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September - The Education and Literacy month

Dear Rotarians and friends, I welcome you to the month of September, the EDUCATION AND LITERACY MONTH led by the Zebra.

The Rotary club of Bweyogerere - Namboole has for a long time held education high especially in the sponsorship of our daughter Namuyaba Halima who is now in S5, having taken care of her education since she was in primary three. All this effort is greatly appreciated today we have our RCC'S where some members desire to learn reading, writing and counting. We are yet to start this struggle and we

hope this will meet our goal of literacy in the communities.

Lextend my appreciation to community service projects by this club, like the sanitation project, which has not picked only popularity and gratitude but a very high demand for the service is one of these John F. Germ observed

"Individual effort when well direction can accomplish much, but the greatest good must necessarily come from the combined efforts many men, individual needs but combined effort should be dedicated to the service or mankind. The powers of combined effort know no limitations".

Therefore for the purpose of doing good in our communities let's work together for the good of all in our communities to benefit our centre of excellence falls also in this category of activities with the aim of extending quality education to the community. It's also our signature project all we appeal for club members' support for this project.

Our interact clubs as centres where education is extended to our next generation ought to benefit from the education and literacy month, lets embrace activities so that we make a difference in our communities

RUTH N. MUKASA President 2017-18



RI President's message

September 2017



One of the best parts of any Rotary convention is the sheer diversity of the people you see there. Whether you're heading into a breakout session, exploring the House of Friendship, or sitting down for a bite to eat, you'll meet people from every corner of the world, in all kinds of national attire, speaking just about every language. It's a lot of fun, and it's a big part of what makes Rotary great: that we can be so different and still find ourselves so at home together.

That spirit of warm community that is so central to Rotary also defines Toronto, our host city for the 2018 Rotary International Convention. Toronto is one of my favorite cities. It's a place where half the population is from another country, where over 140 languages are spoken by 2.8 million residents, and where no one ever seems to be too busy to be helpful. In addition to being clean, safe, and friendly,

Toronto is a wonderful place to visit, with its attractive Lake Ontario waterfront, great restaurants, one-of-a-kind museums, and interesting neighborhoods to explore.

The 2018 convention already promises to be one of our best ever. Our Convention Committee and Host Organization Committee are hard at work lining up inspiring speakers, great entertainment, fascinating breakout sessions, and a wide variety of activities across the city. There will be something for everyone in Toronto, and Juliet and I encourage you to do what we'll be doing – bring your families along for the fun. If you plan early, your convention experience will be even more affordable: The deadline for discounted early registration (there is an additional discount for registering online) is 15 December.

As much as Toronto offers to Rotarians, the true draw is, of course, the convention itself. It's a once-a-year opportunity to recharge your Rotary batteries, to see what the rest of the Rotary world is up to, and to find inspiration for the year ahead. Find out more at riconvention.org – and find Inspiration Around Every Corner at the 2018 Rotary Convention in Toronto.



Ian H.S. Riseley President 2017-18





The Zebra Buddy group members for the month of September



JOSELINE GARUHANGA



MAMERITO MUGERWA



MUBBALA DOREEN



STEVEN OKOTHA



KABUGO NUMEMBI



KAGWA ANTHONY



KIWANUKA MARIA



EZEKIEL MUGERWA



SERUNJOGI STEPHEN

THE GREEN GUIDE:

Uganda's vulnerability to climate change. Climate change is change in climate attributed directly to human activity that alters the composition of the global atmosphere and which is in addition to natural climate variability observed over comparable time periods.



The impacts of climate change are continuing to be experienced in every corner of the world among both the poor and the rich, making it difficult for development agendas to meet targets, especially in developing countries.

In Uganda the key sectors (water, agriculture, health, forestry, wildlife and tourism, energy and transport) constituting the base of the economy are climate-sensitive and dependent, making Uganda highly vulnerable to impacts of climate change.

Issues to note in relation to climate change impacts and action in Uganda.

- Natural Resources-based livelihoods and economy.
- Low level of income reflected in the per capita income.
- High birth rate/population Growth.
- Limited financial resources.
- Weak institutional capacity.
- Limited skills and equipment especially for disaster management.
- Uganda's past history of turmoil. This is why Uganda must take keen interest in climate change negotiations. For a developing country like Uganda, adaptation remains the front line choice.

Adaptation strategies that Uganda can work with.

