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#### This Week

Dr T.P. Ho "What is Autism"

#### Last Week

PP Con Conway "Law Reform Commission Subcommittee on Privacy"



PP Con

Con is a member of the LRC Subcommittee on Privacy. This body has been discussing the requirement for a Data Protection Bill for the past five years. It has now been decided that a data protection law will be put to the Legislative Council in March/April and that it is likely that the bill will be passed in this legislative year.

The bill will be have a transition period, probably of two years. So it will come into statutory sanctions effect in 1997.

The bill will provide individuals with the ability to be provided with information of a personal nature pertaining to themselves. This information must be made available whether on computer files or in manually held files and must be provided at minimal cost.

At present there is no common law definition as to who owns this data and whether one has a right to know why information is held and by whom. The Bill of Rights gives a right to privacy but this right has still to be upheld by the

The newly proposed law will clear up many of these anomalies. In addition it will give an ownership right to an individual over his private data.

The cost of the implementation will be covered by an annual levy of \$100 on each business registration certificate. Each government department and each company registered will have to provide details of a 'responsible officer' who will be the contact in the organisation for data protection matters.

The data protection law was first mooted in 1974 so this is the culmination of a long process to get it right for Hong Kong.



## Season's Greetings from Hong Kong Sea School

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In this festive season, may 5 send my
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#### Observer

 Pres Leslie began last week's meeting at 1:25 pm with a special welcome to IPDG Moses and to PP Anthony Hung as DG Group Representative.

 Pres Leslie then read a letter from DG Lit-mo who said besides Christmas December should be looked upon by all Rotarians as a month of stock taking as to what has been done and what needs to be done in the second half of the Rotary Year.

Rtn Geoff read out the names of visiting Rotarians and we warmly welcomed them.

• Exchange of banner with Rtn Eyup Altayli of RC of Istanbul Topkapi was next followed by greetings to returning Rotarians.

Rtn Tom was back from Cambodia and we warmly welcomed him back to our fold.

No birthday boys, they didn't want their birthday presents mixed with those from Santa.

 Visiting Rotarians on the day of our Christmas Party, i.e. 21st December 1994, were greeted by Rtn Abraham who signed their make-up cards. Thank you, Abraham.

 On-to Chairmen PE John and VPE Hubert are ready with information on the District Conference etc. So if you have questions, they have answers.

A night at the races on Wednesday 4 January i.e. today would be a sell-out said Pres. Leslie
and he wished all racegoers the best of luck.

 Acting Sgt-at-Arms Rtn Matthew reported that this was a time of giving in particular by PP Dave, in honour of his old friend PP Con, Dave gave of \$1,000. Its good to have friends.

• The total contribution for the day was \$3,200 which was a very generous contribution by all present.

PDG Peter gave Rotary information on the Asia Zone 4 Institute Meeting in Penang. More on this elsewhere in the book.

 Next came the speaker for the day PP Con and he gave an interesting and informative address on the proposed privacy law which will come into effect next year.

 Pres Leslie said 'Thanks a lot. Con' (this was the vote of thanks) and then he ended the meeting five minutes early (at 1.55 pm) with a toast to RI coupled with a toast to the Rotary Club of Istanbul Topkapi.



IPDG Moses PDG Peter with PP Anthony, all hardworking 'District Men'.

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#### Asia Zone 4 Institute

The recent Asia Zone 4 Institute convened by R.I. Director In-Sang Song, was held in Penang early last month with a total of well over 400 participants from eleven countries and geographical areas, viz., Bangladesh, Brunei, Indonesia, Hong Kong Korea, Macau, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Taiwan and Thailand.

District 3450 sent a delegation of 28 Rotarians and spouses plus friends to take part.

A Zone Institute is a yearly event, designed for past, current and future R.I. officers to discuss the policies of R.I. Other participants are considered as observers.

During the Institute a Rotary Foundation session was included. General discussion of R.I. policies, such as nomination of directors of R.I. and orientation of DGNs (chaired by President-Elect Herbert Brown) were also scheduled. It also touched upon group discussions of Community Concerns, Membership Development, as well as Environment, Aids and Epidemics.

Fellowship gatherings were most frequent, ranging from breakfasts, lunches and dinners to conclude this 3-day affair.

One item of interest is the realignment of Zones. According to the proposed Enactment (95-91), Asia Zone 4, composed of all the countries and areas as mentioned before, will be rezoned to several Zones. For example, Hongkong/Macau, Taiwan will group with Southern Japan, making a total of eleven districts, viz.,

The six Districts in Southern Japan are Tokushima, Fukuoka, Hiroshima, Oita, Miyazaki and Saga.

The main idea of realignment of the present 31 Zones into 34 Zones is to have each zone with an approximately equal number of Rotarians, so each Zone could nominate a director each four years. It would also enlarge the nominating committee for President accordingly and would eliminate the 6 designated regions which are widely disparate in the number of Rotarians. After the realignment, each zone will have about 35,000 members.

Unfortunately, Bangladesh is grouped with India which makes them most unhappy. R.I. Director, In-Sang Song will see to it whether Bangladesh could be grouped with another country. Other announcements are the change of names in the Foundation Programme, viz.,

- 1) General Fund to Annual Programme Fund
- 2) Endowment for World Understanding to Permanent Fund
- 3) PolioPlus no change

It was also confirmed that Rotary extension into Mongolia has been passed by the R.I. Board and a Charter will soon be granted to the first Rotary Club of Ulaan Baatar.

Finally, District 3450 is entrusted by the R.I. Board to hold the next Rotary Zone Institute in Hong Kong from 7th to 9th December 1995. This is the second time that Hong Kong will hold a Rotary Institute. The last one was held here in February 1979.

#### Visiting Rotarians

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Last week's speaker and visiting Rotarians with Pres Leslie and

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香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

#### This Week Programme

Dr Simon Siu 'Problems of Middle Aged Men in HK'

#### Next Week Programme

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(Probably-how to solve last week's problems! or-how to deal with depression!)

#### Last Week's Speaker

What is Autism? by Dr T P Ho



Dr T P Ho

I would like you to know about a peculiar childhood psychiatric disorder — autism. The disorder is peculiar not only in some of its fascinating clinical features; the intense research interests it receives is disproportional to the rarity of the illness. The prevalence rate of autism is estimated to be around 10 per 10,000. Yet the amount of research in autism far exceeds other types of childhood psychiatric disturbances. A very respectable journal is wholly dedicated to the study of autism. To understand this paradox, we need to appreciate what makes autism so fascinating.

In 1943, an American psychiatrist Leo Kanner described 11 children he saw in the course of 5 years. His vivid description of the 'fascinating peculiarities' of what he called Autism became a milestone in the scientific literature. Professor Kanner coined the word 'autism' because he believed these children had normal intelligence but had actively withdrawn into their rich fantasy life. He observed that many of these children had cold, rigid and "refrigerator-like" mothers and he believed this could be one of the causes of autism. Research in the past 50 years has lead us to understand that the term 'autism' is ironic, because the relative absence of creativity and fantasy constitutes one of the cardinal features of what we nowadays call autism. The "cold and refrigerator-like" mothers are probably the result of having an extremely aloof autistic child rather the cause of it.

The current concept of Autism refers to 3 big groups of symptom complexs usually noticed before age of 36 months. They are impaired development in social interaction and communication and restrictive repertoire of interests and activities. Manifestations of the disorder vary greatly depending on the developmental level and chronological age of the individual.

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Impairment in reciprocal social interaction refers to perference to solitary play, little interest in establishing friendship, lack of spontaneous seeking to share enjoyment with others, and lack of emotional reciprocity. They usually do not respond to their names, do not make eye contacts, dislike being cuddled. When an autistic child 'mixes' with other children, he may run about in the periphery while the normal children may share toys in the inner circle. When his mother weeps bitterly, the autistic child may stare at his mother with extraordinary interest, not a bit of distress, as if he has discovered a new species of dinosaur.

Impairment in communication refers to delay, or total lack of, development of language. A disturbance in the comprehension of language may be evidenced by an inability to understand a simple question, direction, or jokes. Many of them cannot even utter a word by age of 5. When speech does develop, the pitch, intonation, rhythm, or stress may be abnormal. Their tone of voice may be monotonous or contain questionlike rises at the ends of statements. Autistic individuals have particular difficulties in mastering pronouns. When they say "you want an apple", they may actually mean "I want an apple". They may echo what people say or

repetitively utter stereotyped statements.

Knowing that autistic individuals usually have multiple deficits, it should become clear that they are not talented persons. First, approximately 75% of autistic children are mentally retarded. Second, autistic individuals are more difficult to teach than those with mental handicaps because of their active refusal to be interfered with and obsession for sameness. Third, even for those in the minority who can afford some meaningful speech and have normal intelligence, follow-up studies revealed that only half of them can lead an independent life. Contrary to the beliefs of Professor Kanner, research in the past 2 decades has shown clearly that psychological or psychosocial stressors do not lead to autism. There is overwhelming evidence that autism has major biological roots. If you have an autistic sib, the chance you may suffer from autism is 50 times higher than the general population. If one of twins has autism, the chance that the other twin has autism approaches 50%. Brain damage around the time of birth is associated with autism for those who are genetically predisposed. Moreover, wide ranges of medical conditions, including some with structural brain abnormalities, has been linked with autism.

How can we help autistic individuals? A comprehensive assessment of the child and his or her family is an obvious necessity. Parents should be well-informed of the meaning and implication of the diagnosis. Emotional support to the parents at this juncture is often required. Training of autistic individuals is often not a cheap or easy endeavour. First, to counteract their preference of aloneness, there must be a high staff-patient ratio to provide regular structured social interactions. Second, autistic individuals have multiple deficits which often require a multi-disciplinary team to deal with. Third, autism is a developmental disorder which means training is often necessarily long-term. Fourth, no medication has been proved to be a specific cure for autism. Fifth, one needs a specially designed training programme with

strong emphasis on behavioural modification, teaching according to development levels and training of parents as co-therapists.

I hope I have, very roughly, outlined to you the essence of autism.

Rtn Tony in thanking our speaker said Dr Ho had indeed given us a fascinating insight into this disorder and all presents gave Dr Ho a resounding round of applause for a most interesting and informative talk.



DG Lit Mo PDGs Peter & Moses with other District Officers and PPs who made up the D3450 Beijing 1994 delegation. (See page 3)

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#### Official visit by D.3450 to Beijing, 22-24 Nov. 94

Since taking office on 1st July 1994, our D.G., Liu Lit Mo launched a China Flooding Relief project by sending a 12-man delegation, including himself as leader, to Zhanjiang, Guangdong Province to deliver donation materials to the people and officials of the Zhanjiang Municipal Government.

It was a successful start, as over one million Hongkong dollars has been collected from D. 3450 including \$130,000 from our own club. Similar projects of its kind have been carried out by individual clubs in the past. Our club has also been offering help in the PRC in educational and vocational service.

D.G. Lit Mo thought it was the right time to make an official visit by the District to meet the top leaders in China to formally introduce Rotary to them.

The delegation was led by D.G. Lit Mo with PP Tommy Wan, the Coordinator of the district task force on service in the PRC, as Deputy Leader. PP Jason Yeung, the District Secretary, acted as Secretary General to the delegation. PDG Peter Hall and IPDG Moses Cheng were invited to be advisers. The delegation comprised 16 Rotarians, viz., DGN Vincent To, PP Y.K. Cheng, PP Franklin Sham, PP Stanley Mok, PP Ronald Lu, PP John Sze, PP Anthony Hung, PP Solomon Lee, Pres. Lam Hon Chung, Pres. Tsang Shu Cheung and Pres. Raymond Ng.

Rotary International is not yet recognized in the PRC and the meeting with senior officers of the Government had to be in the format of a dinner meeting at the Diaoyutai State Guest House. The dinner was attended by 10 senior leaders from the PRC Government including

Mr. Wang Guang Ying, Vice-Chairman, Standing Committee of the National People's Congress;

Mr. Lu Ping, Director, Hong Kong & Macau Affairs Office;

Mr. Chen Min Zhang, Minister of Health;

Mr Yan Ming Fu, Vice Minister, Ministry of Civil Affairs;

Ms Liu Yandong, Deputy Head of United Front Work Dept. of the CPC Committee;

Mr. Wang Qiren, Chairman, Bank of China;

Mr. Xiang Nan, President of the Foundation for the Underdeveloped Regions

Mr. Wu Jie, Vice Chairman, State Commission for Restructuring the Economic Systems;

Mr. Don Zu Bei, Vice President, Standing Committee on the Strait Relationship;

Mr. Huang Yiyu, Division Chief, The Third Bureau of United Front Work Development of the CPC Central Committee.

Views were exchanged over the dining table. Mr. Wang Guang Ying, who had been in Hong Kong for 8 years, spoke about and acknowledged the good works of Rotary. He told the gathering that he had been a member of the Rotary Club of Tientsin. Mr. Lu Ping reaffirmed what he had said at our District Conference in Shenzhen last year. The gist is "....I wish Rotary continuing growth and success after 1997."

The next day, the delegation visited the United Front Work Dept. of the CPC Central Committee and were received by Ms Liu Yangdong, Deputy Head of the Dept. and her colleagues D.G. Lit Mo explained the non-political and non-religious organization to her and handed over an information package prepared by D.3450.

Later in the afternoon, the group visited the Ministry of Civil Affairs and were warmly received by Mr. Yan Mingfu and his officers. Lengthy discussions were held about Rotary service in the PRC in the past as well as at the present time and touched on the reinstatement of Rotary in China. The delegation was given to understand that similar to all Non Government Organizations which have a foreign affiliation, Rotary cannot establish clubs in the PRC due to the lack of the necessary legal frame work, such as legislation to regulate its registration. Such Legislation is the course of being drafted. Once the legislation is enacted by the People's Congress, Rotary can establish clubs in the PRC.

Arrangements were made for the delegation to pay a visit to the Hong Kong & Macau Affairs Office of the State Council. They received by Mr. Wang Feng Chao, its Deputy Director and his team. They were thanked for the disaster relief work performance by our district in PRC and particularly, for the villages which we helped to rebuild. This department has a better

understanding of Rotary Service and promised to offer support to our work.

#### Observer

• It was 1:27 pm when Pres. Leslie got us underway for the 26th meeting of this Rotary year.

Pres Leslie asked 'Rtn Patrick Connor to please introduce our visiting Rotarians' as this
was a standard weekly occurrence in the past. He welcomed Patrick who is now with RC
Singapore, to our meeting.

PDG Dr. Charles Saunders, who was a DG in 1970/71, was also warmly welcomed by Pres

Leslie.

• Rtn David III read out the names of our visiting Rotarians. David did so in fine style. There were no guests of Rotarians at last week's meeting.

 Exchange of banners was next, and we received a banner from Rtn Kypres from Limassol Amathesia, Cyprus and an IOU from PDG Charles.

 A welcome back was accorded to PP Jack from Penang and he looked fit and well after his brief festive season holiday.

Jack was also our 'birthday boy' and he requested PP Sam to lead us in the birthday song. 'For our best singer', we gave an excellent rendition of this favourite.

 Announcements were next and we were very sad to learn that that excellent Rotarian PP Chan Soo was leaving us at month end. A farewell party will be held on Saturday night, 14 January 1995 for a very special man who gave us sterling service. We shall miss Chan Soo very much indeed.

 PDG Peter was next and he presented PP Con with the Paul Harris Fellow regalia for Con's wife, Carlye Tsui Conway JP who is a main board member of Zonta International! This PH

Fellowship was in celebration of Con's 25 years as a member of our club.

 Our splendid Sgt at Arms Rtn Tommy said we had 40 members present and these generous Rotarians had provided our club with the princely sum of \$2,620 in donations. The list of donors was long with excellent contributions from the usual fine supporters.

 Rotary Information from IPP Tim was on the subject of the RI Council on Legislation which PDG Peter will attend at Caracas, Venezuela on behalf of our District. We are very much blessed in having Peter as our District representative at major Rotary Forums.

• Rtn Kenneth introduced our speaker for the day Dr. T.P. Ho who spoke to us on 'What is Autism?'. A most interesting talk delivered in a very informative manner.

 A late announcement from Pres Leslie was that we must pay \$190 for our luncheon after 1 February 1995. This sum was agreed upon after thorough negotiation by PP Andrew.

Monday is a Board Meeting session said Pres Leslie and members may attend as observers. He asked those intending to be present

to advise Sec. Gary ASAP.

 A letter from the RC of Kawasaki South had advised us that they will celebrate their 35th Anniversary on Friday 28 April 1995 and it is agreed that we will have a delegation there. More details later.

 Final business was next week's speaker, another eminent medical practitioner and the subject is a depressing one.

 The usual toast was the final item and it was to Rotary International coupled with the RC Capetown.

The meeting was closed by Pres Leslie at 2 pm prompt.

### Visiting Rotarians

Richard Sedgwick
PDG Dr Charles Saunders
PP Kypros Neophytou
Derek Dickins
Patrick Connor
Gordon Chen
Ricky Fung

#### Clubs

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#### This Week Programme

Mr Dan Jones Human Rights -- Can the Business Community afford to be indifferent?

Next Week's Programme TBA

#### Last Week's Speaker

Dr. Simon Siu



Dr Simon Siu

We were pleased to welcome last week Dr Simon Siu, a Private Psychiatrist and Honorary Clinical lecturer of the Chinese University of Hong Kong, as our distinguished speaker.

Our previously held view, that his subject 'Problems of Successful Middle Aged Men in Hong Kong', would be a depressing one, was shown to be a false one as Dr. Siu pointed out in a very warm, interesting and informative

Many successful middle aged men in Hong Kong (defined as age 37-45) have problems, said Dr. Siu. They may be quite competent at their jobs, and appear to be normal in their everyday actions, but many men of this age group carry heavy psychological burdens. Their families depend on them, their parents depend on them, their employees and co-workers depend on them. They are mid-career, and often feel pressure from older bosses and younger competition. This load of pressure and stress requires some form of outlet.

Sometimes these problems can be handled by talking with a friend, pastor or counselor. But often men deny they have problems until they become dysfunctional and their work or family life is impaired. In Hong Kong today, the middle aged man is least likely to consult with a professional, yet his needs are equal or greater than others to readily seek help.

Dr. Siu urged middle aged men to recognise the signs of stress arising from their activities in pursuing the goals forced upon them by family, profession

When matters become untenable Dr. Siu recommends that professional help is sought or, if this proves difficult, advice and counsel is acquired from male friends of a similar age or older.

At least one should not hold the view that this feeling of being unable to cope with these very real demands is unique rather the view should be that it is Continued on page 2 fairly normal and can be dealt with successfully.

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Analysing the causes of these stressful occurences and dealing with them in a calm, relaxed manner with support from a friend or friends will lead to a better understanding of how best to cope and return to a feeling of well being.

We asked Dr. George Leung, our very calm, collected and relaxed PP, to give a vote of thanks

to Dr. Siu and George, as ever, rose to the occasion.

Male guests and members present gave Dr. Siu a resounding and relieved round of applause for making us all feel that we are just normal after all.

The 45 years plus members were seen to be very smug in their realisation that some of our younger members were worrying themselves unnecessarily.

### ROTARY CLUB OF KAWASAKI SOUTH

川崎南ロータリークラブ

C/O Nichivo Bld. 7-2 Enoki-Cho, Kawasaki-Ku, Kawasaki-City, Kanagawa, Japan.

Dear Pres Leslie,

I would like to express my gratitude for your inviting me to your memorable ceremony successfully held on April 16, 1994. We appreciate your hospitality and we are pleased to strengthen the relationship with your Rotary Club. We taped the ceremony and we watched the tape during a regular meeting. After watching, most of our members applauded because your ceremony was marvelous. We are convincd that your Rotary Club will continue to have prosperity in the future. By the way, the Rotary year 1994-1995 is the 35th anniversary of our Rotary Club. In order to celebrate our 35th anniversary, an executive committee has been organized and we are preparing for the ceremony. To enhance our relationship,

organized and we are preparing for the ceremony. To enhance our relationship, could you please kindly ask your club members to participate in our anniversary ceremony.

Our ceremony will be held on April 18, 1995 at the Kawasaki Nikko Hotel. The ceremony will start at 16:30 hrs. We hope that you will all enjoy your stay in Japan. For this reason, Rtn Toshio Inokuma is in charge of arranging your travel plans and he will also deliver information about our ceremony. If you have any questions or if you are facing any trouble, please do not hestiate to contact him.

His address, telephone number and fax number are:

Rtn Toshio Inokuma

2-11 Ogawa-cho Kawasaki-ku Kawasaki-City Kanagawa, Japan.

Telephone number: 81-44-222-4661 Fax number: 81-44-222-4643

> Yours in Rotary Seiji Shinohara Chairman 35th Anniversary Ceremony

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At 1.20 pm Pres Leslie opened last week's meeting with a very warm welcome to PP Rockford Zee, District Governor's Group Representative and PP Naoyoshi Eguchi of our sister club Kawasaki South. He also said it was good to see Charter Member Rtn Emperor with us.

Rtn KT then introduced our visiting Rotarians and he asked members to introduce their

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A welcome back salutation was given to Rtns Kurt and Alistair. Pres. Leslie hoped they had done their 'make-ups'.

Birthday boy last week was PP YK and he asked PP Sam (basso profundo) to lead us in the birthday song. We responded well and we all wish PP YK (FIPDG) many more of them.

- PDG Peter had a pleasant duty to perform which was to present a Paul Harris Fellow plaque to Rtn KT Pang. Thank you KT for your support of the Foundation. It is much appreciated.
- An announcement from PP Eguchi was next and this was on the subject of the 35th Anniversary of Kawasaki South, our sister Rotary Club. We give details elsewhere in the

VPE Hubert was unanimously elected as our 'On to Kawasaki' Chairman.

A further announcement on the subject of the District Conference was made by VPE Hubert.

Acting Sgt-at-Arms Rtn Henry Luy announced that we had donated an excellent total of \$2,540 last week. In particular PP YK, our birthday boy, was most generous as indeed were all present. Many thanks.

Our attendance figure was 36 members present which is about 50%. Not bad but not good. If you missed out please make up as our attendance figure is dropping.

Rtn Kenneth introduced our speaker Dr. Simon Siu who spoke on the . . . interesting? ... depressing? subject of 'Problems of Middle Aged Men in Hong Kong'.

Dr Siu gave us a very informative talk in which he made observations on the hopes, needs and limitations of middle aged men in Hong Kong.

Dr. Siu was witty, charming and then serious, as a speaker and he held his audience in rapt attention throughout his talk.

PP Dr George had the honour of proposing the vote of thanks to Dr. Siu and Rotarians and guests responded with a fine round of applause

We were running a little over time so Pres Leslie was unable to allow questions of Dr. Siu whew! these could have been embarrassing to the youngsters aged between 37-45 years.

Rtn Kenneth said our speaker this week is Mr Dan Jones and the subject 'Human Rights and the Business Community'. We'll be on much safer ground.

Pres Leslie ended the meeting at 2:10 pm with a toast to Rotary International coupled with a toast to the RC Kawasaki South.



Pres. Leslie with last week's speaker, Visiting Rotarians and Visitors and the chief, PDG Peter.



PP Naoyoshi Eguchi invites us to RC Kawasaki South's 35th Anniversary

#### Visiting Rotarians

PP Naoyoshi Eguchi Rtn Olga Parry Rtn Richard Rtn Frank Chen PP Rockford Zee

#### Clubs

Kawasaki South Wanchai HKIW HKIW HKNE

#### **Visitors**

Mr Marvin Chen Mr Simon Wong Dr. Jacqueline Stack

#### Hosts

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Our 41st Year of Rotary Service

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#### Why classifications?

"The question is often asked, 'Why do Rotary clubs limit membership to one person from each distinct business or profession?' Because our experiment has proved in operation that it makes for congenial fellowship, obviates business and professional jealousies, encourages mutual helpfulness, stimulates pride in the dignity of one's occupation, and broadens one's mind and sympathy with regard to the accomplishments and problems of other occupations."

— Paul Harris

#### Rotary celebrates 90 years

On 23 February 1905, a cold, wintry day in Chicago, Illinois, USA, the Rotary seed was planted. That was the day young lawyer Paul Harris met with three friends — Gustavus Loehr, Silvester Schiele and Hiram Shorey — with the idea of starting a club to foster small-town fellowship in the big city and to build a business network.

Nearly a century later, the Rotary movement, far broader in scope than its founder ever dreamed, thrives in thousands of cites across the globe.

On 23 February 1995, Rotary celebrates its 90th birthday. We are encouraged to observe this milestone with a special club activity or event — such as a window display in a down-town business or storefront — that will make our community aware of our long and important history of service. Please share any ideas you may have for such a commemoration.

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# TUNG FENG

香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

#### This Week's Programme

'Wine Appreciation' Mr George Wong

Next Week's Programme

#### Last Week's Speaker

Mr. Dan Ewyn Jones Amnesty International



Mr. Dan Ewyn Jones

Our speaker last week was a former special schools teacher, community and youth worker and currently is Amnesty International's Campaign Director. Amnesty International is the world biggest human rights organisation. Formed in 1961, it is impartial, independent and non-political (just like Rotary -- Ed). Its motto is an allegedly-Chinese proverb "better to light one candle than curse the darkness" and its logo is a candle burning inside a barbed wire coil.

AI has found that public pressure is a good method of inducing change in despotic regimes but it is usually slow, and most of AI's projects are very long term. Acknowledging this does not hamper them in urgent cases where the life of a victim is at stake. Then special procedures come into play. However, they never invite sanctions, boycotts or embargoes, preferring instead a non-confrontational, soft approach. They work to get the ear of the public and bring problems to the attention of governments.

They will take on the case of any prisoner of conscience who has never advocated violence. They seek an end to execution, torture and other cruel treatment, the forcible return of refugees and exile. They work against "repression trade" in such items as gallows and leg irons.

Running their research department alone takes 14 million sterlings a year, but despite that, all their funds are from private donations, never governments. Pop stars, banks and other businesses, the theatre, all support their work. There is a human rights education charitable trust in Hong Kong.

Cases worked on by the Hong Kong section include those in Burma, Indonesia and Korea.

Dan's excellent talk was given a vote of thanks by Rtn. Dick and members and guests gave Dan a resounding round of applause.

