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DIFFERENCE

Service Above Self

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## President Moto's Strategy

- by President Motohiro Yamane

Welcome to the year of “Rotary: Making a Difference”.

This RI theme implies “ordinary people around the world, acting together, making a big difference”.

### RCS theme is “Engagement”

If each member is **engaged** and being a “proud member”, we can **serve** better for humanity, which will **make a difference**, and as a consequence, **light up Rotary**.

Each year, RI theme and Club theme are new and different, but those are not isolated, rather deeply connected.

As a Japanese, I like “harmony” and step by step approach, rather than revolution and drastic changes.

I would like to continue good new tradition established these years- focusing on local projects, fellowship events, and family involvement – both Rotary family and your family.

Rotary is a group of rotation of leadership. Each President’s character, strength and weakness are different. I started Rotary from small things such as Expat Show, Rotaract-originated local projects (weekend, low cost), and became engaged more when I became the Pagoda editor, and becoming one of core members of RCS by serving as a Secretary, and leading youth service. My challenge this year is to learn more and engaged in the core services of our club tradition- GOL and global grants etc. I am still on the way of learning and still a long way to become a strong leader like Andrew.

### Why “engagement”?

Because that is what I learned from Rotary. If you are not engaged, you will lose interest in coming to the club. If you are engaged, you want to come to the club to talk to other members to do something. It will increase number of membership, variety of projects, good speakers, happy money and FUN.

Engagement does not necessarily require heavy financial or time commitment. Each member’s interest, character and strength are different. You can start from a small thing. A small engagement, when accumulated, can make a difference eventually.



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### 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: Wǒ men Shuō de Zuò de Yào Fú Hé:

1. Is it the truth?  
是真的吗? Shì Zhēn de ma?
2. 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 Yí de - Bìng Cù Jìn Yǒu Yí ma?
4. Will it be Beneficial to all Concerned?  
是对大家有利吗? Shì Duì Dà Jiā Yǒu Lì ma?

Date	Topic/Speaker	Venue/Time
July 4 <sup>th</sup>	Strategy for the New Rotary Year – by President Motohiro Yamane	EZO Japanese Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00
July 11 <sup>th</sup>	SR Frank Yih Official Visit / Service Projects – by Rita Malvone	EZO Japanese Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00
July 18 <sup>th</sup>	Summer fellowship dinner	3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00
July 25 <sup>th</sup>	Summer fellowship dinner	3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00

June 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Francine Takara	RC Osvaldo Cruz California	Brazil
Gregor Tavares	RC Osvaldo Cruz California	Brazil
Dr. Christian Reisinger	RC Vocklabruck-Attersee	Austria
James Zhou	RC Hangzhou	China
Harry Wong	RC Hangzhou	China
Randal Eastman	RC Fresh Start	China

32 members, 6 visitors and 15 guests, total headcount 53.

### Highlights from the last meeting

What a night!!! No other exclamation could actually fit the feeling of past meeting. With a very high and excited attendance we had to be called a few times by President Andrew to take our sit in order to start our meeting, by the lead of Jeff through our Four Ways Test. Visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced by C.M. who probably missed Sergeant David that night. Few minutes to enjoy fellowship and then here is James, from RC Hangzhou, who gave us a short but very enthusiastic presentation about his experience at Atlanta Convention, underlining Paul Harris' message "when 2-3 men come together, there is not limit to what you can accomplish!" can you imagine what can be accomplished with over 34,000 Rotarians in the world? Handover time, one year has just finished and a new one is on about to start. President Andrew, before peacefully transferring the power to Moto-san, made a brief summary of his Presidency through 10 key points, based on organization, team work, new NGO laws, knowing and understanding different people, getting closer to other fellow Rotarians, great projects we all worked for, having more women in the club, representing us every day by proudly wearing Rotary pin and being happy for this upcoming new Presidency and his Board, giving all of us new blood and inspiration. He also offered awards and recognitions to the brothers and sisters that highly committed themselves during this past year: C.M., Terri, Linnet and Tracy and a bottle of wine was offered to those who have been always available, even at late night. So here we see Moto, Linnet, Tracy and C.M. Honorable Mentions went to IPP Dean and "Dr. Evil Sergeant" David but the winner among the winners was Christian who unfortunately could not be with us that night, but his commitment to Rotary, to our Club and his being the great person he is, always available for projects and friends really deserved to be recognized.

