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Dear fellow Rotarians,

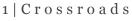
A Rotary convention is an unparalleled opportunity to find a world of inspiration in a single city. This year, Hamburg, Europe's "Gateway to the World," will be that single city — and your gateway to the world of Rotary. Begin your days with general sessions that inspire you, as well as a wealth of breakout sessions for every interest and every ambition. Then set out, with friends old and new, to explore this historic port city. You'll find classic and modern architecture, delicious multicultural cuisine, and a maze of canals waiting to be wandered.

I'm excited to have you join me in Hamburg, Germany, for our 110th Rotary International Convention, 1-5 June 2019, at the Hamburg Messe. Come for the inspiration, for the ideas, for the friendship and the fun—and Capture the Moment forever.











Rotary Flag Day 2019



Join us on Saturday 15 June 2019 to help more in need of support around us

Some of Our Cause: Elder Care Services Educational & Youth Services School Pocket Money Meals from the Heart



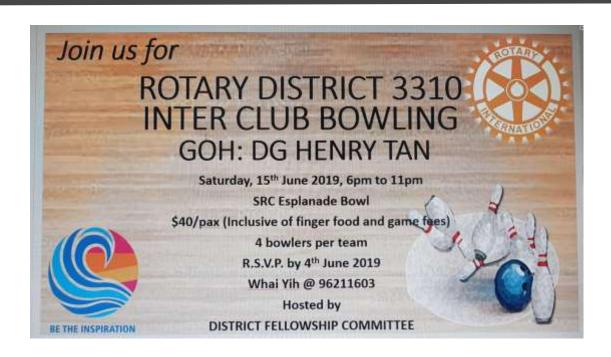




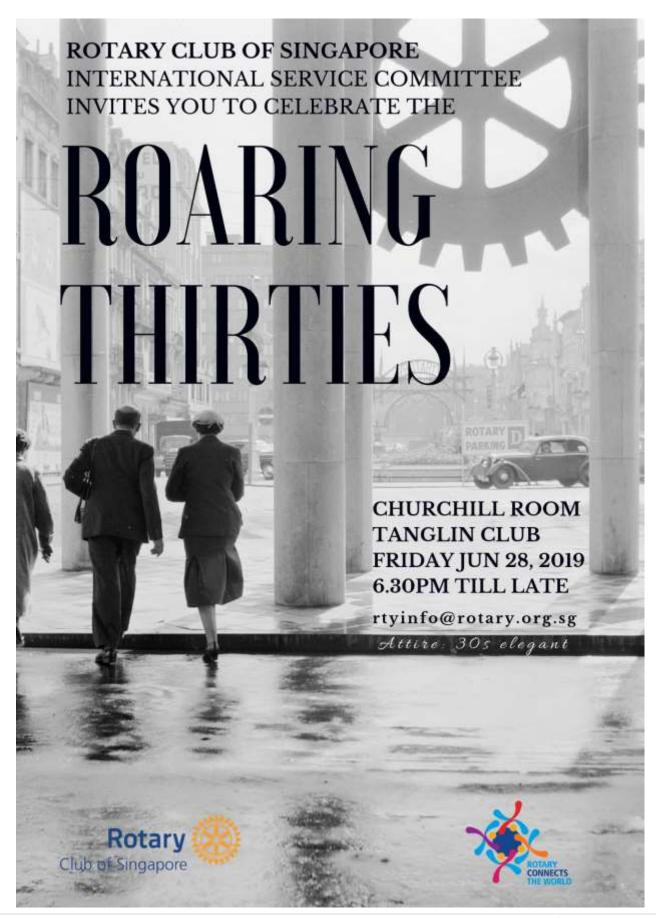




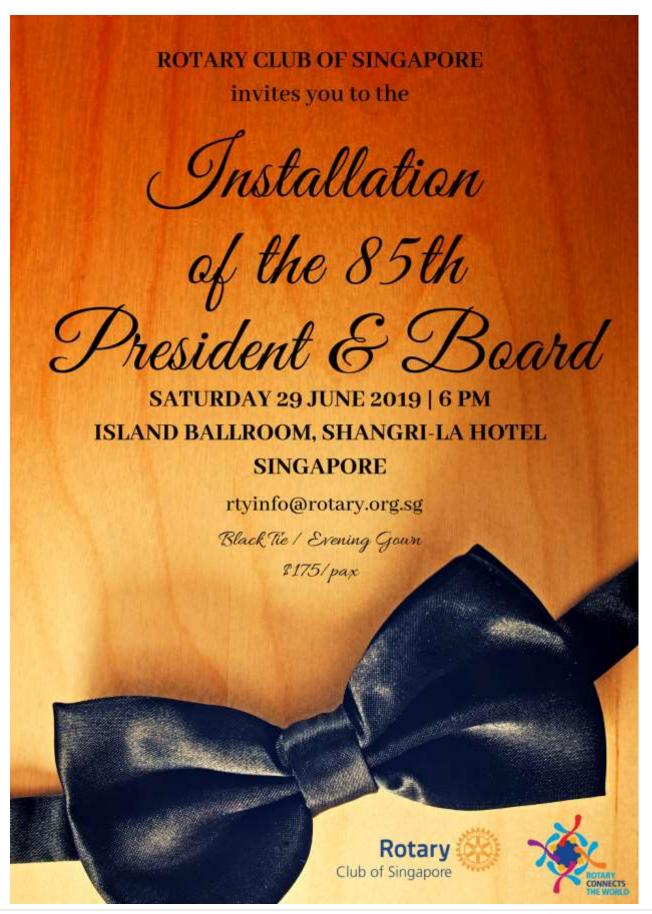
All Rotarians are encouraged to sign up ... "be there 8am till 2-3pm, return bags to counting HQ at Chinatown Point,... If willing, to do the \$ counting...Also online giving..."















