



TCI News Letter no 2

2017-2018



Dear Tangents



The first half of my Tangent Presidency has passed and I have had some fantastic moments. Meeting you at your national AGMs, at the LCI conference and at our Half Year Meeting in Italy, always gives me joy, and **I am proud to be a Tangent!**

Reflecting on this, my thoughts took me back to my Ladies Circle years, bringing back a lot of wonderful memories, - the fantastic friendships I made, all the laughs, the funny events I attended, and not to forget all the interesting, enjoyable meetings we had. Meetings where we learnt about each other's lives, about different cultures, where we discussed any matter of interest, where we challenged each other and dared to do something we would never have if it had not been for the positive atmosphere.

I remember so well the focus on positivity, honesty, friendliness, tolerance, trust and compassion, words that can easily be summed up into "Friendship and Service". I do not want to bring these years back. I want to live now, and I want to live by the same codes of conduct as we learnt in Ladies Circle.

Let Friendship Continue! I am a proud Tangent that clearly see the red line back to our roots. Our logo, a Circle with the Tangent touching without cutting across, is quite symbolic. We are still close to the Circle, and we are still ready to give a helping hand. As in aims and objectives: Promote and strengthen international friendships established through Ladies Circle International, and Assist LCI wherever and whenever called upon. This brings me over to something close to my heart!

I asked the LCI President, Anne, what we can do to support "them youngsters". Not surprisingly, she answered; "getting new members is something we could focus on together". Ladies, I did talk about this at the AGM in Landshut, and I repeated myself in the AGM in Blackpool. I realize that talking is far from enough, we need to act. We have daughters, even granddaughters, we have colleagues, friends, friends' daughters, neighbours – there are potential Ladies all over. Anne said it; Let's get them on board! It is in fact not difficult to ask. We all have it in us, we do know what it's all about, and we should be proud to talk about it.

I will challenge you; I would like every Tangent Club all over the world to recruit a possible Circler to your local Ladies Circle club. When your potential member have been introduced to Ladies Circle, I would like you to post a message on Tangent Club International FB wall – Your club name and mission completed! Can you do me that favour?

Christmas time is getting close. I hope you all, for all possible reasons, will have some good, quiet and relaxing days together with you beloved ones. Enjoy your holidays!

Hugs and love
Gerd-Inger

Tangent Club International HYM, 28th October 2017 in Riccione, Italy.



Yet another Half Year Meeting in Tangent Club International has taken place, this time in wonderful Italy. It is unbelievable that six months have passed since AGM in Blackpool – time does fly.

After the welcome, Janice informed us, on her good-humoured-way as stewardess, about restrooms, how to inflate the female “front attributes” in case of emergency (??), and where to find the bar. She did forget to mention the Emergency exits; luckily, we did not have to use them.



The agenda for the meeting was adopted, the board was encouraged to make guidelines for the HYM and AGM agenda, and we learned a lot about what is going on in the different Tangent countries. I hope you got some ideas of how to reach out to the members, how to communicate and how to give a helping hand where/when needed. The Board informed about our activities since Blackpool, most important has been being visible and working with the TCI rules.

Proposals to the rules was divided in two; the easy ones, and the not so easy one. We discussed some proposals more or less of editorial kind, before we came to the important one: nominations to the TCI Board. The background is that TCI, in 2019, will have the first election of officer to the



board, the election of the vice president. In 2020 we will elect the treasurer and the secretary.

I told the 41'ers in my greetings to them that I expected a lively meeting with good discussions. That was exactly what we had. We informed each other what Tangents had been in the different countries looking back, what we are



today, and opinions was given on what we should be in the future. This is obviously something that engage the members, and to a certain degree, we have different views on this. The Board received many good advices from the meeting and we were asked to send out minutes from the meeting as soon as possible and an updated proposal to give the member countries the possibility to have internal discussions before AGM in 2018.

More serious items on the agenda; Anna informed about Happy Hearts, Ladies Circle International's Service project. The TCI Board will do our outmost to support LCI on this.

