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# Berita Pudu

## PROGRAMME FOR TODAY

Speaker: Datin Maylene Yong  
Subject: "Joy of Singing"  
Duty Table: Rtn Albert Chia  
Fellowship: Rtn Chinniah  
Finemaster: PP Gary Lim  
Introducing: Rtn Francis  
Thanking: PP Dato Muslim

## NEXT MEETING — 15 JAN 2018

Speaker: DG Dr Manohar Kurup  
Subject: DG Address  
Duty Table: TBA  
Fellowship: TBA  
Finemaster: TBA  
Introducing: TBA  
Thanking: TBA

## JANUARY—VOCATIONAL SERVICE MONTH

## DIARY OF EVENTS—JAN 2018

Date	Time	Programme	Venue
05 Jan	6.30 pm	Community Svc meeting	RSC Dataran
08 Jan	6.30 pm	Regular Club mtg: Employer-Employee Nite	Shangri la Hotel
08 Jan	8.30 pm	International Svc mtg	Shangri la Hotel
11 Jan	6.30 pm	Club Svc mtg	RSC Bukit Kiara
13 Jan	9.30 am	Scholarship Presentation	MBS Kuala Lumpur
14 Jan	9.00 am	DG with Rtc & Itc / Club Assy & Fellowship	TBA
15 Jan	12.45 pm	Regular Club mtg: DG Address	Shangri la Hotel
16 Jan	6.30 pm	Vocational Svc mtg	RSC Bukit Kiara
16 Jan	7.30 pm	Youth Svc mtg	RSC Bukit Kiara
26-28 Jan	9.00 am	District Rotaract Conference	TBA
30 Jan	6.30 pm	7th Board meeting	President Jeffrey's house



Pardon our England...



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**A** Happy and Prosperous New Year to everyone. I must add a Happy, Prosperous and **Healthy** New Year!

This is because at our age, we have to be healthy in order to be happy or prosperous. And **A Bon Voyage** to some of our Rotarians who will be going overseas for a holiday in New Zealand! We will be missing you all.

### EMPLOYER-EMPLOYEE DINNER

Today is a special day as we are having our Employer-Employee Dinner organized by Vocational Service under the chairmanship of enterprising **Rtn Tenny Lee** and her hard-working committee. Thank you Employers and Employees for knowing the significance of this event. We want to honour both parties for we know that harmony in the workplace is very important to productivity. It is because of the employees that the Rotarian employers can have a peace of mind to carry out Rotary activities. So indirectly the employees are part of Rotary! Please enjoy the dinner and have a good time. There are many program and they will be capped by a talk by **Datin Maylene Yong** who will be speaking on the subject "The Joy of Singing."

### WELCOME TO DISTRICT GOVERNOR DR MANOHUR KURUP

It is with great pleasure and an honour for us to welcome our District Governor. For surely the DG's visit is the highlight of our Rotary Year and all of us are waiting to have good fellowship with him besides giving him our Club's report and hearing his advice and views. During his visit the Rotaractors and Interactors will also have an opportunity to have a discussion with him besides giving him the progress report of their respective clubs. It is not often they can meet the TOP Rotarian of the district! The DG will be visiting us on 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> Jan 2018

### VOCATIONAL SERVICE PROJECT

On 13<sup>th</sup> Jan we will be having a project organized by the District Vocational Service and Public Service. Besides recognizing the heroes of the Railways in the vocation we will be promoting the 4-Way Test. Well done

### Vocational Service Director Rtn Chinniah

#### PRCCF SECONDARY SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP AND UNDER-GRADUATE GRANT PRESENTATION

Also on 13<sup>th</sup> Jan we will be having a scholarship and undergraduate grant presentation at the MBS where our **Honorary Member HE Constantin Nistor**, the Ambassador of Romania to Malaysia, will be Guest of Honour. We will be giving out RM44,000 to 144 students and one Undergraduate Grant worth RM4,000. Times are hard and the money given out will be useful to the recipients and their parents.

Best Wishes and Enjoy your Dinner!