Andrew also left all of us with a gift, that actually was more a funny story about a the murder of a Swedish Princess but tasted really good!!! (ndr Princess Tårta, a typical Swedish cake).

Time for few pictures of 2016-2017 Board and here we are, that's the moment. 8:25pm Motohiro yamane is officially our new President! He received all the "President set" and even an Hawaiian Lei. It's now time for the new Board to be introduced and pinned and then President Moto introduced the New Year theme "Rotary Marking a Difference" through our Club new Year theme "Engagement". PP Andrew rings the bell for the last time this year and invites all of us to toast to Moto and our future, and then let's enjoy Princess Tårta.

**Welcome all to the New Rotary Year !!!**



The "murdered" Princess

James from RC Hangzhou reporting about Atlanta Convention



Jeff and The Four Ways Test



... and the winner is ....

On the night of Theme "Family" opening to a new Rotary paragraph, President's Andrew beautiful wife Cindy and amazing son Zach couldn't be missing



Frank Yih, Randal enjoying the night with fellow Rotarians and friends



## Summer Family Brunch

- by Terri Lau

Despite the short notice, the misty and humid weather the event was really well attended. 40 people in total: fellow Rotarians with wives, husbands and children, friends and Rotaractors. We have been pleased by the company of RC Beijing PP Ruby Chang. One big family enjoying cozy atmosphere and yummy brunch at T8, in his new venue in Xintiandi. The event was scheduled to end at 2pm, however company was too good to leave earlier so most of us enjoyed fellowship until 3pm and beyond: perfect evidence of a relaxing and comfortable afternoon among our big family.

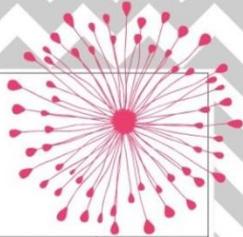
## Handover Night memories





To:

July 2017



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5	6 <i>Olaf Griese</i>	7	8
9	10	11 <i>Louisa Hutton</i>	12 <i>Christian Rink</i>	13	14	15 <i>Rangarajan Vellamore R.</i>
16	17	18	19	20	21 <i>Roger Owens</i>	22
23	24	25 <i>Ralf Barbican</i>	26	27 <i>Terri Lau</i>	28	29 <i>Filippo Garini</i>
30	31					

Rotary Club of Shanghai West  
 Wednesday ,18:30-20:30  
 Location: Shanghai Pullman Hotel  
 位置: 上海中星铂爾曼酒店  
 Address: No. 1 Pubei Road, Xuhui District, Shanghai  
 上海徐汇区浦北路1号  
 For more information please contact President Evan Huang  
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Fresh Start Rotary Club of Shanghai  
 Friday, 7:45-9:00 am  
 Location: 2nd floor, Element Fresh, Jing An Kerry Center  
 位置: 新元素静安嘉里中心店二楼  
 Address : No.1551 Nan Jing Xi Lu ,shanghai  
 地址: 南京西路1551号  
 For more information about Fresh Start and for anyone interested to attend, please visit <http://freshstartrotaryshanghai.org/>

Rotary Club of Shanghai Pudong Lujiazui  
 Thursday, 19:00-20:30  
 Location: Grand Kempinski Hotel, Shanghai上海凯宾斯基大酒店  
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## Club Information

### Contacts & Meetings

The club meeting is a dinner meeting (by invitation only) every Tuesday at the: Marriott City Center No. 555 Middle Xizang Rd, Shanghai 上海雅居乐万豪酒店, 中国 上海 黄浦区西藏中路 555 号 18:30 cocktails, 19:00-20:30 dinner For details, contact the club administrator Vivian Huang at [rsvp@rotaryshanghai.org](mailto:rsvp@rotaryshanghai.org), +86 13501672753

For more information, please visit [www.rotaryshanghai.org](http://www.rotaryshanghai.org)



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- Motohiro Yamane – President
- Linnet Kwok– President Elect
- Alejandro Buriel – Vice President
- Michelle Li– Hon. Secretary
- Chee Ming Tsang- Treasurer
- Andrew Hillt - IPP
- David Smith
- Eckhard Zink
- Frank Mulligan
- Tracy Hua
- Terri Lau

### Basic Info of our Club

First chartered on 1 October 1919, re-chartered on 8 February 2006  
 Number of active members – 68

### Committees and Directors

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- Fellowship**  
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