Extensions is something we work with all the time, always trying to be good ambassadors to attract former Ladies Circlers to become member of Tangents and TCI. Anna informed that we have some leads, but more important, was to give the meeting the good news! The President of Tangent India, Renuka Sehgal was invited to the stage and she informed us that Tangent India, in their last AGM, decided to apply for Full Membership in TCI. Renuka gave a wonderful greeting to the meeting, and ended it by giving me the application form and the affiliation fee. The atmosphere in the room was electric and at this stage, a bit chaotic. We were hugging, smiling and everybody were talking at the same time.



In this chaos, the President of Tangent Israel, Ricky Ashin, took me aside, and she told me that also Tangent Israel had decided to apply for Full membership in TCI. What a day! We got the meeting together again, and

Ricky was asked to inform the meeting about the news. Then the hugging, smiling and talking started again.

During the meeting, the RTI Southern Europe and Mediterranean Region Chairman, Chihab Bakhadda and the RTI Past Northern Europe and Americas Region Chairman, Thomas Elong visited and gave greetings to the meeting, both cherishing the good cooperation with Tangents. Also the ACI IPP Ursula Lejeune gave greeting to the meeting. As the last item before closing, Paula informed the meeting about the 2018-2019 sites for HYM and AGM. HYM will be held side-by-side with 41 International in Morocco, and AGM side-by-side with 41 international in Belgium. Gitte and Anne-Mette from Denmark took the opportunity to encourage the Board to make Tangents more visible in the web sites for these events.

The meeting closed only 25 minutes after plan, and we had a lovely lunch at Hotel Luna. During lunch the 41 IPP Engelbert Friedsham visited, and he talked about the Side by Side Education project and how good it is to collaborate with TCI.

Gerd-Inger, TCI President

Tangent Club International HYM, - the party version!



If you take a bunch of beautiful and joyful Tangents, another bunch of handsome and chivalrous 41ers and mix them with Italian food, wine and sun – the result can only be absolutely gorgeous! The Italian 41ers and their wives had really done their outmost to make us feel welcome.

For those of us who arrived already on Thursday, they offered us a unique possibility to be hosted by an Italian family. This was an opportunity not to be missed! Tynne from Tangent Finland and myself together with our spouses were hosted by two Italian couples and the evening was simply amazing! They gave us everything - and I really mean

everything - to eat and drink! After a while noone cared about the language barrier anymore. We ate and danced and sang and ate some more. It was truly an amazing evening!

On Friday evening we headed for the welcome party - all of us dressed in black waistcoats and red scarves. The venue was a beautiful vineyard and we were welcomed with wine and Italian cold cuts among the wine barrels. After a while we were shown into a large hall and it dawned upon me that the cold cuts were just a small starter. Ooops! The evening was fantastic with a lot of entertainment, a lot of dancing and a lot of wine!





Tangent Club International had organized a charity lottery, of course including champagne. At the lunch after the meeting we draw the three lucky winners who each won a magnum bottle of champagne. Congratulations to the winners and to all participants who managed to raise 1120 euros for the TCI and LCI ISP Happy Hearts.

The gala dinner was in San Marino. We first walked a guided tour around this beautiful town. It was fantastic albeit a little too cold and windy for the ladies in our gala gowns and the cobblestone was maybe not well suited for dancing shoes. But that made the warmth in the dinner hall the more appreciated. The evening was a celebration of the diva - and what could suit the Tangents better?

Thank you Club 41 Italy for taking such good care of us. I already look forward to the AGM in Austria and next HYM in exotic Morocco - see you there!

Anna Åkesson
IPP Tangent Club International



STUCK ON THE MOUNTAIN



Written by:

Thomas Elong and Jeanett Korch

The Flight to the top was beautiful and the Champagne Brunch.... Never had a glass of champagne tasted better but...

We should have participated in The Round Table World Meeting in Nepal, but we got a different experience, because we got stuck on the Mount Everest Hotel (3800m) and in Lukla for four days. Lukla is the little city where they have, the most dangerous airport in the world. To live in Lukla opened our eyes and changes a lot for us.

