



Newsletter of 41 INTERNATIONAL

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President Speaks



Greetings,

To all members of 41 INTERNATIONAL from your new 41 INTERNATIONAL President Carsten Flink.

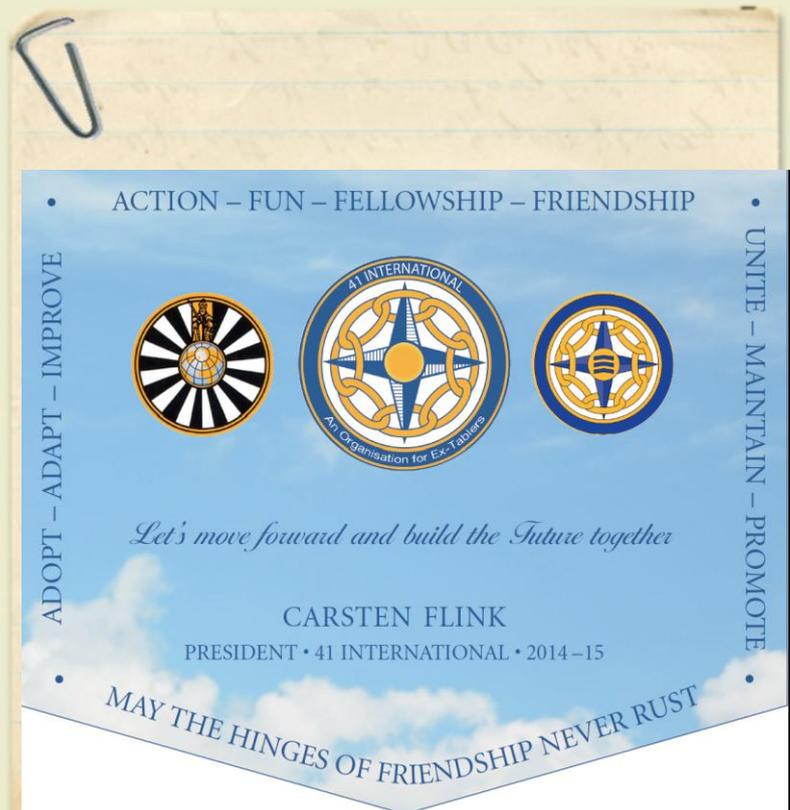
We just had our 41 INTERNATIONAL AGM during the first week of May in Denmark. 445 persons participated in this great event with lots of fun, fellowship and friendship together with old friends and meeting new friends.

One of my plans for this year is to come closer to Round Table International and work more together, also on national, district and local plan, because Round Table is our past and future to grow and be strong in many ways.

41 Malta became a new member at our AGM and lot of other countries are now very interested to be member of 41 INTERNATIONAL and we will develop and strengthen this work.

I am looking forward to meeting many of you at your National AGMs.

Yours in Friendship,
Carsten Flink
41 INTERNATIONAL
President 2014-15



May the hinges of friendship never rust

Know your President

Your new
INTERNATIONAL President Carsten Flink

* Was born in 1955 in Odense, Denmark and later been living in Korsøer.

* Became member of Round Table Soroe in 1985 and later moved to RT Korsøer where he ended his Round Table time 1996.

* He has been Club Secretary, Club Chairman and Honoured member.

* In the National Board he was Editor and Area Chairman.

* In 1996, was one of the founders of Ex-Table Korsøer, today a strong club with 28 members and their own club house.

* In 2001 he became the National President of Ex-Table Denmark and from 2009-2013 was the national IRO and YAP Convener.

* Has two sons with his first Danish wife and now married to Nantke from Germany who is an active Ladies Circler.

* Presently living in Denmark and Germany where he is a happy member of Old Table Jever.

* He started a company in 1983 in the graphic industry and ended up with several companies which he sold in 2007.

* In his younger days was playing football, handball, tennis and badminton but now only watching on TV- not the best but...

His words:
To be a Round
Tabler and
41er is a life
style and it is
a privilege to
be part of that
wonderful life
worldwide.



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10 member
team of
41 Bulgaria
Chartered



South Africa
wins
Vice
Presidency
2016-17

26th April 2014 saw the birth of 41 Club of Bulgaria. Ivan Fratev took charge as Charter President, Dimitar Anastasov as Vice President, Ivaylo Ivanov as Secretary and Branimir Teofilov assumed the responsibility as Charter Treasurer.

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Malta joins 41
INTERNATIONAL
as the 21st member
country.



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Tangent
International
Organisation
Chartered with 7
member countries



Festival of the Month- May



**Aalborg
Festival
Denmark**

Carnival in Aalborg is the largest Carnival in Northern Europe with up to 25,000 carnivalists in the Grand Parade and more than 100,00 spectators catching the magnificent wave of colours and fantasy along the Parade route.

What distinguishes Aalborg Carnival from most other carnivals is that everyone can participate in the Grand Parade on May 24th.

The parade moves through the streets of Aalborg and ends up in Kildeparken where the festivities reach their climax and the biggest and most colourful party of the year takes place.



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Netherlands, Sri Lanka and Poland Check in 3 new countries have submitted their application for affiliation to 41 INTERNATIONAL

The following 3 amendments to rules have been approved by the member countries:

1. **Existing:** 3.2 (g): A decision to expel or reinstate a member Association shall require a **two-thirds majority** of the delegates present and voting.
Changed: 3.2 (g): A decision to expel or reinstate a member Association shall require a **75% majority** of the delegates present and voting.
2. **Existing:** 9 (h) The quorum for a meeting shall be 50% of the members of the International Council. The business shall not commence until a quorum is present and shall be adjourned at the time if it is not maintained. If there is no quorum present one hour after the time appointed for the meeting, the meeting shall take place with the International persons present.

Addition: 9 (h) The quorum for a meeting shall be 50% of the members of the International Council. The business shall not commence until a quorum is present and shall be adjourned at the time if it is not maintained. If there is no quorum present one hour after the time appointed for the meeting, the meeting shall take place with the International persons present. **Apart from rule change all other decisions shall require a simple majority of the International Councillors present.**

3. Existing Rule 12. RULES

(a) These rules shall not be altered other than by a **two-thirds** majority of the delegates present and voting at an Annual General Meeting. Details of any proposed modification or additions must be submitted to the Secretary by 1st February in any year for circulation with the notice of the next AGM. During a Half-Yearly Meeting all questions regarding 41 INTERNATIONAL can be discussed, and all questions that are not specially reserved to the Annual General Meeting can be decided.

Proposed change 12. RULES

(a) These rules shall not be altered other than by a **75%** majority of the delegates present and voting at an Annual General Meeting. Details of any proposed modification or additions must be submitted to the Secretary by 1st February in any year for circulation with the notice of the next AGM. During a Half-Yearly Meeting all questions regarding 41 INTERNATIONAL can be discussed, and all questions that are not specially reserved to the Annual General Meeting can be decided.

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A new term has begun, ushering in new leadership, new officers and new hopes. AGM Korsor had a record registration of 450 heads. New countries have checked in. Growth is taking place at a rapid stride. Can look forward to another gallant year ahead.

“The only thing worse than being blind is having sight but no vision” -Helen Keller

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41 INTERNATIONAL
gets a new Editor for
magazine HINGE



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