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Highlights



The Four-Way Test 四大考验 Sì Dà Kǎo Yàn

Of the things we think, say, or do: 我们说的做的要符合:

1. Is it the TRUTH?

是真的吗?

Shì Zhēn de ma?

Is it FAIR to all concerned 是公平的吗?

Shì Gōng Píng de ma?

3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

是善意的并促进友谊吗?

Shì Shàn Yì de – Bìng Cù Jìn Yǒu Yí ma?

4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

是对大家有利吗?

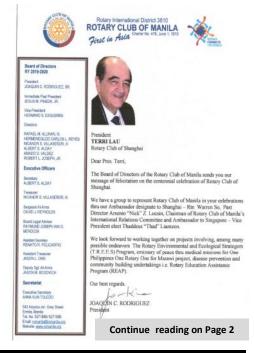
Richard Brubaker

Richard is the Managing Director of Collective Responsibility, Founder of HandsOn China and a former Adjunct Professor of Sustainability at the China Europe International Business School (CEIBS). Richard holds a Masters in International Management from the Thunderbird School of Global Management. Driven by the belief that change begins with a single step, Richard Brubaker has spent the last 15 years in Asia working to engage, inspire and equip those around him to take their first step.

To date, Richard have overseen the development and execution of more than 200 projects focused on solving the social, environmental and economic challenges that are faced in Asia

Congratulation letters





Date	Events (Topic / Speaker)	Time/Venue
Oct. 29, 2019	Speaker: Richard Brubaker	18:30, 5th Floor, Marriott City Center
Nov 05, 2019	Cancelled	Municipal Holiday
Nov 12, 2019	Speaker: Joseph Chen: Myth-busting: The low back pain edition	18:30, 5th Floor, Marriott City Center
Nov 19, 2019	Rotary Ignites	18:30, 5th Floor, Marriott City Center

Tuesday, October 22, 2019

9 Members **Visiting Rotarians** 4 Guests 11 **Total headcount** 24

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE LAST MEETING

We had a last autumn fellowship dinner.

The special fellowship was held at Sophia's apartment instead of a local restaurant. It was very cozy, positive, heartwarming and lasted until 11pm. All participants enjoyed delicious food and wonderful

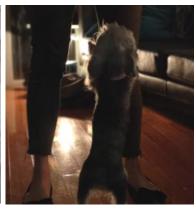
Sophia thanked all for being there. She also enjoyed it tremendously and even suggested doing this on a regular base.













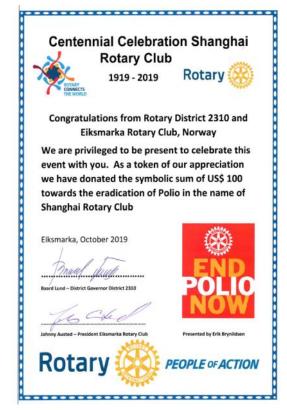
On October, 19th our Club celebrated 100 Years.

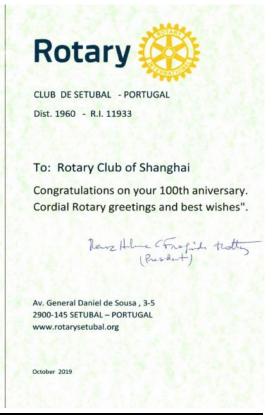
We had the pleasure and the honor to receive guests from all five continents. Participation was not the only sign of warmth from our friends.

It's so true that Rotary

Connects the World.

Please enjoy reading the kind wishes we received from all over the world.





Thank You Letter from the Club President



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2019-2020

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Shanghai, October 26th 2019

Thank you from the Rotary Club of Shanghai

Dear guests, friends and fellow Rotarians,

On behalf of all our members, I wish to tell you that it was our greatest pleasure to have you join us on October 19th at our Centennial Gala.

As the first Rotary Club in China, we were blessed to count guests and visiting Rotarians from many clubs in China and overseas. With you all, we were able to celebrate the merits of our earliest members, the countless service projects and the long and adventurous history of Rotary in Shanghai as well as in China.

Together, we have closed the first hundred years of our history but more importantly, we have opened a brand new book. We have reaffirmed our wills to serve, our commitment to the community and our goal to let Rotary shine by its actions.

More than ever, our focus is on the younger generations: we seek to show them by example the virtues of solidarity, leadership and service because one day, we hope, they will join us, as Rotarians, friends or partners.

Our gratitude also goes to our sponsors for making our centennial celebration possible.

Again, thank you all for joining us in making that evening memorable and motivating us to carry on for another century!

Yours in Rotary,

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Terri Lau - President of Rotary Club of Shanghai 2019-2020



Thank XunTang Logistics, platinum sponsor of the centennial gala





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Rotary Club of Shanghai Celebrating 100 years serving the community



























Pagoda Portrait: Diane Russell

Diane is hardworking behind many scenes. She provides vocational services on various kinds of cool design of Rotary and Rotaract materials.