When we came back from Nepal, Andreas and Hans to Sweden, Magnus to Finland and Thomas and I to Denmark, we all five had thoughts back on what, we had experienced and we agreed that, we had to go back and do something for these children. We decided to make the group "Stuck On the Mountain" (SOTM) and that the group should try to get money, so we can go back to Lukla and build a classroom for the children. The goal is 10.000 euro!



These Children were playing on the street... no school, no teaching, nothing!!!

The five of us met again at the Norwegian AGM in Alta, and then we decided to go all in on this project. And so we did!

We began with creating the unique Stuck On The Mountain Pin, which was to be sold online and at the RT Family events we attended. RTI gave us the possibility to have a stand at the Nations Night at RT International World Meeting in Tallin, where the first pin polo was created.

So did LCI at the LCI in Sonderborg and here the next pin polo was completed. At the LCI we decided to donate some of the funds to the LCI Service Project and we handed over 800 euros to LCI President Gry at the gala. We received a lot of pins and gifts by post and the very generous donation of a pin jacket from Pontus Eriksson (Sweden) and a pin vest from Jose Brinkmann (GB&I). These will be put on online auctions soon and will increase the funds be a lot.



At the RTI WM we were approached by RT Nepal who would like to support the project with funds and help. Together we are stronger and this project will soon be a reality with RT Nepal's help.

Recently Hans, Thomas and I attended Northern Europe & Americas Region Tablers Meeting in Denmark. And what a surprise!!! We had no idea, that we would be awarded the "NEAR Service Project of the Year". It's a real honor to have received this award for the work, that we will do for the people in Lukla. It motivates us to do more and that will follow soon ☺

This Stuck On The Mountain project shows, that the RT Family is stronger Side-By-Side and that we together can do service project and support those in need.

So far we have raised more than 6.000 euros and the goal is within reach.

You can follow the work on our Facebook group "Stuck On The Mountain" and yes – you can still get the unique pin and/or support the project in your way.



THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT – WE ARE VERY GREATFUL ☺

Tangent Norway and Tangent Finland

Santa Claus battle

The true story about Santa Claus

Once upon a time, at the end of the 1800s, it exploded with gold mines in the northwest of Canada and Alaska, where thousands of people flowed to search for happiness and wealth, but where should all the gold miners get food from?

The gold rush was on the top and the authorities feared a humanitarian disaster with famine, epidemics and state-free states. It was difficult to send supplies.

In addition, the Eskimos were beginning to die of starvation because seal and whale were extinct in the area.

- Finally, the United States Congress granted \$ 200,000 to be used to transport Norwegian reindeer from Finnmark in Norway to Alaska. Reindeer was known as versatile farm animals that could be used for food, clothing and transportation.



In 1898, 536 reindeer took an unlikely and complicated journey by boat to New York, and then to Seattle. During the trip, three quarters of the animals died, only 136 reindeer survived. The following year, 113 Laps from Norway, who are experts on reindeers, came to help.

In 25 years, the reindeer flock grew to hundreds of thousands of reindeer. It was a very successful project. But a new problem occurred. What should they do with all reindeer? It was decided that they should be sold as food. One of the Laps, named Nicolas, decided to save some of the animals and bring them back to Norway. He chooses Rudolf, Dasher, Dancer, Prancer, Vixen, Cupid, Comet, Donner and Blitzen. The laps are known for their magical abilities, and at the moment the reindeer were connected to the sledge, they got the ability to fly. Nicolas flew all the way back to Norway, where he settled down for good. Here he became knowledgeable for his kindness and helpfulness, specifically aimed at children and the elderly. People started calling him Santa Claus – Julenissen in Norwegian.



Since then, the Santa has been in charge of a workshop on the North Pole where he makes gifts, toys and Christmas decorations, with good help from his friends the elves. All the things they make, is sold from his house in Drøbak, Norway. The Christmas House, with its own post office for Julenissen, originated as late as 1986.



