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Zone 33 Division of Rotary Leadership Institute includes the states of West Virginia, Virginia, eastern tip of Tennessee, North Carolina, and South Carolina as well as D7030 (Southern Caribbean)



Eric, Pam & Bevin with 7030 Rotarians in Guyana

Rotary District becomes a part of Zone 33 RLI - On May 16, 2006, the Zone 33 RLI Executive Committee approved the incorporation of Rotary District 7030 (Southern Caribbean) into the multi-district RLI making it the 14th member district. The action is effective immediately, but annual RLI district dues will not be required of RID 7030 until the 2006-07 Rotary year begins July 1 2006. This action follows extension efforts this spring in District 7030, culminating in presentations & workshops at the D7030 Assembly/ PETS/ District Conference in Georgetown, Guyana last month by RLI Executive Committee Chair PDG Eric Adamson, Executive Committee Member PDG Bevin Wall and RLI Faculty Trainer Pam Wall.

District Governor Dunstan Barrow & DGE Victor Pilgrim have appointed accredited Zone 33 RLI Faculty member PDG Leslie Harripaul of Trinidad to be the inaugural 7030 District Chair. No RLI events have yet to be scheduled for District 7030. It is anticipated that the first event would be held in Trinidad during the fall of 2006. The inclusion of District 7030 makes Zone 33 RLI bilingual, as French is the official language in 3 of the countries comprising the district. Zone 33 RLI retains its current name.



Pam Wall conducts training

RLI Annual Meeting - Zone 33 RLI Annual Meeting and Faculty Training was held at the Marriott Airport Hotel, Greensboro, NC, June 3-4, following the Zone Foundation/Membership/District Trainer seminar, with many RLI participants attending both sessions. There were 40 total attendees (including spouses), including a total of 30 current faculty, District Chairs, and 16 new faculty. "Train the Trainers" sessions were conducted by Pam and Bevin Wall. Action during the weekend, by the District Chairs, included adoption of a new set of By-Laws, increasing the Board of Directors to 6, and electing a Board of Directors: Eric E. Adamson, Bevin Wall, John Porter,

Ron Ferrill, Glenn Hood, and Bob Stallworth. Following the election, the Board met and selected Eric Adamson, Chairman; Bevin Wall, Vice Chairman; Jack Porter, Treasurer; Bob Stallworth, Secretary; and Ron Ferrill, Newsletter Editor. The Board reaffirmed \$300 dues for member District for the coming year. Bills will be sent July 1 to District Governors. Dues to RLI International were discussed, and the Chairman will speak to RLI International concerning those. We welcomed District 7030 as a member District to Zone 33 RLI. An RLI seminar is being scheduled in Trinidad in the fall.

Roanoke RLI - The most recent Rotary Leadership Institute was held Friday, May 19, 2006 at the Hotel Roanoke and Conference Center, Roanoke, VA. Twenty five participants, in Part I and Part II sessions, enjoyed the interactive discussions of Rotary basics and leadership principles



PDG Jerry Evans facilitates discussion



Enjoying food and fellowship

New RLI Webpage Construction is Complete - A new and improved webpage for Zone 33 RLI is available for you to see. Visit www.RLI33.org and check it out.

Editor's note: I solicit any suggestions you might offer for information to include in future newsletters. Send to Ron_Ferrill@alumni.utexas.net or Editor@RLI33.org