*Jeffrey Yap*  
*President RY 2017-18*

## EDITORIAL

**N**ext week we'll be having our DG Dr Manohar Kurup on his official visit to the Club. This is a ritual for every District Governor. For a large District with almost 80 clubs, it'd most certainly be very tiring for him and the first lady. A few clubs are large but most are small with less than 25 members; some even less than 10. The visits normally cover administrative matters and fellowship; with the impartation of advice to the members.

For Pudu, it's a 2-day visit; the first day being meeting up with the Interactors—for which we have eight clubs—and Rotaractors (one club.) This is the best part of the visit for the DG who would be able to meet up with the young ones—potential Rotarians—and shower them with wisdom and encouragement.

The second part is attending our Club assembly to hear our BoD giving their reports and members to exchange views and ideas on the administration of the Club (and District.) All this could be boring stuff except for the fellowship that follows; especially among the spouses that invariably would add some colour to the gathering.

And the next day (Monday) the DG again meets up with the members at our regular weekly meeting for his official address. And next year the whole rigmarole will be repeated.

*Dato Muslim Ayob*  
*Past President*

## PUDU NEWS

### Record of Meeting on: Monday 18<sup>th</sup> Dec, 2017

Visiting Rotarians	Club	Statistics	
		Club members	22
		Visiting Rotarians	-
		Guests	1
		Total	23
Guests	Host		
Mrs Liew (Acct Exec)	Club	Birthdays/Anniversaries	-
		Paying Diners	-
		Raffles	-
		Total RM	-

#### MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING

7.10 pm - Meeting called to order by Rtn Tenny Lee.

Introduced the guests for the evening - there was one guest. This was followed by the Negaraku and the Loyal toast .

7.15 pm. - PE CT Heng welcomed all to our regular meeting. Apologies received from President Jeffry who was taken ill. Apologies also received from VP Patrick and Treasurer Laura Lee.

As Secretary is taking the minutes, he was called upon to take the chair.

Thanked all for attending and stated that we will be having the club AGM immediately after the meeting is closed .

As there were no announcements, PE Heng thanked all and closed the meeting at 7.20 pm

*PAG Mohan Raj*  
*Hon Sec*

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING PIX





## PICTURES TAKEN AT THE AGM ON 18<sup>th</sup> DEC 2017





# PICTURES TAKEN AT THE MEETING ON 18<sup>th</sup> DEC 2017



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**ROTARY CLUB OF PUDU**  
Weekly Meeting Monday - 12-45pm  
Shangri-La Kuala Lumpur, 11 Jalan Sultan Ismail, 50250 Kuala Lumpur

Speaker: \_\_\_\_\_  
Subject: AGM of PRC & PRC CF Date: 18/12/17

RC: (4 copies)  
1. President only  
2. Treasurer only  
3. Hon. Secretary only  
4. Bulletin Editor only

CLUB MEMBERS WEEKLY ATTENDANCE LIST					
NO	NAME	8	NO	NAME	8
1	LEE HOO TEONG	✓	25	LEE, LAURA	✓
2	LEE KENG BIN	✓	26	LEONG CHOY YING	✓
3	SOONG SIEW HOONG	✓	27	LIEW NGEOK NYAN, RICHARD	✓
4	TAY AH LEX	✓	28	LIM BENG HUAT, GARY	✓
5	THARMALINGAM, KUMAR	✓	29	LIM, MAY T	✓
6	ANGELA CHEONG	✓	30	LOW KENG HWA	✓
7	AYOB, MUSLIM	✓	31	LOO MING CHEE	✓
8	CHINNAH	✓	32	MOHAN RAJ	✓
9	CHIEW, STEVEN	✓	33	NG SIM BEE	✓
10	CHOO, RAY	✓	34	PHANG POKE SHUM	✓
11	CHANG HUEY WAH, ALEX	✓	35	QUAH SEK CHENG	✓
12	CHEW YIN KEEN	✓	36	RAJAH, KU	✓
13	CHIU, DAISY	✓	37	SOH KWEE TIN, SANDY	✓
14	CHOO JEE SAM	✓	38	SREENIVASAN KRISHNAN ROY	✓
15	CHOONG PHOOI YING	✓	39	SUBRAMANIAM, SARKUNAN	✓
16	HENG CHOUN TEE	✓	40	TAI CHIN PEOW	✓
17	STEVEN HO	✓	41	TAN GEE HOON, ELAINE	✓
18	JASANI, NK	✓	42	TAN SIANG CHIOK, ROBERT	✓
19	KUMAR, ARVIN	✓	43	TEOH, BOBBY	✓
20	DARYL KOK	✓	44	TUNG SIAK KEI, MICHAEL	✓
21	LAWRANCE KWAN	✓	45	VERONIQUE PEARCEY	✓
22	LEE CHEA YUN, TENNY	✓	46	WEE, ROSEMARIE	✓
23	LEE CHU KOB, PAUL	✓	47	WONG CHIN CHAW	✓
24	LEE HONG LIAN, PATRICK	✓	48	YAP, JEFFREY	✓
			49	YEOW KIEW MENG, MICHAEL	✓
			50	Albert Chia	✓
			51	Samira Soh	✓
			52	Sit Ko Clew	✓
			53	Cher	✓
			54	Kenneth Goh	✓