Where Julenissen was until this time, is uncertain. What we know, however, is that he has been working on advertising. Among other things, he has had a big project for Coca Cola. Today, Coca Cola drives around with big trucks with pictures of Julenissen on the side.



He has also had several missions for Disney. He became very popular and well known worldwide. Julenissen has so far received about 250,000 letters from all over the world.



Every year during the Christmas season, he fastens his reindeer in front of the sledge and visits children and delivers Christmas presents. He comes at night when all the children are sleeping. Then he sneaks down the chimney and puts presents in the stockings that the children have hung up. Before he leaves, he eats biscuits and drink milk that has been presented to him as a thank you for the gifts. There may be a lot of milk and biscuits in the Christmas season, so his belly is very big.



Sometimes, when the Christmas presents get heavy to carry, he takes a break on a barn. There he often finds some porridge that the farmer has put forward. Then he has a party with the animals on the farm and dances and sings together with the mice.

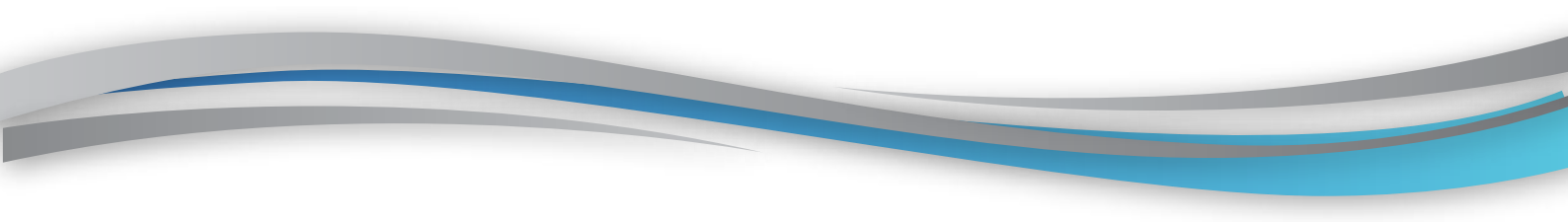




Julenissen is a happy and good man, highly loved by all his countrymen. In Norway, we are very proud that julenissen is Norwegian, and we appreciate his annual visit in December. In fact, the expectation fills in the stomach every time we hear; HO HO HO - are there some good children here?



HO HO HO



The real Santa Claus from Finland 😊



Santa Claus' original home lies in the mysterious Korvatunturi ("Ear Fell") in Finnish Lapland. Since the exact location is a secret only known to a chosen few, he decided to establish an office in Rovaniemi, the capital of Lapland, in 1985. Rovaniemi received the status of the Official Hometown of Santa Claus in 2010.

Rovaniemi is the Official Hometown of Santa Claus, and the city's most famous resident can be visited every day of the year in Santa Claus Village right on the Arctic Circle, an attraction that draws more than 500 000 annual visitors from all around the world.

As probably the most famous person on the planet, Santa Claus recognizes his global influence and the responsibility that comes with it.

– I'm an ambassador of good will, love and peace, and wish nothing but happiness to the people of the world, says without a hint of hesitation in voice.



– I sincerely hope as many people as possible have the chance to come visit me in Rovaniemi – nothing makes me happier, he wishes merrily. You also can use Santa's own official airport in Rovaniemi.



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Reindeers play a special role in Santa Claus' life, and meeting them certainly makes an impression on everyone.



– They are much more than a means of transport to me – they're gentle and kind, and they stick together – come to think of it, they're like an embodiment of the spirit of Christmas, Santa remarks.

Santa's busy schedule would fall apart without his hard-working helpers, the elves. Their invaluable effort is rewarded by the smiles on the faces of countless children and adults they see feeling the true spirit of Christmas.

– Our work never ends, but a cheerful outlook and positive attitude make it feel like playtime day after day, says Ferdie the Elf.

