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Moving your Business to the Cloud: Do the Benefits Outweigh the Costs - Reto Bless

Reto Bless is Freudenberg IT Asia's Regional CEO. He started his career at Swiss Railways, where he eventually became Head of IT Operations. In 2001, Reto started working for TSystems, a part of the Deutsche Telekom group. There he set up a global standardized service desk that encompassed 23 countries. In 2013, he left T-Systems as Vice President of International Service Desk and moved to Shanghai to become Regional CEO of FIT Asia, a global provider of IT solutions, simplified. Tonight he will take us on a journey through the Cloud landscape, the technology behind and how to move our business into it. Join us to know more.



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Ticket Price **RMB 680**, Dinner Buffet, Free Flow Wine, DJ, Dancing, Raffles, Best Dress Hollywood Star Award

Rotary Club of Shanghai

April 7th 2018, 6pm
Marriott City Center Hotel
555 Xi Zhang Middle Road, 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 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 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?

Date	Topic/Speaker	Venue/Time
March 27 th	Moving your Business to the Cloud: Do the Benefits Outweigh the Costs - Reto Bless	5 th Floor Meeting Room 1-2, Marriott City Center, 19:00
April 3 rd	Speaker: Alan Leung	5 th Floor Meeting Room 1-2, Marriott City Center, 19:00
April 7th	RCS ANNUAL BIG PARTY	5th Floor, Marriott City Center, 18:00
April 10 th	TBD	5 th Floor Meeting Room 1-2, , Marriott City Center, 19:00

March, 20th 2018

Grace Tsang	RC Richmond Sunset	Canada
Chris Reisinger	RC Vocklabruck-Attersee	Austria
Klaus Peter Von der Eltz	RC Bonn	Germany
Debbie Tablotney	RC Richmond Sunrise	Canada
Kurt Hoerri	RC Lucerne	Switzerland
Knut Wimburger	RC FreshStart	China

total headcount 28, 14 members, 6 visiting Rotarians, 8 guests
Happy Money: 3430rmb

Highlights from the last meeting

Our regular meeting started on time in a very presidential way: The Four Way Test by PP Andrew and visiting Rotarians and guests introduced by President Motosan.

Dinner started and little by little announcements were offered. PP Andrew, President Motosan and PN Terri promoted our annual party which will be held on April 7th. You can't miss the date and your club need your support for Gift of Life. Attending the party and having fun is the first step, secondly you can donate online and buy raffle tickets.

President Motosan then reported about Swimarathon took place past Sunday at SCIS Puxi and Rtn. Michel deVriendt who also attended the event gave us his experience under a strong Rotary spirit.

Rio Yuan, volunteer for Gift of Life for over 15 years, gave us a touching presentation introducing our special guest and project testimonial of the night, Mr. Wang Mang (dedicated article here below. Rtn. Terry Chu then introduced RI Convention in Toronto and special dinner organized by SR Frank Yih there.

Classification talk saw the presentation of Rtn. Tiziana. She told us about her personality, about her roots and working experience including the two different jobs of her, one in mechanical fields and the other in health which is more a passion for natural healing. She ended, curiously, by promoting our annual event "Rotary Takes you to the Movies". As we are supposed to be dressed up she will show us another personality of hers but she is very curious to me the "other you"!

Saddle time was up to Terri helped by President Motosan, just before night speech by Knut Wimburger. He firstly introduced himself, his consulting and pro bono work for NGOs. We have to look back to the past to move forward to future. He talked about the industrial revolution and all the changes occurred in the past to reach what we have now. Made comparison between disappearing professions and AI. Machines will take over? Is mankind in competition with robotics? Will this create mass unemployment? He gave us his personal point of view and we all agreed that education is and will be the key point.

At the end President Motosan offered our traditional toast to continuous success of the GOL project.



Our speaker, Knut



Tiziana's Classification



Terry Chu reminding RI Convention in Toronto



President Moto and Michel reporting about Swimarathon

A story of Hope, A success for Gift of Life

On March, 20th night, Shanghai Rotary Club received an unexpected surprise during regular dinner meeting thanks to the organization of our SR Frank Yih, Rio Yuan and Rtn. Terry Chu. One of the kids saved by Gift of Life came to visit us and it was the most delighted part of our meeting. His name is Wang Mang and he is now a 23 years old healthy young man, studying at Hefei University, major in Mechatronics. He was born with congenital heart disease and came to Shanghai in April, 2003 at the age of 8 for medical checks but after paying for all examinations his family found out they could not afford for surgery. Luckily they got to meet a GOL case and they learnt about the project. They got in touch with Frank Yih, Chair of GOL at that time and entered the program. Unfortunately, one month later doctors found out that his case was too complicated to be treated even in Shanghai and suggested him to return home. Here comes the greatness of GOL: Gift of Life did not give up!