VISITING ROTARIANS	
NO	NAME
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	

GUESTS	
NO	NAME
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2	
3	
4	
5	
6	

STATISTIC	PAX	COLLECTIONS	RM
CLUB MEMBERS	22	BIRTHDAY / ANNIVERSARY / FINES	
VISITING ROTARIANS		PAYING DINNERS	
GUESTS		RAFFLES / OTHERS	
TOTAL PRESENT	22	TOTAL	

Rotarian In-Charge: Steven Ho Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

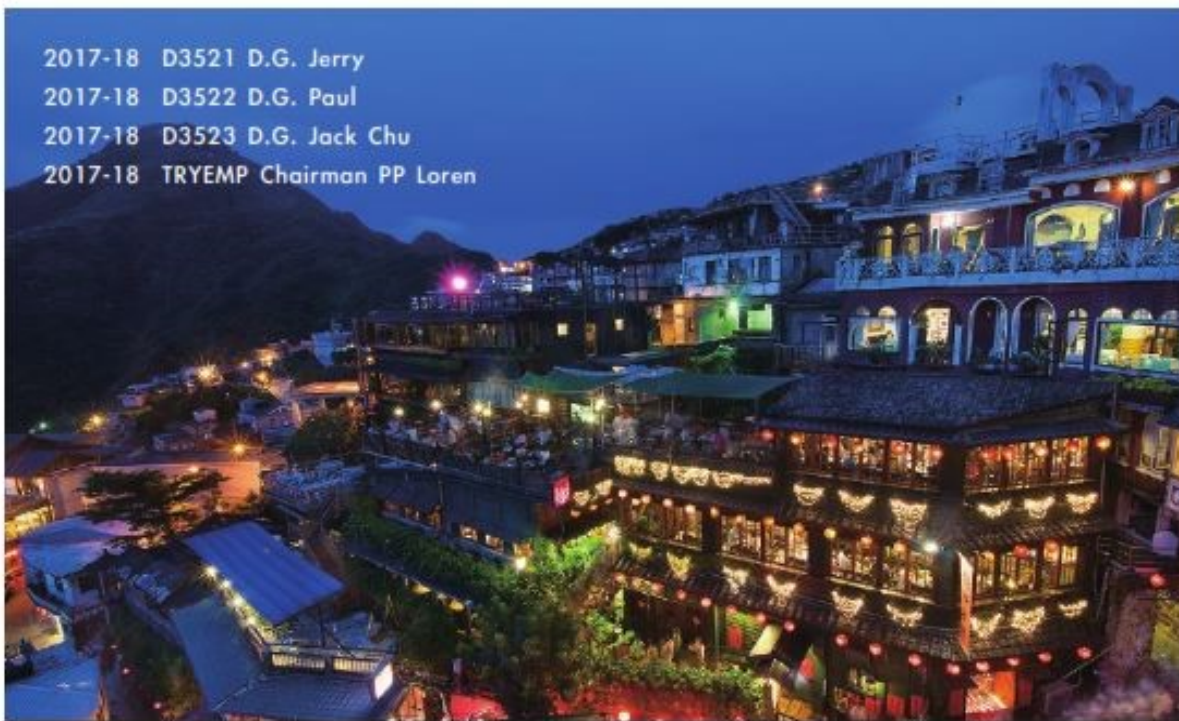
## ACTIVITIES—IYE CAMP TAIWAN



### Taiwan Rotary Youth Exchange Multidistrict Program (TRYEMP) MD3521, 3522, 3523

### Taiwan Culture & Tour Camp 2018

2017-18 D3521 D.G. Jerry  
2017-18 D3522 D.G. Paul  
2017-18 D3523 D.G. Jack Chu  
2017-18 TRYEMP Chairman PP Loren



Exploring a wonderful island, and enjoy the different ethnic culture. Welcome to Taiwan.

