



# Pagoda



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**Rotary Club of Shanghai**

## AUSTIN POWERS AND THE SWINGING 60's PARTY

Join the Rotary Club of Shanghai for an International Night of Mystery  
 March 25th, 2017 6pm to late  
 Stand up Buffet / Ticket price RMB 680

Prizes for the best dressed groovy costumes - Venue: Marriott Hotel City Center, 555 Xi Zang Middle Road, 5th floor Grand Ballroom

### 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 Fǔ 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 Yì 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?

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## Rotary Swimarathon

No more excuses!  
Jump in a global cause!

3337 Hongmei Rd, Shanghai  
Near Yanan West Rd  
上海市闵行区虹梅路3337号  
10 Longxi Rd

Bring swimsuits, cap and goggle!

Event (Swim+Spa): 100¥  
Event + Brunch: 200¥

10:45 - Registration & changing  
11:30 to 12:30 - Swimming relay  
13:00 - Lunch

RSVP link: [QR Code]

**Rotary Swimarathon**  
Sunday Feb 26<sup>th</sup> 2017

### Our speaker Valtero Canepa on Slow Food

Valtero born in 1960 in the west coast of Liguria, a small region in the North-West of Italy.

He has been working in an Italian pharmaceutical company for his whole career, with different roles in sales and marketing and is presently the General Manager of the China and HK affiliate, coordinating 340 people for an approximate 90 M USD turnover. Since his childhood, coming himself from a poor family of farmers, he cultivated a profound love for the soil, the plants and the animals.

He developed an interest for cooking and quality food and in the late 80's he joined the Slow Food movement, born in 1986 in Piedmont, not far from his hometown. The deeply rooted respect for food grew up in combination with a high attention for the environment, moving from a gourmands association to an eco-gastronomic movement.

In 2014 he founded the Slow Food Central Shanghai Convivium, to contribute to the growth and the spread of the attention to "good, clean and fair" food. He is now cooperating with food producers, restaurants and other associations to convince consumers to become co-producers, to use their purchasing power to change the world. He is also working on bringing food education to the schools. He is also a member of the Scientific Committee of Slow Food Greater China and is cooperating in national projects, such as the organization of a "Terra Madre" event in China in autumn 2017 and to establishment of a list of Chinese "Presidia", quality products at risk of extinction, such as native breeds and local plant varieties, coming from unique regions and ecosystems.



Date	Topic/Speaker	Venue/Time
February 14 <sup>th</sup>	Valtero Canepa on Slow Food	5/F meeting room 1+2, Marriott City Center, 19:00
February 21 <sup>st</sup>	Frank Hossack on the True Origins of China's Coffee Culture	EZO Japanese Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00
February 28 <sup>th</sup>	TBA	EZO Japanese Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00
March 7 <sup>th</sup>	Update on the Taicang Inclusion Factory, Nadav Ben Simon	EZO Japanese Restaurant, Marriott City Center, 19:00

February 7th, 2017

Henry Chang	RC Lujiazui	China
Kurt Haerri	RC Luzerne	Switzerland

16 members, 2 visitors and 5 guests to make the total headcount 23

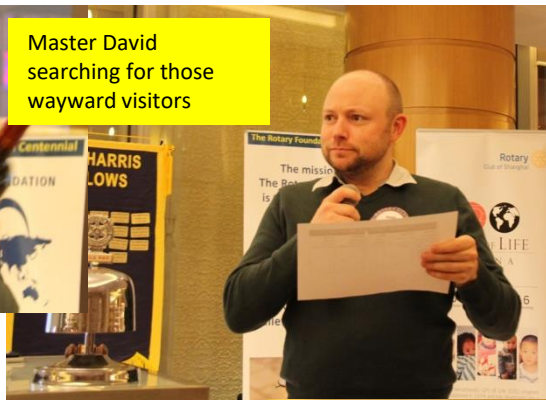
Dr. Roger on Colonoscopy and Rioja



Highlights from the last meeting

The last meeting was sparsely visited. Andrew presided over it with his usual robust voice. Guido Boehm. David announced guests and visiting Rotarians, after Anna had read out the Four-Way-Test. A few announcements were made, first Linnet highlighted the big party on March 25th (see also p1 of the Pagoda) and David encourage everybody to provide auction items for the silent auction there. Moto reminded us of the coming Swimarathon. He also took pains to point out that nobody will be actually required to swim 42.195km. Andrew asked members to join especially when guest speakers come – it reflects badly on our club if we do not show them the courtesy of our attendance. One of the highlights was certainly the induction of Guido Boehm, the first new member in 2017. Another highlight was Roger’s auctioning off a bottle of good Rioja – mingling exciting topics like good vintages with important but less exciting topics like the medical examination of body cavities. The meeting was adjourned with our customary toast.

Master David searching for those wayward visitors



Kurt, always a well liked guest



Welcome Guido



Moto – no, not selling the Pagoda but advertising the Swimarathon



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, +86 13501672753

Officers & Boardmembers

- Andrew Hill – President
- Moto Yamane– President Elect
- Linnet Kwok – Vice President
- Tracy Hua– Hon. Secretary
- Chee Ming Tsang- Treasurer
- Dean Merritt - IPP
- Filippo Garini
- Alejandro Buriel Rocha
- Dave Smith
- Christian Kober
- Susanne Moskop

Basic Info of our Club

First chartered on 1 October 1919, re-chartered on 8 February 2006  
 Number of active members – 69  
 Number of honorary members – 5

Committees and Directors

- Club Administration Committee**  
Chair: Moto Yamane, [yamane@tmish.com](mailto:yamane@tmish.com)
- Membership Committee**  
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- Service Projects**  
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- Gift of Life**  
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- Annual Party**  
Chair: Linnet Kwok, [linnetkwok@hotmail.com](mailto:linnetkwok@hotmail.com)

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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 Roy Chu  
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Rotary Club of Shanghai Pudong Lujiazui  
 Thursday, 19:00-20:30  
 Location: Kempinski Hotel, Shanghai 上海凯宾斯基大酒店  
 1288 Lujiazui Ring Road, Pudong New Area  
 浦东新区陆家嘴环路1288号  
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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/>