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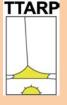


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Welcome



Dear Member,

Welcome to TTARP...

This booklet is a guide for you to know how to maximize your membership benefits, and we encourage all Members to Participate, Volunteer, Advocate, Renew and show your TTARP card!

We look forward to being of service to you as you enjoy your Golden Years.

The Management.

### **TTARP'S HEAD OFFICE**

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Please ensure that your mailing address, telephone number, and email address are up to date in our records. This will allow us to contact you regarding renewal notices, magazines, special offers, and other important updates.

You may update your information by phone or email. We appreciate your assistance.

#### TTARP ... an Association of Responsible Persons.

# **MISSION STATEMENT**

TTARP is a legally registered, non-profit organization for mature persons age fifty (50) and over. It aggressively seeks the best interest of its members towards four (4) main objectives:-

- To enhance the quality of life of mature citizens.
- To promote their independence, dignity and purpose.
- To lead in determining their role in society.
- To improve the image of the golden years.



# **AIMS AND OBJECTIVES**

(see TTARP ByeLaws, Pg 4)

- (a) To promote the enhancement of the quality of life for mature men and women in Trinidad and Tobago, inclusive of the members of the Association;
- (b) To promote the independence, dignity and purpose in life of mature men and women in Trinidad and Tobago;
- (c) To represent, express and give effect to the views and opinions of mature men and women and to assist in determining the role of senior citizens in Society;
- (d) To improve the image of the aging;
- (e) To promote or oppose Bills in Parliament or other measures affecting such mature men and women;
- (f) To enter into agreements with other similar Associations or bodies for the advancement of and the protection of mature men and women;
- (g) To subscribe to and promote the aims and objects of any society or association having similar objects to all or any of the objects of the association and to encourage and support any society association or movement for the improvement of mature men and women;
- (h) To print and publish any newspapers, periodicals, books or leaflets that the Association may think desirable for the promotion of its objects



### A. NATIONAL BENEFITS FOR PERSONS AGE 50+

TTARP negotiated /implemented for <u>its Members</u> a wide variety of discounts for purchases at numerous Commercial, Medical and Retails enterprises.

These are being added to on an ongoing basis.

### **B. NATIONAL BENEFITS FOR PERSONS AGE 60+**

The following are TTARP's Recommendations to the Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago (GORTT) and others on behalf of <u>Senior Citizens which are now in effect :-</u>

- 1. Fee Exemption for the renewal of a Trinidad and Tobago Passport.
- 2. Fee Exemption for the renewal of a Trinidad and Tobago Driver's Permit.
- 3. Exemption from Trinidad and Tobago Airport Departure Tax on Airline Tickets
- 4. Tax Exemption on premium payments for General Insurance Policies (e.g. House and Car)
- 5. Free PTSC bus rides in Trinidad and Tobago with presentation of Driver's Permit or National Identification Card.
- 6. Free rides on the Water Taxi between POS and San Fernando Tobago with presentation of Driver's Permit or National Identification Card.
- 7. Fee Exemption on certain bank services (e.g. Bank Drafts and bank statements for US Visas)
- 8. Preferential rates on fixed deposits at Financial Institutions.
- 9. Increased range of CDAP medications for ailments common to Senior Citizens.
- 10. Extended Medical Care hours of services at Public Health Centers from 7am to 4pm, to 7am to 7pm, and in certain areas from 7am to 10pm.
- 11. The Senior Citizen Grant has been increased to \$3,500 (max) per month dependent on a means test for other Retirement Income from NIS and Occupational Pensions which must not exceed \$5,500 per month.
- 12. Retired Government employees will now receive an interim pension of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) per month, while their pension records are being processed. When verified, the retired employee will receive the correct pension and a lump sum for arrears.
- 13. Residents of Trinidad and Tobago, both nationals and non-nationals, will no longer be required to submit a Life Certificate twice per year to continue receiving their NIS Pensions.
- 14. Retired Government Pensioners, who are nationals of Trinidad and Tobago, will no longer be required to present themselves as proof of life existence if they submit their birth certificate PIN number to the Pension Management Branch, Treasury Division.
- 15. Walk-Over constructed in Port of Spain, with a wheelchair ramp, to assist senior citizens and others travelling to and from the Tobago Ferry Port and Water Taxi service.

# OTHER

In context of approved GORTT National Budget the following are some additional improvements which Senior Citizens (and Others) shall enjoy:-

a) All first-time home owners will qualify for a tax-free allowance of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000).

