

## 扶輪基金會主委文告

你好,各位扶輪社友!

今年即將結束,我知道各位在思考送禮及趕上捐款期限。你在思考如何最能表達你的感激及愛。

答案非常簡單——捐款給扶輪基金會。要是不相信我的話,看看在一份獨立的分析報告中,你 的扶輪基金會在全世界知名的慈善機構中排名第一。連續 12 年,扶輪基金會都獲得獨立的慈善機構 評鑑單位「慈善導航」(Charity Navigator)的最高評等——四顆星。在慈善導航的 8 月評等中,扶輪 基金會在財務健全及致力財務負責及透明兩方面,都獲得滿分 100 分。

在給基金會的信函中,慈善導航指出「在我們評鑑的慈善機構中只有1% 會連續12年獲得四顆 評等,顯示扶輪基金會的表現勝過美國其他慈善機構。慈善導航的這種特別肯定讓基金會鶴立雞群, 並向大眾證明它值得信賴。」

這項殊榮為過去幾年的得獎記錄再添一筆。扶輪在全球根除小兒痲痹的努力,贏得一項地球公 民處理全世界最重要問題的國際運動「十億和平行動」的「最佳非營利行動英雄獎」。全球最大的專 業募款人網絡——募款專業人士協會,提名扶輪基金會為全球傑出基金會,表揚我們長期的成就。

要說我們隸屬於全球最偉大的慈善組織之一很容易,可是事實是,你的扶輪基金會是最棒的。 因此就用送給世界最棒的禮物來結束這一年。給我一個五,展現你對扶輪基金會的支持。

聖誕快樂,新年快樂!

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**黃其光** 基金會保管委員會主委



A message from Foundation Trustee Chair **Gary C.K. Huang** 

Ni hao, Rotarians!

The year is almost over, and I know that you are thinking about giving gifts and making last-minute contributions. You are wondering how best to show your appreciation and love.

The answer is very simple - make your gifts to The Rotary Foundation. Don't take my word for it: In an independent analysis, your Rotary Foundation was ranked No. 1 among the world's best-known charities. For the 12th consecutive year, The Rotary Foundation has received the highest rating - four stars - from Charity Navigator, an independent evaluator of charities. The Foundation earned the maximum of 100 points for demonstrating both strong financial health and commitment to accountability and transparency in Charity Navigator's August ratings.

In a letter to the Foundation, Charity Navigator notes that "only 1 percent of the charities we evaluate have received at least 12 consecutive four-star evaluations, indicating that The Rotary Foundation outperforms other charities in America. This exceptional designation from Charity Navigator sets the Foundation apart from its peers and demonstrates to the public its trustworthiness."

This recognition comes on top of awards won in the past several years. Rotary's commitment to eradicating polio worldwide won Best Nonprofit Act in the Hero Awards of the One Billion Acts of Peace campaign, an international global citizens movement to tackle the world's most important issues. And the Association of Fundraising Professionals – the world's largest network of professional fundraisers – named The Rotary Foundation the World's Outstanding Foundation, honoring our longterm achievements.

It's easy to say that we belong to one of the greatest philanthropic organizations in the world. But the truth is, your Rotary Foundation is the best. So close out the year by giving the greatest gift of all to the world. Gimme five and show your support for The Rotary Foundation.

Have a merry Christmas and a happy new year!

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**Gary C.K. Huang** FOUNDATION TRUSTEE CHAIR