- Ugandans can work on adapting to certain measure in order to overcome the diverse effects of climate change
- Fish farming by making ponds in which one can rear fish.
- Tree planting and promoting agro-forestry i.e. crops and trees
- Growing resistant crops such as cassava and proper selection of both animals and plant species.
- As for places affected by floods, building house adaptive to floods could be the answer such as mud and wattle houses.
- Establishing of food banks in case of famine
- Tapping and harvesting rain water during rain seasons including water tanks, construction of water points and adjusting in planting dates
- Promotion of alternative livelihood opportunities such as fish farming, poultry keeping, piggery and apiary.
- Migration should not be ignored.

However, mitigation measures if strictly emphasized can help in combating impacts of climate change.

- Greening our environment through planting trees to improve and increase environment capacity to take in the green house gases.
- Population control can be employed in climate change minimization.
- Enforcement and compliance to environmental laws, policies and regulations
- Environmental education among masses will promote awareness and ease operations for environmental managers
- Promotion of proper environment management practices at domestic level through regulating the poor agricultural practices
- Proper waste management can minimize greenhouse gas production.

Quote: "Plant a forest with a single tree".

By Rtn Doreen Mubbala.

"ROTARY CLUB OF BWEYOGERERE - NAMBOOLE SENSITIZE THE YOUTH LEADERS IN KIRA MUNICIPALITY ABOUT THE DANGERS OF BETTING"

On 10th August 2017, the Directorate of Youth Service of The Rotary Club of Bweyogerere Namboole conducted a youth sensitization workshop under the Theme: "Betting - You can do better" at Bweyogerere Police Station grounds.

The event graced by 10 Rotarians, 3 Rotaractors, 6 municipality officials, 4 police officers, 15 youth and other guests started at 3:15pm with welcoming remarks from the Director Youth Service - Rtn Joseline Garuhanga who welcomed and appreciated members and other partners for honoring the invitation to attend the meeting. She further encouraged all the participants to be attentive so that they comprehend the message prepared for them.

Rtn Ben Waira thereafter shared the program of the day emphasizing that the main purpose was to share the dangers of betting, what can be done to address the challenge and, what Rotary could do in particular. The Club President – Mission Green President Rtn. Ruth Mukasa welcomed members and expressed her gratitude for the immense turn up of the leaders and gave a brief about the Rotary Club.

Several sessions were registered by various speakers and the information shared was educative, empowering and insightful. We hope information shared had lasting implications to the youth

Among the special dignataries graced the event included the Kira Municipality mayor His lordship Julius Mutebi, OC Bweyogerere Police post ASP Karim Majidu etc.

In his remarks the Municipality Mayor He appreciated the Rotary fraternity for the tremendous efforts rendered in serving humanity

He applauded the Rotary Club of Bweyogerere Namboole for championing this initiative and breaking the ice of sensitizing against betting which he considered to be the biggest evil of our time and lucrative in the world. He asserted that majority of the youth have engaged in betting because they need quick money and this has resulted into evil related activities, depression

He therefore called upon the government to maximize their efforts in regulating the activity

Finally he encouraged all parents to foster good parenting skills to their children

The climax of the event registered a football match between Community youth against Rotary and Police. The latter emerged winners with 3-1 victory.





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ORDER OF FELLOWSHIP

- The Grace
- The Royal Toast
- The Four Way Test
- Apologgies
- Introductions (Visiting Rotarians, Rotaractors, Interactors. Guests)
- Report visitations to other clubs
- Announcements and Rotary Information
- Guest speaker (if any)
- Final announcements, Raffle, Statistics
- Final toast

THE GRACE

1 For what we are about to receive, May'the good Lord make truly thankful and ever mindful of the needs of others. Amen

2 For Friends and Fellowship We thank thee oh Lord. May we always be mindful OF the needs of others.

AMEN

The Loyal Toast To his! Excellency the president"

The Object of rotary:

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and in particular to, encourage and Foster

First: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service.

Second: High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society.

Third: The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life.

Fourth: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through aworld fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.



THE FOUR WAY TEST

OF the things we think, say, or do
1- ISITTHETRUTH?
2- IS IT FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED?
3- WILL IT BUILD GOODWILL AND
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4- WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO
ALL CONCERNED?

CLUB ANTHEM

ROTARIANS OF BWEYOGERERE WE ARE READY TO SERVE AND PROMOTE THE WORLD.

SERVICE ABOVE SELF IS THE WAY WE CAN LEAD,
WE SHALL LIVE TO SERVE AND PROMOTE THE CLUB.

CHORUS - JUBILATE, JUBILATE OUR CLUB. X2
OH LONG LIVE BWEYOGERERE, WE ARE PROUD OF YOU
WE ARE PROUD OF YOU.
DAUGHTER TO OTHER CLUBS AND MOTHER TO OTHER CLUBS
WE SHALL CHERISH YOU FOR EVER MORE