HAVE MANY LAUGHS & HELP THE CHILDREN GIFT OF LIFE

Children with cardiac problem to get help From Rotary's Dist 3300 & 3310

WILL YOU HELP TOO?

With the appeal from our DG Henry Tan JP, a team of volunteers from Gift of Life and volunteers from Rotary Club of Singapore are going into action to raise funds for the children with cardiac problem, using Books of Humour.

All the clubs in our District 3300 and 3310 will participate in promoting this project and help raise funds for these children. Let us encourage and inspire these hard working great volunteers with our support and help.

A full set of 3 editions, **Book of Humour, Best of Humour and Bank of Humour**, come in a beautifully designed box housing this set for only \$25.00.

PLEASE ORDER A FEW SETS TO SUPPORT AND HELP TO BRING NEW LEASE OF LIFE TO HELPLESS CHILDREN. Outright donations are also most welcome.

PLEASE CALL REWA @ Tel: 6241 9157 or email: rewamirpuri@gmai.com



Last Week

Last Week - Report on the Weekly Meeting - Wednesday 29 May 2019



OPENING REMARKS

Acting Sergeant-At-Arms, PP Stan Low called the Meeting to order and invited President Mark to take the Chair.

President Mark welcomed members including the Speaker, none other than Honorary Treasurer Rtn Horst Hagemann. He also acknowledge the presence of PDG Dr Philbert Chin and PDG Chris Chen.

PP Stan Low

WELCOME

Duty of welcoming guests of members and visiting Rotarians fell to Rtn Sylvia Chung: **Guests:**

Ms Brigitte Ranieri

Mr Xavier Bruhiere

Mr David Wang

Mr Mihir Thacker

Mr Shankar

Visiting Rotarians:

PDG Chris Chen – Queenstown Chong Zhi Cheng – Jurong Town Ruth Rutherford – Tenterfield, Australia



Rtn Sylvia Chung

TOAST



From left: PP Perlita Tiro, Rtn Ruth Rutherford & President Mark

Toastmaster, PP Perlita Tiro invited visiting Rtn Ruth Rutherford to say a few words about her club, Rotary Club of Tenterfield. We learnt that Tenterfield was located at the border of Queensland and New South Wales. The club has 24 members and was founded 73 year ago.

Rtn Ruth added that whilst the club was small, it was nevertheless busy with community projects such drought relief and ensuring that water deliveries were made to locations in need as well as rebuilding of fences destroyed by bush fires.



Last Week

EXCHANGE OF BANNERS





From left: President Mark exchanged banners with Rtn Ruth Rutherford who in turn presented the Club with two children's books which she authored.

PLAQUE OF APPRECIATION



President Mark informed members that the Club received a plaque of appreciation from the Singapore Cancer Society for its support as a Silver Sponsor at the TalkMed Relay for Life held from 2 to 3 March 2019.

TRIP TO INDIA - 10 to 14 July 2019

Tentative Program for the visit to Rotary Club (RC) Singapore Multi Specialty Hospital in Purulia and Installation of Sister Club Rotary Club of Belur in Kolkata, India:

- 1. **Wednesday 10 July** Fly to Kolkata on MI 488 depart 21.00hrs arr. 22.35 hrs Check in Marriott Hotel/Oberoi/ITC Royal Bengal (to be advised)
- 2. **Thursday 11 July** Morning/Lunch Meeting 1pm leave for airport Domestic Flight Kolkata to Ranchi on Air Asia India I5549 Dep 15:20hrs Arr 16:20hrs Drive to Purulia and Hotel arranged by RC Purulia. Dinner with RC Purulia
- 3. Friday 12 July Visit Purulia Rotary Hospital Whole day with RC Purulia & Dinner
- 4. **Saturday 13 July** Breakfast 9am Leave for Ranchi Airport 10am for Flight Ranchi to Kolkata Air Asia India I5545 Dep 14:00hrs Arr 14:55hrs Check in Marriott Hotel/Oberoi/ITC Royal Bengal (to be advised) Dinner Meeting with PDG Salieu Ahmed from Nigeria and RC Belur
- Sunday 14 July Morning Meeting/Free
 11am Sister Club RC Belur Installation HHI Hotel
 Afternoon/Dinner Free/Meeting. Flight Kolkata to Singapore via MI 487

Members who are interested please contact PP Dr Shahul Hameed or PP Tapan Rao.