#### CONTACT

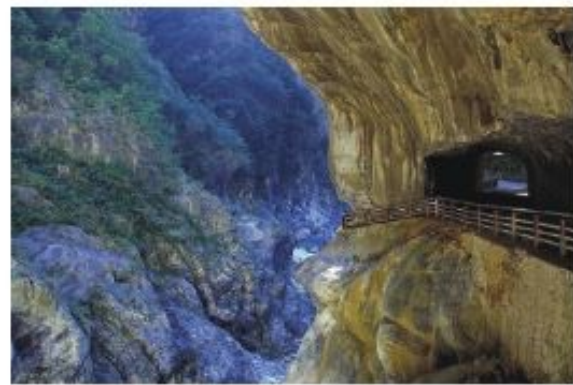
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## ACTIVITIES—IYE CAMP TAIWAN



### CAMP OF

Taiwan Culture & Tour, 2018

### WHEN

July 13(Fri.) – July 30(Mon.) 2018

### WHERE

Taiwan (Formosa)

### APPLICATION

By March 31, 2018

### AGE

18 – 25 years old  
(by the time of July 13, 2018)

### PARTICIPANTS

Max. 36 participants  
(2 girls & 2 boys from each district preferred)  
Acceptances will be granted on "first come first served" basis subject to district and gender limitations above.  
(If the applicants are less than 25 persons, we reserve the right to cancel the camp activity.)

### AIM OF CAMP

Gathering of younger people from various countries, creating better international understanding, building up friendship across geographical and cultural borders, having fun, exchanging ideas with new friends, and learning more about the way of life in Taiwan.



### CONDITION

1. Be cheerful, open minded and ready to see various cultures and meet new friends.
2. Be recommended by a Rotary Club in your own country.
3. Be rule abiding.

### LANGUAGES

English

### LODGING

Youth hostels + Host families

### COSTS

- Participate fee is USD 900. (Excluding All Remittance Fee)
- Participants pay for their own trip to/from Taiwan, and need to bring their own pocket money.

### INSURANCE

All participants MUST be insured on their costs against illness, accident, third party damages and all other risks, inclusive of repatriation coverage, and according to Rotary International recommendations.

[www.culturalinsurance.com](http://www.culturalinsurance.com)

### CLOTHING

Casual and sportswear, bathing suit, beachwear, sneaker, sandals, jacket, and hometown traditional dress. There will be opportunity for the exchange of Rotary Club banners dressing your own country traditional dress at the farewell party. In this program, you'll experience one day meditation in a temple and in this occasion neither tank top nor sandals will be allowed.

### PROGRAM

**A combination of sightseeing, nature, culture, outdoor activities, and socializing.**

The activities include a round-the-island trip to visit lakes, mountains, beach, aboriginal tribe, spectacular marbles valley, traditional temples, special highlights, the experience of DIY on various handicrafts, some exciting paintball game, and etc. More details for this program will be sent to the participants before June 2018.

**The camp is non-smoking.**





## ACTIVITIES—IYE CAMP TAIWAN

### ARRIVAL

**On Friday, July 13, 2018**

At Taoyuan International Airport, Taiwan.  
You'll be picked up at the airport by your host family.

### PAYMENT

As soon as your application is accepted by email, the amount of USD900. (Excluding All Remittance Fee) has to be wired within one month to the below account.

**\*\* Remember to indicate your name and country on the remittance.  
Also, state the remittance of "Summer Camp" .**

### FLIGHT & VISA

The applicant has to arrive with a FULL Round Trip Ticket and necessary visa.