#### Spectator

- The 28th meeting began at 1:16 with Prez Lez reminding us what a miserable day it was. Well thanks Lezzz, but at least it wasn't raining.
- Rtn Howe introduced the visiting Rotarians and guests -- very few last week. No-one even
  wanted to stand up and take a banner, though Rtn. Alastair did hand one in that he brought
  back from the Vidalia Club of Georgia after his long absence, broken the week before last.
- Welcomed back last week once again, was Rtn Tom B. from Cambodia . . . again. The bullet holes are mending well and he hardly even notices the . . . well enough of that. The ever-jovial PP T.K. was back from Northern Somewhere too -- Hooray.
- Birthday boys crowded to the front in droves last week (well a drove of three) as we sang to PP T.K. (again?), Rtn Alastair and Rtn. Henry II. PP George was called on to sing and did a bit of sharp manoeuvring to gain reinforcements from Rtn Joseph. Then he delegated. I kid you not, he then delegated starting off the birthday song to Joseph as well. Should have been a CEO not a dentist!
- President Leslie told us how pleasant a farewell party they had enjoyed the Saturday before at the Jockey Club's Fortune Room when PP Chan Soon's departure was marked. Fortune Room was right, what good fortune it has been for HK Island East to have had Chan Soo as a member and Past President, and what bad fortune it is now that we are to lose him. Though a Rotarian for more years that he dares admit, PP Chan Soo says that HKIE is the Club with which he has had the longest association -- nine years, "not counting" three years back in the lat seventies. Not counting? Why ever not? Thanks are due to PP Jack "NZ" Lau for making the arrangements.
- The President then spoke about Ulaan Baatar, passing on PDG Peter's message found elsewhere in Tung Feng and went on to tell us of a correction to a typographical gremlin that crept into this august journal (translation: the Club Bulletin) last week: The ceremony at Kawasaki South will be held on April 28th.
- IPP Tim gave us Rotary information last week. Not surprisingly for an accountant (all right Tim, a Senior Partner), it was all about money. Last year Rotary International apparently rejoiced in a surplus of US\$9.7 million and so they're going to give every Rotarian US\$9.42 and get rid of it. No, just kidding, they are trying to build up reserves to 100% of operating costs and they stand at just 69% now, so we shall have to pay our RI dues after all. The surplus in 94/95 is expected to be US\$4.2 million.
- What is not in surplus, however, is our membership account. The end of 1994 saw us loose three members and we know that two more are leaving soon. Soon the roster may drop below sixty for the first time in living memory. Our President's cry at the beginning of his Rotary Year was for everyone to try to introduce a new member each. We didn't do it fellas. Now's the time.
- Ken Wong gave a spirited introduction to our speaker, Dan Ewyn Jones and Dick Lister thanked him.
- The closing toast was to the new Rotary Club of Ulaan Bataar, Mongolia. Just whose daughter club is that anyway? And which district is it in? We think we should be told.

#### Sergeant-at-Arms Hon. Rtn. Gerald's report

\$100 donations lat week were recorded from Rama, Kenneth, Flicker, Pres. Leslie, PP Dave, Henry II, PP Andrew, Roy, Geoff II, Hubert, Francis, PP T.K., Kenny, Henry and a parting \$500 from PP Chan Soo.

#### Extra . . . Extra

What is it that you have to read all about?

The second most senior Rotary Club in the territory viz. the Rotary Club of Kowloon will hold its Thursday luncheon meetings at the Peninsula Hotel, Salisbury Road, Kowloon from now on.

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## From PDG Peter to Pres Leslie Soltay R/C of HK Island East

18th January 1995

Dear Leslie,

I am pleased to inform you that the Provisional Rotary Club of Ulaan Baatar in Mongolia was admitted as a member of R.I. on 10th January 1995.

The regular luncheon meetings of the club are on Wednesdays and they meet at the Bayangol

Hotel in Ulaan Baatar. The charter ceremony will be held on 6th May 1995. PP Franklin Sham of the R.C. of Shatin, Hong Kong, has been appointed as R.I. Presidential Extension Administrator to nurse the new club.

I suggested that you propose a toast to the R/C of Ulaan Baatar at the end of our luncheon meeting to-day. Just for your information, a club banner of HKIE was presented to their President Boshight at the provisional meeting held last year.



Mongolia -- welcome to Rotary

#### Letter from the Great Rotarian

January 18, 1995 Pres. Leslie Soltay Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East,

Dear Leslie,

The memento containing signatures of most of fellow Rotarians of Hong Kong Island East together with a framed banner of our Club which we received at the farewell party held at the Fortune Room on January 14, 1995 will certainly bring back memories of the fine fellowship and friendship which both Wai Ying and I have enjoyed in the many years that we were privileged to be associated with Island East.

I would be thankful if you would be kind enough to convey to the Board my application to remain as a member of Island East till the end of June 1995 to allow me time to establish my contact with Rotary in Malaysia, needless to add that meantime our Club will grant me leave of absence. I will endeavour to make-up my attendance as far as I can.

With best wishes for the continued success of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East. Yours in Rotary.

Chan Soo (you are a Grand Man PP Chan Soo -- we'll miss you greatly.)

### Visiting Rotarians

Rtn. John Mallins -- R.C. of Hong Kong Rtn. Dick Sedgwick -- R.C. of Hong Kong Rtn. Shirley Chung -- R.C. of HK Harbour Rtn. Charles Tam -- R.C. of HK Harbour Rtn. Amy Chan -- R.C. of Queensway

Rtn. Fritz Sommerau -- R.C. of Kowloon Rtn. Benny Ratnani -- R.C. of HK North East

Rtn. Fiona Lee -- R.C. of Admiralty

#### Guests of Rotarians

Annie Cheung -- guest of the club and accompanying our Speaker, Dan Jones

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#### Stop Press

Some of our more discerning members were quick to note the deliberate mistake in last week's Tung Feng viz the date of the 35th Anniversary of the RC Kawasaki South. The 'gremlin' said 18 April 1995 whilst we all know its 28th April 1995. Our apologies. Please respond to VPE Hubert's missive and sign up for this very important occasion.



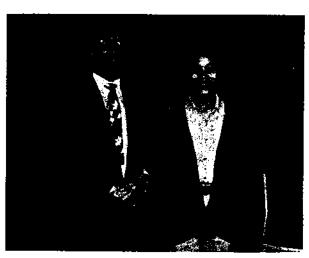
Last week's line up of visiting Rotarians and guests

#### RCHKIE/Bunny Wang Bursary

Pres Leslie presented Ms Jessica Kong Manpui with a RCHKIE/Bunny Wang Bursary award at a recent Hong Kong Polytechnic University Bursary Tea Reception.

Jessica is a 1st year student in the Poly University B Sc. Radiography (OR) programme.

We wish Jessica well in her studies and are pleased that we could assist her through the award of this bursary.



Pres Leslie and Jessica

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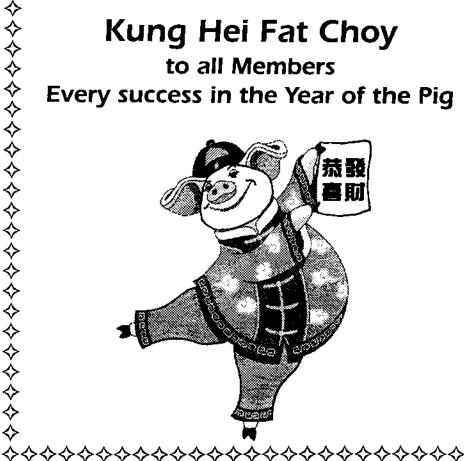
### This Week's Programme

'A Well Kept Secret'

### Next Week's Programme

Mr Lew Young Manager Mai Po Nature Reserve 'Hong Kong's Wetland Park'





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#### Previous Meeting's Speaker

The speaker at our meeting a fortnight ago was an urbane expert on wines, Mr George Wong.

George spoke on a subject dear to most of the members and guests present 'Wine Apreciation'.

George told us that by the end of his talk we would know more about:

- 1. Vines and the grape varieties
- 2. Wine and our health
- 3. How much wine one can consume in one day
- 4. How to taste wine and
- 5. Table manners when drinking wine

The following is a synopis of his talk

#### The Origin of the Vine

The vine is one of the oldest cultivated plants. Man learned how to turn vine into wine very early in history and since then wine has played a very important role in all great events. Apart from personal consumption, wine is used in almost all social occasions, festivals and religious ceremonies.

Wine probably originated in Persia. The Egyptians, Greeks and Romans preferred thick wines high in alcohol, generally highly spiced and always diluted with water. Wine is mentioned in the Bible at least 521 times.

#### How the vine is grown

The vine begins growing in Spring at a temperature of about 10 C. The buds begin to burst. Then leaves and branches begin to grow.

During May and June, flowering and fertilization occur. Berries are formed during a few days following the end of flowering. The berries develop during the months of July and August. When the grapes are ripe, harvesting begins. The stage of maturity is characterized by an accumulation of sugars in the juice of the grape, a reduction in acidity, and the development of each variety's unique aroma.

The period between the flowering and ripening period is generally 90 to 100 days.

#### How wine is made

Vinification is the process of converting fresh grapes, pressed to juice, through fermentation, turned into wine. Alcoholic fermentation is the principal phase. This is a natural phenomenon during which the sugars contained in the juice are converted into alcohol by the action of microorganisms called yeasts. Although alcohol is quantitively the main product of fermentation, other substances synthesized by the yeasts or present in the grapes are of prime importance to the quality and style of wine. Oenological research has, moreover, revealed the existance of several hundred other constituents of wine including vitamins, minerals, salts and esters.

Wine making differs according to the type of the wine such as red wines, dry white wines, rose wines, sparkling wines, sweet wines, natural sweet wines and liqueur wines.

#### The Grape Varieties

In 1935, the varieties which produce the great French appellations were listed as 136 by the Institut National des Apellations d'Origin (INAO). However, there are several thousands of grape varieties in Europe.

Each grape variety has its own characteristic which causes it to adapt to the environment, such as soil, climate. They also vary from pruning and training of the vine. A single vine variety cultivated in different localities will produce different wines. Further more, each grape type contributes its own aromas and flavours to the wine.

The suitability of grape to environment determines the quality and style of wine produced. Careful observations made by growers over the centuries have resulted in the selection of the most suitable grapes for each region, such as cabernet sauvignon and merlot in Bordeaux and chardonnay in Burgundy.



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Why Do We Drink Wine?

In recorded history, wine was said to be a cure for all ills. Nevertheless, modern research has revealed that some constituents of wine can prevent certain diseases, thus supporting the theories formerly held by popular medicine.

Wine, if consumed in reasonably quantity, is a healthy beverage, it can provide a protective effect on the blood vessels, militate against the increase of cholesterol and it has blessings of improving circulation and digestion, in as much as adding vitality and variety to our daily life.

How much Wine You May Consume A Day?

A wine consists 80% biologically pure water, drawn directly from the soil by the vine. The alcoholic content of wine varies between 8.5 to 15%, according to the process of operation and the type of wine. Others include some residual sugar, tannins, aromatic substances, nutrients which includes amino-acids, proteins and vitamins C, B1 B2, PP, and B12.

The average alcoholic content of brandy in the market place is 40%. Others like, liqueurs are between 15 to 22%.

According to physiology the human liver can take away 1 gram of alcohol from 100 grams (1 kg) of body weight a day. If you are fit and healthy, carrying 60 kg, you may safely enjoy 60 grams of alcoholic drink per day.

If the alcoholic content of a normal bottle of wine (750 ml) is 10%, the total alcoholic content in a bottle is approximately 59 grams. That is to say, you may safely consume a bottle of wine a day.

How To Taste A Wine

Wine tasting uses 3 senses: Sight, Smell and Taste

Sight

The appearance of the wine must be assessed: its colour, clarity, density and brillance.

Smell

This means the perception of using the sense of smell of the odours, that is the bouquet and the aroma of a wine. Over 500 aromatic substances have been detected in wine.

Odours are expressed through volatile substances, and it is therefore important to smell the wine twice.

Smell the wine without swirling the glass; the odour then perceived is the "first nose" of the wine.

Smell the wine after very gently swirling the glass, the odours then perceived represent the "second nose" of the wine.

**Taste** 

Wine aromas are also perceptible when the wine is in the mouth. The taste buds on the tongue distinguish four basic tastes: sweet, salt, bitter and acidity.

Sweetness - when the wine is placed in the mouth, the tip of the tongue will react if it is sweet; this explains why sweetness is often the first thing to become apparent.

Salt - middle of the tongue.

Bitterness - middle of the tongue towards the back.

Acidity - the sides of the tongue, towards the back.

When wine is in the mouth it is also possible to detect tactile qualities, such as astringency, roundness and suppleness. Tannin is mainly detected on the gums.

Table Manners

Wines have colours of very varied shades, the colour of the tablecloth on which the wine glass stands is therefore important. A dark cloth will detract from the true preception of the colour of the wine. A white, rose-pink or salmon-pink cloth is more appropriate.

The glasses themselves crucially influence the appearance of the table as well as the pleasure obtained from tasting and drinking the wine.

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ced. the and The ideal tasting glass should have the following features:

- 1. The glass should be thin, colourless and transparent to display the colour of the wine.
- 2. The sides should curve inwards, giving a slightly narrower top so that the aromas are concentrated at the top of the glass.
- 3. The capacity should be fairly large so that a reasonable quantity of wine can be served without filling the glass more that two-thirds full.
- 4. Glasses should have a stem at least four to five centimetres long so that it will be unnecessary to handle the bowl of the glass. The wine will thus not be warmed by the hand and its colour can still be appreciated.

If possible, a separate glass should be placed on the table for each type of wine and arranged in decreasing order of size from left to right, with a glass of water on the extreme left.

It is better not to serve several wines in the same glass, as the fragrance and traces of one may spoil the taste of the next. It is also wise to leave some wine in each glass, so that you may compare each wine at a later stage.

The ideal temperature for sweet wines, sparkling and champagne is 6 and 8 C. Dry white wines and roses between 8 and 12 C. Light red wines, round and fruity, are best appreciated at the temperature of 12 to 14 C. For richer and more full-bodied red wines, these should be served at room temperature between 15 and 18C.

Usually, young wines are served cooler than aged wines.

#### Farewell Dinner

PP Chan Soo's farewell dinner was well attended -- we shall miss this fine Rotarian. We have a few pics of the occasion. The presentation, of a banner surrounded by signatures of members, by Pres. Leslie and Chan Soo with the ladies and the gentlemen.





#### Visiting Rotarians

Rtn Rudy Cannon Rtn Ralph Cooper Rtn Allan Wong Rtn Wendy Gan IPP Ram Tolani Rtn Lal Hardasani

#### Clubs

Uvalde, Texas Peninsula Taipei Queensway Wanchai Peninsula

#### **Visitors**

Ms Marion Koa Mr. Philip Lo Rtnne Ina Mrs Wong Mr George Wong Mr. Marvin Chen Dr. Kellenberger

#### Hosts

Pres. Leslie Pres. Leslie Rtn Allan Rtn Allan Rtn Ken Rtn KT PP Ram Tolani

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#### This Week's Programme

Mr Lew Young Manager Mai Po Nature Reserve 'Hong Kong's Wetland Park'

#### Last Week's Programme

Rtn Kenneth Wong 'Vocational Talk'



Rtn Kenneth Wong

My classification is Edible Oils & Grains - Financial Controller.

I work for the Kerry Group, which is better known for its investments in and management of hotels (the Shangri-La Hotel Chain), property development through Kerry Properties, and the South China Morning Post.

However, the Kerry Group is a very diversified conglomerate with interests in Malaysia, Singapore, Thailand, The Philippines, Australia, and New Zealand to name a few of the countries in which it operates.

In Malaysia the Group has significant investments in the edible oil refining industry, Malaysia is the major producer and exporter of Palm Oil, producing approximately 7 million mt per annum. The Kerry Group through its refineries processes approximately 20% of Malaysia's production.

China has long been a major importer of edible oils, in spite of being a major world producer of oilseed and edible oils. Estimates for 1994 are that China will produce about 76 million metric tons of edible oil but consumes approximately 98 million tons of edible oil.

The nature of the market is also changing.

To understand this you need to understand the edible oil refining process. Crude oil is obtained through the crushing of fruit or oilseeds. But this crude oil will have a lot of impurities and inconsistency in colour and odour. Full refining of oil goes though a series of processes including, for soft oils (such as soyabean and rapeseed oil) a neutralisation process which takes out the acid and gum and then goes through a refining process to remove the odour and make the colour consistent. Completion of these 2 processes results in fully refined oil, similar to that which you consume in Hong Kong when purchasing your cooking oil from a supermarket.

Currently edible oils consumed in China goes through only one stage, the neutralisation and degumming process, and is then packed in drums and sold to provision stores and then sold to consumers. Household consumers still, in many areas, go to their provision store with a bottle to collect and buy their oil for home consumption.

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With the growing affluence of the Chinese and the maturing of the China consumer markets the market is quickly moving to consumption of branded and properly packaged goods.

This means there is a huge market for edible oils.

The Kerry Group has embarked on a major development of this market establishing in excess of 10 edible oil refineries, oil seed crushing plants and food related enterprises. We have a few already operating but many of these are currently under construction.

So to get back to my classification - what do I do? In relation to the edible oils and grains I have spoken about.

My role, is to co-ordinate the financial and reporting matters from a group point of view, that is to ensure that:

- adequate funding is available for a project and at the right time,

- for the construction of new projects, ensure that the appropriate construction budget has been established and monitor the progress of expenditure against its budgets,

 provide management with regular project progress reports, on the construction progress, financial status, and in identify potential problem or delaying issues.

 to ensure that we have adequate accounting and management systems which can provide management with the current operating and financial positions.

- to provide management with an appropriate financial outlook and plan for the oils and grain group to maximise the returns of the business.

So there you have it Edible Oils & Grains - Financial Controller.

Pres. Leslie gave the vote of thanks to Rtn. Kenneth for this interesting and informative vocational talk.

#### 100% Attendance

Pres Leslie was pleased to recognise the following club members as having achieved 100% attendance for the first half of the current 1994/95 Rotary year:

PDG Peter KP Hall

- PP Chan Soo
- PP John Kwok
- Rtn Rube Hausman
- Rtn Vianney Willy-Furth
- Rtn Gary Chiu
- Rtn Rudy Schatts
- Rtn Dvid Wei

• Rtn David Wong and (his ownself) Pres Leslie
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Not too good only 10 staunch Rotarians but there are 10 more who have attendance of between 90 and 99%.

Appeals, if any, to PP John for review; please try to do better in the second half. Congratulations to the terrific ten.

### Letter of Appreciation

LDM Jan. 9, 1995

Dear Friends (Rotary Club HK Island East)

God love you for the love you give and the joy you share through your gift for our Poor. Our gratitude is our prayer for you that God's blessings be with each of you and your families. May it bring new life in the New Year making it deeply contemplative and vibrant with joy by praying together as a family.

God Bless you

Mother Teresa MC

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Rotary Information from PDG Peter

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I have duly rturned to Hongkong on the eve of Chinese New Year from Caracas. Out of the various enactments resolutions, only 32 pieces have been adopted. Listed below are those which effect our clubs' administration.

#20 This enactment will enable Rotarians to make-up attendance within a 14-day period before or after the usual time for a missed meeting instead of the current 7-day period.

#32 This enactment clarifies the provisions by which club membership may be terminated for non-attendance, if members do not observe the following rules:

a) attend or make-up at least 60% of club regular meetings in each half of the Rotary year,b) attend at least 30% of the regular meetings of the home club in each half of the Rotary

year and

c) failure to attend or make-up 4 consecutive meetings without good and sufficient reason. #36. The present system to become a Past Service Member is that a former member whose active membership was terminated because of retirement from active business or professional life shall automatically become a past service member, or may be elected a past service member in another Rotary club provided he has held active membership for 3 or more years or he has attained the age of 55 irrespective of the length of his membership. This newly adopted enactment will provide for any retired person who would have been eligible for Rotary Club membership prior to retirement to be eligible for election to past service membership regardless of age or prior Rotary membership.

#54. This enactment will allow an active member moving from the territorial limits of his club to retain membership provided the member is still active in the same classification and continues to comply with attendance and all other conditions of Rotary membership.

#55. This enactment is to make eligible for club membership individuals who live or work in a community adjoining the territory of his Rotary Club but where no Rotary club exists.

#61. Currently, any person who was member of a Rotaract Club for at least 5 years, whose Rotaract membership was terminated because he reached the age limit for membership is eligible for election to become a member of a Rotary club. This enactment is to reduce the requirement of 5 years to only 4 years.

#75. Currently, only club Presidents-Elect who are present at the District Assembly are entitled to vote when the amount of the District Per Capita levy is considered at that meeting. This enactment allows the designated representative of a club president-elect who is duly excused from attending the District Assembly to vote on that matter in place of the president-elect.

The most controversial enactment #95-91 for re-zoning purpose was adopted with amendment, and our new zone now consists of the following countries + geographical areas: viz District 3450 Hong Kong Macau; Districts 3460, 3470, 3480 & 3490 Taiwan; Districts 2670, 2700, 2710 2720 & 2730 Southern Japan - Tokusuma, Fukuoka, Hiroshima, Oita, Miyazaki, Saga. The above enactments & resolutions will come into effect from 1st July 1995, unless there is a challenge by 10% of Rotary Clubs worldwide; which seems very unlikely.

Card received from Rotaractor Lewis Ling, Rotaract Club of Hong Kong Island East (slightly paraphrased)

Dear Pres Leslie,

You may not exactly know who I am, but I guess you may have heard my name -- Lewis Ling, the one you sponsored at the "RYLA" Camp.

RYLA gave me a great chance to meet friends. (It) is quite an ideal environment to knowing friends, building friendship; we all had a great experience every second. Being a Rotaractor, a RYLAian, I will pass the message "Be a Friend" to everybody I know and hope to give them a chance for the coming '96 RYLA Camp.

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#### Observer

- At 1:20 pm Pres Leslie got the meeting last week underway with a Kung Hei Fat Choy to all members.
- Visiting Rotarians (no guests -- must be a record!) were introduced by Rtn David (Li).
- No exchange of banners, all visiting Rotarians were from Hong Kong.
- We welcomed back PDG Peter from Caracas, Venezuela and Rtn Vianney gave him 'manhana' advice for his next trip. PDG Peter gave us Rotary Information on his mission which is elsewhere in the book.
- We also welcomed back Rtns Vianney, from the USA, David (Wei) from Taiwan, Henry from India and Rube (whom we missed very much for quite a while) from the USA.
- Birthday boy was Rtn Tony and he requested his pals PP George and Rtn David (Waring) to lead us in the birthday song. PP Con suggested that PP George should stick to being the best dentist in town as the tune was so far out of tune that no one need an anesthetic.
- Its official -- PP YK is the only nominee for DG in the Rotary year 1996/97. We are delighted and he will have our full support.
- Pres Leslie said we had letters of appreciated from the venerable Mother Teresa and Rotaractor Lewis Ling (published elsewhere).
- DG Lit Mo would like to receive any resolutions we might have for the District Conference by 1 March 1995.
- The deadline for the 'early bird' registration for the District Conference was 10 February.
- PP Yk said the District Conference Golf Day is 10 March 1995 at RHKGC Fanling and the cost is RHKGC members \$200, for less privileged Rotary members the cost is a mere \$900!
- The board of directors was to meet on Monday last and were to consider a club subsidy for members attending the District Conference.
- PE John will attend the annual PETS (Presidents Elect Training Seminar) on 1 April 1995.
- Acting Sgt-at-Arms Rtn Kenneth said, once again, we had been most generous and besides birthday boy Rtn Tony who had donated a handsome \$500 and Rtn Rube a pretty \$200 a host of other splendid Rotarians had contributed to a total donation of \$2,600 plus.
- Kenneth popped back to the speaker's rostrum to give his vocational talk and very impressive it was, too.
- Pres Leslie asked PE John to give further details on our two upcoming important events viz. our club assembly and Spring Dinner on Saturday next 18 February and our Annual Function on Saturday 1 March 1995, please do your utmost to attend both.
- Pres Leslie ended the meeting at 2 pm prompt with a toast to RI coupled with a New Year toast to our mother club, the Rotary Club of Hong Kong.

### Advance Notice District Assembly

This important function will be held on 21 May 1995, please diarise, more details soon.

### Past GSE Members / Rotary Scholars

An appeal is made to club members to provide names etc of Past GSE members and Rotary scholars for inclusion in a document to be produced by the Rotary Club of King's Park. Any information would be gratefully received by Pres Leslie.

### Visiting Rotarians Clubs

Rtn Patricio de la Fuente Rtn Carlo van den Akker Rtn Olga Parry PP Edwin Tsang Rtn Dick Sedgwick Rtn Randy Kwei Rtn Matt Siu Rtn Lawrence Chan HK South HK South Wanchai New Territories Hong Kong Hong Kong HK Northeast HK Northeast



PP Dr. George and 'birthday boy' Rtn Dr. Tony

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Mr. Scott Johnston Bankers Trust Company 'How to Structure a Portfolio'

#### Last Week's Programme

Mr Lew Young Manager Mai Po Nature Reserve



Mr. Lew Young

We were very pleased to have a 'green man' as our speaker last week. Mr Lew Young told us that Mai Po, which is the north west corner of Hong Kong, is neither smelly nor mosquito ridden but is, in fact, a beautiful Wetlands Park full of wildlife. Whereas the world is losing wildlife areas we have at Mai Po a relatively new nature reserve of 380 hectares. A large problem, however, is maintaining sustainable use. For example surrounding urban dwelling areas such as Fairview Park are encroaching into this wildlife

Why is Mai Po so important? This wildlife area can be considered as an 'airport' and feeding place for migratory birds on the way to Australia, on a southern flight path or to Beijing in a northerly direction in the spring.

Interestingly enough, right now there are 60,000 waterbirds in the area. Some of these are very special and somewhat rare e.g. blackfaced spoonbills are there and there are only 300-350 individual birds of this species worldwide. In the last few winters up to 80 of these birds have been seen at Mai Po.

Not only birds reside or migrate through this Wetlands Park. Leopard cats, otters and 20 different types of crab are there, one of which is unique to Mai Po and this specimen was discovered by students!

Mangroves are the powerhouse that support the ecological system; the sequence is leaves to shrimps to fish to birds.

The HK Government has two buffer zones around Mai Po, however, property developers have bought land nearby and they are trying to persuade the government to allow the building of urban dwellings in this area. This could have a disastrous impact on the Wetlands Park.

Mr Young said our club was welcome to have a visit to Mai Po.

Rtn (Chris) Howe gave the vote of thanks to our speaker and was somewhat embarrassed that he has never been north of Kowloon. Rotarians and guests responded by a resounding round of applause, to the speaker!

#### GSE at HKIE

Next week 1 March 1995 we will have six visitors from the GSE Programme.

PP Con will accompany them to the Satellite Earth Station at Stanley where they will, according to Con. see what makes Hong Kong the most vibrant telecommunications hub in Asia (if not in the world!)

They will be at our luncheon at 12:30 pm and after luncheon we will take them to the Prince of Wales Hospital at Shatin where we will distribute 'pre-owned' clothes.

If you would like to go on either GSE trip, Stanley or Shatin, please let Sec. Gary know.

#### Annual Ball on Saturday 11 March 1995

In order to support the theme of this Rotary Year, "Be A Friend", the theme of our Annual Ball is "Home Home Sweet Home", to encourage family participation in Rotary and to reinforce our membership drive. The ball sub-committee recommended and the Board of Directors approved the following attractive low costs for this year's Annual Ball.

