



PAGODA



Service Above Self

One Profits Most Who Serves Best

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Weekly

01 September — Dinner



Means Business Networking + Fellowship

Rotary started with the vision of Paul Harris on 23 February 1905, so professionals with diverse backgrounds could exchange ideas and form meaningful, lifelong friendships. Over time, Rotary's reach and vision gradually extended to humanitarian service.

So let us create a dedicated space under the 4 way test to exchange ideas, forge lifelong friendships and spend some time to get to know each other. Discuss about our professional occupations, industries, businesses, and explore our full professional potential to bring more value to the club.

18:30 - 20:30
Tuesday September 1st 2020. Venue: 40F, Kunlun Hotel Jing'An Num. 250 Huashan rd.
地址: 华山路250号静安大昆仑饭店40楼



08 September — Speaker Program

Rouven Kaspar



Founded back in 1900, today the FC Bayern München (FCB) is unquestionably one of the most successful and professionally run soccer clubs in the world. Their recent 8:2 demolition of Barca in the Champions League impressively underlines their outstanding position. Highly decorated with 30 German Championship and 5 Champions Leagues titles, FCB became a major export hit of Germany and enjoys increasingly high popularity in China.

We are proud to have the President Asia of FC Bayern Munich, Kaspar Rouven at the Rotary meeting on September 08th telling us all about their China/Asia expansion. Shall you have an FCB jersey in your cupboard, don't feel shy to wear it that night!

Other Events

01.09	Networking @KunLun	6:30 - 8:30 pm
08.09	Speaker Program: Rouven Kaspar	6:30 - 8:30 pm
15.09	Fellowship @KunLun	6:30 - 8:30 pm
19.09	Family Day	tbd
22.09	Club Assembly @KunLun	6:30 - 8:30

Birthdays of the month: September

03 — Richard Fang, Johnathan Ortelli	16 — Alex Hartmann
06 — David Richardson	19 — Rita Malvone
13 — Sarah Kochling	21 — Nils Lessmann
14 — Giuseppe Bigatti	28 — Carlotta Godio

The Four-Way Test 四大考驗 Officers & Directors

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?
2. Is it **fair** to all concerned?
是公平的吗?
3. Will it build **goodwill** and **better friendships**?
是善意并促进友谊吗?
4. Will it be **beneficial** to all concerned?
是对大家有利吗?

- Tracy Hua** – President
Rita Malvone – Vice President
David Smith – Secretary
Christoph Wenner – Treasurer
Thilo Köppe – President Elect
Terri Lau – Immediate Past President
Alejandro Rocha Buriel
Alexander Hartmann
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Committees & Chairs

- Club Administration Chair:** Thilo Köppe
Membership Committee: Thilo Köppe
Fellowship Committee: Rita Malvone
Rotary Information Chair: Tiziana Richiardi
Service Projects Committee: Alex Hartmann
Youth Service Committee: Naomi Peña
Rotary Foundation: Nils Lessmann
Gift of Life (GOL): Terri Lau
Sister Clubs: Motohiro Yamane
Pagoda: Christian Kober
PR Committee: Natalie Köppe; Tracy Hua
RCS Alumni Committee: Andrew Hill
Circle of Centennial Rotary Club: Terri Lau
S-A-A: Alejandro Burial Rocha; David Smith

Highlights from Our Fellowship Dinner @KunLun



Highlights from Our Family Day @Ciecas

RCS members Thilo, Natalie and their lovely daughter Emma, Olivier, Tina and their handsome son Jeremy, together with other families of RCS friends, joined cooking and music classes during the RCS family day at Ciecas the past Sat afternoon Aug 29th. Look, how they enjoyed the participation!



Highlights from Our Last Dinner @KunLun

August 25th, 2020

Dinner Attendance:

Members	13
Visiting Rotarians	1
Guests	11
Total Headcount	25

Happy Money: CNY 4020

Visiting Rotarians: Manuela Meske-Schubert, RC Markdorf, Germany

Back with our official meeting after a few summer fellowship events, last Tuesday sure has been an engaging evening! Starting with the most important celebration: Carmela Malvone has been nominated RCS well deserved Honorary Member and Mr. Christoph Wenner, board director and treasure, has been rewarded with pin for his dedication and service. While a delicious meal was served, our attendees could enjoy Mrs. Caroline Lincoln and Mr. Brent Beisher giving us two riveting talks to introduce themselves and their passions and professions.



With a beautiful cake, we celebrated August birthdays of our fellow Mr Jeff and of our Rotaractor friend Susan Song. Last but not least, we collected ¥4020 Happy Money for a good cause.



Shelter box Covid 19 and Rotary

WE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT FAMILIES AFTER DISASTER

Coronavirus reminds us of the fundamental importance of home to our health and well being.

All of our lives are being affected by Coronavirus in some way, but those living in refugee camps or in makeshift settlements are particularly vulnerable.

Shelter is a critical need for people who are simply struggling to survive after losing their home to

disaster or conflict.

Travel restrictions will make our work more challenging, however, we are committed to providing these vulnerable families with a place to call home through this outbreak.

Our work monitoring disasters around the world is unaffected. We continue to work with our local partners in Syria and Somaliland and are planning projects with communities in Cameroon and Ethiopia.

HOW IS SHELTERBOX ADAPTING AND SCALING IT'S RESPONSE TO THIS GLOBAL PANDEMIC?



ENABLING SOCIAL DISTANCING

* Our family tents and shelter items allow families in crowded camps to self-isolate and social distance.

* Private shelter enables families to move out of crowded collective centers and limit their exposure to the virus.

IMPROVING ACCESS TO GOOD HYGIENE

* We've customized our aid packages to include soap and hand-washing basins.

* In some responses, we have a healthcare representative present to raise public awareness on good hygiene practices.



MODIFYING DISTRIBUTION PRACTICES

* We are distributing to smaller groups and encouraging social distancing.

* Our partners are using Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) such as gloves and masks.

* For safety, we are conducting post deployment monitoring via phone.

MITIGATING THE SPREAD

* Personal cooking equipment and sleeping mats reduce physical interaction and sharing between families.

* Water purification tools provide access to clean water that might not otherwise be available.

DISPLACED FAMILIES ARE AT GREATER RISK

In the poorest countries of the world – many also shouldering the burden of disaster or conflict – there are fewer medical facilities, and countless families without proper homes to isolate in, living in incredibly crowded conditions. Coronavirus can and will spread like wildfire.

1. Losing your home after a disaster or in a conflict compromises people's ability to stay safe and healthy.

2. 84% of people who have lost their homes to disaster or conflict live in the least developed countries in the world, where supplies and medical support are already limited.

3. Those living in refugee camps or in makeshift settlements are particularly vulnerable.

* Limited to no access to clean water makes simple precautions like washing your hands a challenge.

* Overcrowded camp environments make practicing social distancing extremely difficult.

* Greater exposure to infection due to limited access to medical care.

4. Already fragile hospitals and healthcare systems will be severely impacted and overwhelmed with the spread of the Coronavirus.

5. Recovery can be a long and difficult process when there is not enough food, nowhere to cook, and nothing to cook it in.

Learn more about how shelter is critical to reducing the spread of COVID-19.

Rotary partners with ShelterBox to help devastated communities.