### APPLICATION FORM

**STEP application form in PDF file (with photo) to be sent before March 31, 2018 to:**

Inbound Coordinator, Short Term Camps

**Ms. Jenny Kuo**

[jennykuo@ie.com](mailto:jennykuo@ie.com)

and one copy to be sent to:

Taiwan Rotary Youth Exchange Multidistrict Program (TRYEMP)

Executive Secretary for TRYEMP

**Ms. Emma Huang**

[rye@tryemp.org](mailto:rye@tryemp.org)

***To get an impression of the region, visit the websites below:***

<http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0002004>

<http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0000217>

<http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0000203>

<http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx-?sNo=0002034&id=412&jid=139>

<http://www.taroko.gov.tw/English/>

<http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0002014>

<http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0002012>

<http://eng.taiwan.net.tw/m1.aspx?sNo=0002013>





## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CLUB & ROTARY EVENTS

Event: **SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS**

Date: 13 Jan 2018

Venue: MBS Kuala Lumpur

Time: 9:30 pm

OC: IPP Sandy Soh

GOH: HE Constantin Nistor, Hon Rtn  
Romanian Ambassador

Event: **DG'S ANNUAL VISIT**

Date: 14-15 Jan 2018

Venue: Shangri la Hotel

Time: 9:30 am with Rtc & Itc  
6.30 pm with Rtn (assy & fellowship)

OC: Hon Sec Mohan Raj

GOH: Dr Manohar Kurup

Event: **DISTRIC ASSEMBLY (DISTASS)**



Event: **DISTRIC ASSEMBLY (PETS & SETS)**

Date: 20 Apr 2018

Venue: Park Ave Hotel, Sg Petani

### BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Name: PDG Paul Lee

Date: 4 Jan

Name: Hon Rtn Dato Rosemarie Wee

Date: 7 Jan (Anniv)

Name: Ann Carven (PE CT Heng)

Date: 8 Jan (birthday)

Name: Ann Datin Esther (PP Dr Lee HT)

Date: 10 Jan (birthday)

Name: PP Dato YK Chew

Date: 15 Jan

Name: Ann Juliet (VP Patrick Lee)

Date: 19 Jan (birthday)

Name: PP Alex Chang

Date: 20 Jan

Name: Rtn Dr CC Wong

Date: 20 Jan

Name: Ann Raja Azma (PP Dato Muslim)

Date: 27 Jan (anniv)

Name: Ann Suit Yong (PP Sam)

Date: 28 Jan (anniv)

## DISTRICT NEWS

### DG's Message, December

***Our health is everything. Yet 400 million people in the world can't afford or don't have access to basic health care. We believe good health care is everyone's right.***

Disease results in misery, pain, and poverty for millions of people worldwide. That's why treating and preventing disease is so important to us. We lead efforts both large and small. We set up temporary clinics, blood donation centers, and training facilities in underserved communities struggling with outbreaks and health care access. We design and build infrastructure that allows doctors, patients, and governments to work together.

Our members combat diseases like malaria, HIV/AIDS, Alzheimer's, multiple sclerosis, diabetes, and polio. Prevention is important, which is why we also focus on health education and bringing people routine hearing, vision, and dental care.

#### ***Our impact on disease***

The Rotary Foundation is changing the world by providing grants for projects and activities around the globe and in your own backyard.

Rotary makes amazing things happen, like:

**Providing clean water:** Rotary has worked with partners to provide more than 80 percent of Ghana's people with clean water to fight Guinea worm disease.

**Reducing HIV infection:** In Liberia, Rotary members are helping women get tested for HIV early in their pregnancies. They used prenatal care to reduce new HIV infections in children by 95 percent over two years.

**Ending polio:** Rotary members have played a key role in bringing the world to the brink of polio eradication. Their efforts have not only ended polio in 122 countries but also created a system for tackling myriad other health priorities, such as Ebola.



### Tampin's End Polio Charity Run 21 Jan 2018

JOIN NOW!

