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Service Above Self

One Profits Most Who Serves Best

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Highlights



Interact Day ~ May, 22nd 2018

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?

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?

是善意并促进友谊吗？

Shì Shàn Yì de – Bìng Cù Jìn Yǒu Yì

ma?

4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all

concerned?

是对大家有利吗？

Interact Day

It is our tradition to invite Interactors to join our dinner meeting in May every year.

May is the month of “Youth Service” in Rotary. Let’s celebrate amazing accomplishments of our Interactors in the community service and fellowship!

What is Interact?



Interact club is a service club for the students ages 12-18 years old, sponsored by a local Rotary club. It can be a community-based club, but mostly Interact clubs are school-based.

1st Interact club was established in Florida, USA in 1962. Now there are 20,372 Interact clubs in the world with 468,556 members in 159 countries/regions.

Among 16 Interact clubs in Mainland China, we are sponsoring 5 active Interact clubs. As the big mother of this Rotary family, we have been proudly supporting our Interact clubs by inviting them to our meeting, service projects, and organizing annual training sessions or other events.

Together with our community based Rotaract Club of Shanghai (for ages 18-30), our youth clubs are important parts of Rotary Shanghai. They can do service projects together, volunteer at our event, and will be future Rotarians.

Recent Interact Event

On April 27, the 3rd China Interact Conference was held at SMIC private school(上海中芯学校). The 1st conference on April 3, 2017 was hosted by SHSID Interact Club, sponsored by our club. The 2nd conference on April 14, 2018 was hosted by SCIS Hongqiao Interact Club, sponsored by our club. This year, it was hosted by

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Highlights from the last meeting

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Date	Topic / Speaker	Venue/Time
May 7th	Interact Day	Room 5, 5th Floor, Marriott City Center, 19:00
May 14th	PowerMehealthy—Sharon	5th Floor, Marriott City Center, 19:00
May 21st	Rotary Ignites	5th Floor, Marriott City Center, 19:00
May 28th	Club Assembly	5th Floor, Marriott City Center, 19:00

Tuesday, April 30th 2019

Highlights of Handover and Farewell

Visiting Rotarians:

Alexander Grayer	RC 11932	Austria
Harry Wong	RC Suzhou	Mainland China
Koen Bosmans	RC Leuven	Belgium
Christopher Peterka	RC Cologne-Ville	Germany
Coffee Lynna	RC Shanghai West	Mainland China

Dinner attendance

Members	35
Visiting Rotarians	5
Guests	10
Total headcount	50

Happy Money: 13,800 CNY

President Linnet led the Four Way test and we read together.

Sergeant Sam introduced visiting Rotarians and guests. Among them presidential family, starting from Linnet's father, Past President of Rotary Club of Hong Kong, her husband and one of her sons.

We started enjoying our dinner and little time after Rtn. Adam and Rita led the saddle by selling raffle tickets. Many attendees were enthusiastic in grabbing a bunch of tickets, considering the good cause and winning the attractive prizes.

After a while, President Linnet recalled her Rotary Year as a President going through the most significant moments. Self funded service projects like the Summer Market, the Library Project, Youdao Family Day; Expat show; Sunday brunch, Christmas party; Rotary Ignite; SR Richard Zi's official visit; Christmas at Shanghai Children's Medical Center; Rtn. Rita's workshop for an RCS 2.0 improvements. Other Rotary moments were the tree planting, successful and generous online donation in favor of GOL; Captain John wearing RCS T-shirt.

After all memories, President Linnet took a moment to thank her Dream Team, made of all Board Members. Membership Chair Sophia and Rtns. Diane and Ludovic who offered their time to support the team. Presidential special Service Above Self Award went to Secretary Tiziana, accompanied by a touching motivation.

Time to handover. President Linnet called PE Terri to join her for the official handover ceremony. PE Terri thanked President Linnet and all the presents. She was sincerely happy to see a full house tonight; she recalled this year as one of the most important ones and she is looking at our club future starting from our centennial where we all hope to have President Linnet joining.

Lucky draw was chaired by Adam and we had funny and hilarious moments. The first call went to Emma! Our youngest guest tonight, Rtns. Thilo and Natalie's daughter. Rtn. David Smith was the man who smiled more till the end: 4 prizes calls and the last most desired one, air tickets to Japan, sponsored by Japan Airlines.

At the end, President Linnet thanked all for coming, toasted to RCS 2.0 and invited all to join for group photo.



