

NEWSLETTER No. 3 Tangent Club International

GREETINGS

On this warm sunny Wednesday in June – it is finally time to write the next TCI news, having finalized the TCI AGM Minutes and the TCI Directory 2015-2016 and before going on summer holiday – we wish to send you greetings for a happy summer.

TCI AGM 2015

The first TCI AGM took place in Cyprus on the 24th April 2015. The event was hosted by Tangent Cyprus and 41 Club Cyprus and we had the pleasure of welcoming the following guests for our AGM: LCI President Chantess, LCI Vice President Ruth and LCI Immediate Past President Gitte, RTI President Jason, 41 International Vice President Makarios and ACI Vice President Ly



It seems that our AGM was the most interesting event of the day – as we were able to keep four nice gentlemen for most of our meeting we are happy that we can live the aims and objective of TCI



It might have been a bit stressful planning the first TCI AGM as everything was a first and for us trying to be as professional as possible – and running an

International AGM in an updated more modern way

During our AGM we welcomed Tangent Club Suomi Finland as a full member country and Tangent Clubs Belgium, Tangent Club Lithuania and Tangent Club Ukraine as associate member countries, representing a growth in TCI Countries of almost 100 % in one year. Well done to the TCI Councillors and all travelling Tangents that extended their hand in friendship when ever visiting around the world of the Round Table Family

At the TCI HYM 2015 in Birmingham on the 24th October – we will welcome Tangent Club Zambia – and we look forward to welcoming more member countries during the year 2015-2016.

Additional two new features and possibilities were agreed at the AGM.

TCI DAY

At the TCI AGM 2015 it was decided to designate the 12th February each year as TCI Day. This date was chosen to be next to LCI Day the 11th February, to allow for side-by-side events.

TCI GREETING

“Let the light of friendship - touch the Circle of the World - like a Tangent of love.”

The first TCI AGM will go into history as a wonderful day at a perfectly planned and well run Conference 2015 in Cyprus. Thank you to all members of Tangent Club Cyprus for your welcome and hospitality.

TCI Board 2015-2016 (present at the TCI AGM)



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FIRST TCI CHARTER

The first Charter in Tangent Club International.



It was summer 2014 when 15 Ex-circlers decided to found a Tangent association in Finland. Only few months later, at November 15th, Tangent Finland was founded and in conjunction with Finnish Old Tablers' AGM, April 11th 2015, they had their Charter Ceremony and the first AGM.

The Charter Memorandum was signed by the founders of Tangent Finland and Tangent Sweden National IRO Lotta Fritz of behalf of TCI and Tangent Sweden as a godmother. Anna Åkesson read the greetings on behalf of TCI President Susanne Nørager, Tangent Finland was the first Tangent Country and National Board to be chartered after the TCI itself were chartered in May 2014.



Chairman Anne Suomalainen with other founder members was proud to present the Charter Memorandum. There was one vote at the AGM, members of Tangent Club Suomi Finland voted for full membership of TCI and at TCI's first AGM in Cyprus, Tangent Finland became a Full Member Country of TCI.



We proudly present the first National Board of Tangent Finland with 12 members and today the national association already has 74 members. Tangent Finland will work in close co-operation with the RT-family by having HYM in conjunction with Ladies Circle Finland's HYM and AGM in conjunction with Old Tablers Finland's AGM.



WORKING TOGETHER AS EQUALS

was once my motto as LCI President a motto that this year became a reality as the Circlers and Tablers of Nepal called for action – LCI President Chantess and RTI President Jason never hesitated and asked us all for help. ALL4NEPAL was created – the first joint charity event became a reality – we are pleased to have been invited to be part and to work together as equals with Circlers, Tablers, 41-ers, members of Agora and WOCO to help.

Please jump to help – donate and an amount or buy the All 4 Nepal pin – go to the homepage, have a look at www.all4nepal.org – and learn how you can be of help.