HKIE Member - Free of charge
Rotarianne/guests - HK\$500 each
Guests 5 to 9 years - HK\$450 each
Guests 10 years and above - HK\$400 each
Children of members up to 18 years - HK\$330 each
Children of guests up to 18 years - HK\$330 each

The low charge of HK\$450 for guests is almost at food cost. The excellent venue of the Aberdeen Marina Club, the sumptuous Chinese dinner, plus night long quality entertainment from members, a live band to dance to, an excellent professional lady singer Cammy Tany, plus a lucky draw with many valuable prizes give extremely great value for money.

With all these you have nothing to lose but a lot to gain. So bring your family members and friends to support this great function of ours, to support the Rotary theme of the year, to encourage family participation in Rotary and to enhance the membership drive of the club -- i.e. get at least four birds with one stone.

In addition, the most important of all is to enjoy yourself with the fine fellowship of fellow members and guests for the evening.

A revised reply slip has been sent to everyone, please return it as soon as possible to Rtn. Sam.



Exchange of banner with visiting Rotarian

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• Kick off, or sound off if you like, was at 1:16 pm when Pres. Leslie advised that this was the 31st meeting of our 41st year.

• Rtn Francis introduced visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced by their Rotarian hosts. It was good to have our former member Robin Scown in from his retirement residence in Andorra, a guest of his good friend Rtn. Roy.

 We exchanged banners with the visitors from Rotary Club of Hanover, Ontario and Grand Cayman and received an IOU from Nagoya West. Rtn Vianney brought back a banner from the Rotary Club of San Jose International Airport Sunrise Calif.

 PP Dave was welcomed back from Oz as was PP Sam. PP Ramesh had been in Inja, PP Edwin in SFO and Rtn Rudy in Tokyo. All jetsetters were warmly welcomed back to our fold.

VPE Hubert announced that the District Conference would (still) be held on Saturday 18
 March 1995 and that provided you signed up soon the club will pay your registration fee.

 That for the RC Kawasaki South 35th Anniversary visit on Friday 28 April 1995 we now had 12 participants. Please sign up for this too and soon.

• PE John spoke about the ball or rather Annual Function at which we'll have a ball. More elsewhere in the book.

 Pres Leslie said we'd have a group photograph at our meeting on Wednesday 29 March 1995 so please 100% attendance and a) have a shave b) get your hair cut c) wear a clean shirt and d) clean underwear!

 We need lots of pre-owned (pre-used) clothes, ladies and gents garments, for the visit with the GSE members to Shatin hospital on next Wednesday (1 March 1995). Who says we don't recognise our 'cross-dressers'. Bundles can be brought to next week's meeting or phone Pres. Leslie.

 Acting Sgt at Arms David II said we had 35 generous Rotarians present who had donated a grand total of \$2,120.

 Rtn Kenneth introduced our speaker for the day Mr. Lew Young, more at the front of the book.

 Final toast was to RI coupled with the Rotary Club of Grand Cayman and Pres Leslie closed the meeting at 2 pm prompt.



Last week's visiting Rotarians and guests with Pres Leslie and PDG Peter

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#### Rtn Rudy Schats

We are very sorry to see our Director and all round excellent fellow member Rtn Rudy and his lovely wife Aura leave us for South Africa.

Rtn Rudy is 'retiring' at a very young age and is, until his house is built, contactable at

PO Box 2862

Somerset West 7129

Republic of South Africa

We wish Rudy and Aura all the very best in their new location and ask them to keep in touch.

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### This Week's Programme

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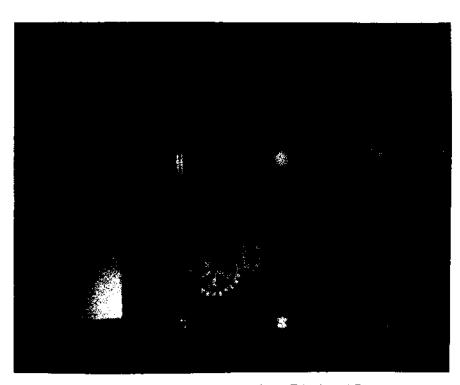
#### Last Week's Programme

'How to Structure a Portfolio' was the title of last week's talk from Bankers Trust Company Executive Mr. Scott Johnson. We were given an excellent insight into investments good, bad and indifferent.

Members and guests found the talk to be very interesting and informative.



Mr Scott Johnston



Our display at Wing On Dept. Store, Tsimshatsui East

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#### **Observer**

- In Pres Leslie's absence proceedings last week got underway with PE John in the chair.
   The bell sounded at 1:20 pm bring order to the chaos, or at least making the chaos less disorganised.
- First was a special welcome to PP Warren and PP Chan Soo, two splendid former members of our club.
- Visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced by Rtn Geoff. Done in his usual urbane manner Geoff was pleased to pay special tribute to PP Warren who is now located in Geoff's hometown Adelaide -- it was PP Warren who introduced Geoff to our Club.
- Exchange of banners resulted in four in-five out, we still have quite an excess of stock.
- Rtn Abrahamn was warmly welcomed back from Vancouver, Rtn Geoff from Singapore and VPE Hubert from New Zealand.
- Birthday boys feted were PP Chan So, Rtns Murray and Robert and possibly... perhaps.... PP Andrew who eventually said he didn't want two birthdays but would be pleased to lead the singing. The song was then rendered loud and clear if not the most tuneful ever heard!
- A/Sgt at Arms (Chris) Howe told us that in performing his first official duty day for our club he had received a total of \$3,400 from very generous members. 'Moon River' topped the list together with VPE Hubert, PP Chan Soo, Rtns Robert and Murray, with many others in support. The total attending HKIE members was 36. Not bad! could be better.
- PP Tim gave us Rotary Information on the eve of Rotary's 90th birthday. This was well received by all.
- Pres John said that in order to celebrate Rotary's 90th birthday a window display of the
  activities of our club is now at Wing On Department Store in Tsimshatsui and will continue
  to 25 February 1995. Please take time to pay a visit.
- Rtn Murray gave us an update on today's GSE visits to the Stanley Earth Station and Shatin Hospital.
- Rtn Rudy said it was never a happy occasion to say goodbye. He confessed he never wanted to be a Rotarian as they were all fat cats. But then he came to HKIE and the rest is history. HKIE is very special and Rudy and Aura were pleased to be a part of us. Rudy; Aura and your goodself were very special to us, we enjoyed your friendship very much and your fellowship is renowned. We wish you both good health and good fortune in your new life near Cape Town.
- Rtn Kenneth introduced Mr. Scott Johnston our speaker last week. A very stimulating topic, 'How to structure a Portfolio', held all enthralled, more on the talk in the front of the book.
- As we were running out of time we were unable to ask questions of the speaker and PE
  John gave the vote of thanks on behalf of those present.
- Acting Pres. John ended the meeting at 2:12 pm, a little tardy, but quite good for a first time
  in charge. The final act was a toast to RI coupled with a toast to the Rotary Club of Hong
  Kong.



Rudy's last 'official' talk

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90 Years of Service

Rotary will reach a milestone of 90 years on 23 February 1995. It began in Chicago starting in 1905 with only 4 members including our founder Paul Harris.

In 1911, Rotary extended to Canada, forming a new Rotary Club in Winnipeg. This was the first Rotary Club outside the USA, hence the name was changed to NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ROTARY CLUBS.

Rotary then crossed the Atlantic forming clubs in London, England and Dublin, Ireland & Belfast in 1912. The name was again changed, this time to the INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ROTARY CLUBS.

In 1918, Rotary extended to Shanghai, Manila and South America and by 1920 Rotary existed in Australia and Japan. By then it was truly an international organization and therefore, the name was finally changed in 1921 to ROTARY INTERNATIONAL with more extensions the world over. Rotary was brought to Hong Kong in 1930. At that time, Rotary had only 3349 Rotary Clubs with a total membership of 153,000.

Rotary is continually growing and we have now nearly 1.2 million Rotarians with 27,117 Rotary Clubs in 150 countries and 34 geographical areas.

The initial community service project was to build a loo in Chicago for men and that was how the first community service project started. During all it's 90 years of service to the community, Rotary has spent millions and millions of dollars, an example being the POLIOPLUS Programme.

The Rotary Foundation was started with a small donation of only US\$26.50 however it became one of the biggest foundations the worldover.

While observing the 90th Anniversary of Rotary, the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East has created a "WINDOW DISPLAY" at the Wing On Department Store in the Wing On Plaza, Tsimshatsui, Kowloon to promote the image of Rotary. All members are invited to see the work of our own club, from 19th to 25th of February 1995 which is designated by R.I. as "Window Display" week. — PDG Peter KP Hall



Three splendid ex RCHKIE Rotarians -- Rudy, Chan Soo & Warren



Victorious song leader PP Andrew with BBs -- Robert, Murray & Chan Soo

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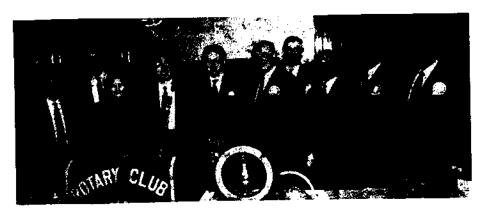
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香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

#### This Week's Speaker

Mr Jon Fewtrell Price Waterhouse 'The Hong Kong Budget 1995-96'

### Last Week's Programme

Mr David Sherick
'Computer Hacking and Data Security'



David Sherick

We were very pleased to have this world renowned expert on computer abuse & misuse and data security as our speaker last week.

David gave us a well illustrated interesting and thought provoking insighinto a difficult, esoteric subject.

Here are some extracts from David's talk.

Computer Hacking

The original definition of a hacker was someone who could find elegans solutions to computer problems. Now, however, the connotations are such that one immediately pictures a "computer junkie" huncked over a keyboard in his bed room, sifting through PABXs and computer dial-in ports, forcing unwellcomed entry into computer systems, and sometimes causing millions of dollars of damages or disruption to the critical operations of an organization.

First Computer Hacking Case in Hong Kong

Hong Kong Telecom had the dubious "honour" of uncovering, and bringing to court, the first computer hacking case in the history of Hong Kong.

Back in 1984, a young computer technician, named Siu Tak Chee, hacked into the then Cable & Wireless Dialcom service. We monitored the line, traced it to his home, and liaising with the police, finally caught him red-handed while he was logged into our Dialcom network.

In total Mr. Siu made 65 intrusions into the Dialcom service. After much mind searching and many "18-hour work days" by the prosecutor, the only offence that we could charge Mr. Siu was that he had technically "stolen" some electricity in his endeavours.

However, due to the minute value of the amount of electricity in question, the court gave him an absolute discharge. Unfortunately because the legal system is a conservative profession and often lags behind technological development in areas such as computers and telecommunications, we could not at that time invoke any civil or criminal offence against him specific to computer hacking. As a result, the culprit walked out of the court as a free man.

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This case clearly demonstrated the limitation of the legislation at that time and was one of the factors which triggered off the subsequent enactment of the Computer Crimes Ordinance.

Computer Crimes Ordinance

The "Computer Crimes Bill 1992" was drawn up and gazetted on 27th March, 1992. It was passed by the Legislative Council on 21st April, 1993, gazetted 2 days later on the 23rd of April and became the Computer Crimes Ordinance 1993.

The objective of the ordinance is to clarify and amend the criminal laws relating to the misuse of computers, i.e. it extends existing laws to make certain forms of computer misuse criminal offences. It amended 3 existing ordinances:

- Telecommunication Ordinance
- Crimes Ordinance
- Theft Ordinance

#### **Data Security**

Since prevention is always better than deterrent, computer users need to implement adequate data security over their computers.

The first step in building an effective level of security against hackers is to understand their modus operandi.

Hacker's Modus Operandi

First of all, hackers try to obtain telephone numbers or LAN addresses of their target organisations. Then, they would attack the target computers via stolen or defaults passwords. Intruders believe that the following are the easiest ways to penetrate a system:

 to impersonate an authorized employee, (or vendor agent), in order to obtain sensitive access information or be allowed physical access to a facility housing critical systems; (social engineering)

to take advantage of the default passwords shipped with the system and its software; or

• to convince system hot line support personnel to give out critical information or effect system changes, such as resetting a user's password.

If this fails, programs are available on the hacker market to exhaustively attempt to crack passwords by trial and error.

By eavesdropping on communications networks, interlopers can also garner user, administrator, and system passwords, which can then be reused.

After the hacker has successfully obtained access into a computer, he would:

- Browse the system for other networked systems and passwords so as to hack into other computers.
- Attempt to become the "super user" which means high privilege and unlimited access authority.
- Attack systems which are networked with the compromised computer.
- Utilize operating system and computer resources.

#### Safeguarding Security Loopholes

By understanding the modus operandi of hackers, we can then safeguard the loopholes in our computer systems accordingly. We should always:

- keep the dial-in telephone numbers, LAN addresses, and passwords confidential,
- change system default passwords,
- maintain physical security over the computer centre and telecommunication lines,
- ensure hot line support staff verify the identity of callers before providing any service.

Adequate logic security should be imposed on the

- password file,
- super user ID,
- sensitive operating system utilities,
- network system addresses and login procedures

"Fire wall" should be built between networked systems to isolate any compromised computer.

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#### Conclusion

In his presentation, David covered computer hacking, how the Computer Crimes Ordinance can be used to prosecute hackers, and the ways to tighten data security in order to safeguard against hacking.

The Computer Crimes Ordinance does provide a certain level of protection against computer hacking, security violation and misuse. In 1994, one year after the Computer Crimes Ordinance became law in Hong Kong, 4 cases have been reported and investigated by the Hong Kong Police. The Computer Crime Unit of the Police has received 3 reports of computer hacking and one report of misappropriation of funds.

The low number of reported cases so far is due to a lack of familiarity with the Ordinance by the general public. Many computer crime victims feel that they will not have a case in court because they do not have tangible proof. Computer-related crimes are also difficult to prosecute because the intent to commit a crime must be proven.

Some organizations are also very reluctant to bring such violations to courts as they see it as bad publicity. An organization needs a lot of courage to report such a case to the police and take legal action.

Since prevention is always better than cure, computer users need to implement a good level of security measure over their computers, instead of just relying on the enforcement and deterrent of the Computer Crimes Ordinance.

Rtn Kenneth gave our speaker a vote of thanks on behalf of fellow Rotarians and guests and all present gave David a resounding round of applause for a very interesting and informative presentation given in a very professional manner.

#### 47th Hong Kong Schools Music Festival

Through the generosity of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East, prizes have been made possible for the "Junior Exhibitioner Award" of the HK Schools Music Festival. Young pianists of 12 or below may participate. They will be required to play a programme of not more than 8 minutes which consists of three works of different styles.

The Rotary Club of Hongkong Island East Scholarship of \$3,600 will be awarded to the first three places. In addition, the winner will receive a trophy and medal.

### Visiting Rotarians Clubs

Rtn Sanda Walters Hong Kong PP Robin Lee HK City North PP Peter Tse Tsimshatsui East PP Ken Darvall Reading Abbey Rtn Dick Sedgwick Hong Kong Rtn Vincent Lai **HKNE** Rtn Dipak Vaghani Wanchai Rtn Lal Hardasani Peninsula

#### Visitors

Ms Linda Doughty
Ms Karen Arnold
Mr Mark Harling
Dr Simon Murdoch

#### Hosts

PP Ken (all four are GSE team members from District 1090 England)



Last week's line up of visiting Rotarians & guests with Pres Leslie

#### Observer

- At 1.12 pm Pres Leslie was back in charge, fully rested after his last 'missing' week engaged in activities with the Hungarian National Ballet. 'Nuff said!
- A very warm welcome was given to the GSE team from District 1090 in England.
- Rtn Joseph introduced visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced by their respective hosts.
- PP Ken Darvall (RC Reading Abbey) introduced his GSE team as a group and he then
  called on each member of the team to say a few words about themselves. This is how we
  got to know the background of Linda (Doughty), Karen (Arnold), Mark (Harling) and
  Simon (Murdoch).
- Exchange of banners resulted in all members of the GSE team getting a banner but no other takers.
- Welcome back was extended to Rtn Tajwar from Singapore and Taiwan, Rtn Bala also from Singapore and anyone else who went abroad recently.
- Birthday boy was Rtn Tommy and he and last week's celebrants Rtns Murray & Robert received birthday presents from Pres. Leslie. Rtn (David) Li led the singing of the birthday song.
- The Annual Function was stated to 'being well patronised' but we could do with some more attendees. Although this is on Saturday its not too late to get a table or two.
- District Conference is still on 18/19 March and so far not a great turnout from our club. Remember its free to you -- you only pay for spouse/guests. Voting delegates were chosen at the Board Meeting last Monday so we should hear more about this at today's meeting.
- Thanks to PP John and Rtn (Chris) Howe for the Rotary World window display which was very well received.
- The 47th HK Schools Music Festival is now on and complimentary tickets to finals are available from Sec. Gary.
- Sgt at Arms Tommy announced that himself, Rtn Taj, Rtn Bala, Rtn (David) Li, PP Con, PP Andrew, PP Tim, PP John, PP Sam, Rtn Rube had all made handsome donations together with other members and that the sum of \$2,500 was the result. The 37 members present were, as ever, most generous.
- PP Robin (Lee) asked if for the weekend of 5/6 March or 12/13 March someone could house GSE members Mark and Simon. No sooner asked then agreed to by our splendid Rotarian Vianney. Many thanks Big V.
- Rotary Information was given by PP Ken Darvall who explained how the GSE team from England had been selected and Ken said how very pleased and lucky everyone felt to be a member of this team.
- Introduction to the speaker was given by PP Con who said that Mr. David Sherick had been a friend for 20 years plus, was a colleague, a man for all seasons (engineer, accountant,
  - general manager, auxiliary police senior superintendent, computer expert) a true renaissance man and a fine speaker on computer hacking and data security.
- The speaker was given a vote of thanks by Rtn Ken Wong for 'a splendid presentation on an important topic.' Ken felt most had been suprised at the extent of the problem and said we all appreciated David's highlights this to us.
- The meeting ended with a toast to Rotary International coupled with a toast to the Rotary Clubs of District 1090 England and Pres. Leslie closed the meeting promptly at 2 pm.



GSE Team leader -- PP Ken Darvall.

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# TUNG FENG

香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

# This Week's Speaker

Mr Keith Choules 'Outward Bound'

# Last Week's Programme

We were very pleased to have as our speaker last week Mr. Jon Fewtrell, a tax partner with Price Waterhouse in Hong Kong.



Mr Jon Fewtrell

Jon's talk was on the Hong Kong budget system and he said that last week's presentation and contents of the Financial Secretary's 1995 Budget was to most observers 'boring'.

However, said Jon, the proposd budget, subject to approval by LegCo, should not be dubbed uninteresting.

The FS had an interesting quote to start with 'the government should place money where it will do most good, namely in the pockets of taxpayers!' Budget Highlights

- 1994 was the 28th successive year in which the economy grew in real terms
- GDP grew again by 5.5% in real terms
- Inflation of 8.5% for 1995/96
- GDP per head was US\$21,800 the 15th highest in the world, and 6th highest in terms of spending power
- Hong Kong is now the 11th largest exporter of services
- 1994/95 budget surplus estimate of HK\$7.7 billion
- Forecast deficit for 1995/96 of HK\$2.6 billion
- Public expenditure for 1995/96 of HK\$204 billion or 17.6% of GDP
- At the end of 1998/99, the SAR Government is projected to have combined reserves (including the Land Fund) of HK\$361 billion
- A single-income family of four will have to earn HK\$964,000 before paying salaries tax at the 15% standard rate
- Continued focus against use of service companies

Jon said these figures are very healthy, perhaps too healthy, and the budget system is producing far too much money for the normal needs of the Hong Kong government. Public expenditure is always less than GDP.

We should, said Jon, have a much more equitable tax structure. There is now a suggestion that we should have a sales tax rather than profits tax. This form of taxation would be a less volatile way of generating tax as it would not Continued on page 2

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be affected as much by recession as would profits tax. Singapore had recently adopted this approach of indirect tax versus direct tax when it introduced a 3% sales tax. PP Con and Rtn Vianney were heard to protest that a sales tax in Hong Kong would be added to profits tax! Rtn Wing Eng gave our speaker a vote of thanks for an instructive, interesting and valuable treatise of the subject and all present gave Jon a resounding round of applause.

### Observer

- On a bright sunny day ('sunshine man' PP Anthony was present) Pres Leslie opened last week's proceedings at 1.20 pm.
- A very special welcome was afforded to PP Ken and Rtn William who were warmly greeted by fellow club members.
- First up was Rtn Joseph who was pleased to introduce visiting Rotarians and who asked Rotarian hosts to introduce their guests. Joseph was his usual very charming and capable self.
- Welcome back was given to Rtn Roy, Rtn KT and Rtn Henry (Luy) from Andorra (it snowed), Shanghai and Taipei, respectively.
- Birthday boys were Rtn (David) Li, PP Ken and Rtn Matthew who had the distinct pleasure of having PP George as song leader. We sang with gusto.
- Announcements from Pres Leslie included the fact that our Japan sister club RC Niigata
  will celebrate its 55th anniversary on 18 April 1995, more details to follow; that last week's
  visit to Shatin hospital, with the GSE team, had gone very well indeed and in a recent visit
  to the HK Academy for the Performing Arts our musical instruments donation cheque had
  been presented by Pres. Leslie.
- The report from Acting Sgt at Arms Rtn Henry (Luy) showed we had our usual very generous Rotarians present and these included birthday celebrants PP Ken, Rtn (David) Li and Rtn Matthew with other handsome contributions from Rtns Murray, Samuel, Vianney, Hubert, Roy and Tommy and from PPs Andrew, YK, Con among others, too many to mention in full. This led to a total of \$2,000 from an attendance of 55.5%.
- PP Ken gave us a brief chat on why he hasn't left our club and is commuting between Hong Kong and Sydney. Ken said our former member Rtn John (Taylor) has recently joined the RC of North Sydney. Ken is off to England to lead our reciprocal GSE team and we all wished him bon voyage.
- IPP Tim gave Rotary Information and the subject was the meaning of the District Conference and what it sets out to achieve.
- Pres Leslie said that our board meeting on Monday 6 March 1995 had a quorum and we had agreed to PDG Peter, Pres Leslie and V/PE Hubert as voting delegates at the upcoming District Conference. We also accepted Rtn. Rudy's resignation with regret, and we discussed Ball related issues.
- We were advised that commencing next month the Excelsior Hotel will close its meeting rooms for 3 months redecoration work and the Board is now seeking an alternative meeting place, for our weekly meetings.
- Introduction to last week's speaker was given by Rtn Kenneth and Mr. Jon Fewtrell gave us an excellent talk which is reported on at the front of the book.
- The vote of thanks was the task of Rtn Wing Eng and Wing was his usual charming and erudite self.
- Rtn Roy got agreement from PP Con that the legend 'February is Festival of Accounting Month' was the uncontested winner of our oxymoron of the month award!
- Pres Leslie ended the proceedings last week by asking Rotarians & guests to drink with him a toast to Rotary International coupled with a toast to the Rotary Club of HK North East, one of our baby clubs.
- The meeting closed at 2:00 pm prompt.

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# The District Conference - Rotary Information by PP Tim

Most Rotarians have never attended a Rotary District Conference. They have not experienced one of the most enjoyable and rewarding privileges of Rotary members.

A District Conference is for all club members and their spouses, not just for club officers and committee members. The purpose of a District Conference is for fellowship, good fun, inspirational speakers and discussion of matters which make one's Rotary membership more meaningful. Every person who attends a District Conference finds that being a Rotarian becomes even more rewarding because of the new experiences, insights and acquaintances developed at the Conference. Those who attend a Conference enjoy going back, year after year.

Every one of Rotary's 500 districts has a conference annually. These meetings are considered so important that the Rotary International president selects a knowledgeable Rotarian as his personal representative to attend and address each conference. The program always includes several outstanding entertainment features, interesting discussions and inspirational programs. One of the unexpected benefits of attending a District Conference is the opportunity to become better acquainted with members of one's own club in an informal setting. Lasting friendships grow from the fellowship hours at the District Conference.

# Visiting Rotarians

Rtn Richard Sedgwick PP Anthony Hung Rtn Charles Chan

### Clubs

Hong Kong Taipo HKNE

## Guests

Mr Rob Fielding Mr Marvin Chen Mr Clement Loy (son of)

### Hosts

Pres Leslie Rtn KT Rtn Tony



Top: Last week's visiting Rotarians and guests with Pres Leslie



Left: Birthday celebrants (from left) Rtn Matthew, PP Ken, Rtn David Li and song leader PP George.

# Rotary Clubs in District 3450 Meeting Schedule

	Meeting Schedule		
MONDAY	ū		Vol.
Tsimshatsui East	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	22nd
Victoria	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	22110
Wanchai	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	p
Tsuen Wan	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon		
Tolo Harbour	Now World Hotel Venden	6:00 p.m. (C)	_
	New World Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m. (E/C)	1
New Territories	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	6:45 p.m. (C)	:
Tai Po	Royal Park Hotel, Shatin	7:00 p.m. (E)	
Amagao (Macau)	Red Cross Hqs, Macau	9:30 p.m. (P)	FR
	Last Monday Dinner Meeting	8:00 p.m.	F
TUESDAY			•
Hong Kong Sunrise	Regent Hotel, Kowloon	8:00 a.m. (C)	YEAR 1
o o	Last Tuesday Dinner Meeting	6:45 p.m.	
Hong Kong	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	Presiden
HK Bayview	Victoria Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (L)	Leslie S
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	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	Vice Pres
H.K. Northwest	Ritz Carlton Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	John Li
Kowloon East	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)	Caaratan
Peninsula	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	Secretary
Quarry Bay	Regal Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	Gary C
[Provisional Club]	1st Tuesday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.	Treasure
The Peak	The China Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E/C)	Henry L
Hou Kuong (Macau)	Lisboa Hotel, Macau	1:00 p.m. (C/P)	
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H.K. Island East	Excelsior Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	V. Ram
Kowloon Golden Mile	Holiday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	Vianne
Kowloon West	Miramar Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)	Tajwar :
Shatin	Ramada Renaissance Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)	
Macau Central	Oriental Hotel, Macau	7:30 p.m. (C/E)	Ex Officion IPP Time
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THURSDAY			Adviser
H.K. Harbour	Excelsior Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	PDG P
H.K. North	New World Harbour View Hotel, HK	12:30 p.m. (C)	
H.K. South	H.K. Country Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	PP Count
	3rd Thursday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.	PP San
Kingspark HK	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon		
		12:30 p.m. (E)	Sergeant
Kowloon	Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	Tommy
Kowloon Northeast	Miramar Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)	
Mid-Level	Quo Quo, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	Attendan
Peninsula South	Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E/C)	PP Joh
Kowloon Northwest	Omni Prince Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)	Bulletin E
Kwai Chung	Royal Garden Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)	PP Cor
Kwun Tong	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)	
Queensway	American Club, Hong Kong	6:30 p.m. (E)	Fellowsh
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Macau [Macau]	Tenis Civil Restaurant, Macau	8:00 p.m. (E)	
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H.K. Island West	Ritz Carlton Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	<b>-</b> _
H.K. Northeast	World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	<del></del>
Kowloon North	Holiday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	Our 41st
Guia (Macau)	New World Emperor Hotel, Macau		of Rotary
Channel Islands		1:00 p.m. (M)	<b>.</b>
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# TUNG FENG

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## This Week's Programme

Chief Inspector Simon Timms 'Drink Driving'

# Last Week's Speaker

We were very pleased to welcome Mr Keith Choules from Outward Bound as our speaker last week.



