

He Profits Most Who Serves Best!

THE FOUR-WAY TEST

of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

Founded 1905

Membership 1,180,550 Rotarians as of 30 June 2000

29,626 Rotary Clubs

530 Rotary districts

163 countries

35 geographical regions

RC SHANGHAI CHARTER HISTORY

Chartered, 1 October 1919

Charter Cancelled 31 December 1943

Re-Admitted 27 March 1946

Charter Cancelled 16 October 1951

Provisionally Chartered 16 June 2001

ROTARY IN CHINA

RC Shanghai, 1 October 1919 (#545)

RC Amoy, 23 October 1933 (#3627)
RC Canton, 25 April 1932 (#3509)
RC Changsha, 28 June 1937 (#4336)
RC Chengtu, 2 January 1939 (#4916)
RC Chinkiang, 2 April 1937 (#4217)
RC Chungking, 18 November 1937 (#4471)
RC Foochow, 31 July 1933 (#1913)
RC Hangchow, 23 June 1932 (#3525)
RC Hankow, 20 December 1933 (#2276)
RC Kaifeng, 13 May 1936 (#3971)
RC Kunming, 28 May 1937 (#4298)
RC Kweilin, 16 June 1944 (#5793)
RC Kweiyang, 23 April 1945 (#5963)
RC Lanchow, 11 November 1943 (#5689)
RC Liuchow, 14 December 1948 (#7126)
RC Mukden, 31 March 1948 (#3116)
RC Nanchang, 29 March 1948 (#6886)
RC Nanking, 19 January 1934 (#3642)
RC Ningpo, 2 September 1936 (#4015)
RC Peking, 30 August 1924 (#1814)
RC Shanghai West, 16 November 1948 (#7097)
RC Sian, 30 August 1937 (#4382)
RC Soochow, 11 November 1936 (#4053)
RC Swatow, 21 May 1936 (#3973)
RC Tientsin, 10 May 1923 (#1444)
RC Tsinan, 9 December 1932 (#2158)
RC Tsingtao, 5 December 1932 (#3563)
RC Wuchang, 8 March 1937 (#4164)
RC Wuchow, 22 May 1936 (#3977)
RC Wuhu, 6 February 1936, (#3915)
RC Wusih, 16 June 1937 (#4321)

Rotary Club of Shanghai

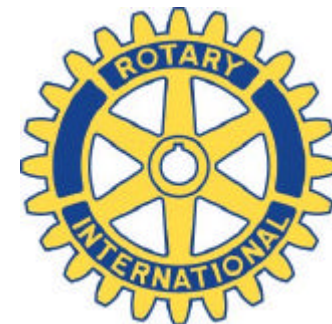
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EXPATRIATE ROTARIANS

THE ROTARY CLUB OF SHANGHAI



Service Above Self!



**Thursday Evening
18:30 for 19:00**

Regal International East Asia Hotel
516 Hengshan Lu, Shanghai, PRC

WELCOME TO ROTARY!

Rotary is an organization of business and professional persons united worldwide who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations and help build goodwill and peace in the world.

MISSION

The main objective of Rotary is service—in the community, in the workplace, and throughout the world. Rotarians build goodwill and peace, provide humanitarian service, and encourage high ethical standards in all vocations.

Rotarians around the world are united under the motto “Service Above Self.”

ROTARY HISTORY

The world’s first service club was the Rotary Club of Chicago, Illinois, USA.

The club was formed 23 February, 1905 by lawyer Paul P. Harris and three friends—a merchant, a coal dealer, and a mining engineer. Harris wished to recapture the friendly spirit he had felt among businesspeople in the small town where he had grown up.

The name “Rotary” was derived from the early practice of rotating meetings among member’s offices.

MEMBERSHIP

Rotarians are professional men and women who work as volunteers to improve the quality of life in their home and world community. Club membership represents a cross-section of local business and professional leaders. The world’s Rotary clubs meet weekly and are non-political, non-religious and open to all cultures, races, and creeds.

Membership in Rotary is by invitation only. There are approximately 1.2 million Rotarians working in some 29,000 Rotary clubs in 160 countries and 35 geographical regions worldwide. First admitted in 1987, women are the fastest-growing segment of Rotary’s membership. There are nearly 2,000 women club presidents and women are rapidly assuming regional leadership roles.

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THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary can be considered the foundation stone on which the Rotary house is built.

This brief statement, 106 words in its current form, is a key element of the Rotary International Constitution. It states the essential purpose of the organization – “to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise” -- and then lists four areas by which this “ideal of service” can be fostered.

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.

RC SHANGHAI NOW

Expatriate Rotarians have been meeting regularly in Shanghai since 1997 to support worthy projects in our community, to encourage strong business ethics, and to promote the Object of Rotary.

Membership is by invitation only, however, we welcome the generous support of all members of our community.