In his 30 plus years in Rovaniemi, Santa Claus has received millions of visitors including pop stars, politicians, television personalities, athletes and regular people from every corner of the world in Santa Claus Village. His headquarters on the Arctic Circle has become known to many, many more around the globe through widespread international media coverage.





Since 1985, Santa Claus has received 15 million letters from 198 countries, which makes Santa Claus Main Post Office a must on any visit to Santa Claus Village. The merry postal elves are happy to serve customers all year round in their headquarters, which is a real post office operated by Finland's national postal service. Every letter sent from here gets a special Arctic Circle postmark not available anywhere else, so your greetings home are sure to be unique.

Behave!! Santa and his crew are on their way to visit you...



Conclusion:

Norwegians are convinced that Santa Claus is Norwegian. Finnish people are convinced that Santa Claus is coming from Finland. But we agree about being disagreed about this subject.

We are all living happily in certainty that Santa is "ours". And if we are happy about it – this is the way it should be.

The reason why we still are friends and respect each other's opinion, must be that deep in our hearts we know that friendship and respect is the most important after all. It is a valued lesson we learned in many years in Ladies Circle, and now continue practice in Tangent.

Merry Christmas!

Berit Richardsen
President
Tangent Norway

Susanna Jänkälä
Vice president
Tangent Finland

It's all very well and nice and you can agree to disagree as much as you want because everybody knows the REAL Santa Claus comes from Sweden HO HO HO/ Editor's note

Tangent GB&I Regional Lunches

In GB&I there are many occasions in a year that our clubs can get together with others outside of the AGM, some arrange friendship or cluster evenings for clubs close by the lunches provide a chance to meet ladies from further afield. The 7 regional lunches each year are held on Saturdays and are planned and publicised well in advance, with dates spread across the year avoiding Christmas and summer holiday time, some clubs see the lunches as a chance to arrange a club weekend away to explore a new part of the country.

With over 600 clubs, but just 365 days and only 1 President there is no way she can get to visit everyone in a year but the lunches give all members an opportunity to meet her and the rest of the Executive.



The country is divided into 7 regions; North, Midlands, South East, South West, Wales, Ireland and Scotland and each region hosts a lunch, these are all arranged by volunteer local clubs which means that the venues change each year along with the theme of the event. Most lunches will be attended by around 200 ladies, Ireland and Scotland generally less due to the travel distances involved, and are a great excuse to dress up, get out the hat and catch up with well let's not say old friends but friends you have not seen for a while. Although the lunches are aimed at the ladies

in that region, anyone can attend from any of the regions, Circlers, friends and family.

All 8 of the National Executive officers attend every lunch, apologies are only allowed if you have a good excuse such as your daughter getting married, so it's a good time for club members to be able to find out what is going on across the Association in a less formal way.

The events vary so much and alongside the President speaking there will generally be a speaker possibly a well-known person from a wide cross section of professions; police, politics, television, radio, clergy, music ... the list goes on and may at times include singing and / or dancing.

I could fill a whole newsletter with details of the events we have held this year, but as I'm not allowed to do that you will have to see for yourself either via our Tangent Clubs Facebook page or the Tangent News.

Wishing you all peace and joy for the Christmas season.

Paula xxx

Visit to Tangent Niort Atlantique 2, France

I left the UK on a wet & miserable morning in September, to land little over an hour later in bright & sunny La Rochelle. From being collected at the airport to being dropped back there again 2 days later I was made to feel very welcome.



My host Charlette, Club President 2017-18, and I started joined 5 other Tangent members for lunch followed by a walk around La Rochelle and a tour of the lantern tower. It was then back to Charlettes home on Ile de Re and a walk to the almost deserted beach before dinner at a fabulous sea food restaurant.

Wednesday morning allowed time for a quick tour of one of the harbours on Ile de Re, a coffee stop in the sun & shopping at the local market before making our way to our lunch meeting in Coulon. It is obvious that the ladies keep in touch with what is going on in the wider Tangent world through Facebook, the Tangent News magazine and official emails by the questions they asked about our charities and other subjects.