Mr Keith Choules

The meaning of 'Outward Bound' arose from an expression which referred to the moment a ship lifted anchor and headed for the open sea, leaving the safety of its harbour. In the same way Outward Bound seperates you from the safety and comfort of your home, family, friends and routines and temporarily takes you off into the great outdoors.

The objective of Outward Bound is an adventure with a purpose to discover, understand and improve yourself. It helps you strengthen your character, develop more respect for yourself, increase your leadership potential and recognise your responsibility for the community and environment.

Outward Bound puts you through exciting challenges at sea and in the hills as a teaching medium. You are presented with a series of increasingly difficult physical and mental problems, none of which are designed to go beyond your capacity.

Outward Bound

- is open to all, regardless of sex, or social background
- uses direct, dramatic experiences in new surroundings, to help those taking part discover their strengths, build their confidence and re-examine their ideals and values
- demands adaptability, self-discipline, resourcefulness and perservance in the face of challenge and uncertainty
- provides personal development using social challenge, the mountains and the sea as means of personal growth
- fosters the ideals and practices of active participation in the setting of a supportive residential community
- encourages participants to co-operate with others, to give service to and to accept responsibility for others
- stimulates the imagination and sense of adventure, and fosters true appreciation and concern for the environment
- places emphasis on practical work in small groups, with adequate time for reflection, discussion and critical appraisal

Rtn David (Waring) gave Mr. Choules a vote on thanks for a very interesting talk and club members and guests gave a fine round of applause to this very confident speaker.

#### Observer

 We began the 'official' proceedings last week at 1:20 pm when Pres Leslie got us off to a fine start with a warm welcome to us all but especially to Ms Daisy Mak our Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar (see pic)

PP Dave introduced our visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced by their Rotarian

hosts.

 Pres Leslie gave a big thank you to all members for their assistance at the very successful Ball held last week. A good time was had by each and every attendee.

Rtn Roy was thanked for the excellent programme book he produced as a record of this
year's annual fuction.

Our banner was exchanged with Rtn Ian Wilson's club of Peterborough, UK.

No birthday celebrants so we were spared the usual off-key singing!

- Ferries were available from Central to the Gold Coast from Queen's Pier for attendees at our District Conference last weekend. More on the District Conference in our next issue.
- PDG Peter was pleased to make presentations of Rotary Benefactor items to splendid fellows Rtn Gary and Rtn Dick and he thanked them on behalf of RI for their much appreciated contributions.
- Announcements from Pres Leslie were next and he advised us that
  - We were placed 17th in the league table of clubs attendance in the month of February 1995
  - Our 'Annual' Club photograph will be taken on Wednesday 29 March 1995 so you are advised to get your haircut, shave etc. We need a 100% turnout on that day.
  - Tree Planting will take place on Sunday 2 April 1995 at Sai Kung. Details elsewhere in the book.
  - We must focus on our club activities now that the time consuming Ball preparations are out of the way
  - An increase of membership is needed as we are now down to 71 members and need at least four more by end June 1995
- Sgt at Arms Tommy announced a total donation of \$1,600 from the 37 members present.
   Among the generous donors were the following, PP Dave, Pres Leslie, Rtn Rube, Rtn Chris, PP Andrew, PP Tony, PP Con & Rtn Robert.
- Ms Daisy Mak then told us what it means to be a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar -- she is a
  fine diplomat for our District.
- Our speaker last week, Mr. Keith Choules of Outward Bound was introduced by Rtn Ken.
- Rtn David (Waring) gave Keith a fine vote of thanks.
- The meeting ended with Pres Leslie proposing a toast to the Rotary Club of Taipo (PP Anthony Hung's alma mater) coupled with a toast to Rotary International and he closed the meeting at 2 pm prompt.



Ms Daisy Mak Rotary Ambassador Scholar

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## Tree Planting Festival

All members of our club and our Rotaract Clubs members are reminded of the Tree Planting Festival to be held as follows:

Day/Date:

Sunday 2 April 1995

Time:

10:00 am to 12 noon

Location:

Hoi Ha, Sai Kung, New Territories

Pak Tam Chung, Sai Kung, New Territories

This is a splended occasion when our District 3450 organises a day out for members and their families.

Rtn Desmond is in charge of arrangements for our club members.

If you are interested in attending with or without family members please fax Desmond at 2810-4923.

# RC Kingspark Commemorative First Day Postage Stamp Covers

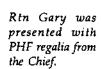
This enterprising Rotary Club will produced FDCs in limited quantity, to ensure they become collector's items, on 3 May 1995.

The FDCs will be envelopes of a special design, one embossed in gold and one in silver with stamps portraying the Year of the Pig.

Get your orders in soon -- they'll be popular items. Please contact Sec. Gary for details.



Rtn Dick receives his PHF regalia from PDG Peter.





# Visiting Rotarians

Rtn Ian Wilson Rtn Richard Sedgwick Rtn Richard Ho PP Anthony Hung Rtn Albert Chang Rtn Fritz Sommerau Rtn Benny Ratnani

### Guests

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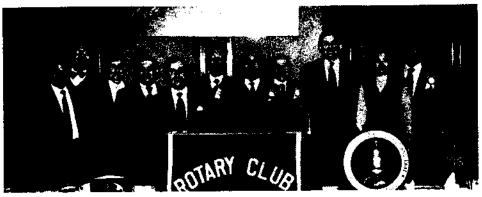
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Last week's visiting Rotarians and guests with PDG Peter and Pres. Leslie.

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# This Week's Programme

Investing in Australian Art

# Last Week's Speaker

Chief Inspector Simon Timms of Royal Hong Kong Police gave us a fascinating blow by blow description of the passage of alcohol from the bottle can or glass into our mouths; down south into the stomach thence by varying rates of dispersal (depending on whether we've had a glass of milk, heavy meal or nothing much to eat at all), into the small intenstine by a process call "gastric emptying", thence



Chief Inspector Simon Timms

into the blood stream -- up to have a crack at confusing the brain then back to the good old liver which then proceeds to break 90% of it down over a period of time.

What was all this aimed at you may well ask. Simply this -- Drink/Drive Laws are about to be passed in Hong Kong and they are going to be equally as tough as anywhere else in the world.

The message Simon clearly got across was that regardless of what we may feel, alcohol above certain levels has a totally proven affect as a depressant. It slows down the processes occurring in the higher centres of the brain causing loss of balance, poor co-ordination of the eyes and limbs, tunnel vision and inability to judge speed and distance.

Furthermore did you know it can take the body about 1 hour "to get rid of the alcohol content of 1 tot of spirits or 1/2 pint of regular beer? (Frightening isn't it!) People who drink more than this quantity in an hour are to some extent putting themselves and others at risk if they then drive a car immediately. They will definitely be putting themselves at risk with the law if they continue to do this following passage of the new regulations later this year.

In the words of Rtn Police Superintendent Vianney Willy-Furth, "be like me -- don't drink". Quickly realising he was on a hopeless crusade with this he then amended his tune by saying "if you are going to drink, don't drive -- get a taxi or let someone else drive who has not been drinking". We have been warned!

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#### Rover

- 32 members, 5 visiting Rotarians and our guest speaker were welcomed after President Leslie opened the meeting at 1:20 p.m. One banner was given out to Rtn Dr Berndt from RC Kiel -- Eider.
- Congratulations to PP Y K Cheng on his confirmed nomination as District Governor for 1996/97 Rotary year.
- Welcome back Rotarian Tom Bovet and PP T K Ghose.
- PDG Peter Hall was unanimously elected the Club's delegate for the Nice R I convention in 1995 and it was further unanimously agreed that Uncle Peter's name be submitted to our District as our Club's candidate for the Rotary International Nominating Committee to be established for Rotary International Zone 6.
- Rtn Tommy Ling as Sgt of Arms received donations totalling \$1,600 from many generous members. These donations assist our Community Service Projects. Thank you to all who contributed.
- IPP Tim Lui updated us on the District Conference which from all events was a most enjoyable and successful occasion where many issues were discussed, not a lot needed to be resolved but at least the District Accounts were passed, YK Cheng was confirmed as DG Nominee and tremendous fellowship was had by all. Attendees from our Club were President Leslie, PDG Peter Hall, PP's Tim Lui, Y K Cheng, Rtn Dick Lidster; Vianney Willy-Furth. We received 2 club awards (Rotary window at Wing On Department Store and our World Community Service Project). PDG Peter Hall, PP's Tim Lui, Y K Cheng and Ken Poon received deserved individual awards for their services to Rotary.
- 18 people will be attending the Rotary District Tree Planting day.
- A joint Interact Club Meeting/Celebration is to be held on 6/4/95 at Police Officers Club. Pres Leslie would be grateful for support on this occasion.
- Club accommodation after 1st June -- to be advised. On the short list are Regal Hotel and New World Harbour View.
- Sister Club Niigata is holding a very important anniversary function on 18/4/95. Any
  member who is able to attend please let Leslie know soonest. In the meantime a team of
  10-12 people lead by Pres Leslie are making an official inter club visit to R C Kawasaki
  South on 28/4/95.
- Rtn Kenneth Wong introduced Chief Inspector Simon Timms and our meeting was at 2:00 p.m. with a toast to RI and R C Keil Eider, Germany.



Anthony Hung, YK Cheng and Richard Ho -- all at the "Top Table"

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# Rotary Extends to Cambodia

After the charter of a new club in Mongolia, known as the Rotary Club of Ulaanbaatar on the 10th January 1995, Rotary further extended to the Kingdom of Cambodia.

A provisional Rotary club is in operation in Cambodia, called the Rotary Club of Phnom Penh which has been meeting for months every Wednesday evening at the Sofitel Cambodiana under the leadership of President-Designate Geoffrey Blume of Chicago, a construction engineer working in Phnom Penh.

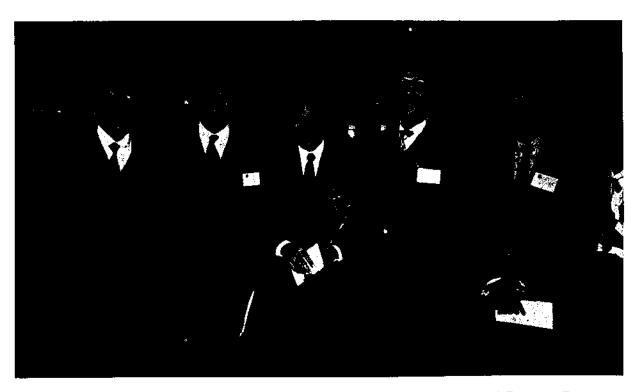
This new Club is sponsored by the Rotary Club of Singapore under President Peter Weiss and PDG Gerald Mingot. It has a membership of around 40 and expects to receive its charter from Rotary International pretty soon.

Its first community service project is "Gift of Sight" which will screen children with sight-disorder from various schools and selected for an operation programme covering some 5,000 potential patients.

With the addition of this new club, total number of countries in the Rotary map will be 152. Rotarians are urged to visit this new club when they are going to Cambodia.

# District Assembly 21/5/95

incoming officers please note your diaries as you are expected to attend -- Details later



At the 35th District Conference, our own PP Y.K. Cheng was proclaimed District Governor Nominee for the year 1996/97. Our hearty congratulations! He was flanked by PDG Peter and PP James Yick (HK City North) and other PPs Ernest Ma (N.T.) and Tim Lui.

# Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Rtn Dr Berndt (RC Keil Eider) PP Anthony Hung (RN Taipo) Rtn Hubert Ng (RN HK Harbour) Rtn Fiona Lee (RC Admiralty) Chief Inspector Simon Timms -- guest speaker -brought to Rotary by Rtn Vianney Willy Furth.





Top: Dr Berndt receives a hanner

Left: President Leslie and PDG Peter Hall with our visitors

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This Week's Programme

# Last Week's Programme

Nil - Public Holiday - Ching Ming



Mrs Marlene Stafford 'Investing in Australian Art'



Mrs Marlene Stafford

We were delighted when just a fortnight ago, Mrs Marlene Stafford, accompanied by her colleage, Ms Kathy Cutten spoke to us about the value and pleasure in investing in Australian Art.

Marlene advised us that Australian Art enjoys a high profile right throughout the cultured world.

A characteristic of all civilizations finds the educated and sophisticated with an innate sense to patronise the Arts. In some sections the "PRIME" art differs slightly. For example, the "high art" of the Japanese has been pottery, but is changing somewhat to accommodate painting.

Painting, Sculpture, Craft and Music reflects the inner workings of society and as it moves from primitive to a classical level, so does its art.

A good collection of paintings across the history of any peoples tells a visual story of its culture and civilization.

If a collection is carefully chosen by selecting the right images by the right artists, it can afford the owner a great investment.

Works of dead artists already proven as a good investment often come with heavy price tags -- known as "Gilt Edge" Shares.

Works by living artists who have also been recognised as collectables or good investments -- known as "Blue Chip" shares.

Working by current contemporary artists who's paintings are popular and sought after -- "Good Value" shares.

New artists showing potential could be labeled as "Futures".

Marlene illustrated her talk with works by Heissen, Dickerson, Hart and Darby. This was a very interesting, informative and entertaining programme.

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#### Observer

- Pres Leslie commenced proceedings two weeks ago (last week being Ching Ming) at 1:21
  pm with a warm welcome to all. He noted that the full turnout was probably due to the
  'official' club photograph being taken at 2 pm.
- Rtn Joseph introduced our visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced by their Rotarian hosts.
- Exchange of banners resulted in 3 out and 1 in.
- Welcome back to PP Sam from interesting places and Rtn Flicker From Russia With Love.
- Birthday celebrants were Rtn William (Lam) Rtn David (Waring) and PP Con. Our birthday song leader was PP Sam, by unanimous request and a rousing song was the result.
- VPE Hubert give us an update on the forthcoming visit to our sister club RC Kawasaki South. We will each sign our names on a 'coffee table' book as an anniversary gift.
- RC Kingspark first day cover and pig stamps if you have an interest please contact Pres. Leslie
- Rotaract Club of Lingnan College will hold their inauguration on Saturday 8 April 1995 at the Police Officers Club. Please contact Rtns Joseph or Desmond.
- Coffee Table book for Kawasaki is on display so if you haven't done so please sign it today!
- Campaign Against Plastic Bags is in the very capable hands of PP George who will need support for this project. Please volunteer to assist George.
- Sgt-at-Arms reports was given by Rtn Ken who said we had 51 members present and that very generous donations were received from Rtn David (Waring), Rtn Flicker, PP Sam, Rtn William (Lam) and PP Con for a total of \$3,030 from these and other fine Rotarians.
- Rotary Information was given by IPP Tim on the subject of World Rotaract week and this
  is printed elsewhere in the book.
- PP John had made all the arrangements for the club photograph which would be taken immediately following the last meeting.
- Rotary Club of Edmonton Canada had written to say that they wanted something unique from the Rotary Club in each city in China and would Hong Kong donate Bit premature -- eh?
- Introduction of speaker was next and Rtn Ken was his usual charming urbane self in introducing Mrs Marlene Stafford who spoke to us on Investing in Australian Art.
- The privilege of the vote of thanks was given to Rtn David Wong who thanked Marlene for a delightful talk.
- The final toast was to Rotary International coupled with a toast to our sister club the RC Osaka Jonan.
- The final bell was rung by Pres. Leslie at 2 pm prompt and we adjourned for our annual photo.



PDG Peter with good friend PP of RC Osaka Jonan

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During the month of March, Rotarians the world over celebrated WORLD ROTARACT WEEK. Rotaract goals are similar to those of Interact, but they have an additional commitment: To promote high ethical standards in businesses and vocations. To fulfill this commitment, a Rotaract club must undertake an annual Vocational Service project in addition to the Community Service and International Service projects that are expected of both Interact and Rotary clubs. These objectives of Rotaract enable the sponsoring Rotary club, or clubs, to contribute to the guidance and development of the next generation's leaders in business and community affairs while these young people are at a critical stage in their careers.

Rotaract (ROTARY ACTION) was adopted as a worldwide program of Rotary in 1968, when the R.I. Board of Directors saw a need to extend the opportunity of service to young people who had grown out of the Interact age group. Since 197? "Fellowship Through Service" has been the official Rotaract motto.

In January 1995 the Program has grown to more than 6600 Rotaract Clubs with membership of over 152,000 members in 110 countries.

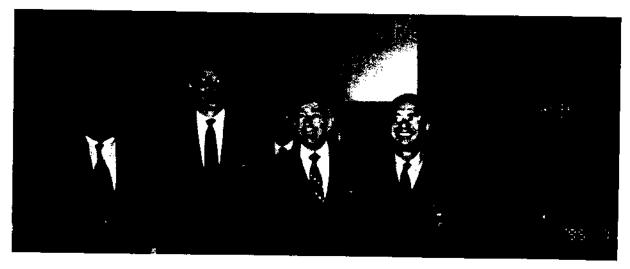
The activities of Rotaract clubs are determined, in part, by the fact that these young people are learning to find their way in the adult world and are eager to put their own ideas to work and receive community recognition for their contributions. For this reason, sponsoring Rotary clubs encourage Rotaractors to act with a large measure of independence in choosing and carrying out projects.

The Rotarians' role is to provide guidance and counsel on all activities, programs, and policies of the Rotaract clubs.



Left: Kathy Cutten exhibts a fine piece of Australian Art

Bottom: Birthday celebrants Rtns Dick, David William and PP Con with song leader PP Sam



# Visiting Rotarians

PP Roy Chapple PP Saburo Okakura Rtn Les Pritchard Rtn Derek Dickins PP Jim Smith Rtn Richard Sedgwick Rtn Wilfred Koo Rtn Rory Nicholas

#### Guests

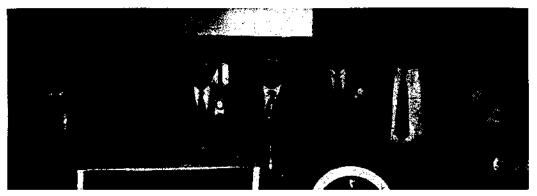
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#### Clubs

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Visiting Rotarians and guests with Pres. Leslie at our last meeting

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# This Week's Speaker

Captain Simpson, British Forces Employing Nepalese soldiers

# Last Week's Speaker

Rotarian Professor Ken Shortridge Horse Fit



Saviour of the sanity of half of HK's population

Our speaker last week is a Rotarian from Queensway Club, Prof. Ken Shortridge. He gave an interesting insight into the politics, medicine and tension of the *Great Horse Flu Epidemic Of 1992*. The fact that he illustrated this talk with slides and *not one of them showed a horse* was quite an achievement. We saw a virus though and heard a sickening description of how swabs are taken. That was a good bit.

Rather more seriously though, we learnt how close this epidemic came to being a major disaster threatening international racing and 10% of the HK Government's income, as the medical authorities, led by our speaker, fought to trace the type of illness in the first place. Interestingly, Prof. Ken mentioned that about 10% of the Jockey Club's turnover goes to the Government. Put those two facts together and it would seem that the two major institutions in HK have roughly similar incomes.

After a first stab at herpes, the airborne and rapidly infectious nature of the sickness brought their attention to flu, even though the horses are all inoculated against this before leaving their country of origin. A mutation of the flu, against which the inoculations were ineffective, turned out to be the culprit. It was imported in horses from Britain.

A major success of the operation was forestalling secondary infection by bacteria, where some of the real damage can be done, we learnt.

The good news is that a new and very rapid test would identify the problem in any given horse within 15 minutes if a similar outbreak began to occur in the future. Isolation and quarantine periods have been introduced (at great cost) for new horses from overseas.

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Finally we learnt that there is a new threat . . . from north of the border. Horses are being shipped to Shenzhen from Mongolia and many keen HK riders cross the border to pursue their favourite sport. This introduces a new route for viruses to enter Hong Kong. We hazard a guess that only in Hong Kong (and perhaps Kentucky) would a Rotary Club speaker who turned up to talk about flu in horses receive as rapt an audience as we saw last week [well, some were rapt - Ed].

## Spectator

- After a leisurely start at 1:18, Prez. Lez conducted a most calm and relaxed meeting to end at 2pm on the dot. He really has got it all sewn up now. Time to move over soon before hubris sets in. Special on the set last week was superstar IPDG and Legco member Moses (former member of our Club for new members who want to bask in a little of the reflected glory).
- Rtn L.K. introduced the visitors. Earlier in the meeting, with the Welcome Rotarian sash obscuring half his badge, he was known as "Rtn. L.".
- Announcement time from President Laszlo and we learnt of our new venue: The Regal Hotel. Details elsewhere. Amongst those at the head table last week, the manager of that hostelry, Mr. Herbert Hofer. But did he pay for all our lunches? Did he heck. Chuh!!
- A new Rotary Club of Quarry Bay was chartered on 5th April. Pres. Leslie, PP Andrew and PE John attended the first meeting and members of the new club were *most excited* to receive our banner.
- Welcome back Rtn. Wing from Shanghai.
- Birthday Boy Rtn. Joseph (21 if he's a day) had a serenade from resident nightingale PP Jack last week. Happy Birthday Jo.
- Everyone is asked to let PP John Kwok know how many secretaries or other assistants they
  will bring on Secretaries' Day, April 26th so that he can arrange gifts. Our President claims
  that the record number attending with one member is four, but he couldn't remember who
  was accompanied by that many. [Was Rtn. Geoff Simmons implicated in this? Ed]
- All new members and incoming officers are encouraged to attend the District Assembly
  which will be held on May 21st at the Jockey Club, Shatin. Special events will be arranged
  for kids and other family members and we shall have the run of the Club.
   Of course if they really wanted good attendance, they'd persuade Rtn. Henry to organise a
  - of course if they really wanted good attendance, they'd persuade Rtn. Henry to organise a showing of six horses and run the Rotary Handicap!
- The Sergeant-at-Arms reported the grand attendance figure of 28 (Ah, but the quality!) and contributions to Club projects and funds of \$1,890.
- Rotary information was doled out by IPP Tim -- see elsewhere in these volumes. It was about The Rotarian. Please read it, he said. Of course if you don't read Tung Feng this plea will pass you by and you'll probably miss The Rotarian, too.
- The Banner Exchange came next. This subtle change in the order of play caused a few sharp breaths to be drawn and a hissing amongst the older members, but it was just Prez. Lez. showing that it was he who decided on what happened next.
- Our President also showed us a certificate of appreciation from the Ling Nan College (see pic) for our scholarship donation.
- Ken Wong introduced our speaker and Chris Howe thanked him.
- The toast was to daughter club, HK Northeast.



PDG Peter, on behalf of our club, receiving a certificate of appreciation from Dr. John T.S. Chen, President of Linguan College on the 16th March 95, at the College Hall.

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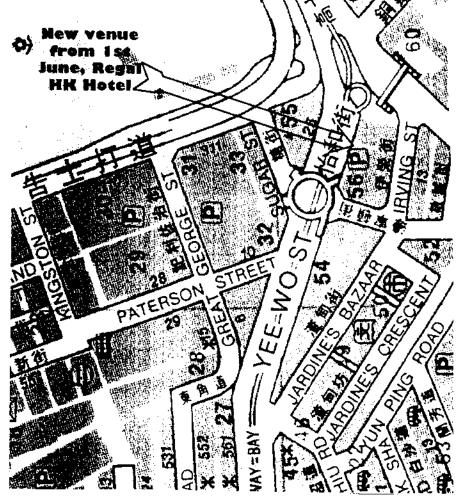
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## New Venue

From 1st June, we shall be meeting in the Regal Hong Kong Hotel -- see map.

This was the old Hoover Building for those with long memories or old vacuum cleaners, on Yee Wo St. near the round pedestrian bridge designed like MacDonald's advertisement. price will 'still' be HK\$190 net, but no signing arrangements, just cash or credit cards. There will be free valet parking for a 'limited' number, whatever that means [will they park motorbikes? - Ed].



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Tsimshatsui East	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	Macau Central	Oriental Hotel, Macau	7:30 p.m. (C/E)
Victoria	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	THURSDAY		
Wanchai	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	H.K. Harbour	Excelsior Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
Tsuen Wan	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)	H.K. North	New World Harbour View Hotel, HK	12:30 p.m. (C)
Tolo Harbour	New World Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m. (E/C)	H.K. South	H.K. Country Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
New Territories	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	6:45 p.m. (C)	m.r. coun	3rd Thursday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m
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H.K. Island East	Victoria Hotel, Hong Kong Excelsior Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	Channel Islands	World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong	7:15 p.m. (C)
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# ON SECRETARIES' DAY ALL ROTARIANS OFFER A WARM WELCOME TO THEIR REAL BOSSES!

# This Week's Speaker

The ever-reliable TBA will be here to talk about TBA

# Last Week's Speaker

Captain Harold Simpson, British Forces Employing Gurkalı and locally-recruited soldiers



Our speaker makes a point.

Our speaker last week is an education and training specialist, based in the Army Education Centre in Kowloon Tong. After showing that he had been to the Con Conway School for Being Photographed, he went on to show us the statistics of the local garrison and its impact on the job market in a couple of years. Although, the market is not about to be flooded right now with soldiers, soon there will be 1,500 locally-recruited soldiers available and looking for work as well as a range of civilian former Army-employees. In addition there is a potential labour force of over 6,000 Gurkhas. Of the 8,500 in Hong Kong, just 2,400 will be retained by the British Army and transferred to Britain. These Nepali men are between 21 and 40 years of age, have 3 to 22 years of army experience and range in seniority from basic worker to middle management accustomed to handling up to 200 subordinates. They are

army experience and range in seniority from basic worker to middle management accustomed to handling up to 200 subordinates. They are technical people, chefs, drivers, engineers and so on, at all levels. They are trained to UK standards, and not just at killing people! They offer teamwork knowledge, loyalty, initiative, a strong work ethic and are keen to work here. They speak English to a reasonable degree and some speak Cantonese. They have no ID cards and must go through normal immigration application procedures, like a new arrival in Hong Kong. However, we heard that Immigration Department has been sympathetic to all known cases of applications for work permits and 2-3,000 have so far found employment here. Employers have to provide housing for the Gurkhas. The military salary for a private would be \$3-4,000/month with housing. One Gurkhali civil engineer with 35 years' experience has found employment with the new airport project at \$40,000/month, and these are the two ends of the scale.

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Local ex-soldiers will be educated to at least form 5 standard, and will have a competency in English. They will, of course, have ID cards, accommodation, and families in HK.

