

Reminder

Last Week's Guest Speaker:

The Rotary Club of New Kingston was pleased to have Mrs. Yvonne Foster, Counseling Psychologist as our Guest Speaker. Mrs. Foster in a wide ranging address spoke on of the prevailing socio-economic conditions in the society which have caused a deterioration in the wider society. These impact tremendous on the ability of the worker to cope with the demands of life -- socially, financially and psychologically.

The inability of persons to cope with the high levels of stress and pressures of life manifests itself in poor work attitudes, lack of motivation, frequent absence from work and conflict at the workplace. The effect of this is low levels of productivity resulting in lower profit margins for the company.

Investor Soiree:

Last Saturday evening, the beautiful lawns at the home of Rtn Carlton were transformed for a gathering of celebrities. What? You were not there! The formalities got underway at 7:30 pm with cocktails being served during the previous hour.

Although off to a slightly late start as guests trickled in, the eventual gathering was just under fifty, comprising guests of sponsor -- Guardian Asset Management, Rotarians and friends. Notwithstanding the numbers, the proceedings went well with excellent presentations on investment opportunities by the Guardian team members. After the formal presentations, the gathering mixed and mingled in smaller groups. The lively conversation was sprinkled with drinks from a well stocked bar and sumptuous hors d'oeuvres dished up in a relaxing atmosphere.

Based on feedback from those present, it was an informative, yet relaxing evening, which we hope will translate into mutually beneficial relationships and by extension, dollars and cents for the clients and for sponsor. Pity those who were not present. Thanks Guardian Asset Management.

Installation Banquet Next Friday

Can hardly believe it but we are fast approaching the end of another administration with Rotary year 2006/07 coming to a close. Our installation banquet is set for next Friday, July 06, at the Jamaica Pegasus Hotel. The action gets going at 7:00 pm and it promises to be a fun-filled evening of good fellowship as we change guards.

Guest Speaker will be Mr. Herbert Hall. We look forward to your full attendance and participation.

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The Rotary Club of
New Kingston

Meeting Agenda

Friday, June 29, 2007
Jamaica Pegasus Hotel, 7:45am

2006/7 Club President: Rtn. Alwyn "AG" Smith

Meeting Agenda

Call to Order	President A. G. Smith
Rotary Grace	President's selection
The Rotary 4 Way Test	President's selection
President's Time	President A .G. Smith
	Welcome and Opening Remarks Apologies for Absence Introduction of Visiting Rotarians Introduction of Visitors Birthdays and Anniversaries Welcome Back to Members Announcements & Notices
A Rotary Minute	P E Gladstone Barrett
Secretary's Report	Secy. Carlton Scott
Sergeant's Time	Rtn. Hilary Jardine

Members Time

Toast to Rotary International & a club of choice	VP Benito Palomino
Closing	National Anthem
Rotary Grace	The Four Way Test
O Lord 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	<i>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 concered?</i>

Club, District & RI Update

Attendance Apology

The attendance information for last meeting did not arrive in time for publication

To our Visiting Rotarians

As we look back over the past year, our thanks and appreciation must go to our many Visiting Rotarians who graced us with their presence during the year. We were never short of visiting Rotarians, from home and abroad. In fact, some visiting Rotarians have a better attendance record than members!

Thanks for your loyal and able support to our club and keep on coming.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

We salute the following celebrants:

June 2 - Birthday of Sharon, wife of PP Duncan Cooper

June 8 - Birthday of Simone, wife of PP Dennis Chong

June 11 - Birthday of Rotarian Paul Smith

June 30 - Birthday of Rotarian Richard Pandohie

June 30 - Anniversary of Dir Oswald James and wife Shirley

A Thought for Today

“ The most powerful anchor on our potential to soar high in life is the past. The past contains the dead weight of experience, learned beliefs and all our mistakes.

Life cannot truly begin until we are able to say goodbye to the legacies of yesterday at will.

Like a filing cabinet, the past is a resource of information for learning, but it is not a place to live.

When you go to work do you spend your day in the filing cabinet?

How often will you/did you live in the past today?

Say good bye and make it final. Saying farewell to yesterday, last month and last year is the sign of a person who wants to live for today and is truly alive to all the possibilities of ‘the moment’, while fully aware that all they think, say and do right now, creates tomorrow.”