Charlette was fabulous as an interpreter for me as we quickly established that 'la plume de ma tante' - one of the 1st phrases learnt in English schools - would not get me far. After a fabulous lunch some of us went for a boat tour on the local 'swamp', then a slow wander around town before yet more food at a local creperie – I don't know how these ladies stay so slim with all these fabulous places to eat ! before driving back for drinks.



After a leisurely morning, we took the long route to the airport taking in some more sights before my flight back to dull and gloomy England, at least it had stopped raining.

Paula
IPP NATC 2017-18

Tangent Sweden HYM



Tangent Sweden and Old Tablers Sweden always have their Half Yearly Meetings side by side during a weekend in October. This event is much appreciated and we are more than ready to welcome international guests - if you dare!



The event starts with an informal get together party on Friday which usually doesn't end until late. But on Saturday morning you have to rise again from the dead because there are absolutely no excuses to miss the actual meetings! We have Sargents at Arms who make sure that everybody behaves in a Tangent-like manner!



After meeting and lunch there are a lot of activities going on. This year you could choose between for example sumo wrestlings or outdoor tub bathing. There was an option of taking a leisurely stroll for those less adventurous.

In the evening of course there is the gala dinner. This years seating arrangements were divided into different countries and dictionaries were provided. The entertainment made everybody dance on chairs and tables and occasionally even on the floor.

We hope to see many of you next year - welcome!

Bonds Beyond Boundaries - Tangent India flying high



Tangent India was Chartered in 2006. The Charter Chairperson was Jogi Mittal. Jogi pioneered the un-daunting task of framing the Rules & Regulations with the help of a young team of Circlers. At the start Clubs were formed in the 2 metro cities of Delhi & Mumbai. I am for-

tunate to have been the Charter Member in Delhi. In 10 years Tangent India have grown in strength from 1 to 25 Clubs. One Club has been dechartered but we are hoping it gets revived soon.

Every year we have a Mid Term Meet. The aim of it is that those who cannot be there for the AGM get a feel of it. Also important points are discussed which are Club related. Ideas are taken, improved and implemented. Some new ideas are put forth by our members and we encourage all to come forward and share them.

The National AGM of 41 Clubs and Tangent India are held in September every year. In October last year it was combined with the International HYM. At the National AGM members come from all parts of India. Tangent & 41 Clubs have their AGM side by side. At the NAGM some countries are represented by either their IROs or their President's. At the NAGM there is a change of guard. The new President takes over from the old one.



The Tangent India Board consists of President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and an IPP or the Immediate Past President. Tangent India has an e-magazine which comes out 3-4 times a year. This updates all about all the happenings of Club meetings and get togethers. The fun etc are all shown in the ma-

gazine. The Editor looks after the e-magazine. National AGMs are forums for meeting old friends. Through our members we get to know their spouses which further increases our friendships.

Club meetings are held every month. Members look forward to the meetings. At each meeting the date is fixed for the next one. Some Clubs have around 7 to 10 members. But some have about 30 members too. Delhi, Bengaluru and Kolkatta have more than 2 Clubs. A special mention here of our Hyderabad Club. This Club had 23 members. They hardly met. In June this year they had their AGM. They had a change of guard. I met them then and en-





couraged them to meet regularly. They have started meeting more often. In 5 months since then, their membership has increased. Now there are 35 members. This Club is going from strong to stronger. At our NAGM in September they were the host Club and they did a fantastic job.

At Tangent Club meetings the bonds between members gets strong. They share their ideas, their desires and their joys. In case any member has a problem on hand the others step in to make things easier. It is this Bonding Beyond Boundaries my theme for 2017-18, which brings us closer day by day. In fact our Club meetings are the envy of 41 clubs, who feel we never invite them. Their grouse being that they take their spouses to all 41 meetings & get together. But Tangent members meet without them.



