

扶輪基金會主委文告

有話請說；我們會聽



到底，扶輪基金會保管委員會的主委都做些什麼事？保管委員會都做些什麼事？這些問題經常以不同的方式來提問我。保管委員會管理扶輪基金會的事務，扶輪基金會是扶輪組織的慈善機構，它把您的捐獻轉變可永續維持的成果，來改善人們的生活——包括國內和全世界各地。

我們做的其中一件事是傾聽。我們傾聽您們，社員們。您的聲音透過許多不同的管道及人脈，伴隨著種種回饋意見、想法、關切、及建議，傳到我們這裡。

我們傾聽我們的扶輪基金會委員會成員。我們傾聽我們的地域協調人及顧問、地區扶輪基金會委員會主委、及我們的地區總監。我們傾聽在扶輪基金會在七個國家提供當地的稅負優惠的相關單位。

我們傾聽我們的理事會同仁、我們可信賴的扶輪辦事員、我們的了不起的根除小兒麻痺等疾病計畫委員會及我們的根除小兒麻痺夥伴、我們的扶輪社員行動團體、及技術顧問小組。我們傾聽來自 6 個扶輪和平中心的回饋意見。

扶輪社員是扶輪基金會的骨幹，因此傾聽您們的聲音如此的重要。

例如，在 2016 年立法會議傾聽了扶輪社員們的想法導致數項重大的改革，以強化社員體驗。這些改革提供扶輪社更多彈性。例如，有一項令人興奮的規定改變，允許服務計畫可作為一次出席例會來計算。重要的是，還在扶輪青年服務團的團員現在就能成為扶輪社社員。

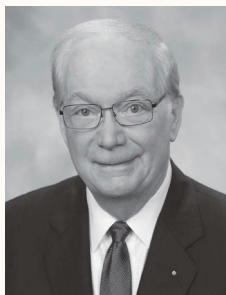
這些改變對扶輪基金會有何裨益？扶輪基金會的力量源自我們的社員們，而且我們相信新的扶輪社彈性選項將吸引並留住更多社員。如果扶輪要在今天及未來幾代保持歷久彌新，應該怎麼做？三年一次的立法會議就是您們提出各種想法，以延續扶輪進化的機會。2019 年立法會議建議制定案的提案截止日期是 12 月 31 日。請上網 on.rotary.org/COLproposals 分享您的想法。

您們是我們最大的力量。讓我聽見您們的聲音。您們可以寫信至 paul.netzel@rotary.org 與我聯繫。

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MESSAGE FROM THE FOUNDATION CHAIR

Talk to us; we'll listen



What does the chair of The Rotary Foundation Trustees do, anyway? What do the Trustees do? These questions are often asked of me in different ways. The Board of Trustees manages the business of the Foundation, the charitable arm of our organization that transforms your gifts into sustainable outcomes that change lives—both close to home and around the world.

One thing we do is listen. We listen to you, the members. Your voice comes to us through many different channels and connections with feedback, ideas, concerns, and recommendations.

We listen to our Rotary Foundation committees. We listen to our regional coordinators and advisers, to the district Foundation committee chairs, and to our district governors. We listen to our associate Rotary foundations which provide local tax benefits in seven countries.

We listen to our colleagues on the Board of Directors, to our trusted Rotary staff, to our incredible PolioPlus committees and our polio partners, to our Rotarian Action Groups and to the Cadre of Technical Advisers. We listen to feedback from our six Rotary Peace Centers.

Rotarians are the backbone of the Foundation, so it's important to listen to you.

For example, listening to Rotarians' ideas at the 2016 Council on Legislation (COL) led to several significant reforms to enhance the membership experience. These reforms offer clubs more flexibility. For example, an exciting rules change allows a service project to count as a meeting. Importantly, Rotaractors can now become members of Rotary clubs while they are still in Rotaract.

How do these changes benefit The Rotary Foundation? The strength of the Foundation starts with our members, and we believe the new club flexibility options will attract and keep more members. What needs to be accomplished for Rotary to remain relevant today and for the generations to come? This is where the COL's three-year cycle is your opportunity to bring forward ideas to continue the evolution of Rotary. The deadline for submitting proposed enactments for the 2019 COL is 31 December. Share your ideas at: on.rotary.org/COLproposals.

You are our greatest strength. Let me hear from you. I can be reached at paul.netzel@rotary.org.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paul A. Netzel".

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FOUNDATION TRUSTEE CHAIR