For information on Gurkha potential employees, contact Major Stuart Thornborough, tel. 2483-7233

For information on local ex-soldiers as potential employees, contact Captain Anthony Chan, tel. 2746-0453

## Spectator

- Acting-President J. L. began the meeting at 1:25 last week, interrupting what seemed set to become a conversation-only lunch with no announcements or programme. An unusual conversation at one table revolved around members boasting how little money they had (a kind of "lesser-than-thou" rivalry). It's hard to believe you're in HK sometimes.
- A.P.J.L. told us that "sadly" Prezlez was in Japan. Hope he packed his gas-mask.
- Business began with a special welcome to charter member Rtn. Emperor, still taking it easy
  in Shau Kei Wan and looking fit as ever.
- Rtn. C.Y. introduced visitors with his usual command and precision. P.P. Sam introduced No. 2 Son Kevin, back in HK for a couple of years after time in the family business in the USA. Would N2SK be a prospective new member, P.P. Sam? Rtn Roy introduced Prezlez's guest in absentia, Rob Fielding, on behalf of our Dear Leader, and then met Rob for the first time after the meeting! [All a. about f. if you ask me Ed]
- During the banner 'exchange' one went out to Karrimyup with a promise of one in return later. Perhaps when the IOU comes back, we'll find out where Karrimyup is!
- Welcome back PP Dave from Japan, where presumably the golfin' was good, and the golf balls cost \$485 each.
- The birthday boys were celebrated separately not a new trend, we hope, for those of us who can only take one birthday song a week, but a slight oversight. Rtn. T.S. came up first, with PP Sam on vocals and PP John on the camera. Then the same team entertained Rtn Alex Shang, who seemed to have popped out of the woodwork as far as our Hon. Secretary was concerned. Presents were promised when the man who runs a silk tie stall in Mong Kok returns from Japan.
- Sergeant-at-Arms Howe reported low attendance, at 37 members, but a good collection, standing at HK\$2,210 (or ¥1,345).
- Rtn. Tommy introduced our speaker, and Rtn. Vianney thanked him, putting his military moustaches and nearly thirty years of contact with the Gurkhas to fine use.
- The toast was to daughter club, HK Northeast.



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Don't forget the New Venue

From 1st June, we shall be meeting in the Regal Hong Kong Hotel, Yee Wo St. Causeway Bay. See map in last week's Tung Feng or Gov't Hong Kong Guide.

# Rotary at a Glance (. . . a looong glance)

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Clubs: 27,216; Districts: 506; Countries: 150;

Geographical areas: 34.

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Members: 155,043;
Countries: 114.

Interact: Clubs: 2,396;
 Members: 52,712;
 Countries: 69.

• Rotary Village Corps: 1,332;

Countries: 45.

PolioPlus – Number of polio-free countries: 145.

FEBRUARY 1995

To our surprise, last week, we learnt from IPP Tim that the world is to be Polio-Plus-free by the year 2000. At first we thought it was a slip but when you think about it, it makes sense.

#### Foundation Facts

• Paul Harris Fellows: 470,107

Foundation Benefactors: 17,277

Number of Carl P. Miller Discovery Grants awarded since program began in 1989:168

 Country that hosted most Ambassadorial Scholars in 1993-94: U.S.A. JANUARY 1995

Coming Attractions

DATE EVENT VENUE

This Sunday! April 30 District Sports Day see Rtn. Samuel

May 5 Club Golf Tournament Fanling

May 10 Club Assembly during lunch meeting

May 21 District Assembly Shatin Jockey Club

We are Host Club - acting as Secretary PE John Luk On-to-DA Chairman

May 28 PPE Campaign against use of plastic bags

PP George in charge

11-14 Jun 95 86th R.I. Convention Nice, France

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### Visiting Rotarians

Rtn. Trevor Lunt, R. C. of Karrimyup (I swear this is what he said, not Carry me up, anyway Rtn. Trevor promised to fulfill an I.O.U, on our banner - Ed]

PP Anthony Hung, in from the Wildlands of Tai Po.

Rtn. Dick Sedgwick, rumoured to be a member of the R. C. of Hong Kong, but who has actually been sacked for lack of attendance there, and has such a high attendance at our Club that he receives a copy of Tung Feng and a "We missed you" card when he skips one of our meetings (... only joking Dick).

President-Elect Edward Lui of R.C. of HK Northeast.

Rtn. Patrick Cheng, R.C. of HK (visiting us to try to persuade Rtn. Dick to go back).

### **Guests of Rotarians**

Kevin Lam, No. 2 Son of P.P. Sam

Guest of Pres. Leslie: PP Rob Fielding, introduced by Rtn. Roy



The final line-up

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### **ROTARY CLUB IN DISTRICT 3450 - MEETING DAYS**

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New Territories S Tai Po R Amagao (Macau) R	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon New World Hotel, Kowloon Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon Royal Park Hotel, Shatin Red Cross Hos, Macau Last Monday Dinner Meeting	12:30 p.m. (E) 12:30 p.m. (E) 6:00 p.m. (C) 6:30 p.m. (E/C) 6:45 p.m. (C) 7:00 p.m. (E) 9:30 p.m. (P) 8:00 p.m.	THURSDAY H.K. Harbour H.K. North H.K. South Kingspark HK Kowloon Kowloon Northeast Mid-Level	Excelsior Hotel, Hong Kong New World Harbour View Hotel, HK H.K. Country Club, Hong Kong 3rd Thursday Dinner Meeting Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon Miramar Hotel, Kowloon Quo Quo, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E) 12:30 p.m. (C) 12:30 p.m. (E) 7:30 p.m. 12:30 p.m. (E) 12:30 p.m. (E) 12:30 p.m. (C) 12:30 p.m. (C)
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# This Week's Programme

Capt Mark Bailey Royal Marines 'The British Armed Forces in Hong Kong'

# Next Week's Programme

'Club Assembly - Review of the Year'



Ms Tammy Tam 'RHKPF Auxiliary'



Ms Tammy Tam, our speaker last week

Our speaker last week was Ms Tammy Tam, Secretary to Mrs Susan McCabe a Group Manager of HK Telecom and President of Rotary Club of Queensway. Tammy's talk was on her voluntary work with the Royal Police Auxiliary of HK.

Tammy said this was not a promotional activity for the RHKPF (A) and she used the talk to share with us her personal feelings and the experience she had gained from the Auxiliary Force.

She focused on the following points:

- Application requirements to join the Force
- (2)Training
- Annual Compulsory duty (3)
- (4) Carrying of guns by men & women
- (5) Benefits

Application Requirements:

- must have completed 4th year of secondary education or equivalent
- must be able to write, either in English or Chinese

For male

H(163cm/+) W(50kg/+)

: for female H(152cm/+)W(42kg/+)

Training:

22 weeks (2 x 4 hours on weekdays, and 8 hours on Sundays) Including Foot Drills, lectures and practice. Foot drills teach discipline, lectures laws for police, routine work, practice, weapon usage

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Annual Compulsory duty:

Training Days 96 hours

- 48 hours for Lecture & Practice (L&P)

- 48 hours for On Job Training (OJT)

Field Days 7 days (public holiday duty according to district)

Annual Camp 7 days

Carrying of guns by men & women:

Men - on beat duty, they are required to carry guns

Women - From 1 Jan 95, all fresh recruits must be properly trained and are expected to

carry guns while on duty.

Benefits:

HK\$46 per hour

Tammy then provided us with personal observations and emphasised she was not an RHKPF Auxiliary recruiter.

• PP Sam was the man when it came to thanking our charming speaker. Although he is 'retired' he thanked Tammy for giving him the thought that he 'could' qualify as a recruit based on the requirements outlined (Tammy had not given an upper age limit).

All present gave Tammy a fine round of applause for a well delivered, interesting and informative talk.

## Change of Address

PP Con has advised that his new office contact details are:

Great River Corp.

GPO Box 169, Hong Kong

Tel: 2881-0838 Fax: 2881-0338

Home contact details remain the same.

#### Observer

- PP Edwin kicked off at 1:25 pm as Acting President. It was PP Day, when they take over and show how a Rotary meeting should truly be run. Actually they weren't too bad all things considered but Pres Leslie should have no fears of a take over bid.
- Pres Leslie gave us a 2 minute (plus 20) talk on his recent trip, with lovely first lady Molly, to our sister club RC Niigata District 2560, Japan. This is the subject of a seperate insert in this week's book.
- PP Jack was acting Sgt at Arms and he garnered \$2,422 as the take for the day. It was Secretary's Day so we were outnumbered by a group of beautiful ladies. Wow!
- PDG Peter said he would allow the bulletin editor to print his Rotary Information as time did not allow him to present it at last week's meeting.
- Introduction of speaker was next and Ms Tammy Tam who is Pres. Susan McCabe's sec. was introduced by PP Andrew. The outline is at the front of the book and PP Sam thanked Tammy on our behalf.
- PPs Jack and Henry led our birthday song in celebration of PP George's birthday. Many happy returns George.
- Final toast was to the RC Niigata wishing them well for the future and this was coupled with a toast to Rotary International.
- Acting President PP Edwin completed the meeting on time at 2 pm prompt and Pres Leslie opined he has enjoyed the short rest from his duties but he looked forward to this last two months in office before handing the Presidential mantle to President Elect John.

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#### Personal Thanks

The bulletin editor wishes to record his sincere thanks and gratitude to that fine scribe 'Spectator' for the excellent bulletins of the last three weeks. His witty, erudite editorship is a constant pleasure. My warmest regards dear Roy.

# Rotary Information by PDG Peter KP Hall

The Rotary International theme for 1995/96 is

Act with Integrity

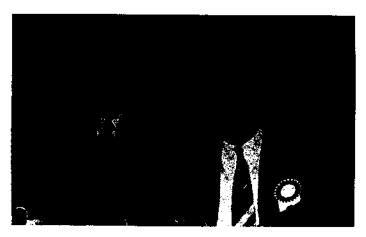
Serve with Love

Work for Peace

President-elect Herbert G. Brown very much stressed Membership Growth for next year. Quality is better than Quantity as the latter does not fit into our Rotary organization on its own. We want both quality and quantity. How can a club operate and serve the community with only a handful of members? Please ensure we increase quality candidates for membership of our club.

President-elect Herbert has set an incentive to recognize individual Rotarians who recruit 2 or more new quality members. Also a special programme will recognize those districts and clubs that achieve the highest net gain in membership.

Grand winners will attend the Calgary Convention at R.I. expense. The governor from the district that is named the overall world winner will be invited to bring his or her spouse to Calgary and the presidents of the winning clubs and their spouses to the CALGARY CONVENTION at the expense of R.I. For further details, please refer to the Calgary Challenge pamphlet, available from Sec. Gary.





Top Left: PPs Tim and Henry - great to have you with us Henry - looking good, too

Top Right: Pres Susan McCabe RC Queensway

Right: PP Dr. George - Happy Birthday



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## Visiting Rotarians

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Rtn Betty Mok
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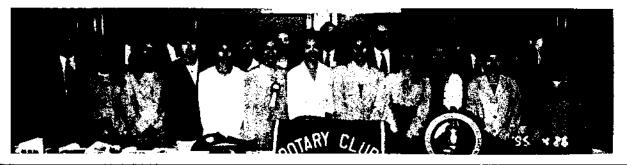
#### Guests

Mr Marvin Chen Mr Rob Fielding Ms Lisa Cheung Ms Amy Lui Ms Shirley Lam Ms Phyllis Lee Ms Emily Kwan Ms Cherrie Yeung Ms Fanny Chik Ms Dorothy Lam Ms Cindy Chan Mr. Yo Choi Ms Bonnie Au Ms Teresa Lam Ms Irene Lee Ms Elsie Lee Ms Connie Ko Ms Annie Ng Ms Jori Man Ms Charlene Pang

#### Hosts

Rtn KT Pres Leslie PP Jack Rtn Roy Rtn Roy Rtn Vianney VP JL VP IL Rtn Geoff II Rtn WS Rtn Murray Rtn Murray Rtn Ken IPP Tim Rtn CY Rtn CY Rtn Sam Rtn (David) Li Rtm (David) Li Pres Leslie

Acting Pres PP Edwin with a bevy of beautiful ladies. Oh! and some gentlemen, at last week's meeting



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#### **ROTARY CLUB IN DISTRICT 3450 - MEETING DAYS**

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Visit to the Rotary Club of Niigata by Pres Leslie

Molly and I travelled to Japan during the period April 16th to 19th and joined our sister Club, the Rotary Club of NIIGATA for their 55th Anniversary celebrations.

The Rotary Club of Niigata, District 2560, is the "BIG BROTHER' among the five Rotary Clubs in the city. Its current membership is 142 and they proudly boast six PDG's. The Club meets every Tuesday at 12:30 at the Hotel Italia-Ken and has a very active student exchange programme.

This was a last minute, off-the-cuff personal decision to switch from earlier plans and spread our resources since we already had a large group visit organized to our other sister club, Kawasaki South on April 28th for their 35th Anniversary.

We left early Easter Sunday morning, before most of our dedicated golfers were up and after an uneventful flight we were greeted by Rtn. Tateo Komaya at the Narita airport who came to guide us back to Niigata despite our protestations. He also must have had to get up very early that day to make that 333 km journey.

We raced through the underground passages to catch first, the new Narita Express to Tokyo Station (60 min.) and then the Joetsu Shinkansen bullet train to Niigata (120 min.) At the end, we had to admit that without Rtn. Koyama's help we could have missed all our connections. The trains were very comfortable and gave us an opportunity to slowly get to know our host. Niigata is a seaport NW of Tokyo on the Sea of Japan, a city of about half million inhabitants. The city is renowned for its agricultural and fishing activities, for the production of high quality rice and many different kinds of sake, most of which we had the opportunity to taste! We arrived in the middle of the cherry blossom festival, couldn't have planned it better even if we tried. The scenery was breath-taking, all the trees and lawns covered with the delicate palepink petals as if snow has fallen. Brilliant sunshine and cool breezes, temperatures in the low teens.

At our request for a more traditional Japanese accommodation, we had reservations at Rtn. Koyama's Hotel Kojin, a 175 year old ryokan kept in immaculate condition with all the anticipated features and some of the latest and most up-to-date comforts, such as electronically heated toilet seats!

As soon as we arrived, the Rotarians and Annes who visited our 40th Anniversary Celebrations last year were waiting in the large banquet hall. After last year's visit to Hong Kong when most of them had to invest in a formal dinner jacket, they are calling themselves the Black Tie Club and meet regularly for Fellowship!



A wonderful feast followed, good fellowship and generous helpings of iced sake helped to loosen all tongues and everybody made a genuine effort to communicate. Many fond memories of the Hong Kong visit were told over and over. I gave them an update on our club's main activities and the extension of Rotary to Mongolia. We learned that the Rotary Club of Niigata has been very active in establishing the Rotary movement in Russia and a



number of their members were flying out the day after their celebrations to attend the charter of new clubs in Vladivostok and Habarovsk!

Monday was set aside for some sight seeing. We visited the home of Mr. Seto who has a fishpond with about 40 huge goldfish, some of these 80 years old and over 24 inches in length. As we were hand feeding the fish, we were told that they were priceless.

We also visited the Ito Mansion and the Northern Culture Museum outside Niigata, an example of traditional Japanese architecture built in 1885-87 for one of the wealthiest landowners of the region. The rest of the afternoon was spent looking at the markets, the shopping arcades and making last minute amendments to my speech.

The special club meeting started 5 o'clock in the Hotel Italia-Ken, about 70-75 Rotarians and Annes were in attendance and we received a very warm welcome. The meeting formula was quite different from ours, formal VIP marching-in, marching out and a seminar type seating arrangement. After my short congratulatory message, there was an exchange of club presents and banners with President Yanadori. More speeches followed before we all retired to the main ballroom shortly after 6 pm for a stand-up type buffet banquet. Over 150 Rotarians and friends had gathered by this time.

This is where the real fellowship started, everyone was eating, drinking, mingling and coming up introducing themselves, asking about old friends in Hong Kong, sending their best wishes and greetings to our members, discussing possible future joint projects. One of the first persons we met was PP Yokoyama who lead the Niigata delegation in March 1973 for the signing of the Sisterhood agreement. There were geisha girls, music, dancing, plenty of drinks and food



of all descriptions. More photographs and presentations; a most enjoyable way to meet everyone.

The Rotary Club of Niigata and Rtn. Koyama looked after Molly and me extremely well. We were overwhelmed by their generous hospitality. It was an exciting and enriching experience to see one of our Sister clubs in action and to strengthen the ties and goodwill between our two clubs. I am looking forward to an even closer liaison and I will work towards that goal.

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# TUNG FENC

香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

# This Week's Programme

'Club Assembly - Review of the year'

# Next Week's Programme

Hon Martin Barrow OBE JP ('Something about LegCo')

# Last Week's Speaker

Capt Mark Bailey Royal Marines 'The Hong Kong Garrison Reviewed'



Capt Mark Bailey

We were very pleased to have as our speaker last week a very young looking (truly) and fit Royal Marine Officer who is with the Joint Services Public Relations Staff at HQ British Forces Hong Kong. Capt Mark Bailey spoke to us on a very important topic. Outlined below is a synopsis of his talk.

Background

The Hong Kong Garrison consists of almost 2600 regular military personnel, drawn from the Royal Navy (RN), the Army and the Royal Air Force (RAF), and about 650 civilians. The total garrison of around 3250 is composed of about 875 British, 1050 Gurkha and 1325 Hong Kong Chinese personnel. The principal elements of the Garrison are its headquarters, a naval patrol craft squadron, an infantry battalion group, a support helicopter squadron and a logistic support regiment.

#### Role of the Garrison

The Garrison's role is to provide a tangible demonstration of the United Kingdom's sovereignty and commitment to Hong Kong until 30 June 1997, thus contributing to the Territory's security, stability and prosperity.

In order to fulfill this role, the Garrison maintains a balanced and flexible capability to assist the Hong Kong Government, when required, in a number of tasks:

Maintenance of territory integrity.

Maintenance of stability, security and confidence within the Territory.

Support of the Royal Hong Kong Police.

Disaster and emergency relief.

The British military presence in Hong Kong also contributes to regional stability in South East Asia where Britain retains security interests; for example the Five Power Defence Arrangements with Australia, Malaysia, New Zealand and Singapore.

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#### **Defence Costs**

The Garrison is paid for under the terms of the 1988 Defence Costs Agreement whereby 65% of the cost is borne by the Hong Kong Government and 35% by the Ministry of Defence. In 1994/1995, the total cost of the Garrison is estimated at just over HK\$2,000 million of which some 70% is spent within the Territory.

#### Withdrawa!

A review of the likely security situation in the four years prior to the handover of sovereignty led, in July 1993, to the announcement of a reduction in the Garrison from about 9,500 personnel to its current figure by 1995. It is intended that the Garrison will remain at about this strength until late 1996 when a phased rundown of logistic and support services will begin, leaving only the Garrison's operational elements to be withdrawn in the period immediately before 1 July 1997.

During the lead up to mid-1997, the Garrison will progressively hand back the 39 sites that it occupied in 1993 to the Hong Kong Government. By mid-1995, garrison units will be concentrated in four major sites: Prince of Wales Barracks, Stonecutters Island, Sek Kong and Osborn Barracks in Kowloon. These four, and 10 other military sites, will be handed over to the Chinese garrison by the British Government upon transfer of sovereignty, under the terms of the Defence Lands Agreement reached in the Joint Liaison Group in June 1994.

The 1st Battalion, Royal Gurkha Rifles will return to Britain in November 1996 - the end of the Nepali academic year - and be replaced initially by the 1st Battalion, The Staffordshire Regiment (The Prince of Wales's) and subsequently by the 1st Battalion, The Black Watch (Royal Highland Regiment). These two battalions will serve overlapping five-month, unaccompanied tours providing, amongst other things, manpower to cover posts vacated by locally enlisted personnel undergoing resettlement training and terminal leave. The majority of locally enlisted personnel will have completed their terminal leave by the end of March 1997.

Rtn. Murray was chosen to give a vote of thanks to Capt Bailey and Murray praised Mark for a very fine speech well delivered. He asked members and guests to show their appreciation of Mark's presentation and all responded with a resounding round of applause.

### Stop Press

Tung Feng Golf Classic

The 1995 Tung Feng Classic Champion is Rtn Sam. A superb classic with some fine golf. More news and pics next week. Congrats Sam.

# Rotary Information by PP Ken Poon GSE 94/95 District 3450 with District 1090 UK

This year our district was matched with district 1090 in the United Kingdom. District 1090 is located within the Thames Valley, in southern England. The team left on 20th March and visited 6 cities within 30 days. We covered many interesting places, including the cattle auction market in Banbury, the Shakespeare theatre in Stratford, and the air traffic control tower at London Heathrow Airport.

If we didn't have Rotarian good connections, we could never have been received at the Heathrow control tower which is the busiest airport in the world.

Althoughg most team members had travelled to major cities throughout the world, they found this trip most rewarding, in terms of the knowledge they gained, and above all, the friendship they cultivated with hosts and host clubs alike.

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Observer

 Pres Leslie commenced proceedings at 1:28 pm with a special welcome to the Emperor of Shaukiwan, the splendid Rtn Emperor, our Charter Member who was making an 'important' appearance (see below)

Kawasaki South celebration attendees were also given a special welcome back.

 Rtn Patrick was back in our fold from his current club of RC Singapore and Pres Leslie 'press-ganged' Patrick into introducing our visiting Rotarians and getting Rotary hosts to introduce their guests.

• Banner exchange resulted in six out and one in (Siali Istanbul, Turkey) but we're not upset, we've got over 1,000 in stock and our overseas fellow Rotarians promised to mail banners of their clubs to us. 'Welcome back' greetings were also accorded to Rtn Wing, ex Shanghai, Rtn Sital ex Bombay and our Rtns from sister club visits (again!).

 Pres Leslie then said a special 'Thank you' to PP Edwin and an ordinary 'Thank you' to other PPs who 'took over' last week and who ran that meeting in an excellent manner.

• Birthday celebrant Rtn Emperor was the toast of the day. After 41 years of membership of our club he was celebrating his 40th birthday (well he looks only 40) and PP Con was very pleased to lead the birthday song for this 'splendid Rotarian'.

• PE John gave us the background on the recent visit to the RC Kawasaki South to celebrate this sister club's 35th Anniversary and said our club members who were fortunate enough to be a part of this visit enjoyed themselves very much indeed. He then passed around some pics but as they had not been censored they won't be printed until next week.

 District Assembly was the subject of PE John's second announcement. The venue is the Royal HK Jockey Club at Shatin on Sunday am (9:30-ish) 21 May 1995 and it will be a family affair. This means fun for all.

• The Board meeting on the previous Monday had agreed to pay each club member's fees for attendance at this very important function in the Rotary calendar, so the only cost is \$250 for each wife and \$150 for each child. A bargain, indeed. Please sign up now. All incoming officers are required (and kindly requested) to attend, with or without family members!

 Acting Sgt at Arms Henry (Luy) said our very generous Rotarians were (nearly) all present and donors included, in particular, Rtn Emperor in celebration of his birthday. PP Sam donated his usual \$200 and other members donated their \$100 and other notes. \$1,830 was the result from our 34 members present and the club and our deserving community service projects thank you all.

• PP Ken gave us a backgrounder on his Rotary group study exchange team visit to District 1090 in the UK and a brief synopsis is printed elsewhere in the book.

 Pres Leslie asked our Rotary Scholar (Ambassador) Dr Nelson Wat to talk about his one year scholarship award to Oxford University Nelson will do research on diabetes and he told us the background of this important subject. More on Nelson also is elsewhere in the book.

 Rtn Ken introduced our speaker for the day, Capt. Mark Bailey Royal Marines, who gave us a review, with technical support, of the British Garrison's presence in Hong Kong 1841-1995 (and to 1 July 1997).

This was an excellent talk, outlined at the front of the book, and Mark was given a vote of thanks by Rtn Murray. Members gave a splendid round of applause in appreciation. Rtn Ken continues to be an excellent Programme Chairman, if he keeps this up in the next few weeks he could have a Rotary 'job for life' (note no pension, Ken)

 Pres Leslie ended the meeting, slightly late at 2:07 pm, with a toast to Rotary International coupled with a toast to the RC Salinas, California USA.

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# Visiting Rotarians

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# Dr Nelson WAT Ming-sum

Our Rotary Scholar visited us last week before his imminent departure for Oxford University. Here is a brief background on Nelson.

He has been working as a medical officer in the University Medical Unit at Queen Mary Hospital since 1990. He qualified in 1988 from Hong Kong University. He obtained his postgraduate higher qualification of membership of the Royal College of Physicians (MRCP) in London in 1993. Nelson developed special interest in endocrinology especially diabetes mellitus 2 years ago. He



Good Luck Dr Nelson Wat - our Rotary Scholar.

has been playing an active role in running the KK Leung Diabetes Centre at Queen Mary Hospital since January 1994.

Nelson has also been heavily involved in a number of basic and clinical research projects related to diabetes mellitus.

He has published 11 papers in local and international journals and presented 4 abstracts in scientific meetings so far.

He has travelled to different parts of the world to attend international scientific meetings, including the earthquake-stricken city of Kobe in Japan.

Now he will spend a year at Oxford University, England to carry out a research project on Diabetes mellitus related complications.

We wish Nelson every success and look forward to hearing of his research when he returns to Hong Kong next year.



Line up of visiting Rotarians & guests last week with Pres Leslie.

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# This Week's Programme

Hon. Martin Barrow OBE JP Chairman HK Tourist Association 'Taking Hong Kong into the 21st Century -The New HKTa Marketing Campaign'

# Next Week's Programme

Dr George Koo 'Newer Treatments for Urilogical Diseases'

# Last Week's Speaker

'Club Assembly - Review of the year'



Pres. Elect John

Our programme last week was mainly taken up by reports from directors of three of the four avenues of service viz Pres Elect John (Chairman, Club Service Comittee) Rtn Vianney (Chairman, International Service Committee) and Rtn Murray (Chairman, Vocational Service Committee) Rtn Desmond (Chairman, Community Service Committee) was unavoidably absent. Synopses of reports from Murray and Vianney follow.

Review of Rtn Murray MacDonald Vocational Service 1994/95

Besides visits to club members' work places we had one other major vocational project in this Rotary year.

The Hong Kong Academy for Performing Arts was established many years ago to assist and train gifted artists in their various fields of endeavour (Drama, Music, Dance and Technical Arts). Talented students are selected from a large number of applicants mainly from Hong Kong and China but also from other countries in Asia now that the very high reputation of the Academy is spreading. The students are generally aged between 18 - 25 years and they can spend two to three years studying at the Academy.

Our project is to support the School of Music by providing funds to purchase musical instruments which will be loaned by the Academy to selected deserving students who have proven high musical ability and who are financially unable to purchase their own instruments.

The instruments remain the property of Rotary but are on permanent loan to the Academy which ensures they are suitably marked and which accepts the responsibility for maintenance and care. When a student finishes his or her study at the Academy, this instrument is taken back and awarded to another worthy student who is studying at the Academy. Thank you for a fine report, Murray.

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#### International Service

Rtn Vianney advised us that spring had brought the departure of Rtn Rudy Schats and Vianney's assumption of the Directorship for International Service. As a Director, he is responsible to the Board for overseeing efforts in:-

- (a) Special International Observances and Events;
- (b) International meetings;
- (c) International Educational and Cultural activities;
- (d) The Rotary Foundation; and
- (e) World Community Service.