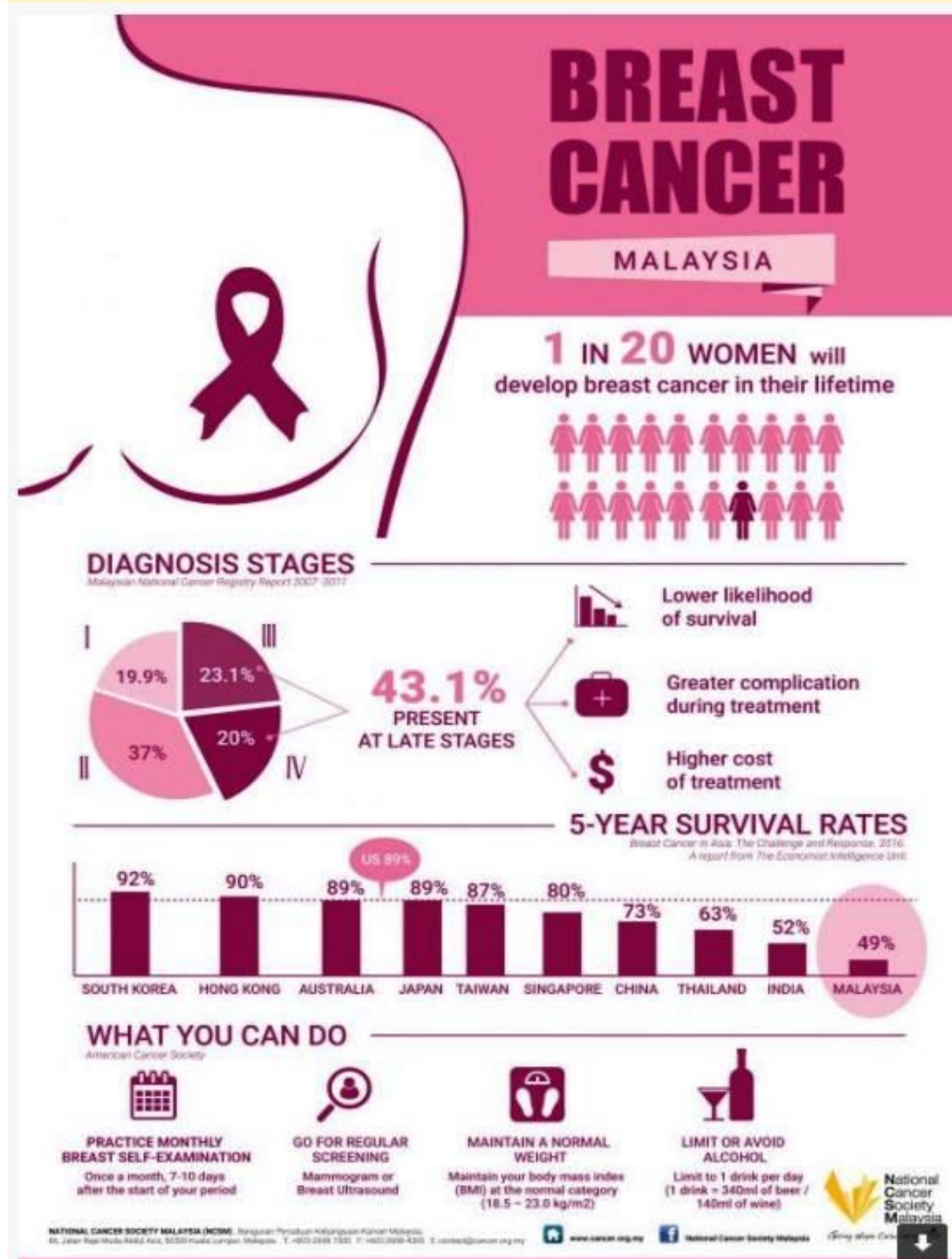
For more info:

<http://wilcube.com/event/end-polio-charity-run-21-1-18/>

[Read more](#)



## DISTRICT NEWS



## RI NEWS

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE—JANUARY 2018



In Rotary, our diversity is our strength. This idea dates back to the earliest years of our organization, when the classification system was first proposed. The idea behind it was simple: that a club with members who had a wide variety of backgrounds and abilities would be capable of better service than one without.

In the years since, the idea of diversity in Rotary has come to be defined more broadly. We have discovered that a club that truly represents its community is far better able to serve that community effectively. Looking ahead, it is clear how essential diversity will remain in Rotary: not only to strong service today, but to a strong organization in the future.

