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Service Above Self

One Profits Most Who Serves Best

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Highlights



Rotary IGNITE
 - 3 speakers
 - 5 minutes each
 - 20 slides total
 - 15 second slide timer
 The 3rd Tuesday Each Month

Rotary Ignite

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?

E-waste drive day at RCS on 10 September 2019

Report by Michel De Vriendt

RCS Netspring E-waste drive day was held on 10 September 2019, Teacher's day, from 18h30 till 20h30 at the Marriott City Center.

Special thanks to all Rotary Club of Shanghai & Rotaract Club Of Shanghai members , Fresh start Rotary club of Shanghai, Shanghai Élysée Rotarians for their contribution of obsolete electronic equipment during its 1st Rotary Club Of Shanghai Environmental Sustainability Rotarian Action .This greatly supported Netspring teams in their mission to "Transform e-waste into e-education", which will create further impact at the Rotary Club of Shanghai sponsored GREEN IT classroom Chenchun Migrants primary school in Shanghai

Songjiang district and help preserve our environment from unwanted electronic waste pollution.



We collected 50+ computers and e-devices ,

The General manager of Netspring, Linda Wei reported to us on 12 September: "We sincerely thank to Rotary Shanghai and The Service Committee Of the Rotary club Shanghai for their kind support to Netspring Green IT Programs, the e-waste drive on Sept. 10th resulted in a great contribution from Rotary members, together, let's transform e-waste to e-education, and build up a Green IT Classroom in Shanghai Chenchun migrant school for underprivileged children! "

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| Date | Events (Topic / Speaker) | Time/Venue |
|----------------|--------------------------|--|
| Sept. 17, 2019 | Rotary Ignite | 18:30, 3rd Floor, Marriott City Center |
| Sept. 24, 2019 | Club Assembly | 18:30, 5th Floor, Marriott City Center |
| Oct. 1, 2019 | National Holiday | No Club meeting |
| Oct. 8, 2019 | Laura Mitchelson, ICUNet | 18:30, 5th Floor, Marriott City Center |

Tuesday, September 10, 2019

Highlights from the last meeting

Visiting Rotarians:

| | | |
|------------------|--------------------|--------|
| Aileen Zhang | Taipei New Century | Taiwan |
| Giuseppe Bigatti | Rho | Italy |

Happy Money: 1,360 RMB

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|------------------------|-----------|
| Members | 13 |
| Visiting Rotarians | 2 |
| Guests | 13 |
| Total headcount | 28 |

It was a great combination of a service project and regular meeting. For the part of e-waste project, please see Michel's report.

Regular meeting part was started by President Terri with ringing the bell, followed by the 4-Way Test led by David for his first time and his introduction of visiting Rotarians and guests.

Terri encouraged members to join the centennial Rotary weekend: Oct. 18 golf + 19 party+ 20 sightseeing. Tracy also encouraged members to volunteer at Expat Show RCS booth on Sep. 20-22.

The big monthly birthday cake presented by Marriott this month was for three representatives on the day. Rita from members, Giuseppe from visitors, and Greg from guests.

Youth Service Committee Chair Naomi invited Rotaractor Aga to the stage and pinned her as Youth Service co-chair to bridge RCS and Rotaract Club of Shanghai.

Saddle time was run by Tiziana and helped by lovely Carms, who later received a RCS blue T-shirt from President Terri as a gift. Carms expressed her happiness being with RCS and she is very happy to have Rita as daughter.

Our guest speaker Greg shared his running experience (Marathon around the world), which attracted the entire audience. His speech extended 10 minutes but no one left earlier. Wishing IPP Linnet could be here. She would love this.

Terri toasted to the happy birthday girl and boys and toast to the mid-autumn festival.



E-waste drive day at RCS on 10 September 2019 (Continues from Page 1)

We have been blessed with the leadership of RI Past President Barry Rassin to support environmental sustainability. ESRAG, Environmental Sustainability Rotarian Action group was created to demonstrate Rotary International leadership.

Reduce our Ecological Footprint

Research shows that today we use three times more resources than in 1970. If our consumption patterns do not change by 2050, we will need the resources of three planet Earths to sustain us. The true cost of goods isn't always the price we pay for them — too often environmental damage isn't included in the price. When we start to recognize the true cost of the goods we consume and services we use, we can make changes to avoid unsustainable practices in our lives.

To live sustainably, we each need to reduce our ecological footprint, which is the amount of environmental resources (such as land, water, plants, animals, or clean air) required to produce the goods and services necessary to support our lifestyles. Consuming less and producing what we do use more sustainably is at the heart of the UN's Sustainable Development Goals.



40,000+ kids have been benefited

100+ volunteers activities in Green IT classes

80+ tons of E-waste have been re-used or eco-dismantled

400+ million tons of industrial water use savings



Pagoda Portrait: Jeff Hasenfratz

He is always smiling at the meeting but with keen observation. He contributes with constructive advises to the club

When did you join RCS and who was your sponsor: March 2017; Pradeep Kumar

Where are you hailing from: Toledo, Ohio U.S.A.

What are you doing professionally: Executive Team Coach

What would you like to share with our readers about your family: all family members but me were born in Asia!

What are your hobbies, apart from RCS: Chen-style taichi; Lifeline volunteer

How do you recharge your battery: travel to beautiful, serene places; taichi practice

Best/Last book you read and why: "The Heart of the Buddha's Teaching" by Thich Nhat Hanh; deep wisdom, highly-applicable to daily life

Favorite place in Shanghai: Vedas Indian Restaurant

What is your advice to any new member of RCS: seek me out for a warm, welcoming conversation!



Join the RCS booth at the Expat Show Shanghai 2019

We are participating in the Expat Show again.

Share your time on Friday or weekend at RCS booth. It is a great opportunity in the city center for fellowship and fun.

Please contact PE Tracy for sign-up.

Address: Shanghai Exhibition Center 上海展览中心

No. 1000 Yan'An Middle Road 上海市延安中路1000号

Time: 10am-5pm on **September 20-22, 2019**



Make-up report

Randal Eastman

Randal Eastman, who relocated to Russia with his family, sent a make-up report of attending at RC St. Petersburg International, representing RCS.



Upcoming Events



ROTARY CLUB OF SHANGHAI
Celebrating 100 years serving the community

100
Rotary Club of Shanghai
CHINA

Oct 18: Golf event Oct 19: Gala dinner Oct 20: Sightseeing

GALA: Grand Millennium Hong Qiao Hotel, Shanghai, China ENQUIRIES: centennial@rotaryshanghai.org
www.rotaryshanghai.org

We are asking for sponsorship donations to continuously support in RCS projects and programs.

- Platinum (Limited to 2) RMB20,000
- Corporate (Limited to 4) RMB10,000
- Partner RMB5,000
- In Kind Sponsorship



Please RSVP now for the dinner online via ClearCut.

<http://www.tryclearcut.com/event/2oXPeJF2>

** Club important appointments*



Happy Birthday September

| Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
|---------------------|------------------------|-----------|--------------------|----------------------|----------|--------|
| 02 Daniel Tweer | 03 Jonathan Ortelli | 04 | 05 | 06 | 07 | 01/08 |
| 09 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 Sarah Kochling | 14 | 15 |
| 16 Alex Hartmann | 17 | 18 | 19 Rita Malvone | 20 Linnet Kwok | 21 | 22 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 | | | | | | |

Club Information

Rotary
Club of Shanghai



Contacts & Meetings

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

Marriott City Center 上海雅居乐万豪酒店
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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 like-minded 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

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.

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

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