Rotary Foundation, apart, these facets tend to run into one another and may be consider under two titles -- Sister Clubs and World Service.

#### **Rotary Foundation**

Quick facts:-

(i)	Total donated since 1953	US\$319,474.55
(ii)	Total to Polio Plus	US\$19,200.00
(iii)	Total Available for PHF/SM	\$12,507.71
(iv)	Sustaining Members	2
(v)	Paul Harris Fellows	111
(vi)	Benefactors	13
(vii)	Unrecruited	18
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It is hoped that at least half the unrecruited members will become Paul Harris Fellows or Sustaining Members this year or next.

#### Sister Clubs

- (a) RC Makati North visited us for the Annual Ball; and
- (b) In April a delegation went to RC Niigata (led by President Leslie) and RC Kawasaki South (led by VPE Hubert).

#### **World Service**

- (a) We have joined with our sister Rotary Clubs of Osaka Jonan and Niigata to purchase musical instruments for the HK Academy of the Performing Arts;
- (b) Our Club participated by providing US\$3,000 as part of a Matching Grant Programme to fund a Mobile Eye Clinic in Bangladesh;
- (c) Our Club was very active in the Group Study Exchange this year. PP Ken Poon led a team to the UK and Rotarians entertained the visiting UK team; and
- (d) We have joined RC Makati North by pledging to contribute US\$2,000 in a Matching Grant Scheme to provide succour to street children in Manila.

#### The Way Forward

- To increase the number of Paul Harris Fellows and Sustaining Members in the Club this year and next to 100%;
- (ii) To strengthen ties with our sister clubs by organizing more visits and joint projects; and
- (iii) To involve a greater number of club members in International Service.

#### Ed. note: A splendid report, Vianney.

#### **Notice**

Wednesday, 7 June 1995 will be our first meeting at REGAL HONG KONG HOTEL. Causeway Bay, Hong Kong



Rtn Sam winner of the Tung Feng Classic Golf Tournament receives the Peter K P Hall Cup.

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 Pres Leslie got us on track at 1.12 pm with a special welcome to PDG Raymond and to our past members Rtns John (JT) and Ron (Forte) now with RC North Sydney and RC Castle Hill, respectively.

PP Con introduced visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced by their Rotarian hosts.

 A warm 'Welcome Back' was given to Rtn David (Wei) from New Zealand and to PP Ramesh from Bangkok; what stamina, Ramesh. Whew!

Birthday celebrants Rtn John (Yao) Rtn Flicker (William) and Rtn Tom were the recipients
of presents from Pres Leslie and a birthday song led by PP Con. Congratulations to all and
many more of them.

 Pres Leslie advised that recently PP Jim Smith had visited our club. Jim's club is the RC of Bredbury and Romiley, UK and in a recent letter to Pres Leslie they advised that we would be the toast club at their next meeting. This was a very nice gesture and is much appreciated. Thank you PP Jim and members of RC Bredbury and Romiley.

• Announcements were next. PDG Peter was first up. Peter gave us the background to the Peter KP Hall Cup which is the perpetual trophy for the winner of the Tung Feng Golf Classic. Rtn Sam was presented with this lovely piece of silver and we were advised that the 'nearest-the-pin' winner was PP Jack, well done.

 Rtn Dr George asked our Rotarians to assist in manning our booth at the Preserve Planet Earth exhibition at Taikoo Shing on Sunday 28 May 1995.
 Rtn Flicker volunteered to help with the handing out of environmentally friendly bags to replace plastic shopping bags. PP George would like others to also 'volunteer'.

• PE John said we needed more Rotarians to sign up for Sunday's (21 May 1995) District Assembly which is at the RHKJC main building at Shatin. Remember it is free for Rotarians and \$250 for each wife and \$150 for each child. It has good family fun on the agenda and good food at luncheon.

 Pres Leslie said there were important items on the agenda at the District Assembly and said it would be a lively, interesting and informative meeting for Rotarians. Please sign up ASAP.

 A/Sgt at Arms Rtn David II advised us that 39 members were present and we had received handsome donations from the birthday celebrants, PP Sam (as usual) and the red note brigade resulting in \$2,460 being added to our funds to serve our club and the community. Thank you for your generosity, you splendid Rotarians.

 There was no Rotary Information as we would be overwhelmed with such when the programme for the day commenced. It was 'Club Assembly - Review of the year' and more on this extravaganza below and elsewhere in the book.

 Rtn Desmond (Community Service) was unable to attend this meeting so we got reports on only three of the 4 Avenues of Serivce.

 PE John then covered Club Service. Discussion of club members views on various club service functions including karaoke, programme, fund raising etc took place and some (repeat some) sensible comments were made.

This was the last Club Assembly for the year and it helped us to focus on what we need to do in order to continue being a well respected, friendly and diligent club dedicated to the implementation of the Rotary ideals and to the 4 Avenues of Service.

 Pres Leslie was pleased on behalf of all members of our club, to wish PDG Peter a very happy and fruitful trip to the charter ceremony of the Rotary Club of Ulaan Baatar which was to be held on Saturday last, 13 May 1995. Good luck Peter, we look forward to hearing about your adventures.

 Pres Leslie ended the meeting at 2.02 pm with a toast to Rotary International coupled with a toast to the RC Nykoping, Sweden.

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MEMBER'S LIST OF ROTARY CLUB OF HK ISLAND EAST as of 15th May, 1995

#### Visiting Rotarians

PDG Raymond Wong Rtn Gunnar Back Rtn John Miller Rtn Ronald Pugh Rtn John Taylor Rtn Ron Forte VP David Tsoi Rtn Richard Ho Rtn Richard Sedgwick Rtn Shirley Chung PP Peter Tse

#### Clubs

Kowloon East Nykoping, Sweden Carluke, Scotland Wisconsin, USA Nth Sydney, Aust Castle Hill HK Northeast HKIW Hong Kong HK Harbour Tsimshatsui East

#### Guests

Mr Hans Stackegard Mr Don Vahlsing

#### Hosts

Rtn Gunnar Back Rtn Ronald Pugh



'Old Boy' Ron receives our banner



Last week's lineup of visiting Rotarians and guests with Pres Leslie



Top: Classic Golf participants '95. Back row (L to R) PP Andrew, PP Philip, PP Con, PP John and Rtn Sam. Front (L to R) Rtn Tajwar, PP Edwin, PP Jack and trophy donor PDG Peter.

Right: PP YK joined the golfers for dinner at Rtn Dragon's "Yaik Sang' Restaurant. A great day was had by all.



Right: PP Jack receives 'Nearestthe-Pin' prize from Rtn Sam.



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NAME	CHINESE	WIFE	OFFICE	FAXLINE	HOME	NAME	CHINESE	WIFE	OFFICE	FAXLINE	HOME
Balakrishnan, S.K.	      -		2525-5231	2845-9284	:	Ling, Thomas	林子腳	Eleanor	2815-3306	2541-1761	2849-6965
Bovet, Tom	:	-	2572-6278	2838-6022	2832-5133	Liu, Stephen	<b>廖</b> 凌膜	Christina	2823-1823	2861-1283	2817-4371
Challaram, Manolo		Chitra	2522-5710	2845-0471	2576-2730	Loy, Tony Tung Tak	<b>第回德</b>	Lily	2834-3366	2836-6996	2891-1337
Chan, Henry	陳承皓	May	2837-8369	2830-7001	2561-8759	Lui, Tim	雷孫良	Grace	2839-4365	2882-5087	2572-3280
Chan, Hubert	陳重義	Josephine	2863-9999	2865-6016	2526-1618	Luk, John	陸充廣	Andy W.Y.	2828-5208	2511-4698	2570-2841
Chan, Joseph	陳啓年	Cecilia	2788-8145	2788-8480	2890-3615	Luy, Henry King Hang	雷景恆	Wendy	2869-7282	2869-7118	2886-1393
Chan, Kenny	陳錫昌	Mabel	2562-8038	2565-8832	2580-1338	Macdonald, Murray	1	III	2822-2670	2845-5771	2576-0132
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Chang, David T.	扱大魁	Jacinta	2833-0089	2892-1199	2553-3753	Mctachlan, Alastair	1		2753-1828	2753-8798	2895-4481
Chen, Andrew	程義	Betty	2526-4294	2810-6780	2573-3822	Moosdeen, Baker	1	Mariam	2574-3280	2865-1930	2573-6388
Cheng, Y.K.	鄭周基	Irene	2576-4343	2895-0237	2893-8928	Motwani, Sital	,	Lita	2522-2852	2810-5771	2574-6824
Cheung, Desmond	張信民	Donna W Y	2840-1088	2810-4923	2521-0988	Narian, Kishu		Bharti	2849-6328		2849-6661
Cheung, Kam Tini	張錦添	Ho Fung Chin	-	b= b	2525-4837	Nie, Dragon	嚴雲龍	Wan In-pin	2511-2151	2507-5151	2575-1657
Cheung, Lee Kwong	损理光	Sophia	2822-3973	2845-7935	2595-9564	Pang, Kee Tak	彭紀德	Ong Weishi	2575-6575	2891-3834	2833-5601
Chiu, Gary S.C.	趙善材	Carol	2516-6666	2516-5555	2711-1342	Poon, Kenneth		-	2549-2246	2549-2246	2549-2246
Chung, Raymond (Macau)	鍾錦輝	Alleson	891-3868	891-3234	898-089	Ramakrishnan, V.		Vidya	   ;	2806-0449	2806-0533
Conway, Con	江傳	Carlye	2881-0838	2881-0338	2523-2313	Razack, Abraham		Lisa	2588-2288	2511-0679	2877-8171
Eng, Wing S.	;	Sharon	2571-0220	2503-3969	2572-1656	Schneiders, Kurt	1	Rye Keun	2759-3281	2751-7162	2813-2584
Fu, C.Y.	傅子義	Teresa	2782-3193	2780-6635	2491-7013	Shadikhan, Tajwar	•	Christina	2699-5823	2695-9683	2656-1189
Ghose, T.K.	;	Raj	2788-7375	2788-7429	2546-9207	Shang, Alex	項啓軒		2546-1641	1	2546-1641
Grubb, Roy	1	1	2857-1888		2857-1888	Simmons, Geoff		Jenny	2840-5525	2537-1709	2812-1576
Hall, Peter K.P.	質錦平	!	2523-2342	2521-2086	2523-2342	Soltay, Leslie	蘇堤	Molly	2766-7200	2363-1148	2606-2914
Hausmann, Rube D	1	Sylvia	2893-5127	}	2893-5127	Tao, Edwin	陶學那	Margaret	2838-8013	2834-9500	2891-6491
Howe, Christopher J.		Lisa	2811-1310	2564-8274	2813-0547	Ting, Chris		Mabel	2838-8013	2834-9500	2576-3987
Kok, Matthew	乳茂華	Elaine	2971-4208	2971-8257	2886-3467	Wang, Wilson	王澤森	Sophia	2576-8937	2577-4624	2812-1714
Kwok, John G.U.	乳态安	Mae	2852-1817	2581-2639	2592-9287	Waring, David	1	Nancy	2844-0898	2845-9044	2987-9294
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Lam, Sam	林秀葉	Elaine	2523-7081	2890-9751		Willy-Furth, Vianney		Sonja	2841-6371	2540-2970	2540-2732
Lam, W.S.	林秀誠	Cecilia	2501-0582	2507-0591		Wong, David Wai Pang	黄偉鵬	-	2821-6128	2865-4987	2336-6065
Lamport, Flicker		-	2418-0268	2418-0785		Wong, Kenneth	黄昱文	Sharon	2835-7139	2891-3081	2537-5271
Lau, Jack	劉柱輝	Patricia	2821-5138	2821-5534	=	Wong, Samual	黄莲琛	Jena	2520-0833	2866-2019	2575-1628
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Li, David	李家暉	Amy	2827-7768	2827-5086	2881-8807	Yang, Y.P.	楊衍培	Peggy	2573-1488		2573-1488
Li, Francis K.C.	李建忠	Catherine	2527-6191	2865-1872	2564-6513	Yao, John	姚振字	Irene	2869-8830	2869-8616	2524-1876
Lidster, Dick		Judy	2868-3888	2791-6864	2791-6845	Yu, Gerald	[余大佐 ]	Maria	2559-5000	2857-5485	2608-0488
Ling, Alex	林方	June	2548-3467	2517-8542	2548-3340						

Any changes, please inform Secretary Gary Chiu at once. Thanks.

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Our 41st Year of Rotary Service

Chartered: 6th April, 1954 by Founding President, the late PDG (Uncle) John Yuen



#### This Week's Programme

Dr. George Koo 'Newer Treatments for Urological Diseases'

#### Next Week's Programme

Dr Edwin Yu Chi Shing 'Senile Dementia - The Forgotten Illness and The Forgotten People'

#### Last Week's Speaker

Hon Martin Barrow OBE JP Chairman HK Tourist Association 'Taking Hong Kong into the 21st Century - The New HKTA Marketing Campaign



Hon Martin Barrow

Last week we had the distinct pleasure of a talk by Legislative Council Member the Hon Martin Barrow in his role as chairman of the Hong Kong Tourist Association. This is a synopsis of his talk.

The Hong Kong Tourist Association's new marketing campaign was launched last month, and has been presented recently to the world's travel industry at the annual conference of the Pacific Area Travel Association. In addition, it is being launched worldwide through a series of trade and press major promotions.

Marketing campaigns are an indispensable feature of modern business. To be really effective, a marketing campaign needs to be totally comprehensible, covering every aspect of the business. No detail is too small when an industry or company sets out to enhance or change its image. That, as many of you know to your own cost, is not a cheap process.

The H.K.T.A.'s new campaign is a 70 million Hong Kong dollar booster for Hong Kong's tourism industry.

The industry is already Hong Kong's second-largest income-earner, behind only the textiles and garments industry. Tourism earned Hong Kong HK\$64 billion last year, when more than 9 million visitors came and spent money here. Couldn't we just let the industry tick over, and let the hotels, airlines, travel agencies and retail businesses look after their own interests?

The Hong Kong Tourist Association does not think so. Nor does the tourism industry. It is an industry that knows we are in an extremely competitive situation vis-a-vis other destinations around the region. It takes a long-term view of its markets and world trends. And it knows that today's marketing plans will be generated income in the 21st century.

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Our competitors were catching up with us, in facilities and standards of service. People were wondering about 1997. Any launch had to be done this year, because any major new marketing campaign takes between 18 months and two years to establish itself on a world scale. We wanted the world's travel industry to realise that 1997, when Hong Kong becomes an SAR of China, and the years beyond would have no implication on Hong Kong as a magnificent travel destination and that Hong Kong is -- and will remain -- a uniquely exciting and satisfying travel destination.

The H.K.T.A's advertising agency looked at all of Hong Kong's superlatives and surprising facts and identified what the creative director called a "web of wonders". There were umpteeen more wonders on the horizon and planners' drawing boards. From the Chek Lap Kok project's world record bridges to the plan for the world's tallest hotel that may arise in Tsuen Wan. It was clear that "Wonders Never Cease" in Hong Kong. That became the theme-line of our marketing campaign.

Put all of Hong Kong's wonders together and the world's travel industry appreciates that Hong Kong offers its clients a unique package. A package that promises amazing sights and an exciting atmosphere.

Our agency expressed that message through the new campaign logo that gives eight characters of Hong Kong's English name a very distinctive stylishness. Six of the characters contain varied images of Hong Kong. The other two fill the "O" s of Hong Kong's name with its

Chinese calligraphy. Our advertising and video material takes a similar cross-cultural and multi-faceted approach. It employs collages that are packed with diverse images. Like Hong Kong itself.

We can never dare to take its success for granted. I hope you will all help us to ensure that Hong Kong's tourism industry remains an economic wonder in the next century.

PP Con hd the pleasant task of providing a vote of thanks to Martin for a very interesting and informative talk which was illustrated by posters and a video of the HKTA's new television advertising campaign. All present responded with a resounding round of applause.



Sec. Gary & Pres Tim with last week's honorable guest speaker

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Observer

Last week Acting President PP Tim got us underway at 1:24 pm with a warm welcome to all. Reigning President Leslie and Pres Elect John were unable to attend so we had the distinct pleasure of having PP Tim in charge.

Rtn Desmond introduced visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced by their Rotarian hosts. The club had three guests from the HK Tourist Association who were present in

support of their chairman Hon Martin Barrow OBE JP our speaker last week.

No exchange of banners as the only 'overseas' Rotarian, Rtn Patrick, said he had a suitcase full of them which he 'borrowed' on his departure from our club for sunny Singapore.

Birthday celebrant was Rtn CY and he chose Rtn Parick to lead us in his birthday song. Patrick did so from a new height (see pic).

Announcements. Next Wednesday, 31 May 1995, will be our last meeting at the Marina Room, Excelsior Hotel and we will have the pleasure of a visit by members of our daughter (son?) club, the Rotary Club of Northeast. We look forward to greeting many old Rotary friends on this auspicious occasion.

Last Sunday's District Assembly got a final plug from A/Pres Tim and we trust everyone enjoyed the Rotary action, information, fellowship and (heated) debates.

Acting Sgt at Arms Matthew said that although we had less than usual club members present at last week's meeting we had, as usual, been most generous. Rtns Gerald, Roy, Henry III, PP YK, and Rtn Dick were century dollar contributors and Rtn CY donated \$300 for his '30th Birthday'. PP John Kwok paid his large (golfing) debt to the club instead of paying Rtn Sam and Acting Pres Tim was said to have paid a low red note premium for his insurance against mistakes that he may have made. A total of \$2,300 was the result and we remain the most generous club in the district with a very high weekly donation per capita. Very many thanks to you all.

 Rtn Murray introduced our speaker the Hon Martin Barrow OBE JP and we had the privilege of a very well delivered talk followed by a video.

Questions were put to our speaker and Marin responded in the manner of a very experienced

PP Con had the distinct pleasure of thanking our distinguished speaker for a very important and informative talk.

Acting President PP Tim proposed the final toast which was to Rotary International coupled with a toast to Rtn Patrick's club the Rotary Club of Singapore and Tim closed the meeting at 2.02 pm.

(The insurance was not needed PP Tim but thanks anyway for your fine donation for our club and community causes.)



Birthday celebrant Rtn CY with cheerleader Rtn Patrick.

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#### Visiting Rotarians

Rtn Patrick Connor Rtn Hubert Ng Rtn Matt Siu

#### Guests

Ms Pauline Chung Ms Judy Gin Mr Kent Hayden-Sadler Ms Penelope Byrne Ms Shirley Ping

#### Clubs

Singapore HK Harbour HK Northeast

#### Hosts

Rtn Matthew PP YK Club guest (HKTA) Club guest (HKTA) Club guest (HKTA)

#### Notice

Wednesday, 7 June 1995 will be our first meeting at REGAL HONG KONG HOTEL Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

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#### **ROTARY CLUB IN DISTRICT 3450 - MEETING DAYS**

MONDAY			Shatin	Ramada Renaissance Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m (C)
Tsimshatsui East	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloan	12:30 p.m. (E)	Macay Central	Oriental Hotel, Macau	7:30 p.m. (C/E
Victoria	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)			
Wanchar	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	THURSDAY		
Tsuen Wan	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowlaan	6:00 p.m. (C)	H.K. Harbour	Excelsior Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
Tolo Harbour	New World Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m. (E/C)	H.K. North	New World Harbour View Hotel, HK	12:30 p.m. (C)
New Territories	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	6:45 p.m. (C)	H.K. South	H.K. Country Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
Tai Po	Royal Park Hotel, Shatin	7:00 p.m. (E)		3rd Thursday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.
Amagao (Macau)	Red Cross Hgs. Macau	9:30 p.m. (P)	Kingspark HK	Sheraton Holel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)
	Last Monday Dinner Meeting	8:00 p.m.	Kowloon	Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)
			Kowloon Northeast	Miramar Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)
TUESDAY			Mid-Level	Que Que, Heng Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)
Hong Kong Sunrise	Regent Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 a.m. (C)	Peninsula South	Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E/C
	Last Tuesday Dinner Meeting	6:45 p.m.	Kowloon Northwest	Omni Prince Hotel, Kowloon	6.00 p.m. (C)
Hong Kong	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	Kwai Chung	Royal Garden Hotel, Kowloon	6 00 p.m. (C)
HK Bayview	Victoria Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (M/C)	Kwun Tong	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)
H.K. City North	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	Queensway	American Club, Hong Kong	6:30 p.m. (E)
H.K. Northwest	Ritz Carlton Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	Macau [Macau]	Tenis Civil Restaurant, Macau	8:00 p.m. (E)
Kowloon East	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)		1st, 3rd, 5th Thursday Dinner Meeting	
Peninsula	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)		2nd, 4th Thursday Lunch Meeting	
Quarry Bay	Regal Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	FRIDAY		
	1st Tuesday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.	Admiratty	Furama Kempinski Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
The Peak	The China Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E/C)	H.K. Island West	Ritz Carlton Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)
Hou Kuong (Macau)	Lisboa Hotel, Macau	1:00 p.m. (C/P)	H.K. Northeast	World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
			Kowloon North	Holiday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)
WEDNESDAY			Guia (Macau)	New World Emperor Hotel, Macau	1:00 p.m. (M)
City Northwest H.K.	Victoria Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	Channel Islands	World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong	7:15 p.m. (C)
H.K. Island East	Excelsior Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	Statile Ballos	tions had come one; hong tang	,
Kowloon Golden Mile	·-·, ·····	12:30 p.m. (E)	(C) Cantonese Speaking	) (E) English Speaking (M) Mai	ndarin Speaking
Kowloon West	Miramar Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)	(P) Portuguese Speakin	0	

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#### This Week's Programme

Dr. Edwin Yu Chi Shing 'Senile Dementia -- The Forgetting Illness and The Forgotten People'

#### Next Week's Programme

Dr. H S Fung 'Promoting a Healthy Vegetarian Life'



PP Dr. George Koo

#### Last Week's Speaker

We were very pleased to welcome PP Dr George C G Koo as our speaker last week. Whether all of us were as pleased after the very valuable talk was a moot point but with the aid of his extremely graphic slides PP George kept all of us enthralled. The subject, one which affects all men over 50 and some in their 30s and 40s was 'Newer Treatments for Urological Diseases'.

Dr. George is an eminent consultant surgeon and urologist. He received his medical training at Cambridge University and the London Hospital medical college. After further graduate training at the London Hospital he obtained his fellowship of both the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh and of England. He was then sent to Montreal Canada on a surgical exchange program and did two years of clinical and research work in urology including kidney transplantation, and for this he was awarded McGill University's Master of Surgical Science degree. He returned to Hongkong in 1966 and taught at the Department of Surgery of the University of Hongkong for six years during which he was in charge of the urological service including the dialysis and transplantation programme for patients dying of terminal renal failure. Since 1972 he has been in private practice. In 1985 he founded the Hong Kong Stone Centre at St. Paul Hospital for the non-invasive treatment of kidney stones and also for gall stones, the first one of its kind in Hong Kong. In 1992 a Prostate Centre was established at the same hospital introducing newer methods to treat this common disorder.

All of this vast medical knowledge and experience has led George to be a world renowned expert on kidney and gall stone diseases and (and this held all present at last week's meeting enthralled) diseases of the prostate.

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Your trainee reporter, being of mature years, was so busy taking in what George was saying and illustrating that he didn't take notes and PP George is so well versed in his topic that he didn't have a crib sheet which said cub reporter could borrow.

Anyway, to really appreciate what PP George had to relate to us on this important topic you had to be there and if you were there you don't need a write up to remind you that you'd best take note of the symptons, which will, or does, affect 60% of all males over 45 years. Luckily modern techniques make life (especially your sex life) more meaningful as help is to hand, as it were. The hand is that of the eminent surgeon!

Our own PP Dr George gave a warm thank you (it is believed our George is over 40 years of age) to our distinguished speaker for a very, very interesting talk and much relieved Rotarians and guests gave visiting PP Dr. George a heartfelt round of applause.

Some of us will have noted how to get in touch with our speaker last week, just in case!

Apropos last week's talk, Rtn Kishu was reminded of a placard in the gentlement's loo of a leading Bombay hotel.

We Aim to Please You Aim Too, Please

The Bull Ed apologises for this, but Kishu is very persuasive!

#### Last Reminder

NOTICE
Next week
Wednesday,
7 June 1995
will be our first
meeting at
Regal Hong Kong
Hotel
Causeway Bay,
Hong Kong

SEE YOU THERE

#### **ROTARY CLUB OF GUIA**

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Dear President,

The Rotary Club of Guia has recently started to run a photo contest called "MAMA, I LOVE YOU" with the Macau Salon Photography Society. The aim of the contest is to promote photography activities and to praise motherhood.

Members of your club who are interested are invited to enter for the competition.

Content - Photographs should be able to show motherhood's

intimate care and love for their children.

Sizes - The size of the photographs should be 8" by 10" either

coloured or black and white and have to be affixed on a

10"×12" card board paper respectively.

Limit - There is no limit on the number of photographs for each

contestant.

Submission - Eash submission should include details of the contestant's

group, title of the photograph, the contestant's name, address and telephone number. For the Rotary members please state clearly the name of the specific Rotary Club

they are in.

Collection - Stations for collection are printed on the application form.

Deadline - All photographs should be received on or before 30 June

1995.

Thank you for your attention

Yours in Rotary,

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- Pres Leslie was back in harness and he opened procedings last week at 1:15 pm with a warm welcome to all and in particular Dr. George Koo, PP of our mother club, our speaker last week, and to Ms Marian Koa a Rotary Ambassador with our District GSE team.
- Rtn Desmond introduced our visiting Rotarians and guests were introduced by their Rotarian hosts. Rtn Geoff had brought his baby brother Rod to help celebrate big brother's birthday.
- Exchange of banners was effected, with Rtn Piero providing us with one from RC Siena, Italy and an IOU from former HK member Rtn Brian Evison from RC Montecito, Santa Barbara, Calif.
- Birthday celebrants were Rtn Geoff and Rtn David (Wong) and they chose our own (RC Hong Kong's) 100% attender Rtn Richard as song leader.
- Special welcome back to PDG Peter from his Charter Night of the RC Ulaanbataar and to Rtn Kurt from Singapore, sorry correction, Paris.
- Sec Gary wanted a preliminary meeting of the outgoing/incoming boards to take place immediately after that luncheon meeting - jobs were available and a budget needed to be created.
- Preserve Planet Earth was the topic from PP George who said 10 am 1 pm was the slot for RC HKIE to sell canvas bags at City Plaza to replace plastic ones when you go to the supermarket, etc. We hope he got lots of volunteers for last Sunday's project.
- District Assembly was a great success according to Pres Leslie and he hoped all agreed with his assessment. There were no dissenters anway. He thanked Rtn (David) Li and the choir for the excellent singing. An all others present from HKIE.
- RC Guia, Macau is holding a photo competition 'Mama I Love You' (a possible correction was made by PP Con who thought some members would prefer Mama - san - I Love You'
- Sgt at Arms Tommy said that we had only 29 members in attendance last week but, as only 29 ever, we had been generous. Pres Leslie, PPs Andrew, Con, Sam, Rtns Chris, Geoff, David II (Wong), Wing and many others had done us proud. Many thanks to all.
- Rotary Information was presented by PDG Peter and his subject was 'The Charter Night of the RC Ulaanbaatar. As usual, a fine talk, well delivered. Thank you, Peter.
- Rotary Ambassador Ms Marian Koa spoke to us on her gratitude to our club for her inclusion
  in the GSE team visit to the UK last month. Marian was charming, erudite and very
  interesting when recalling her observations on the trip. She also gave us a number of
  banners acquired on her trip.
- Monday next 5 June is the date for the Outgoing/Incoming Board Meeting at the Yacht Club. If attending please advise Sec. Gary.
- Our speaker PP George (Koo) was introduced by Rtn Dr. Tony who was pleased that such a distinguished surgeon is a Rotarian and a PP of our mother club.
- PP Dr. George (Leung) was given the honour of thanking our distinguished speaker. He said we had run over time but he still managed to thank PP Dr. George (Koo) for keeping most of us riveted - actually Marian appeared to also be very interested. Knowledge for the
- Next week's programme was announced and we finished a little late for us at 2:15 pm with a toast proposed by Pres Leslie to RI coupled with the RC Hong Kong, our mother club and home club of our speaker.

