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LAST WEEK'S PROCEEDINGS - 03 MARCH 2015



The highlight of today's program was the presentation of the winning prizes for the annual Uncle Peter Golf Cup, and members were busy taking pictures with PDG Uncle Peter after his arrival to the meeting room.

Peter Golf Tournament. Amongst the winners, only PP Heman, Pres. Norman and Rtn Kevin were present in the meeting to receive the prizes directly from the hand of Uncle Peter, who left after the prize



Uncle Peter looks good and maintains his smiling face for the photos. President Norman rang the bell at 1:05PM. Immediately he welcomed back our beloved PDG Uncle Peter who had been missing our meetings since his previous appearance for his birthday party back in Sept. 3rd, 2014. Rtn Kenny has surprised us by returning to HK after he had left for Canada only a few weeks ago. Rtn. Kenny said that he missed the warm weather in Hong Kong. He had returned to Hong Kong to attend the wedding banquet of PP Laurence's son.



presentation was completed.

So, DGN Eric was then invited to officially introduce the speaker today, Mr. Howard Paley. An actor and a public speaking coach, his topic today was public speaking, and he spoke about how he uses acting and drama techniques to help people improve their public speaking performance and confidence. During the presentation, Rtn Tony volunteered to role-play for a monologue, and he did a commendable job, especially as he had only read the script for the first time.

Pres. Norman then requested acting SAA WK So to report the red box collection. Rtn WK So reported that we had collected HK\$1,300 for the red box contribution from our members, so thank you all!



PP Henry thanked the speaker and shared his personal experience when he was being trained in public speaking in the old days at the Jockey Club.

The birthday boy today was none other than our PP Andy Wong, who invited Uncle John to sing the birthday song. Pres. Norman presented the club birthday gift to PP Andy, and, as Rtn Tony had celebrated his birthday last week, but did not receive the present. Pres. Norman has also presented the birthday gift to Tony in front of our members.



Prizes were then handed out for the winners of the Uncle

correct his mistake by introducing his guest, who was none other than his commander at home, being Rotarianne Isa Hall. Another guest he has forgotten to address was Teresa Hall (2nd daughter of PDG Uncle Peter).

The meeting adjourned at 2:05PM. We took a group photo before leaving



THE ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

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Club 16340 District 3450 Chartered on 06 April, 1954 by Charter President

PDG (Uncle) John Yuen

SPOTLIGHT ON: THE DRAMA OF PUBLIC SPEAKING



Our guest speaker, public speaking coach Mr. Howard Paley, gave a presentation, full of anecdotes, practical tips and a demonstration to demonstrate how using drama techniques can improve our speaking skills and increase our confidence. Howard is a professional actor, director and drama coach who has lived in the USA, Japan, Sweden and Israel. He has directed and performed in dramas, musicals, films and TV commercials. With his unique methodology, he specializes in helping people to overcome the inhibitions which usually encumber public speaking ability, and acquire the skills and confidence you need to do it well. Howard spoke of his 'Make a Scene Programme', and enlisted the help of Rotarian Tony to demonstrate how his works. (New career Tony?).



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL



On 23 February 1905, Paul P. Harris, Gustavus Loehr, Silvester Schiele, and Hiram E. Shorey gathered in Loehr's office for what would become known as the first Rotary club meeting.

Harris's desire for camaraderie among business associates brought together these four men and eventually led to an international organization of service and fellowship.

Read about each of the first four Rotarians below, and about Harry L. Ruggles, who is often called the "fifth Rotarian."

Rotary's founder, **Harris**, was born in Wisconsin, USA, on 19 April 1868. He was raised by his paternal grandparents in Vermont and attended the University of Vermont, Princeton, and the University of Iowa. He was Rotary president from 1910 to 1912 and a member of the Rotary Club of Chicago until his death on 27 January 1947.

Loehr, a mining engineer, was born on 18 October 1864 in Carlinville, Illinois. He was a Rotarian for only a few years, never holding office at the club or international level. But that first Rotary meeting was held in his office, Room 711 of the Unity Building in downtown Chicago. He died in Chicago on 23 May 1918.