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TCI INTERNATIONAL BOARD 2015-2016



TCI President
Susanne Nørager
(Tangent Denmark)



TCI Vice President
Anna Åkesson
(Tangent Sweden)



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(Tangent Great Britain)



Please find our contact information on
www.tangentclubinternational.org

TCI HALF YEAR MEETING 2015



Join us – take part in the TCI HYM 2015 that takes place on Saturday 24th October 2015 in Birmingham, England during the 41 International HYM from the 23 - 25th October 2015. Link to register for the event:
www.hgonestop.co.uk/events/hym2015



TCI DIRECTORY 2015-2016

The TCI Directory will be published August 2015, the Directory is for all members of TCI – do contact you National IRO or the TCI Secretary for an example in .pdf – note, that the TCI Directory will not be printed in hard copy.

TCI Calendar						
Year	Month	Date	Event	Country	Place	Link or contact e-mail
2015	August	12-16	Round Table International	Sweden	Gotland	www.rti2015.com
2015	August	20-23	Ladies Circle International Conference	Iceland	Akureyri	www.lci2015.org
2015	September	18-20	Ladies Circle and Tangent Finland National Half Year Meeting	Finland	Helsinki	Tarja.hietanen@pikapost.fi
2015	September	25-27	National AGM Tangent and 41 Club India	India	Goa	jayschreethapar@yahoo.co.in
2015	October	2-3	Tangent Denmark National Half Year Meeting	Denmark	Saksøbing	iro@tangentdenmark.dk
2015	October	16-18	Tangent Sweden National Half Year Meeting	England	Birmingham	www.oldtblers.eplanner.se/hym2015
2015	October	23-25	41 International Half Year Meeting	England	Birmingham	www.hgonestop.co.uk/events/hym2015
2015	October	23	Tangent Club International Board Meeting	England	Birmingham	president@tangentclubinternational.org
2015	October	24	Charter Tangent Zambia	England	Birmingham	pastpresident@tangent-clubs.org
2015	October	24	Tangent Great Britain National Half Year Meeting	England	Birmingham	pastpresident@tangent-clubs.org
2015	October	24	Tangent Club International Half Year Meeting	England	Birmingham	www.hgonestop.co.uk/events/hym2015
2016	January	23-31	LCI MTM	Belgium	Leuven	president@ladiescircleinternational.org
2016	February	5-7	LCI MTM	Mauritius	Port-Louis	Chhayan.ringadoo@lottotech.mu
2016	March	11-13	National AGM Tangent an Old Tablers Finland	Finland	Mikkeli	www.otzfgm.fi
2016	April	14-17	National AGM Tangent and 41 Club Great Britain	England	Birmingham	www.41clubconference.org
2016	April	22-24	41 International Conference	Germany	Landshut	www.old-tblers.de/41int-AGM2016
2016	April	22	Tangent Club International Board Meeting	Germany	Landshut	chairman@tangentclubinternational.org
2016	April	23	Tangent Club International AGM	Germany	Landshut	www.old-tblers.de/41int-AGM2016
2016	April /May	23-1	National AGM Tangent and EX-Table Denmark	Denmark	Svendborg	www.lm16.dk
2016	May	19-21	National AGM Ladies Circle, Round Table, Tangent an EX-Table Sweden	Sweden	Varnamo	iro@tangentsverige.org
2016	May	20-22	National AGM Tangent and EX-Table Norway	Norway	Bergen	iro.tangentnorge@gmail.com
2016	August	25-28	Ladies Circle International Conference	South Africa	Cape Town	www.lci2016.org
2016	October	14-16	41 International Half Year Meeting	India	Bangalore	seehappy@gmail.com
2017	April	20-23	National AGM Tangent and 41 Club Great Britain	England		pastpresident@tangent-clubs.org
2017	April		41 International Conference	South Africa	Sun City	seehappy@gmail.com
2017	August	24-27	Ladies Circle International Conference	Denmark	Sønderborg	www.lci2017.org

TCI CALENDAR

See the above TCI Calendar for all international events 2015-2016 – we hope that you will take the opportunity to be part of at least one international event each year – and we look forward to meeting you for the event.

The event of the year 2016 take part in the TCI AGM 2016 in Landshut Germany, enjoy the friendship across borders – extend your hand in friendship – join us in the celebration of the TCI year 2015-2016.

TCI AGM 2016



Link to register for the event:
www.old-tblers.de/41int-AGM2016

Celebrate friendship, extend your hand in friendship
 Susanne Nørager
 President Tangent Club International 2014-2016