Visiting Rotarians Rtm Philip Li	<i>Clubs</i> HK Subrise	<b>Guests</b> Mr Rod Simmons	<b>Hosts</b> Rtn Geoff
Rtn Piero Giadrossi	Siena, Italy	Mr Rob Fielding	Pres Leslie
Rtn Brian Evison	Montectio	Ms Marian Koa	Guest of Club
	Santa Barbara		
Rtn Richard Sedgwick	Hong Kong		

#### Charter Night of the RC of Ulaanbaatar by PDG Peter

May the 13th was a special day in Rotary. We had on that day, 2 charter ceremonies and one annuall ball, to all of which I had received invitations.

Eventually, I ended up in Mongolia to attend the charter celebration of a new club, the first in Mongolia, the Rotary Club of Ulaanbaatar.

It was a wonderful evening, attended by over 300 members and guests, including government officials. District 3450 sent more than 60 Rotarians and guests from 15 local Rotary Clubs to participate. The President of Mongolia, Mr. P. Orchirbat sent his representative as the keynote speaker whilst our PDG Moses acting on behalf of R.I. President Bill Huntley, presented the Charter to the RC Ulaanbaatar Founding President, Dr. G. Boshigt.

There were perhaps, too many speeches that evening, such as those from Presidential Extension Administrator PP Franklin Sham, D.G. Lit Mo, PDG Raymond, President William Fan (Shatin) and finally, Charter President Boshigt. Presentation of gifts and exchange of banners also occupied a lot of time. Our district presented a plaque and a gavel with a full inscription engraved thereon. During dinner time, special entertainment programmes were held for the enjoyment of the gathering.

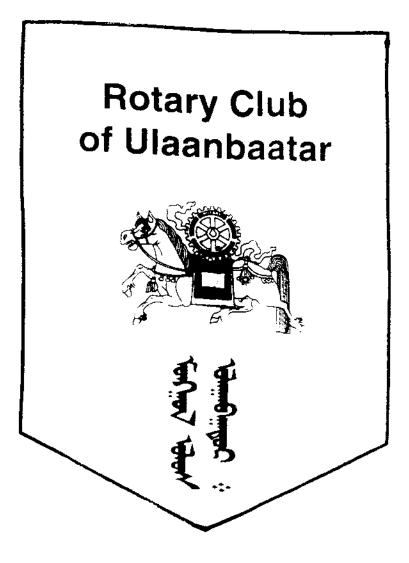
This new Rotary club has 46 charter members including 6 female Rotarians. The Club meets every Wednesday at lunch time at the Bayangol Hotel in Ulaanbaatar, conducting its meeting in English.

Its first community/international service project was successfully completed by sending a 2-

year-old baby girl with a "Hole in the Heart" to Australia for an operation, to correct this defect.

An instant telephone conversation was linked up in Sydney with the father of the baby girl telling the audience on the spot that his daughter is recuperating quickly and trotting around the hospital. A Dental Clinic project is on its way to being established. A dental chair and equipment will soon be delivered and installed at the hospital site, with the help of a Matching Grant from the Rotary Foundation and with participation from Rotary Clubs of Shatin, Kowloon East, Guia and also Fu Jung (Taiwan) and Tokyo Josai (Japan).

The banner of the R/C of Ulaanbaatar (see illustration) is represented by a horse carrying a Rotary Wheel. In Mongolia, a horse means a good start and this indicates that the Rotary Club of Ulaanbaatar is on the right track. All of us at the Rotary Clug of HK Island East wish this newly charted club the best of fortune in its future endeavours.



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### Next Week's Programme

'A Pleasant Surprise'

#### Last Week's Speaker

'Senile Dementia - The Forgetting Illness and the Forgotten People'



Dr. Edwin C S Yu

We were very interested and paid rapt attention to last week's speaker who spoke to us on a most important topic.

Dr Edwin C S Yu is Consultant Psychogeriatrician at Kwai Chung Hospital and Edwin and his colleague at this hospital, Dr Ben K L Cheung, showed us they are very caring physicians.

A synopsis of Dr Cheung's talk follows.

When one gets old, one often becomes more forgetful, having difficulty learning new events. The brain is responsible, among other things, for our memory, for our intellectual function, for our ability to recognize faces and objects, for our ability to have abstract concepts and balanced judgment and for our personality. When our brain power is impaired by illness, these functions could be jeopardized. Brain cells need a good supply of glucose, oxygen and a stable internal environment for effective functioning. When memory loss is severe and associated with other problems stemming from chronic brain failure, dementia is said to be present. Dementia as an illness is more readily found in older people but younger people can also get the disease. The commonest cause of dementia is Alzheimer's Disease, a degenerative condition of the brain. The second commonest dementia is from repeated strokes. Together with other currently irreversible dementing illness, they have an impact that extends far beyond the individual victim.

Care of dementia patients is considered unrewarding and patients are shunned by many hospitals as they tend to block up valuable hospital beds. At the same time, many nursing homes try to avoid admitting dementia patients as

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they think they are mentally disturbing. In Hong Kong and in many other places, the family, aptly called second victims, provide about 80% of all care for demented patients. Modern psychogeriatric teams prefer to work more in the community to help the carers so they are not forgotten.

Dementia is a major problem that faces the elderly and their carers and physicians. Effective diagnosis and management calls for collaboration between psychiatrists, physicians, psychologists, nurses, social workers, psysiotherapists and occupational therapists and other persons concerned with the various aspects of family life, rehabilitation and extended care of these patients.

Respite care and support groups are beginning to emerge to relieve the caregiver. Professional people have joined hands with the carers to prepare the formation this September, of the Hong Kong Alzheimer's Disease and related Disorders Association to offer better help to the carers. The focus of good care is to gain access to reliable information for better adaptation and positive coping. With good care, cognitive functions are maximized and there will be a gain of quality for patients and carers. Some patients are able to recognize their relatives better and cooperate with the personal care and join in some useful day time activities.

Work with the elderly and with demented patients can be rewarding. We started the work more than 2 years ago and we sincerely thank you for inviting us to share our thoughts and work with dementia patients in Hong Kong.

#### Our Meetings' Venues by PDG Peter

On the eve of our departure from the Excelsior Hotel, my memory returns to events that commenced 41 years ago at the Winner House, North Point, where we held our inaugural meeting on 11th March 1954.

We met there for many years and I recall that I was inducted into our club in Winner House in 1960.

Due to the redevelopment of Winner House, we moved to Sunning House, Causeway Bay in 1961 and continued our regular meetings there until 1964 when we changed our meeting place to the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club. During that year (1964), I was elected President of our Club.

We stayed just one year at the Yacht Club, and then moved, yet again, to my restaurant, known as the Victoria Restaurant in Causeway Bay. This was the first time we had Chinese food at our regular meetings, which was very much appreciated by all including and particularly our then gweilo members.

Our stay at the Victoria Restaurant was short lived and we then put ourselves up at the Lee Gardens Hotel, Causeway Bay. We also met at the Caravelle Hotel for a short period when the Lee Gardens Hotel was under refurbishment.

Finally, in the year 1980, we relocated ourselves at the Excelsior Hotel to this very day. Due to the impending refurbishment programme of the Excelsior Hotel, we now move to the Regal Hong Kong Hotel from 1st June 1995 for our regular meetings. At this stage, we do not know how long we will stay in the Regal, though the Excelsior Hotel has confirmed that their renovation will only take approximately 3 months.

After 15 years of pleasant meetings at the Excelsior Hotel we now hope we can accustom ourselves to our new venue.

Our bulletin editor has paid tribute in this week's Tung Feng to the staff who looked after us at the Excelsior and we sincerely trust next year's Bull Ed will have the same nice things to say about our new weekly luncheon meeting home.

I know you will all be patient in appraising staff at the Regal Hong Kong Hotel of our needs.

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• Pres Leslie opened our final meeting at the Excelsior (at least for now) at precisely 1.17 pm with a warm welcome to IPDG Moses and to Pres Paul (Lam) and Pres Elect Edward Liu the three musketeers who had led 22 of the members of their club, the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Northeast to our'goodbye to the Gloucester room/Marina room' luncheon. We were delighted to have the names of these 'baby brother' Rotarians read out by Pres Paul who was by the way our own club's Hon. Sec. in PP Con's 1982/83 Rotary year.

 Other Rotarian visitors were announced by Rtn Desmond and guests were introduced by their Rotarian hosts. The 32 visiting Rotarians equalled our RCHKIE member attendance

total of 32! And we also had 7 guests of Rotarians.

 Pres Leslie had a gift of an umbrella (our Ruby Anniversary present) for visiting Rotarians and guests until we ran out of them. We had thirty five takers.

 A letter from former member Rtn Rudy Schatts was read out by Pres Leslie. Rudy is enjoying himself and finding Rotary in SA quite amusing.

Welcome back was accorded by Pres Leslie to Rtns Flicker and KT (Pang) who were not exactly forthcoming as to where they'd been.

 Birthday celebrant was the ubiquitous Rtn Ken and he chose that leading movie/TV/LegCo singer IPDG Moses as choir leader for the birthday song. Very many happy returns Ken the wig and plastic surgery are still in excellent shape!

A/Sgt at Arms David II had a good day as the ever generous attendees had given generously
although only 32 RC HKIE members were present. The usual list of givers, most particularly
PP Sam and, of course, birthday celebrant Ken, painlessly gave the total sum of \$1,900 to
our coffers for club and community projects. Very many thanks to all of you.

Exchange of banners was next with Rtns Beverley (Moonah, Tasmania) and Heimo (Ilomantis, which is near the Russian border with Finland) receiving ours and leaving us

with their lovely banners.

 PDG Peter gave us Rotary Information on 'The Nomadic Wanderings of the RC HKIE in the hinterlands of North Point and Causeway Bay during the John Yuen/Peter KP Hall dynasty 1954-1995'.

Rtn Ken introduced our speaker Dr. Edwin CSYu who has a very impressive CV and who spoke to us on a most important topic, illustrating his interesting speech with excellent O/Hs. More on Dr Edwin's speech is at the front of the book.

The vote of thanks to our speaker was given, on behalf of our club, by Rtn (Chris) Howe and Edwin was given a fine round of applause.

 Pres Leslie reminded everyone to go to the Regal Hong Kong Hotel for this week's meeting and he closed the meeting with a toast to RI coupled with a toast to our baby club the RC Northeast.

Cambodia Latest Nation to Join Rotary by PDG Peter

Further to my previous report regarding Rotary's extension to the Kingdom of Cambodia, I am pleased to convey to you the goods news of the birth of a Rotary Club known as the R/C of Phnom Penh on 18th May 1985. The charter ceremony was held on 31st May 1995.

As Cambodia is a non-district Rotary country, a Presidential Extension Administrator has been appointed by R.I. President Bill Huntley to look after the new club. He is none other than our good friend, PDG Gerald Max Minjoot of District 3310.

This new club meets every Wednesday, in the evening, at the Cambodian Hotel in Phnom Penh. English is the official language of the club.

With this newly added Rotarian Club of Phnom Penh and the deletion of Liberia, the worldwide number of Rotary countries stands at 151 and 34 geographical areas.

[Now the great Rtn Major Tom (Bovet) has no excuse for not making up and we look forward to receiving an RC Phnom Penh banner from Tom. We even managed to get this club to meet on Wednesdays (our meeting day) albeit in the evening, just as a reminder to Major Tom. (Bull Ed.)]

#### Special Thanks

To our baby club RC Hong Kong Northeast who, under the very fine leadership of Pres Paul Lam and IPDG Moses, visited us at our last meeting (at least for some months) at the Excelsion

A turnout of 22 splendid Rotarians, it was great to greet old friends & meet new ones.

#### Note of Gratitude

Many, many thanks to the very hard working and extremely pleasant staff of the Marina/ Gloucester Rooms of the Excelsior Hotel for their dedication to serving our members during the past 15 years (1980-1995).

#### Visiting Rotarians

PP Anthony Hung Rtn Heimo Rissane Rtn Beverley Wills Rtn Allan Wills Rtn John Southwell Rtn Richard Sedgwick Rtn Ron Forte Rtn K Tikku Rtn Daniel Lam Rtn Leo Kamata

Plus the magnificent 22 from RC Hong Kong Northeast

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Mr (PP) Jackie Tam Mr Obuchi Mr Shimizu Mr Peter Turner Dr Ben K L Cheung

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Pres Leslie PP Sam Rtn Francis Rtn Francis Rtn Richard Ong Club guest

The 'Chorous Line' after last week's meeting

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MONDAY			Shatin	Ramada Renaissance Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)
Tsimshatsui East	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	Macau Central	Oriental Hotel, Macau	7:30 p.m. (C/E)
Victoria	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (É)			
Wanchai	Grand Hyait Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	THURSDAY	<b>.</b>	
Tsuen Wan	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)	H.K. Harbour	Excelsior Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
Tolo Harbour	New World Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m. (E/C)	H.K. North	New World Harbour View Hotel, HK	12:30 p.m. (C)
New Territories	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	6:45 p.m. (C)	H K South	H.K. Country Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
Tai Po	Royal Park Hotel, Shatin	7:00 p.m. (E)		3rd Thursday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.
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,	Last Monday Dinner Meeting	8:00 p.m	Kowloon	Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)
			Kowloon Northeast	Miramar Hotel, Kowtoon	12:30 p.m. (C)
TUESDAY			Mid-Level	Que Que, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)
Hong Kong Sunrise	Repent Hotel, Kowloon	8:00 a.m. (C)	Peninsula South	Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E/C)
g tong bennet	Last Tuesday Dinner Meeting	6:45 p.m.	Kowloon Northwest	Omni Prince Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)
Hong Kong	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12.30 p.m. (E)	Кwai Сhuпр	Royal Garden Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)
HK Bayview	Victoria Hotel, Hong Kong	12,30 p.m. (M/C)	Kwun Tong	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)
H.K. City North	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	Queensway	American Club, Hong Kong	6:30 p.m. (E)
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Kowloon East	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)		1st, 3rd, 5th Thursday Dinner Meeting	
Peninsula	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)		2nd, 4th Thursday Lunch Meeting	
Quarry Bay	Regal Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)			
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WEDNESDAY			Kowloon North	Holiday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon	12:30 p.m (E)
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H.K. Island East		12:30 p.m. (C)	Channel Islands	World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong	7:15 p.m. (C)
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## TUNG FENG

香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

#### This Week's Programme

Rtn Ates Yucel
'Turkey - the country - not the bird'

#### Next Week's Programme

Mr Thomas Wong & Mr Eric Kotez 'Rotary International Service'





Dr HT Fung and Mr Heroey Tai

#### Last Week's Speaker

We were priveleged to have two speakers last week Dr HT Fung and Mr Hervey Tai on a topical subject 'Promoting a Healthy Vegetarian Life'.

If appearance is anything to go by our duet of speakers are testimony to such

a healthy life from the practice of a vegetarian diet.

A synopsis of their talk follows.

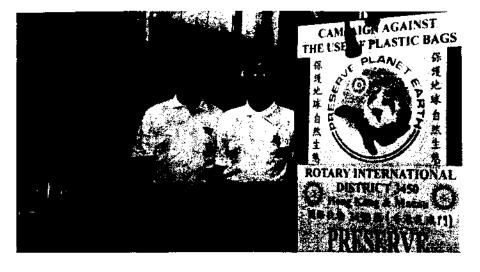
Most people immediately associate vegetarianism with monks or nuns, but actually more and more people are choosing to be vegetarians for scientific reasons.

Eating food high in fat causes enlargement of the liver, spleen and subcutaneous cell proliferation. The cholesterol and saturated fats of flesh will create cardiovascular disorders.

Experiments indicate that burning and roasting of flesh will create a kind of chemical element (Methylcholanthrene) which is a powerful carcinogen. Mice given this chemical develop some types of cancer, such as bone tumors, cancer of the blood, of the stomach, etc. Nowadays cancer is the second leading cause of death.

There are some people who consider a vegetarian diet as very good, but not sufficiently nourishing, which is a very confused idea. The medicine given to us by modern science has improved greatly, but it can only treat illnesses. Food, however, can sustain our health. Food from plants is a more direct source of nutrition than meat. People eat animals, but the source of nutrition of the animals we eat is plants. The lives of most animals are short, and animals also have nearly all the diseases that mankind has; therefore it is very likely the diseases of mankind come from eating the flesh of diseased animals. So, why don't people get their nutrition directly from plants? We only need cereals, beans and vegetables to get all the nourishment we need to maintain good health. The nutrition from the above sources is even more plentiful than from vitamin pills!

Whether you would like to be a vegetarian or a meat eater, it is merely a matter of choice. It is totally up to you to make your own preference.



Rtn Henry II, PP George, Rtn Murray and Rtn Henry at City Plaza. The RCHKIE team at this important Community Service project sold Rotary canvas bags and urged Hong Kong citizens to eschew the use of plastic bags as carriers.

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The 38th Club of District 3450 Hong Kong & Macau GPO 80x 12612 Hong Kong



Service Above Self

To: All Presidents

30 May 1995

Re: Collection of English Children's Books Rotary Club of Ulaanbaatar, Republic of Mongolia

First of all, we would like to thank you and your club members for your generous support in this respect.

After thorough considerations and discussions with the Rotary Club of Ulaanbaatar, this appeal for Children's Books has been broadened to include <u>ALL</u> and <u>ANY</u> English books. Therefore, we will continue collecting throughout this Summer. We have been informed that there are problems with storage of books, and we are glad to inform you that Rotarian Ken Shortridge has volunteed to offer his home to keep the books until shipment is arranged after this Summer.

Hence, please keep collecting any unwanted books. If you cannot find any place to keep them, please contact Rotarian Ken and arrange delivery to his house.

Rotarian Ken Shortridge

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2 Felix Villas

61 Mt Davis Road

Hong Kong

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#### Observer

- Last week we commenced our sojourn at Regal Hong Kong Hotel, just around the corner from the Excelsior Hotel. Pres Leslie greeted everyone in Sparkles Night Club at Basement Level 2 and we commenced our meeting, facing the longest bar in Hong Kong, at 1:10 pm.
- Rtn Desmond introduced visiting Rotarians and Dr Rob was introduced by Pres Leslie for the 103rd time (only kidding Rob but we appreciate your 100% attendance your twin Rtn Dick Sedgwick is on leave in France!)
- Visiting Rotarians received not only our club banner but a lovely bronze pen set from Pres Leslie courtesy of a past District 3450 Conference. So handsome was the pen set that Rtn Flicker paid the Sgt at Arms \$100 for one. Any more takers?
- We welcomed back PP Dave from golf practice in Japan and Rtn Kishu from another type of physical activity in Jakarta.
- Birthday celebrant was Rtn Kishu and PP Con led us in the birthday song Rtn Alex also received his belated gift in celebration of his birthday some weeks ago.
- VPE Hubert announced a joint community service project with RC Hong Kong Harbour.
   The project is satellite dishes for remote areas in China and the need was illustrated with a video presentation.
- Pres Leslie announced that our choice for voting representative for our district at the RI Zone 4 Nomination Committee (for RI Director) is non other than PDG Peter and
- PDG Peter and PP Sam are off this week to the RI International Conference at Nice, France and to taste some excellent and inexpensive (note that word Sir Hamish!) wines.
- Rtns David (Li), Robert and Alex received their stamp sets purchased from RC Queensway.
- An auction of Chivas Regal and fine Remy Martin Cognac was next these items were 'found' in PP John's archives of important RCHKIE regalia! Pres Leslie's attempt to get a decent price resulted in his becoming the owner for \$1,000.
- Sgt at Arms Tommy thanked PDG Peter for getting his intake off to a good start last week.
  Final sum was \$2,300 from the 35 members present. The usual generous donors included
  PPs Sam, Con, Dave, TK, John and Rtns Flicker, Ken, Manolo, Kenny, Francis, William
  (WS) Alex, Kishu (birthday boy), VPE Hubert and Sgt Tommy himself. A sincere thank
  you to you all.
- Pres Leslie advised us that PP Oyama whom we all knew and who was a highly respected and regarded member of RC Osaka Jonan had passed away. We will write a letter of condolence.
- Leslie also advised us of the project 'English Language Books for Mongolia' more elsewhere in the book.
- We were pleased to nominate the charming Ms Marian Koa as a Rotary Ambassador Scholar.
- Rtn Ken introduced our speakers Dr HT Fung and Mr Hervey Tai (more in the front of the book) and Rtn Dr. Tony gave a fine vote of thanks.
- This week's speaker was announced as Rtn Ates Yucel from Istanbul Turkey (Ates has visited us on a couple of occasions).
- Pres Leslie closed the meeting at 2 pm sharp with a toast to RI coupled with a toast to RC Hong Kong Harbour.



Rtn Alex also celebrated his birthday

#### Visiting Rotarians

Rtn Michael Gauselmann Rtn Ian Brown Rtn Joseph Tan PE Eddie Leung

#### Guest

Dr Rob Fielding

#### Clubs

Lubbecke Germany Barossa District **HKNE** HK Harbour

#### Host

Pres Leslie



Birthday celebrant Rtn Kishu with song leader PP Con



Last week's visitors with Pres Leslie

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香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

#### This Week

Thomas Wong & Eric Koetz RC Peninsular's International Service Project in Tibet

#### Next Week

President Leslie
"The Rotary year that was"



Rtn Ates Yucel

#### Last Week

We were addressed by Rtn Ates Yucel who is the Asia Pacific representative now based in Hong Kong, for one of Turkey's largest conglomerates, Cukurova Dis Ticaret A S.

Rtn Yucel presented the Club library with a video brief on Turkey, a lovely country of 60 million people within a land area of 1 million sq. km. This video is available for any member to borrow. We then saw another shorter video on Turkey which portrayed a beautiful country with a growing economy and bustling cities.

Turkey is about to become a partner in the European Community. This is expected to strengthen economic growth and to give even more confidence to potential overseas investors in the country.

At question time, Rtn Yucel was joined by Rtn Halit Gunduz who was visiting us (Rotary Club of Istanbul). Rtn Halit is Chief Executive of a pharmaceutical company. He advised us that taxes in Turkey ranged 'from 25% - 49% and that the minimum wage was presently \$100 per month (about to increase to \$200).

Another important factor for potential investors is to realise that in Turkey a "16 month" salary year is the norm.

Rtn Yucel very kindly donated a bottle of "Arak" for auctioning at a later date. PP Jack Lau proposed that vote of thanks to our speakers.

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#### Attendance

PP John Kwok gave us the encouraging news that our overall attendance percentages were picking up and with only 2 weeks to go before the end of the Rotary year, he urged members to continue to "make up" at other clubs when they find they are unable to attend our meetings. His message is to keep the "make up" cards rolling in, particularly as he is required to conclude the 1994/95 statistics early in July.

#### Rover's Report - Meeting of 14/6/95

- Welcome back PP Andrew Chen from Korea, David Waring from USA, Singapore etc, and David Wei from New Zealand.
- Thank you PP Andrew for organising our new meeting venue following our "eviction" from Excelsior Hotel. It is still early days at our new "home". We are trying hard but have to admit being down in the "dungeon" takes a lot of getting used to.
- Congratulations to "KT" Pang on his birthday. Tim Lui and David Li combined their vocal talent to lead us in a birthday song and "KT" was then presented with his birthday tie!

#### THOUGHT FOR TODAY

As Leslie's last day "in command" will be Wednesday, 28th June, perhaps we should all wear our "birthday ties" to Rotary that day so he can see "en masse" the combined result of his and Molly's birthday gift selections.

- Jack Lau read a warm letter from PP Ken Poon advising he would not be back in Hong Kong before 1996 and he was therefore resigning from the Club as of 1st July. Ken will no doubt be joining Rotary in Sydney while he is away. Good luck Ken - we look forward to having you back with us when you return.
- Sgt at Arms Ken Wong reported 28 members present and contributions of \$1,360 were received. Many thanks to all who contributed.
- PP John Kwok is a very busy man in his lead up to retirement and after much deliberation and investigation he has firmly declared the average age of Club to be 49! any one over this age can consider themselves as one of the "elder generation"!
- After our guest speaker had been thanked, Pres. Leslie closed the meeting with a toast to RI and Rotary Club of Istanbul.



Rtn Halit receives our banner

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**Diary Events** 

Wed 28 June - Leslie's final day! Birthday tie day! Leslie will report on his year in office and he will then hand over the Presidential chain to John Luk.

Sat 1 July - District Installation night at Conrad Hotel. \$500 per head for those who enjoy the razzamataz that an evening such as this involves.

Wed 5 July - President John Luk's 1st meeting as "President". John will advise us on his aspirations for 1995/96.

For any member who will be in Manila, Rotary Club of Makati North is having an installation night function and we have been invited.
 Please make contact with John Luk should you be able to attend.

Sat 5 August - Our Rotaract Club of HK Island East will hold is installation dinner at Royal Pacific Hotel. Pres. Leslie has asked for support from our members on this occasion - please see John Luk.

#### Membership dues - commitment to RI and our District

Members are reminded that the Club and thereby each member of the Club is committed to pay 1995/1996 RI per capita dues and our own District per capita dues. These dues are calculated on the number of Rotarians showing in our membership roster as "Active" Rotarians on 1 July and 1 January.

#### Wedding Bells

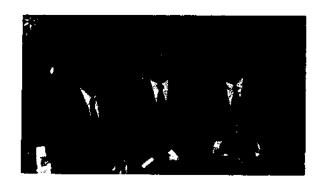
Sincere congratulations to Baker and Mariam Moosdeen on the occasion of their son Azmat's wedding. The reception was held at Hyatt Hotel on 12 June and our Club was well represented by nearly 3 tables. A wonderful evening was enjoyed by all who attended. The duo of Baker and Emperor did justice indeed to the brandy bottle at toasting time and in this they were most ably assisted by Tim Lui, Y K Cheng, Henry Chan to name but a few.