Last Week

Speaker: Honorary Treasurer Rtn Horst Hagemann Executive Director, LGT Bank (Singapore) Ltd

Topic: "Economic Outlook: US-China Trade War"



Rtn Dr Chan Siew Luen

President Mark called on ISC Director Rtn Dr Chan Siew Luen to introduce a fellow Board Member, Rtn Horst Hagemann. Rtn Horst graduated with a οf **Business** Master Administration (MBA) from Frankfurt School of Finance and Management. He worked in retail banking, corporate and banking for private HypoVereinsbank, PwC. American Express, ANZ and ABN Amro in the last 20 years. He is



Speaker, Rtn Horst Hagemann addressing the Club

married to a Singaporean with one daughter. Channel 8 covered his journey to integrate in the Singapore Society in Tuesday Report in May 2010. Some fun facts

which Rtn Siew Luen shared about Rtn Horst were that he had travelled to 59 countries and speaks 5 languages – German, English, Mandarin, Italian and Latin! Lastly, Rtn Horst is a Singaporean.



Rtn Dr Hans Schniewind

Rtn Horst noted that since 6th July, China and the US have been engaged in a trade conflict involving several rounds of tariffs against each other. He added that it was a strategic conflict in historical times. His presentation summarised the latest events and gave an overview on what the impact on each other's economy have been so far. Rtn Horst explored



Members listening intently to Rtn Horst's talk

if the US trade policy against China would meet its desired effects and spoke of its possible impact on China and Asia. He further highlighted which kind of outcome

could be expected in the coming months.

On behalf of the Club, Rtn Dr Hans Schniewind warmly thanked Rtn Horst for his excellent overview of the topic.



Mark Your Diary

Birthday Celebrants

RC sends Birthday greetings to celebrants:

Jasbir Koh Tan Ching Khoon PP Stan Low PP Dr Oliver Hennedige Vishal Nanwani Ntoudi (2D) Mouvelo

Wedding Anniversary Celebrants

RC sends best wishes to the following Wedding Anniversary celebrants:

Edward & Deirdre Loy PP Tapan & Prabha Rao Ntoudi & Cristelle Mouyelo S "Mali" & Lakshimi Malaiappan Rudi & Fides Ackermann Jasbir Koh & Kok Keong Anne Marie Gutierrez & Alan Leung

Community Service Meeting

Community Service Committee Meeting will be held on:

Date: 6 June **Time: 7.00pm**

Venue: Porters Restaurant & Bar, 4 Marina Boulevard #01-31 The Sail Marina Bay

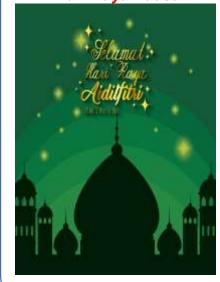
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Host: Dr Chan Siew Luen

This Meeting

5 June 2019

Meeting Cancelled in view of **Public Holiday** Hari Rava Puasa



Vocational Service Meeting

Vocational Service Committee Meeting will be held on:

Date: Thursday, 13 June

Time: 7.30pm

Venue: To be advised Hosts: To be advised

Next Meeting

12 June 2019

Reception Desk duty: PP Stan Low &

PP Tapan Rao

Sunshine Box: Dr Yap Lip Kee, Louis

Speaker: Mr Chintan Raveshia, City Design Leader from Arup Singapore

Topic: To be advised

Coming Rotary Events

June

1-5 June – Rotary International Convention, Hamburg, Germany 6 - 9 June - Interact Leadership Training Camp at Outward Bound School (East Coast Campus)

15 June - Rotary Flag Day

15 June - Bowling Fellowship at SRC

Esplanade Bowl

19 June - District Regional Awards &

Fellowship Night

20 June - Sister Club, RC Bang Rak's installation dinner at Crowne Plaza Bangkok

20-22 June – Visit to sister club, RC Manila's 100th Anniversary celebrations 26 June - Weekly Meeting cancelled in

view of Installation Dinner

28 June - Sister Club Fellowship 29 June - Installation Dinner at Shangri-la Hotel Singapore

3 July - 1st Weekly Meeting / Club Assembly for Rotary year 2019-2020 to be chaired in incoming President Deepak Nagrani at Grand Hyatt Singapore





The Guide to Daily Living

Before doing the things we want to do, consider first, the Precepts of the guide. Ask ourselves these 4 questions and act upon them:

First: Have I spent some time in self-examination?

Second: Have I spent quality time with my family?

Third: Have I given my best to my work?

Fourth: Have I given some time to someone near and far?

The Guide, in fact, encompasses the 4 parts of the Object of Rotary.

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The Four-Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:

Is it fair to all concerned?

Will it build goodwill and better friendship?
Will it be beneficial to all concerned?

Is it the truth?

