**2022.10.20高三10月联考小作文by Kelly（初稿）**

Dear Tom,

So delighted to know you are considering joining our Poetry Club. As the student in charge, I’m writing to share with you some details you may be interested in.

The Poetry Club, a paradise for poetry lovers with romantic souls, has been enjoying a high popularity not only in our school but also among the prestigious high schools in our province. What attracts the fans most is the diversity of activities such as lectures on Tang poetry and salons on Tagore’s Poems, where you can immerse yourself in the beautiful poems from different times in history with various cultural backgrounds or language habits. Next month, there will be a Tang Poetry Translation Contest. A native English speaker like you will surely be a valuable addition to this contest.

Come and join us? We’re eagerly waiting for you with open arms.

Yours,

Li Hua

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I logged into Facebook and began writing an apology letter to Nora. Eyes blurred and fingers stiff, I searched hard but proper words were nowhere to be found. God knew how many times I deleted what had been typed and carried on with exactly what had been deleted! Finally, I was about to send the most difficult letter when notification of a new message came. It was from Nora! It was a beautiful greeting e-card for my birthday with the familiar melody most enjoyed in those good old days! It’s the same Nora who always remembers my birthday! We both thought of each other exactly at the same time! Tears of gratitude and joy washed away all my loneliness and doubt. Frozen before the laptop screen with the birthday card singing and dancing, I almost forgot to click the “send”. Facebook did witness our friendship deeply rooted in us. It’s more than a Facebook friendship. “Friends are like wine. The older, the better.” -----What else shall I ask for?

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**审稿：黄晓婷、何海艳**

**(经审稿，对初稿段二进行删减和个别遣词修改，两段篇幅得以平衡，且有叙述留白，让读者有更多阅读情感空间......欢迎继续不吝赐教。）**

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I logged into Facebook and began writing an apology letter to Nora. With misty eyes and stiff fingers, I searched hard but proper words were nowhere to be found. God knew how many times I deleted what had been typed and carried on with exactly what had been deleted! Finally, I was about to send the most difficult letter when notification of a new message came. It was from Nora! It was a beautiful greeting e-card for my birthday with the familiar melody most enjoyed in those good old days! It’s the same Nora who always remembers my birthday! Tears of gratitude and joy washed away all my loneliness, sentiment and guilt. “Friends are like wine. The older, the better.” -----What else shall I ask for? （114）