When did you join RCS and who was your sponsor:

I joined in September 2015 after having been a Rotaractor in Shanghai. Frank Mulligan had convinced me in 2013 to connect with the Rotary family but he wasn't in Shanghai during my induction so Motohiro Yamane (Moto) became my sponsor. He was also Youth Chair at the time and he convinced me to join (I didn't dare tell him that "I have no time"!).

Where are you hailing from:

An international Rotarian family! Born in Venezuela, grew up in Brazil, high-school and university in France and then United States before China 8 years ago.

What are you doing professionally:

Before coming to Shanghai I was a Storyboard Artist for film (preparation drawings). 8 years ago I started a new career as Creative Director in digital solutions (campaigns, video, interactive display, etc.). Under this title, I first started in 3D video production, virtual sets design, iPad and smartphone apps, interactive displays for museums and exhibitions; then within digital agencies and a top advertising agency. I have been working under my own structure in Shanghai since September 2018.

What would you like to share with our readers about your family:

My Grand-Father and Father were both Rotarians and my Mom was always helping, volunteering. Growing up in a Rotarian family gave me a sense of consistency. I also helped my sister establish a Rotaract near Paris. I'm the youngest of 3 sisters. They both live in Paris. My parents share their time between France and Brazil.

What are your hobbies, apart from RCS:

I enjoyed dancing most of my life and was quite into Latin dances (salsa, bachata, cha-cha) since university days. I also had a pet bird called Black Pearl, for 7 years, who sadly passed away today. She could speak French and some words of Chinese and English.

How do you recharge your battery:

It used to be at home with my bird when in Shanghai. Spending time with friends in Shanghai or travelling, being in nature and spending time with people I love like my Grand-mother (who is 94) and my boyfriend.

Best/Last book you read and why:

The subtle art of not giving a f*ck, by Mark Manson. Despite the title, it's a very serious book about hope, prioritizing and handling anxiety. Useful skills to learn for an entrepreneur.

Favorite place in Shanghai:

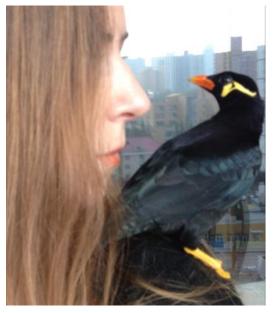
Used to be home. Now without the bird I might have to reconsider... An outdoor swimming pool near the home maybe?

What is your advice to any new member of RCS:

Be involved in a committee or other service area.



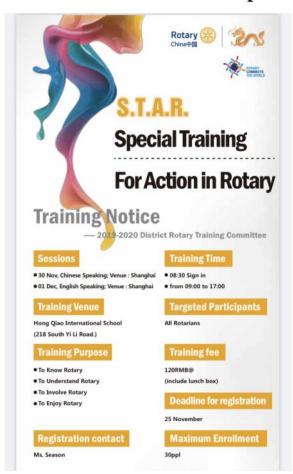








Upcoming Events





* Club important appontiments



Club Information



Contacts & Meetings

The club meeting is a dinner meeting (by invitation only) Tuesday 18:30 cocktails, 19:00-20:30 dinner

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2019-20 Presidential Theme: Connect for good causes

By RCS President Terri Lau



Terri Lau – President

Rotary provides the platform for a group of likeminded professionals, scholars, entrepreneurs, leaders in their own field to meet and to serve the community. Through the service projects we take the action to raise awareness to make changes, to provide service to others.

As a member of the non-districted group of 26 Rotary clubs, 10 Rotaract, 18 Interact clubs and a RCC in Mainland China today, I believe it's the perfect time to connect within our Rotary family. The joint talents and effort will benefit all parties for the good cause. I invite all members to take an active role, to participate in club meetings and activities. Three key words to define an active Rotarian in my interpretation: **Meet! Connect! Serve**!

Last but not the least: **We Celebrate**! Rotary year 2019-20 is a special year for RCS when RCS was first chartered on October 1, 1919. Only a few clubs have been chartered before. A hundred years later, RCS has become a club that connects for the good cause. Celebrate with us this very special anniversary.

Basic Info of our Club

First chartered on 1 October 1919 Rechartered on 8 February 2006 Number of active Members – 59 Honorary Members – 4

"Gift of Life" - Heart Surgery

GOL provides life-saving operations their family cannot afford. Over 550 children with congenital heart defects have been saved under the programs executed by the Rotary Club of Shanghai.

Preventing Kashin-Beck disease

The Kashin-Beck disease (KBD) is a neglected disease afflicting mostly poor areas of China and resulting in stunted growth, joint deformities and chronic pain.

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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 a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service

Rotarian Code of Conduct

The following code of conduct has been adopted for the use of Rotarians:

AS A ROTARIAN, I will

- 1) Act with integrity and high ethical standards in my personal and professional life
- 2) Deal fairly with others and treat them and their occupations with respect
- 3) Use my professional skills through Rotary to: mentor young people, help those with special needs, and improve people's quality of life in my community and in the world
- 4) Avoid behavior that reflects adversely on Rotary or other Rotarians

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