

## Notes

Urgent Action? Yes needed urgently in the Caribbean, where we are faced Sahara Dust, Sargassum foul smelling weed on all our beaches, impacting our Reefs, Mangroves, Tourism, Way of Life we are open and receptive to Synergies for Sustainable Environment, Urgent Community Assessment in our Coastal and Rural Communities to address the challenges; plus of mental health issues post COVID,

We work with 129 police Youth Clubs and capacity building for environmental stewardship and technology enhancement is urgently required, five of our young ladies are involved in on fostering innovations to address the challenges we are facing right now on our sister island, Tobago

One attended the WORLD FOOD FORUM in Rome, Italy and is following up on FAO Online training which is shared with other members of the youth clubs; another represented us at the UN UNESCO WSIS WORLD SUMMIT AWARD, in Puebla, Mexico in April. She is networking on technological enhancement for data-focused decision-making on SIDS as both these young ladies have emerged as Youth Ambassadors for Agriculture and Youth Ambassador for World Summit Award –Trinidad and Tobago

Tobago is at this very moment involved in a massive cleanup campaign, as a foreign overturned vessel is spilling oil throughout the island beaches, hotels, the famous Buccoo Reef is fighting for survival, tourism, fisher folks, land, water, agriculture and air just to name a few, as the call for international help for this small island

We close by calling for urgent action on Community Assessment reaching out to the people who live in the communities the grassroots people with the knowledge of their communities, who are left behind