- b) Employed persons will benefit from a personal tax deduction allowance up to a maximum sum of \$60,000 on combined contributions to approved pension funds, annuity plans, and National Insurance.
- c) Value Added Tax (VAT) has been removed from many basic food items, such as biscuits, cooking oil, canned vegetables, canned meat and fish, cornflakes, curry, juice, sausages, ham, ketchup, pigtail, and bottled water.
- d) Electricity and Water rate rebates to be increased from 25% to 35% for bills LESS THAN Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00).
- e) Removal of VAT and Duties on therapy equipment for treatment of vision, hearing and physical disabilities.
- f) Removal of VAT and Import duties on computer equipment which should make these important communication devices cheaper.
- g) Increase in non-taxable Annual Income allowances to \$90,000 for all citizens.
- All taxes (including Customs Duty, Online Purchase Tax and Value Added Tax) on individual components in CCTV systems, including cameras and DVRs, are waived with effect from January 1st 2023.
- There is a collaboration between the Ministry of Social Development & Family Services, iGovTT and TTConnect to allow senior citizens to submit their Life Declaration Certificate Form by calling the toll free number 800-8826 for an appointment.

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April 2025

### Your Membership is a Gift That Keeps on Giving!

By becoming a TTARP member, you've unlocked a world of valuable benefits, support, and exciting opportunities - just for being 50 and fabulous!

### **Membership Requirements**

- You must be 50 years or older
- Proof of age is required (ID card, Driver's Permit, or Passport)
- Whether you're employed, retired, or never worked you're eligible!

### Your TTARP Membership Benefits

#### **1. Exclusive Discounts Just for You**

Enjoy special savings at over 700 businesses — including supermarkets, pharmacies, medical services, insurance, travel, and more! Just show your TTARP Card to access your deals.

Find participating merchants in your Discount Directory or visit www.ttarp. org/discounts

#### 2. We Represent You

TTARP actively advocates to the Government and public bodies for better senior benefits — from health and income protection to safety, education, social, and more.

(See pages 4–5)

#### **3. Social Activities**

Get social, stay active! Join any of our 11 zonal groups for fun activities like luncheons, cruises, meetings, overseas trips, and community outreach. (See pages 14–16 for your nearest zone)

#### 4. HealthNet 50+ Medical Card

Access an affordable annual medical checkup designed for seniors, with screenings for heart, kidney, liver, diabetes, cancer, and more — plus dental for \$1500 /year, (just \$125 monthly).

Enjoy discounted rates on additional tests and doctor visits at only \$150. (Details on pages 17)

### 5. TTARP 050Q Magazine

Enjoy your exclusive subscription to our colorful and informative magazine, delivered three times a year — packed with health tips, member news, national benefits, recipes, and more! Prefer a digital version? Let us know!

#### 6. Volunteer & Employment Opportunities

Want to give back or stay engaged? Register your skills with TTARP for volunteer work or part-time employment through our member database. (See form on page 10)

#### "You've unlocked a world of benefits - welcome to the TTARP experience!"



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#### **IMPORTANT:**

Any changes to your name, address, email or phone numbers , please let us know as soon as possible.



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### **OTHER PAYMENT CENTRES**

NORTH: M&M Insurance Brokers Ltd. #39 Boissierre Village, Maraval Tel: 622-1274

SOUTH: M&M Insurance Brokers Ltd Room 303, Cross Crossing, Shopping Centre, San Fernando Tel: 657-2256 / 2343

TOBAGO: Methodist Church Circuit Office, Corner of Main and Picton Sts., Scarborough – (opposite the Scarborough Methodist Church): Tuesdays and Fridays 9am-1pm. Tel: 714-1694

### **Membership Rates**

#### **How to Register**

- 1. Complete the Application Form on the opposite page.
- 2. Submit it along with your Admission Fee (if applicable) and Subscription Fee.
- 3. You can join or renew online at *www.ttarp.org*

### **TTARP Membership Rates at a Glance**

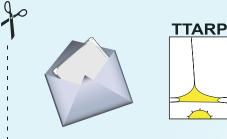
Membership Type	Admission Fee	1 Year	2 Years	3 Years
Independent Members	\$10.00	\$100.00	\$180.00	\$260.00
Republic Bank Major League Account Holders	Waived	\$90.00	\$160.00	\$230.00
FCB Evergreen Account Holders	FREE	Request at your FCB Branch	-	-

### **Important Notes**

- 1. Proof of Republic Bank's Major League Account must be provided at sign-up to receive the discounted rate.
- 2. You must be 50 years or older to become a TTARP member.
- 3. We accept cash, cheque, LINX, and credit card payments.
- 4. Please take note of your expiry date to avoid late payment penalties.
- 5. FCB Evergreen Account Holders are entitled to a FREE TTARP Membership Card annually. This must be requested directly at your branch.
- 6. Membership is non-transferable, non-refundable, and not deferrable.