Tangent meetings are time for <<girlie interaction>>, time for friends, happiness, outings and joy. At Tangent meetings, a speaker is asked to come. Sometimes it can be from within our friends, or a specialist from outside. He / she gives us a useful and insightful talk. Hence talks on acupressure as alternative medicine, effects of radiation, or cookery are given. Some get together are nature or heritage walks, trips to a Museum and even a visit to the President's Estate. Sometimes we go for a movie, followed by lunch. As this reaches you our Club would have enjoyed soaking in the lovely winter sun at a picnic. At events like these all members participate by getting either a snack, or a dish, cake and dessert. So there is participation from all.

Tangent India is growing in strength Clubwise and internally too. A big thanks to the 41 Clubs of India for their support and encouragement. We are strong but together, we are stronger. As we become members of TCI, our involvement and interaction with other countries too gets better. Hence Friends will be made and truly we would have Bonded Beyond Boundaries.

Renuka Sehgal
President of Tangent India

Greetings from Tangent Israel

Hi Tangent ladies all over the world,

I would like to open this newsletter by sending you all big hug from all the Israeli clubs. I can't believe it's almost been a year and a half since our exciting charter event in June 2016.....

As mother Teresa said I believe that **"It's not how much we give but how much love we put into giving"**. Tangent Club Israel is full of love-wrapped giving and wonderful friendship and we grew up to be lovely family embraces 10 active clubs. After hard work the Circlers now - more than ever - sees Tangent as an integrated and natural continuation of the network and we became one big and beautiful family.

The motto decided upon for this year by our President Ricki Ashin was:

" Love makes a difference " and we have our lovely national board which is busy all the

time organizing activities to keep on the

beautiful friendship that began in Ladies Circle

and is now continuing in Tangent.

Time flies when you're having fun, and we've been having the best time being a full member of Tangent Club International.



"Let friendship continue" its not just a saying!!!

Within Tangent Club Israel there are about 100 XS-Circlers and in October we all went together for an amazing trip in the north, it was a day full of activities and challenging experience but above all there was a hug love and lots of friendship.





Tangent Israel is growing and two **new babies** joined the our lovely family at the beginning of this year :**Tangent Jerusalem & Tangent Rishon Lezion** and one more baby in Haifa joined us last month. **Congratulationssssssss** We are so



excited

We have already participated in three **international conferences** of TCI in Finland, England and Italy and at every conference we enjoyed an amazing weekend sharing fun and friendship internationally.



In September we met for our **first national Board meeting** in Rishon Lezion, it was filled with plenty of energy and attended by all the National Board members representatives



from each local Tangent Club. We spend a fantastic time together.

Side by Side with Ladies Circle is very unique and consistent feature of TC Israel! We have all our major events together like a National project for the community, AGM , an event for the woman's day, Fundraising events and more...



All the Clubs around Israel continue to hold their business meetings, light the friendship candle and support their various projects . It is very exciting to see smiling children every day, old people who get a loving hug, youth at risk who go out for a day of fun and a poor family that receives a full basket of food- **That's what we do with a lot of love**

Pictures for sure say more than thousand words...



Thanks you TCI girls for all the support and guidance, as the first President of TC Israel I am very excited and proud to be part of Tangent family and on behalf of all the ladies in Tangent Club Israel, I would like to send a big hug & greetings to all the ladies worldwide in Tangent family and to all our brother and sister organizations -

**May all our wishes be fulfilled and our service projects bring light and happiness around us.
Let friendship continue**

Lots of love,
Liat Wallenstein
IRO & IPP Tangent Club Israel 2017-2018
December 2017

**X-mas is coming...
and another year is almost gone...**



Dear Tangents from all over the world



We in **Tangent Denmark** wish you and your dear ones Happy Holidays and a very happy New Year.

Be inspired and Let friendship Continue...

*Tangent Norway wishes all our friends around
the world
Merry Christmas
and a
Happy New Year*



At Christmas time we wish you joy, peace
and happy times spent with friends

President Melodie and the GB&I board



Merry Christmas and joyful New Year 2018



Tangent Club Suomi - Finland

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from Tangent Sweden





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Tangent Sandvika welcomes you to the National AGM for Tangent Norway and 41 Club Norway in Bærum, **8-10 June 2018.**

Radisson Blu Park Hotel, Oslo. Address; Fornebuveien 80, 1366 Lysaker



Welcome to the idyll by the seaside!