Group Photo



Banner Exchange



Presidential Table



The Dream Team



Service Above Self Award



Official Handover



The Big Winner



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SMIC Interact Club, sponsored by Rotary Club of Shanghai West. The next year, it will be hosted by SHTCS Interact Club(上海台商子女学校), sponsored by Rotary Club of Shanghai Hongqiao.

You can see the rotation of leadership which is a tradition of Rotary.

8 Interact clubs joined the event. One of them is Interact Club of JXFLS, flying all the way from Chengdu, Sichuan Province.

The student-run event was very innovative and fun. Right after the brief formalities (introduction, watching video and short speech), we joined the ice break session involving all the participants including Rotarians. 80 people were divided into 8 groups randomly. The game was just like BINGO but checking the squares by completing the assignment written in each square. Each group member cooperated in finding a person who satisfies the requirement in the entire room and take a selfie with him/her to post in the big group chat as the evidence of an answer. Some assignment was quite easy, such as "find a person who can speak a third language fluently other than English and Chinese". Most Rotarians were asked to take pictures for the question "find a person who can tell you Rotary's 6 area of focus", but some of us needed to google the answer. The toughest one was "find a person whose birthday is same as you". Only 2 teams out of 8 could complete this.

We also enjoyed piano and dance performances of the students before and after the lunch break. With all those exciting elements, nobody was taking a nap during the activity report session in the afternoon.

Those who have missed the event, you can join the Interact Day event today to learn from the Interactors about how they are successful in the service projects and how they have overcome some difficulties in the club management.

(This article is contributed by IPP Motohiro Yamane)



Interact Conference ~ April, 27th 2019



Upcoming Events



RUN IN BLUE 2019

A 5km run in a blue T-shirt to support leukemic children's education

SUPPORT A GOOD CAUSE

Children treated for leukemia and other related cancers cannot attend normal school during their treatment. New Sunshine Charity Foundation fills this gap by providing volunteer-taught classes and enrichment activities to hospitalized children with leukemia.

RUN IN BLUE 2019

Place: Century Park, Shanghai
Date: May 18th, 2019
Time: 9:30 - 13:00
Ticket price: from 80 - 250 RMB



The Officers and Members of the Rotary Club of Manila, led by President Jesus "Susing" M. Pineda, Jr. invite you to

100th Anniversary of the Rotary Club of Manila and the Rotary Movement in the Philippines and in Asia

JUNE 20, 21, 22, 2019

REGISTRATION FEE:

<p>Early Bird Rate: (Until March 15, 2019) (PESO) – PHP 5,000 (USD) - \$150</p>	<p>Regular Rate: (March 16, 2019 onwards) (PESO) – PHP 5,250 (USD) - \$175</p>
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** Club important appointments*

Happy Birthday

May

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
		01	02	03	04	05
06	07	08	09	10	11	12
Motohiro Yamane						
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
						Nikola Urosevic
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Cathy Hau						
27	28	29	30	31		
	Thierry Melango					

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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2018-19 Presidential Theme: Back to Basic

By RCS President, Linnet Kwok



Linnet Kwok – President

I want this year to focus on Rotary's core values, **Fellowship** and **Service**.

With fellowship we create good service projects and through service we develop long lasting friendships. They are intertwined.

The arrows represents fellowship and service crisscrossing each other. The arrows also form a globe as we are an international organization and an international club.

RCS has over 20 nationalities. To create fellowship we need members, more members to deliver service projects and more members to grow the club.

To grow the club we need to work on our youth and PR. Many people don't know us or think we are a group of old middle age Anglo Saxon males! On the contrary, we are very diversified.

Basic Info of our Club

First chartered on 1 October 1919
 Rechartered on 8 February 2006
 Number of active Members – 67
 Honorary Members – 4

Inclusion Factory

Project

The Inclusion Factory gives meaningful employment and training to mentally challenged individuals under real market conditions.

Careers in Care

Project

Careers in Care tackles the issue of a growing aged population in China by teaching migrant workers to care for the elderly.

"Gift of Life" – Heart Surgery

Project

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

Project

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.

The Library Project

Project

The Library Project has established over 1,800 elementary school libraries. It has put more than 1,200,000 Chinese language children's books into the hands of eager young readers.

Officers & Board members

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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

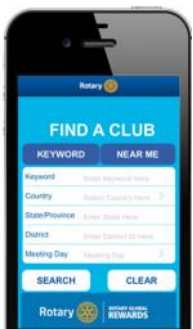
Rotarian Code of Conduct

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

FIND A CLUB: ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD!



Everywhere you are in the world you can easily locate the nearest club by simply visiting www.rotary.org/clublocator or downloading Rotary's free **Club Locator** app available both for Apple and Android.