If Wang Mang cannot be cured in China he could probably be cured abroad. They took all possible information and connection until they arranged to have him treated Toronto Sick Children Hospital. 6 weeks later Wang Mang had a successful surgery and was taken good care by Toronto clubs. Few months later he could come back to China as a new born healthy kid. Not to forget mentioning the fact that he is still in contact with volunteers that helped him during that period, wonderful people that took the decision to support his last two and a half university scholarship. Wang Mang is the testimonial that **together we can make a difference, together we can make GREAT things.**



Upcoming events

ROTARY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES

Come dress up as your favorite movie star or character



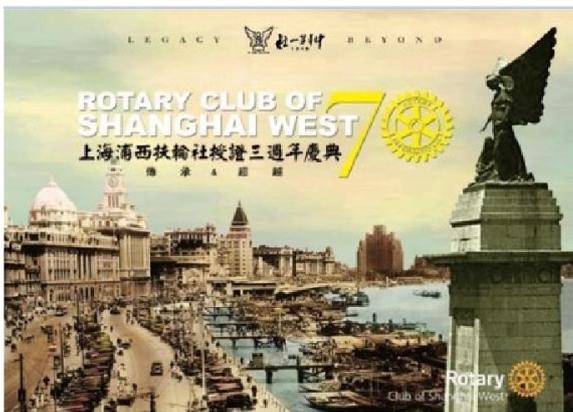
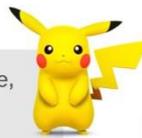
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尊敬的扶輪社友們：
為了喚醒19世紀扶輪在中國的真義與精神，上海浦西社承接了國際扶輪所賦予傳承 1948 Rotary Club of Shanghai West 的使命，我們有年輕的新生命，也誓為百年扶輪在中國任重道遠而努力，歡迎大家一起來參與這光輝的一刻，為70浦西扶輪做見證！

上海酒店訂房

我社與知名酒店協議價：
單人房含1早人民幣333元；雙人房含2早人民幣1050元(包含服務費及6%增值稅發票)
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請註明社名、人數等資訊，並請與本社助理聯繫。

Rotary China Invitation
RI Convention Welcome Dinner, Toronto

We cordially invite your presence to the gathering hosted by Rotarian Frank Yih, RI Special Representative in China - an unique opportunity for fellowship with our sister clubs, project partners, Rotarians and friends during the Convention.

Date: Sunday, June 24, 2018
Time: 6:30 pm to 9:30 pm
Venue: Dynasty Chinese Cuisine
(69 Yorkville Avenue)

Please RSVP to sasha@rotarychina.org, rio@rotarychina.org or terry@rotarychina.org

Amid your busy schedule during the RI Convention from June 23 to 27, 2018, please also find time to visit many tourist attractions throughout the city.





To:



MARCH
Let's be a lady

2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
25	26	27	28	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9 Tiziana Richiardi	10 Rotary China Conference
11 PET	12	13	14	15	16	17 Catalin Lapuste
18 Swimathon	19	20 Wingsee Auyeung	21	22	23	24 Isabel Wiedenroth
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

March is the month dedicated to our Club by Shining Stars. We can visit foster home at any time with 1 or 2 days notice to play with the kids, give them love and support.

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
Email: evan_huang@dhmedical.com.cn

Fresh Start Rotary Club of Shanghai
Friday, 7:45-9:00 am
Location: Naked Hub
Address : 5/F, 89 Taixing Lu, near Nanjing Xi Lu
地址: 请带我去泰兴路89号5楼, 近南京西路
For more information about Fresh Start and for anyone interested to attend, please visit <http://freshstartrotaryshanghai.org/>
Email: tobikars@gmail.com

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
1288 Lujiazui Ring Road, Pudong New Area
浦东新区陆家嘴环路1288号
For more information, please contact Secretary Michaela Schmidt
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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, +86 13501672753

Our website:
www.rotaryshanghai.org



Officers & Boardmembers

- Motohiro Yamane – President
- Linnet Kwok – President Elect
- Alejandro Buriel – Vice President
- Michelle Li – Hon. Secretary
- Carsten Schmidt-Jochmann - Treasurer
- Andrew Hill - 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 – 75
- Number of Honorary Members - 6

Committees and Directors

- Club Administration Committee**
Chair: Linnet Kwok, clubadministrator@rotaryshanghai.org
- Membership Committee**
Chair: Terri Lau, membership@rotaryshanghai.org
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- Pagoda:**
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