One of the most pressing aspects of diversity to address in our membership is the age of our members. When you look around at almost any Rotary event, it becomes immediately obvious that the age range in the room does not promise a sustainable future for our organization. Our membership is near a record high, and we are bringing in new members all the time – yet only a small minority of those members are young enough to have decades of Rotary service ahead of them. To ensure a strong and capable Rotary leadership tomorrow, we need to bring in young and capable members today.

We also cannot discuss diversity in Rotary without addressing the issue of gender. It is difficult to imagine that just three decades ago, women could not join Rotary. Although we have come a long way since then, the legacy of that misguided policy is still with us. Far too many people continue to think of Rotary as an organization only for men, and that idea has had a detrimental effect on both our public image and our membership growth. Today, women make up just over 21 percent of Rotary's membership. While this is certainly a great improvement, we have a long way to go to meet what should be the goal of every club: a gender balance that matches the balance of our world, with as many women in Rotary as men.

Whatever brought each of us to Rotary, we stay because we find value in Rotary membership and believe that our service has value to the world. By building clubs that reflect that world in all its diversity, we will build even more enduring value in *Rotary: Making a Difference*.



## RI NEWS



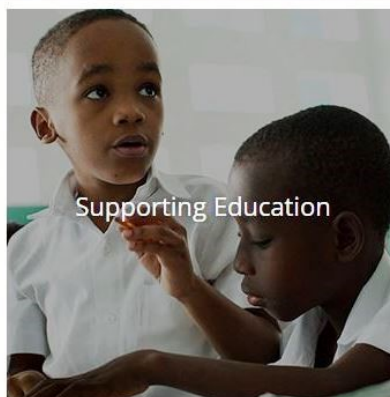
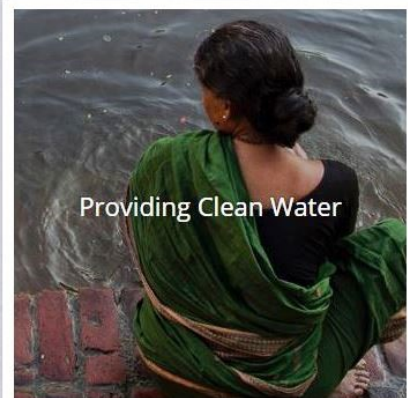
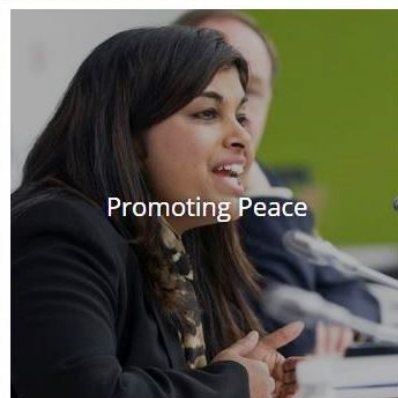
**WE SOLVE PROBLEMS**

**No challenge is too big for us**

For more than 110 years, we've bridged cultures and connected continents to champion peace, fight illiteracy and poverty, promote clean water and sanitation, and fight disease.

**2.5 BILLION**  
children  
immunized  
against polio

## Our Causes



## ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

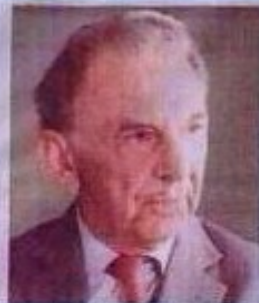




## ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

### *What a great message*

#### **Subject: Value**



JRD Tata had a friend who used to say that he misplaces and loses his pen very often. He will use only very cheap pens so that he need not worry about losing them. He was worried about carelessness habit.

JRD suggested to him to buy the costliest pen he could afford and see what happens. He did that and purchased a 22 carat gold Cross pen. After nearly six months JRD met him and asked him if he continues to misplace his pen. His friend said that he is very careful about his costly pen and he is surprised how he has changed! JRD explained to him that the value of the pen made the difference and there was nothing wrong with him as a person!

This is what happens in our life. We are careful with things which we value most.

- If we value our health, we will be careful about what and how we eat;
- If we value our friends, we will treat them with respect;
- If we value money, we will be careful while spending;
- If we value our time, we will not waste it.
- If we value relationship we will not break it.

***Carefulness is a basic trait all of us have, we know when to be careful!***

***Carelessness only shows what we don't value.....***