*Kindly note your expiration date and remember to RENEW your card BEFORE the EXPIRY DATE.* 

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### **MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

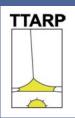
I want to enroll in TTARP and enjoy all the benefits of membership.

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NB: Proof of Age must be provided - Proof of Major League Account is necessary to obtain Membership Fee discounts - FCB Evergreen customers will get a FREE membership via FCB branches only.

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# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REQUESTED

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In order for us to improve your benefits and services, we need to know a little more about you..

- (a) What is your current employment status? : □Retired □Working Full Time □Working Part Time □Not Working
- (b) Current or previous Occupation :
- (c) Hobbies/ skills : \_\_\_\_\_
- (e) TICK BELOW ALL AREAS OF INTERESTS .....

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Research & Evaluation
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Security

(f) Can you refer us to two friends or family members who qualify to join TTARP but are not yet members ?

Name	Tel:	
Name	Tel:	

(g) What is your main reason for joining TTARP ?
□Financial Benefits
□Social Benefits
□Medical Benefits
□Insurance Benefits
□Other

Thank you for taking the time to complete these questions.

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### **TTARP ZONAL GROUPS**

### ARIMA "Eastern Angels" est. June 2002

Meeting Place - Arima Tennis Club – Railway Road, Arima MeetingDate & Time Every Friday (except Public Holidays) from 12:00 noon – 6:00 pm Chairman - Mary BELCON - 683-5108 - belconmary@gmail.com 1st Vice Chairman - Annette ALEXANDER-BROWNE - 468-8585 - annettebrowne@hotmail.com Asst Treasurer - Michelle MORA - 775-6957 - Michemora6@gmail.com Secretary - Mary ARCHBALD - 379-5689 - archbaldmary@gmail.com Asst Secretary - Carol SIMON-LOVELACE - 730-9508 - carolsimonluv@yahoo.com PRO - Esther KNIGHTS - 783-8646 - eknights19@gmail.com T-Shirt Colour - Lime Green

### BELMONT "Bees" est. June 2005

Meeting Place - St. Margaret's Anglican Church Hall - #93 Belmont Circular Rd., Belmont Meeting Date & Time - 4th Tuesday of each month @ 4:00 pm Chairman Sandra MORGAN 792-0263 sandramorgan85@yahoo.com Vice Chairman - Gloria JONES - 620-1596 Treasurer - Jennilyn HAMBLYN-RAPHAEL - 716-0169 - jennilynraphael@hotmail.com Secretary - Joanne RICHARDS - 626-1880 | 788-5409 - tulahie@gmail.com PRO - Joshua PHILLIPS - 707-5228 - phylofyre@hotmail.com T-Shirt Colour - Gold

### **CENTRAL "Central Pride" est. March 2003**

Meeting Place - Flaming Word Ministry Auditorium, Caroni Savannah Road, Chaguanas. Meeting Date & Time - 2nd Monday of each month @ 10:00 am. Chairman - Florence SMITH-SKINNER - 757-0858 - floski15@hotmail.com Vice Chairman - Marjorie ALLEYNE-THOMAS - 295-5653 - mat3874@hotmail.com Treasurer - Christine BEEPATH - 620-0985 - cbeepath@ymail.com Secretary - Gainder MAHARAJ - 328-5982 - gainy1@hotmail.com PRO - Marilyn DUNCAN-BUTLER - 479-6977 - maridunc1@yahoo.com T-Shirt Colour - Orange

### DIEGO MARTIN "Western Pearls" July 13th 2023/est. January 2011

Meeting Place - Diego Martin South Community Centre, #1 Senior St., Four Roads, Diego Martin Meeting Date & Time - 3rd Thursday of each month @ 4:00 pm Chairman - Emerita SAMBRANO-CHURCHE - 758-4601 - keyevents14@gmail.com Vice Chairman - Joanne SHURLAND - 763-0566 - jshurland@yahoo.com Treasurer - Una Paula RYAN - 7172391 - una.ryan20@gmail.com Secretary - Michelle CUMMING-BART MORALES - 489-2202 - mcb-morales@hotmail.com Trustee - Brian MOORE - 685-5389 - bcm53@hotmail.com T-Shirt Colour - Burgundy

### **TTARP ZONAL GROUPS**

### FYZABAD "Forever Green" est. March 2007

Meeting Place - Fyzabad Regional Community Complex Meeting Date & Time - 3rd Thursday of each month @ 10:00 am. Chairman - Monica NELSON - 394-5571 | 649-1866 - monicanelson1960@gmail.com Vice Chairman - Judith DE BOULAY - 736-0962 | 677-5207 - jdeboulay@gmail.com Treasurer - Hermina TIMOTHY - 354-1204 - herminatimothy@hotmail.com Secretary - Michael BO0D00SINGH - 753-6488 - michael.boodoosingh@yahoo.com PRO - Errol BLACKETT - 742-3794 - atibajohn@gmail.com T-Shirt Colour - Green

