Monday January 31, 2022 the Rotary Club of Princes Town delivered a 14 cubic Whirlpool refrigerator and a 1.1 cubic Maxsonic microwave to the Emergency Department (SARI - Severe Acute Respiratory Illness) Covid-19 section of the Princes Town District Health Facility. President Rishi Ramlogan, Director Dr Lindsey Aziz and potential Rotarian Shuntelle Thomas who works at the facility were on hand to present the appliances to Facility Manager, Mr Muhammad Ismail and Nurse Isabelle Mohammed. Our Club extends our sincerest thanks and appreciation to our generous sponsor, RAMCO Industries Ltd, for these appliances which would be of benefit to the Covid-19 patients at the Facility.

RC PARAMARIBO QUOTA

Beat Obesity Challenge
Childhood Obesity Program



Beat Obesity Challenge The Beat Obesity challenge shed light on Rotary's promotion on Childhood Obesity Prevention (COP). To raise funds the club sold 250 yellow I support Rotary Quota Projects shirts and challenged everyone on FB to post a picture of themselves executing a healthy lifestyle. In addition a Sunday morning walk in the capital of Paramaribo was organized. Check out footage on <https://www.facebook.com/RotaryQuota>. The challenge was a great success! The Yellow Ribbon in the I Support shirts aims to raise awareness on Obesity in the Caribbean. The revenues are for club projects contributing to beating childhood obesity.



Health Lifestyles - National Park Fitness Project
Economic and Community Development

RC GEORGETOWN CENTRAL

DG VISITS WITH RCGC DURING RECOMMISSIONING OF HEALTHY LIFESTYLES PROJECT

District Governor, Sonya Alleyne, visited the Rotary Club of Georgetown Central on February 13 during the recommissioning of the fitness equipment installed in the National Park by the Club for public use. DG Sonya, in her remarks, emphasized the relevance of the Project to Childhood Obesity, a key area of focus for the District. Meanwhile, President Avia commended Rotarians for recently upgrading and rebranding the facility, which was lauded by the National Park Commission. Also in attendance were AG Renata Chuck-A Sang, PAG Luana Falconer, Rotaractors, Interactors and Inner Wheelers.



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Donation of School Furniture Basic Education & Literacy

RC CURAÇAO

Rotary Club of Curaçao (RCC) together with Stichting Help de Schoolkinderen van Curaçao unloaded a 40-foot container with over 360 donated school desks and chairs at recipient school Kolegio Bellefaas Martis. This project was executed in collaboration with Dutch Rotary Clubs of Oldenzaal and Neede. October last year, Rotary Club of Oldenzaal, reached out to Rotary Club of Curaçao to startup this collaborative effort to get good condition secondhand school furniture of the Nutsschool voor basisonderwijs in Oldenzaal, Netherlands, to Curaçao. Rotary Club of Curaçao (RCC) enthusiastically took on the lead of this project, with the brunt of the required monetary contribution and the hands-on unloading of the container. RCC involved both the Rotary Club of Neede, and the Stichting Help de Schoolkinderen van Curaçao, to help with this project. During the tour at Kolegio Bellefaas Martis in Curacao last Thursday, representatives of the organizations involved took notice that this project truly satisfied the urgent need of their 350+ students. It was an excellent collaboration between the Rotary Clubs! Together, ordinary people can achieve extraordinary results!



THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

As a Rotarian, what does the Foundation mean to you? Do you know what the Foundation does? Consider supporting the Foundation as an end of year Gift to yourself or a loved one.

Since it was founded more than 100 years ago, the Foundation has spent more than \$4 billion on life-changing, sustainable projects. With your help, we can make lives better in your community and around the world. The Rotary Foundation helps Rotary members to advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace by improving health, providing quality education, improving the environment, and alleviating poverty. For as little as 60 cents, a child can be protected from polio, \$50 can provide clean water to help fight waterborne illness, \$500 can launch an antibullying campaign and create a safe environment for children. Be a part of the process and donate to the Rotary Foundation today. Click the donate button to take you to Rotary Foundation.



IN THE DISTRICT: VIDEO CATCH-UP

More Clubs are embracing videos and embedded links to share content and showcase the work of their Club. Click on the underlined links below to see what the District have been up to, some of the webinars you may have missed, and ***don't forget to subscribe to the District's YouTube Channel to keep up to date with all the opportunities that Rotary affords you!***



- [Rotary District 7030: Conference registration and schedule](#)
- [Rotary District 7030: World Obesity Day Campaign video](#)
- [Rotary District 7030: P.E.T.S Training for Presidents Elect 2022](#)
- [Rotary District 7030: Engaging Members and Delivering Value](#)
- [Rotary International: Interact Awards for the year 2021](#)

CONVENTIONS



LOOK AHEAD

CLUB CHARTER ANNIVERSARIES

MARCH 05 1993

Gros Islet (29 years old)

MARCH 07 1962

Barbados (60 years old)

MARCH 10 1937

Curaçao (80 years old)

MARCH 15 1995

Rémire-Montjoly
(27 years old)

MARCH 18 1988

San Juan (34 years old)

MARCH 20 1985

Pont de L'Alliance,
Guadeloupe (37 years old)

MARCH 20 2006

Sangre Grande (16 years old)

MARCH 20 2007

Schoelcher (15 years old)

MARCH 22 1993

Pointe-à-Pierre (34 years old)



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ROTARY DISTRICT 7030 PETS & CONFERENCE
BARBADOS 2022



Rotary District 7030: P.E.T.S. & Conference 2022 Barbados

The 2022 Conference is gearing up to be our first in-person District Conference in three years, but with a twist! PETS Registration: US\$75, Early Bird Conference Registration: US\$395 until December 31, 2021, Regular Registration: US\$450 until February 28, 2022, **Late Registration: US\$500, Conference Registration closes on March 15, 2022.** There will also be a virtual registration fee per club which will permit the club members wishing to attend virtually, access to the conference. Additional details will be shared with your clubs.



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Join a Rotaract Club in your area to
celebrate World Rotaract Week

The March Theme is Water and Sanitation. You will see the activities in this area also listed under Water, Sanitation and Hygiene. To learn about this Area of Focus and RI's significant work [Click here!](#)