A Rotarian for only a few years, **Shorey** served as recording secretary during the club's first year. He was born in Maine in August 1862 and died in March 1944.

Schiele, a coal dealer, served as the Chicago club's first president in 1905 and Rotary International's third treasurer in 1945. Born in Terre Haute, Indiana, in June 1870, Schiele attended Terre Haute Business College and served in the U.S. Army during the Spanish-American War. He was president of the Schiele Coal Company from 1902 until his retirement in 1939. He and Harris became lifelong friends and lived near each other on the South Side of Chicago. Schiele died on 17 December 1945 and is buried near Harris at Mount Hope Cemetery.

Originally from Michigan, **Ruggles** was a graduate of Northwestern University in Evanston, Illinois, and joined Rotary at its second meeting. He was treasurer of the Chicago club during its first year, president from 1908 to 1910, and a Rotary director from 1912 to 1913. He is known for having introduced singing to Rotary club meetings. His printing company, H.L. Ruggles & Co., printed the first issue of *The National Rotarian* and the first Rotary songbook. He died on 23 October 1959, an honorary member of seven clubs in addition to his home club, the Rotary Club of Chicago.

OUT & ABOUT

March 1st Rotary Day & Ultramarathon



It was a great day out for all as Rotarians from District 3450 came out in full force to rejoice and share in the Rotary Day celebrations. PP Heman led the team who manned our club booth, along with students from Choi Jun School, and we are happy and proud to announce that we raised around \$3,600 thanks to our enthusiastic volunteers and our fun game. On the day we also had 2 50k Ultramarathon teams performing, which included President Norman (Team 1) and DGN Eric and PN Chris (Team 2) as well as some healthy happy Rotaractors. All runners did their best to



Uncle Peter Golf Cup – winners in full

The following is the winners list:

Winner – Best gross score

Place	Score	Winner
1st	90	PP David Li
2nd	97	Rtn Johnny Cheng
3rd	105	PP Heman Lam

Winner – Best net score

Place	Score	Winner
1st	61	Rtn Kevin Leung
2nd	62	PP Stephen Liu
3rd	63.5	Pres. Norman Lee

Closest to Pin Hole 2 Rtn Johnny Cheng
 Hole 17 Rtn Kevin Leung

Longest Drive Hole 7 Pres. Norman Lee
 Hole 16 PP Tajwar Shadikhan

Booby Prize IPP Jonathan Lamport



ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. District has organized the second Government relationship luncheon with Eddie Ng on Mar. 10th, next Tue. Anyone interested to join can register with Pres. Norman.
2. We have an important project this year. This is the 60th anniversary project. We have sponsored the play equipment in the Heep Hong Yau Lai Centre in Yau Tong. A grand opening ceremony is scheduled on Mar. 21, 2015 morning. We shall send official notice to all members. IPP Jonathan is the PIC for this project. All members and families are welcome to join.
3. We have scheduled a special retirement party for PP Henry on Mar. 21, 2015 at dinner time. The venue is tentatively booked at CRC. Rtn Jason is the PIC for this party. Official email will be sent to all members shortly. Please reserve your time to attend.
4. We have scheduled 3 sister club visits in the coming 2 months. Members are welcome to join any one of the visits. Please register with the corresponding leaders of the trips if you wish to join.
5. Special meeting will be arranged on April 29, 2015 for Dr. York Chow. We will try to organize as Area 3 Joint meeting.
6. Another special meeting will be arranged on May 20, 2015 for Mr. Stephen Ng, Chairman of Cable TV. We will try to organize as our annual 4-clan meeting.

THE LAST LAUGH - THE IRISH SUGAR TEST

One day an old man goes into a pharmacy, reaches into his pocket
And takes out a small bottle and a teaspoon laying it on the counter.

He asks the pharmacists,
"Could you taste this for me, please".

Being a senior citizen, the pharmacists went along,
Taking the spoon with a tiny dab of the liquid,
Puts it in his mouth swills the liquid around
And with a grimacing look spits it out in a cup.

"Now does that taste sweet to you." Says the old man?

The pharmacists said to the old man. "Hell no!"

"Oh that's a relief", says the old man, "The doctor told me to come here



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