- Single or double room at the hotel
- Breakfast Saturday and Sunday
- Dinner and party Friday evening
- Lunch Saturday
- AGM Tangents and 41 on Saturday
- Activity Saturday
- Banquet Saturday evening




The hotel is located 2.6 km from Lysaker Station, only 5 minutes by taxi. The airport train runs directly from Gardemoen airport to Lysaker station.

The hotel is located in a beautiful setting by the Oslo Fjord, only a few minutes from Oslo City Center. It has many facilities and great atmosphere. It fits perfectly as a venue for Tangent Norway and 41 Club Norway's national meeting.

The hotel has 251 rooms, 103 of them refurbished in 2014. They offer restaurant, bar, private terrace with bar and outdoor seating, beach, large park and good parking space.

The rooms have view over the park, telephone, flat screen, hairdryer and free wireless internet.

More information will follow – hold the date!

Welcome! 




OTSF-TCSF AGM 2018

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Make a splash!

16.3. – 18.3.2018

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Dear ladies,

Tangent Finland side by side with Old Tablers Finland will have their AGM 16-18 March 2018 at Tampere. You are most welcome!! The registration is open www.otsfagm.fi. Do it now or at least before end of January 2018 – there is limited number of accommodations.

For more information please contact: Niina iro@tcsf.fi or Minna president@tcsf.fi

TCI AGM

27-29 April 2018

Pörtschach am Wörthersee, Austria

<http://club41.agm2018.at>

Registration is open

Please join us!



Agenda

Friday 27.04.2018

- 14:00 - 18:00h Welcome and registration at the Parkhotel in Pörtschach/Wörthersee
Golf tournament "Jacques Lemans Golfclub St.Veit"
- 18:00h Transport to the evening event (with Bus)
- 18:45h Welcome drink and typical Carinthian Dinner at "Weingut Taggenbrunn"
(Dresscode: your own traditional costume)
- 23:00h Onwards: busses leave to Pörtschach

Saturday 28.04.2018

- 09:30h Tangent Club International AGM - venue to be decided
- 09:30h Culture program for non delegates
- 13:00 Joint lunch at "Burg Hochosterwitz"
- 15:00h Onwards: busses leave to Pörtschach
- 18:00h Banner exchange
- 19:00h Pre drink and Gala Dinner at Parkhotel

Sunday 29.04.2018

- 11:30h Farewell brunch on the panoramic terrace of Park Hotel in Pörtschach

For information about pretours, accommodations and connections - please visit the website.



TCI calendar

Year	Month	Date	Event	Country	Place	Link or contact email
2018	January	26-27	LCI MTM Nordic and Middle European Regions	Luxembourg	Luxembourg	fb: MTM 2018 Luxembourg
2018	February	2-4	LCI MTM South European and African Regions	Botswana	Gaborone	fb: MTM2018-Botswana
2018	March	16-18	Tangent Finland AGM	Finland	Tampere	www.otsfagm.fi
2018	April	12-15	Tangent GB&I AGM	Great Britain	Belfast	www.41club-tangent-belfast.co.uk
2018	April	27-29	TCI AGM	Austria	Pörschach am Wörthersee	http://club41.agm2018.at
2018	May	4-6	Tangent Denmark AGM	Denmark	Odense	www.lm18.dk
2018	May	17-20	Tangent Sweden AGM	Sweden	Borlänge	fb: rm2018borlange
2018	June	8-10	Tangent Norway AGM	Norway	Sandvika, Oslo	
2018	August-September	29-2	LCI conference	Norway	Haugesund	http://www.lci2018.no
2018	October	12-14	TCI HYM	Morocco	Marrakech	http://www.41clubmorocco.org/

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from the TCI Board