### LA BREA "Black Gold" est. July 2011

Meeting Place - Vessigny Community Centre — Southern Main Road, Vessigny Meeting Date & Time 3rd - Thursday of each month @ 3.30 - 6 pm Chairman - Dennis MARCHAN - 774-2701 - dennismarchan110@gmail.com Vice Chairman - Angela CARTY-JOSEPH - 747-3927 - Angelacarty20@gmail.com Secretary - Jo-Anne BOWEN-DELYSIA - 764-9132 - joannedelysia@gmail.com Asst. Secretary - Ezra VAUGHN - 389-8346 - ezra54@hotmail.com Treasurer - Kerlin ROBERTS-JAMES - 380-5782 - kerlinrobertsjames@yahoo.com T-Shirt Colour - Black & Gold

### PEMBROKE (Tobago) "Cultural Stars" est. March 2009

Meeting Place - Quarters #126, Cow Farm, Goldsborough, Tobago Meeting Date & Time - 2nd Monday of each month @ 4:00 pm Chairman - Deane REID - 288-7216 - deanereid36@gmail.com Vice Chairman Treasurer - Christa STEWART - 710-4880 / 318-1120 Secretary - Gail ALEXANDER-EDWARDS - 759-4244 - gailedwards60@gmail.com T-Shirt Colour - Orange/Green

### PRINCES TOWN/RIO CLARO "Royals" est. January 2001

Meeting Place - St. Stephens Anglican Church Parish Hall - Cor. High Street & Lothians Junction, Princes Town Meeting Date & Time - 3rd Saturday of each month @ 2:00 pm Chairman - Ronnie ROBERTS - 375-5112 - ronnierobert10@gmail.com Vice Chairman - Stephen THOMAS - 301-5084 - StephenThomas19491110@gmail.com Secretary - Annmarie PAUL-ROBERTS - 754-5361 - anniepr89@gmail.com Treasurer - Ramchand KALIPERSAD - 359-3042 - rkalip@gmail.com Asst. Treasurer - Angela GUERRA - 753-7382 - amgela\_aguerr@hotmail.com T-Shirt Colour - White

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### SAN FERNANDO "Purple Diamonds" est. April 1997

Meeting Place - Pleasantville Community Centre, #2 Prince Alfred St., Pleasantville, San F'do Meeting Date & Time - 1st Tuesday of each month @ 10:30 am Chairman - Norma GEORGE-OCHOA - 330-0437 | 374-0701 - virtex1751@gmail.com Vice Chairman - Herbert DE GANNES - 746-6605 - herbertdegannes@gmail.com Treasurer - Irmine MC KENZIE - 770-1188 - irmine.mckenzie@gmail.com Secretary - June THOMPSON - 770-4258 - auntyjunecakes@gmail.com Trustee - Lenore DALY - 484-2787 - lenoredaly55@gmail.com T-Shirt Colour - Purple

### SANTA CRUZ "Cruzers" est. June 2010

Meeting Place - Bourg Mulatresse Parish Hall, Santa Cruz Meeting Date & Time - 4th Friday of each month @ 5:00 pm Chairman - Jacqueline AUSTIN - 396-6389 - jeularia50@hotmail.com Vice-Chairman - Joan EDWARDS JAMES - 739-9551 - Joanedwards00@gmail.com Treasurer - Raena De FOUR - 797-3384 - raenadefour@yahoo.com Secretary Asst Secretary - Debria ISAAC - 271-3155 - debriaisaac@gmail.com

Comm. Officer - Norma ISAACS - 681-0631 - normaisaacs@hotmail.com T-Shirt Colour - Turquoise

### TOBAGO "Corals" est. August 2001

Meeting Place - Happy Haven School - Signal Hill, Tobago Meeting Date & Time - 2nd Saturday of each month @ 3:00 pm Chairman - Zilpah EDWARDS-MOORE - 758-0853 - zilpahm@gmail.com Vice-Chairman - Elton RICHARDSON - 754-8620 - elstephenrich@gmail.com Treasurer - Merla KELLER - 778-8517 - Merla241@hotmail.com Secretary - Rawle ANDERSON - 374-8677 - andersonrawle@yahoo.com Asst. Secretary - Maria MAC FARLANE-WILLIAMS - 762-1792 - sbromedlab@hotmail.com PRO - Selby COLE - 390-0142 - selby cole@yahoo.com - ttarptobagocorals@gmail.com T-Shirt Colour - Blue/Gold

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