Leslie gives greetings

#### Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Rtn Richard Ho Rtn David Tsoi Rtn Halit Gunduz Rtn Wilfred Koo Ms Mine Iskan HKIW HKNE Istanbul Hong Kong Guest of Rtn Halit Guhduz





TOP: Birthday greetings ":KT"

LEFT: President Leslie with Visitors

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Victoria
Wanchai
Tsuen Wan
Tolo Harbour
New Territories
Tai Po
Amagao (Macau)

TUESDAY Hong Kong Sunrise

Hong Kong HK Bayview H.K. City North H.K. Northwest Kowloon East Peninsula Quarry Bay

The Peak Hou Kuong (Macau)

WEDNESDAY
City Northwest H.K.
H.K. Island East
Kowloon Golden Mile
Kowloon West

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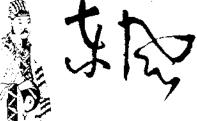
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ROTARY CLUB 香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

#### This Week's Programme

President Leslie 'My Year as Leader of the Most Dynamic Rotary Club Anywhere (a modest title)

#### Next Week's Programme

Directors of 4 Avenues of Service -Plans for the 1995/96 Rotary Year

#### Last Week's Speaker

'RC Peninsula's International Service Project at Lhasa, Tibet' Rtn Thomas Wong, RC Peninsula, Hong Kong



Rin Thomas Wong

Last week we learnt about the RI award winning International Service Project at Lhasa, Tibet which is an initiative of RC Peninsula.

Even as well travelled as Hong Kong people are a very few have set foot in Lhasa - Tibet which is at the Soiuth Western corner of China. Rotarians from the Rotary Club of Peninsula not only went there twice in the past two years, these dedicated Rotarians actually helped to build an extension of a kindergarden and also made donations.

Rtn Thomas Wong started with how poor the people are in Lhasa and how badly they needed help. Members were shown pictures of a 'classroom' in the kindergarden. The so called classroom has no desks, no chairs, no paper & no pens!! Many of the things that are taken for granted in Hong Kong kindergardens are missing.

In 1994, under the leadership of IPP Ronald Ho, a delegation from the R.C. of Peninsula visited the kindergarden in Lhasa & handcarried 100 blankets for donation to the kindergarden. Realizing that much more help was needed, the Peninsula Rotarians managed to get two of their three sister Clubs involved in the Peninsula project.

In April this year, a delegation of eleven members went to Lhasa again with donations. This time, 5 members from their Japanese Sister Club also participated and joined the delegation. They brought with them much needed teaching aids and toys besides helping with the building of an extension to the kindergarten.

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Rtn. Thomas felt that this is a very meaningful & worthwhile project. Lastly, he thanked our club for giving him the opportunity to share their experience with us.

Rtn Dick was very pleased to give a vote of thanks to Thomas for a very heartwarming talk which was given in a bright and lively manner. All present joined Dick in a warm round of applause for Thomas' talk and the RC Peninsula's very fine International Service Project.

#### The 86th Annual Convention of R.I. by PDG Peter

The beautiful city - Cote d'Azur in Nice had been chosen as the site for the R.I. Convention for the 3rd time, the first two dating back to those held in 1937 and 1976 respectively.

More than 33,000 people from 137 countries and geographical areas registered for the Nice Convention. District 3450, under the leadership of D.G. Lit Mo, dispatched the largest delegation ever to an RI Convention, the number exceeded 100 Rotarians and guests.

The ultramodern Acropolis Centre provided ideal facilities for the event displays and group meetings; while the nearby Palais des Expositions was commodious for the plenary sessions. The House of Friendship provided entertainment plus refreshments.

It was quite a sight to watch the parade of National flags at the opening. The latest, the national flags of Mongolia and of Cambodia, appeared at the last moment. Within the few days before the Convention, the former Yugoslav republic of Macedonia became the 152nd country in RI with the chartering of a new 30-member club in the capital city of Skopje. Its national flag was not in time to join the flag parade ceremony.

The opening plenary session was divided into two seatings and was conducted in English. Simultaneous interpretation in French, Italian, Japanese, Korean and Spanish was available through radio equipment.

Brilliant colour, lively music and fast-paced action drew enthusiastic applause from the conventioneers attending the opening entertainment feature. A cast of 100 singers, dancers and instrumentalists gave the capacity crowds a montage of artistry representing various elements of French culture, from folk music to the classics, ballet and the cancan.

Keynote speakers included His Majesty King Hussien I, of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, Prince Rainer of Monaco and Mrs. Suzenne Mubarak, wife of the Egyptian President. Due to pressing matters of State, King Hussien made his presentation by television via satellite.

District 3450 held two reunion dinners, the first one in the famous Promenade des Anglais (Plage) restaurant followed by another party in the Palais de Metropolis in Monaco. Both reunions were well attended.

Apart from the Convention, many familiar faces appeared in Monte Carlo and Cannes, enjoying themselves in the Casino and also on the beautiful beaches of the Mediterranean sea.

There were no new resolutions presented for voting at the meeting, except the usual presentation of all the District Governor Nominees who were elected en block. Of course, this included our

DGN Vincent To. He should now be addressed as District Governor Elect.

All convention matters were successfully completed within the 4-day period (11th to 14th June 1995) when R.I. President Bill Huntley delivered his closing remarks followed by singing of Auld Lang Syne. Finally to drum up attendance at next year's RI Convention we had, clad in Westernstyle shirts and cowboy hats, members of the Calgary Convention Host Organization who greeted visitors with an invitation to attend their "Rotary Family Round-Up" in 1996. Till we meet again in Calgary.



Nice 1995. PDG Peter is the one in the middle with a pretty lady on each side.

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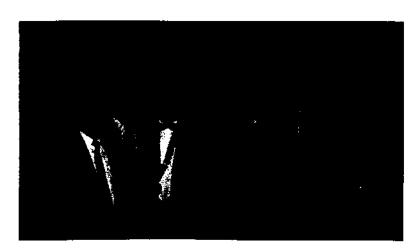
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#### Observer

- Our meeting last week was the second last of this Rotary year and Pres Leslie looked reasonably relieved when he got proceedings underway at 1:22 pm.
- Leslie gave a warm welcome to PDG Peter back from Nice. Peter looked very relaxed, the wines were excellent and from the pic (produced elsewhere) he obviously enjoyed himself.
- First up to the rostrum was Rtn Desmond who introduced the four visiting Rotarians, then PP Con was very, very pleased to introduce two of the three lovely Soltay ladies, Tabatha and Leonie, and also his good friend Ken Rice.
- Birthday celebrant was PP Baker and we were very pleased to sing him a birthday song led
  by that that well known song leader Rtn Dr. Robert. PP Sam was missing otherwise we
  would have celebrated every member's birthday during this past Rotary year.
- PE John announced that the District Initiation Dinner will be held at the Conrad Hotel on Saturday 1 July 1995 at a cost of \$500 per person. We hope to have a table of ten. Please sign up with PE John this week. Rotaryannes are also welcome to join.
- PP Dave was the acting Sgt at Arms and he had very much a superb collection of \$2,790 (and 5 pounds sterling from PDG Peter) from the very few members present. Special mention was made of the contributions from PP Baker, the new father-in-law, and Rtn TS (contributing his winnings from a golf game in which he was the loser!)
- Rotary Information was given by PDG Peter, this is printed elsewhere in the book, and Peter also presented us with some banners from his trip to the recent Rotary International Convention at Nice.
- Pres Leslie then asked Rtn Ken to introduce Rtn Thomas Wong from the Rotary Club of Peninsula. The subject was 'The RC Peninsula International Service Project at Lhasa, Tibet.' This project was awarded an RI prize. More on this at the front of the book.
- Rtn Thomas was given a vote of thanks by Rtn Dick, our new International Service Director, after Thomas had answered some questions on this project.
- Pres Leslie ended the meeting at 2 pm prompt with a toast to Rotary International coupled with a toast to the Rotary Club of Waikiki. Only one more to go eh, Leslie?

#### Visiting Rotarians Clubs Guests Hosts Rtn Thomas Wong Mr Ken Rice PP Con Peninsula PP Con Rtn Ken Hughes Ms Tabatha Soltay Hong Kong PP Con Rtn Patrick Purnell-Edwards Quarry Bay Ms Leonie Soltay Waikiki Rtn Leo Kamata





Top: Many happy returns - PP Baker

Left: Last weeks select group of guests with Pres Leslie and PDG Peter

#### Historical Background of Tung Feng, our Club Bulletin by the late PDG John Yuen, our Founder President

The article was written in response to a request of PP Con, the sponsor to improve the format of Tung Feng.

A week before our club was officially chartered on 6th April, 1954, I was asked to name our club bulletin. As our club's then territorial limit relinquished by our mother club, the Rotary Club of Hong Kong, lay to the east of Arsenal Street, I selected the "East Wind" which in the Chinese language is pronounced as "Tung Feng". "Tung" means the east, and "Feng" donotes wind.

A portrait of Chu Koh-Liang (諸 葛 克 ), better known as Kung Ming (孔 明 ), adorns the heading of our bulletin's front page. He was the most noted military strategist in the period of the Three Kingdoms (三 國 ), over 2000 years ago. In a dramatic battle, Kung Ming captured the East Wind from heaven to win the crushing war against his opponent, Tso-Tsao (曹 操 ), the warlord of the Wei Kingdom (魏 ). Thus, the Chinese proverb "Everything is ready except the East Wind" was born, which has been witfully borrowed in these modern days to mean "everything is ready except money". The picture of Kung Ming became blurred after thirty years of publications so we now have a new portrait kindly supplied by Rtn. Anthony Tsui through the courtesy of the Historical Archives of the University of Hong Kong. Also, the two Chinese characters of "Tung Feng" have been replaced by the calligraphy of "Tang Tai Chung" (唐 太 宗 ), the first emperor of the Tang Dynasty (唐 朝 ) of China. The Tang Dynasty was formed over 600 years ago and is the longest dynasty in Chinese history with most significant achievements in arts and culture. The image of the new authentic characters were supplied through research made by one of the seven most renowned calligraphers in China, Mr. K. C. Tung whom I contacted in Taipei a couple of months ago.

In view of such effort made in having a new format for the "Tung Feng" and the tedious assignment performed by its Rotarians in editing its publication, I urge all Rotarians, especially the new members of our club, to read and treasure our club bulletin, Tung Feng. It will enrich all of us with both club and Rotary International information, which is an endless source of education to Rotarians.

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## TUNG FENG

香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

#### Last Week

President Leslie Soltay

51 weeks ago I stood before you, as the proud new 41st President of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East. I was a bit nervous, I have to admit, as I spoke to you about my plans for the 1994/95 Rotary Year and I tried to challenge you for bigger and better achievements, as it is the tradition of our Club.



President Leslie

After all, we were the No. 1 Club not only in the District but in the world as decleared by IPP Tim during our 40th Anniversary celebrations and reiterated in his year end speech a year ago.

You will recall that I set only three modest goals for the year:

- 1. To increase our membership.
- 2. To obtain RI President's Citation for Community Concern and
- 3. To make Rotary Fun.

To achieve this I asked each and everyone of you to participate and help to achieve the above goals by:

- 1. Introducing one more member or guests who may become potential members,
- 2. Giving an extra hour a week to Rotary or Community Service
- 3. Participating in one extra project this year.

They say time flies when you are having fun and indeed the last 358 days appear to have flashed by all too quickly but I am not sure if it was all fun. I have some good news and bad news and I might as well start with the bad news and get that over with!

It is customary at this time for the President to paint a rosy picture, tell everybody what a wonderful job we all did for the good of Rotary and the Community, and how hard every officer, Board Members and Rotarians worked this year. The sad truth is that I seemed to have failed to sufficiently inspire and motive most members. Or, perhaps they thought Gary and I alone can do everything.

As I stand before you today, older (but not necessarily wiser) I have to admit that it was, in my personal opinion, not an easy year and the results may be described as mixed. Overall, we have a deficit report for 1994/95.

I will make a critical, but hopefully sufficiently constructive review of our year in the hope that it will be received in the same positive spirit in which it is given and it will assist our club to really address some of the issues in the next year for the good of the Club and for the good of the Rotary movement.

Before we even started the year, I had to address two critical problems and distractions from the usual preparations: Our Hon. Secretary Gary was hospitalized and the Treasurer resigned. I have to pay tribute here to Rotarians Murray and Li who came forward immediately to assist as acting Secretary. New Member Rtn. Henry Luy was persuaded to become the Treasurer and the crisis was temporarily diverted until the Programme Chairman resigned next due to his commitments in China. A very special thanks to another new member, Rtn. Kenneth Wong who took up the challenge and did a splendid job as Programme Chairman. We did have a speaker every week. Once or twice, we even had two speakers. And some very good speakers too. Thank you Rtn Henry and all members who assisted by recommending, inviting, introducing and/or thanking the speakers every week. Not an easy job by any means.

Let's get back to our first goal of the year to increase membership. Here we have to admit to a complete disaster. Not only have we failed to increase our original membership of 70, we have in fact dropped 10%!

While we had a reasonably good start and a 2.5% membership growth in the first half, subsequent resignations dropped our membership to an all time low and I project that President John Luk may start his terms on 1 July 1995 with 63 members or even less!

We welcomed the following new members into Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East this year: Rotarian Vianney, Kenneth, Howe, David Wong, Abraham and David Wei.

However, we have lost some very capable Rotarians this year for one reason or other: four Past Presidents Y.P. Yang, Ken Poon, Henry Fetigan and Chan Soo; five Directors John Taylor, Rudy Schats, Rama, Vianney Willy-Furth and Raymond Chung; Rotarians Tom Lloyd, Edward Kwan and Abramah Razack. There may be one or two others.

If the remaining members are stunned as I am, let me ask you what have you done to bring in new members? Very little. I personally introduced two members this year, PDG Uncle Peter, IPP Tim, PP John and W.S. Lam one each. What happened to the rest of you?!

As for membership attendance, we had a relatively average year. Last checked, our attendance for the year was around 73.55% and there are still more make-ups coming in. The list of potential 100%-ers is impressive and I will be making the traditional Presidential presentations later when PP John confirms the list. Once again a big thank you to PP John for keeping the records, and being his ever cheerful, reliable and helpful self throughout the year. What would I have done without his strong support?

My second goal for the year was to obtain the RI President's citation for community concerns.

The good news is that here we had success and our Club will be presented with the award during the District Installation Dinner this Saturday night, together with other District 3450 Clubs who also qualified. This was relatively easy, but the bad news is that unfortunately we did not do so well when it came to the District Awards where we had to compete with the other Clubs.

The Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East collected two minor District Awards this year. One for the Rotary Window Display and the other for the World Community Service, a Matching Grant project to provide a floating eye clinic in Bangladesh. The competition was tough and our other projects were just not inspired enough to capture the judges' attention. But you may argue, rightly so, that we are not doing our International, Community and Vocational Projects for the awards but for our own satisfaction and the general good of the Community.

However, generous as some of our members may have been throughout the year, as our members have always been in the past, I can not help but to raise my concern that there is an apparent lack of spirit, a lack of imagination, a lack of emotional involvement, a lack of care in our projects and a strong reluctance for any personal commitment, hands-on help. The two awards we collected had the personal involvement, help of only four members of this club! This does not even qualify us for the 20-80 rule, more like 5-95 in my books.

Fellow Rotarians, we have to do better than that to deserve to be called Rotarians, members of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East. Membership has its previliges but also on-going obligations.

I believe our biggest mistake/weakness was the general lack of subcommittees. There are two reasons for this: (1) Members refuse to join committees or join in name only and (2) Directors find it more efficient and expedient to run the projects without having to call meetings etc. Without the

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subcommittees there was less fellowship, less commitment, less input, no grassroot support and no continuity if/when the Director resigns. We must insist on proper and full committees and subcommittees in the future.

Without participation from every one of us, our Club will not be able to function and eventually there will be no club. Each one of us, if called upon, should offer to serve with honour to the best of his ability. If you are not called upon, pick a field and volunteer to serve. Surprise yourself and your Directors!

The fact that four of the original six directors resigned from the Club did not help with our projects this year, there was a lack of continuity and no general master plan. Of the six directors, only Rtn. Murray is still actively pursuing his original commitment. Two of our Board Meetings did not have the necessary quorum and members co-opted have failed to follow through.

My third goal for the year was to make Rotary fun once again.

The rational behind this goal was that fun meetings will improve attendance and attract new members, who will attract more members and we have chain reaction. Fun is a very subjective, elusive goal, obviously definitions and personal preferences differ. We tried to cover a wide field and I personally worked very hard to make our lunch meetings fun. Perhaps the FUN highlight of the year, at least for me, was the Christmas Party. Those few members and their guests who attended know what I am talking about.

I will grade these results as a qualified success, simply because in spite of the fun we had, we did not increase our membership, and there was no great improvement in the general attendance figures. Another fun event was the Annual Function held on 11 March at the Aberdeen Marina Club. Thanks to hard working PE John Luk and his committee, this was a great moral and even a relative financial success.

Under John Luk's guidance, I would like to mention some of the key Club Service Subcommittees. Fellowship Chairman Rtn. Samuel needs to be recognized for arranging some very popular functions. In addition to the four Club Assemblies, there was the annual Race Night and the Island East Golf Tournament. Congratulations Samuel. Then there were fine fellowship dinners organized by PP Jack and DGN PP YK.

Our SAA collections this year once again lived up to the expectations thanks to Rtn. Tommy and we were able to support our Community Service Projects.

I already mentioned the good work done by PP John and Rtn. Henry in Attendance and Programme respectively. Notwithstanding the good results, all these functions, Fellowship, SAA, Programme and Attendance must get more dedicated support from the membership next year.

On behalf of our members, I would like to express our special appreciation to Spectator, Observer, Rover and Obstator, a very special group of fine dedicated Rotarians who toiled over the Tung Feng Bulletin every week to meet the printer's deadline. Thank you PP Con, Roy and Murray.

Our move on 1 June from the Excelsior Hotel after more than 15 years also disrupted the rhythm of our meetings, we will need time to get used to The Hong Kong Regent. Thanks to PP Andrew for making the arrangements, I believe he got a good value for money. Please remember that our return to the Excelsior is still to be confirmed.

Community Service was initially headed by Director Raymond Chung until he was posted to Macau and had to resign from the Board. Rtn. Desmond has taken over the post and I understand he will also head this portfolio next year, thus providing some community.

We did have a number of good projects, one of the most popular was the hands-on project to collect and donate used clothing for the mentally handicapped patients of the Shatin Hospital. The club also donated \$50,000 to the Hong Kong Kidney Patients Trust Fund, \$50,000 through the Causeway Bay Kaifong Welfare Association as a direct help to a flood damaged school in Southern China and \$3,000 to the District Preserve Earth Task Force.

We lost our Interact Club this year due to redevelopment of the school site. Property speculation before education. My real concern however has been the lack of liaison, counselling to our two Rotaract Clubs. Both Clubs are strong, doing well and have great potential but Raymond was unable to personally coach them and he was unable to get our members to volunteer their services to counsel these young people. What a great pity. Next year the Rotaract Club of Lingnam will be moving to their new campus in Tuen Mun. Making contact even more difficult.

International Service was headed by that cosmopolitan Director Rudy Schats until his retirement to South Africa. He was replaced by Vianney who has since resigned.

The Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East raised and donated \$130,000 for the District China Floor relief, \$50,000 to support the Healthy Sprouts for the second year to provide rural health education China, and a US\$1,000 to Mother Teresa's Missionaries for Charity for the Poor in Calcutta.

We have also joined an International Matching Grant project to supply a mobile eye clinic in Bangladesh and made a commitment to assist our sister club Makati North in another Matchin Grant project to provide medical assistance to the Manilla street orphans.

We sponsored Dr. Nelson Wan as a Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar and Ms. Marian Koa as a GC. Team member.

Rotarian Dick Lidster and Rotarianne Carol Chiu became new Rotary Foundation members and with thank you for your support.

Vocational Service Committee was led by Director Rama until his employment conditions changed and he started travelling. He was assisted by Rotarian Murray.

The most impressive achievement in this field, in my opinion was the raising of over \$85,000 together with our sister clubs from Peneng, Kawasaki South, Osaka Jonan and Niigata to purchase high quality musical instruments for needy and talented students of the Hong Kong Academy of Performing Arts. I am very pleased how this project worked out, but alas, again mostly a solo effort by Rtn. Murray.

In addition, we have made our usual donations to the Victoria Park School for the Deaf, to the HK Schools Music and Speech Festival and the HK Sea School. Bernard Wang and William Ling Memoria Bursaries were awarded once again at The Hong Kong Polytechnic University and a new bursary setup for Lingnan College.

Our ties and fellowship with the sister clubs are generally good, we had visitors from Makati North to our annual function and we sent delegations to Niigata and Kawasaki South. We had joint projects with the Rotary Club of Penang, Makati North and the Japanese sisterclubs. The only weak link was Vancouver Chinatown and I hope the Club can do something in this respect next year. Relation with Westwood Village should also be clarified.

We have met with 3 of our baby clubs this year. Rotary Clubs of Hong Kong Northeast and Harbow sent a delegation to visit us and we had very good fellowship evening with Hong Kong South at the Country Club.

As I am coming to the end of my report, I would like to pay special tribute and thanks to three persons who were a constant source of help and assistance, people that I could turn to and rely on First and foremost is my wife and family who have encouraged and supported me to take on the post and then see it through to the best of my abilities. Without your help Molly I would have been it deep trouble!

There is no prize for guessing that the next person is Past District Governor Uncle Peter who was always available with discreet and friendly advice when requested. Thank you Uncle Peter, hoped lived up to some of your expectations.

The other person is our Secretary Gary who inspite of his medical complications earlier in the year carried on, not only for the lunch meetings but those long tiring Monday night meetings. The notices agendas, minutes and letters were always ready on time. Thank you Gary for your fellowship and true support.

My thanks to all of you for your support by being here today. As I stand in front of you, I all conscious of the honour which you have bestoved upon me by electing me as your president. Spite of my moaning, I did have fun and I hope I have not let you down.

Molly and I also enjoyed the fellowship and other social functions. She especially appreciated at the new dresses I had to buy her for these occasions.

It was truly an honour to have served this club as its 41st President, an experience I would not have missed and recommend to all of you to try when your turn comes.

So PE John, it is your turn and in seven days you get your chance to ACT with INTEGRITY, SERVI with LOVE and WORK for PEACE with the help and support of our members. I wish you luck.

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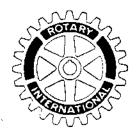
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ROTARY CLUB OF 香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

#### This Week

Four Avenues of Service Hubert Chan/Desmond Cheung/ Wing Eng/Dick Lidster

#### Next Week

Mr Tony Miller Director General of Trade, Hong Kong

#### Last Week

The 1995/96 Rotary Year by Pres. John Luk



President John Luk

I am most honoured and privileged to be elected by you to be President for the 42nd year of this club.

In the fine tradition of our club, in singing, we always have our "Second Best Singer" to lead the singing of our birthday song for members.

However, under the great leadership of PP Tim Lui in 1993/94, our club declared itself the "No. 1 Club in the world". For this he successfully fended off an subsequent "challengers," as no one would be better than the best, not rank higher than the No. 1.

Again under the fine leadership of IPP Leslie Soltay despite the high turnover of executives & members last year our club made a number of great achievements including a number of Presidential Citations e.g. for Community Concerns.

I will try my best to upkeep the fine tradition and performance of our club in Rotary activities. Of course all these will need the co-operation and support of all our fellow members, i.e. all of you.

This year we have three levels of challenge i.e. from RI, the District and within our own club.

From R.I. the theme from the R.I. President Hubert Brown is "Act with Integrity, Serve with Love, Work for Peace."

I am sure that all Rotarians "Act with Integrity", of course until proved otherwise as we always joke about it. I am also very sure that most Rotarians "Serve with Love". Here the RI President means, to serve in Rotary.

"Work for Peace", poses quite some problems to achieve. We need to ascertain the aim or aims, and how exactly to go about achieving them. I need your input, suggestion and support to try to live upto this part of the theme of this Rotary Year. Based on my many years of experience in this club, I know our fellow members will definitely "Work in Peace" & "Be A Friend".

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At the District Level DG Vincent is pushing again for support for the "Polio + PRC Project While the exact details of his fund raising scheme are not finalised, one of the tentative ideas: to organise a "Walkathon" type of fund raising event with or without other fund raising event RI has donated money for PRC to produce the vaccine, but much money is needed for the distribution and administration of the vaccine particularly to the remote parts were transportation poses big problems (e.g. bicycles with small refrigerator, back carried referigator with solar generators.) Part of this program is to assist in rehabitation of the polio victims. } is expected that we will given our solid support to this scheme.

At the club level there are a number of areas, we need to look at.

1. Membership

We must increase our membership. With the recent resignations due to various reasons our membership has dropped to 64, which I have never seen, since I joined this club as far as I can remember. For this I appeal to you all to put great effort and support in our membership drive endeavour. To appreciate such efforts I propose to give a dinner for the attendance group which would bring about the highest number, with a minimum of three, of new members being inducted. Any member who succeeds in bringing in two or more new members will also be invited. Also with the board of director's approval on 3 July 95 the club will be prepared if asked, to reimburse three luncheons' cost to the members who succeed in introducing a new member into the club, starting from the day of the induction of the new member.

2. Fellowship

I wish, to enhance fellowship among the members in the club, which actually is one of the most important factors for a successful social services club. After reviewing the records it really amazed me that the wide varieties in nationality, ethnic race, religion, age group, profession and trade among the members and yet we mixed so well together to further our Rotary and other services goals without looking for any basic materialistic gains in return. And, yet we gather together so nicely enjoying great fellowship among ourselves.

This year I am interested in having more fellowship events so that we could enjoy ourselves more, understanding one another more, at the same time we could work together better. I know that some members enjoy some types of gathering and some enjoy other types. For example some consider "Kara-is-ok" yet some consider "Kara-no-ok". I will try to work closely with VP Hubert and Fellowship Chairman Kenneth Wong to come up with events that we could enjoy more together. In order to help us to achieve this please do hesitate to give us ideas and suggestions or better still join in organising such activities. After all this is your

To enhance fellowship it is hope that more fire-side events will be organized.

Also to encourage participation I propose all members should be involved in our club activities. Each member should at least take part in one committee or avenue of services. Lets have "All Hands on Deck", for the great ship of 'RCHKIE'.

3. Major Project

We have not had a major project for a couple of years and we will try to have one this year. VP Hubert, Community Services Director Desmond Cheung and other members of the Board agreed to this. We are still looking for the right project. Meanwhilw, if you have any ideas please contribute. If we could not find a major project, probably we would embark on a number of smaller ones.

4. Money Management

Our club is sitting on a substantial amount of money or cash due to years of conservative approaches in the financial matters of the club. One problem I can see is, inflation has been eating into this sum of money. There are at least three approaches to the matter. One is to maintain the status quo which is the safest thing for me to do. Second, is try to spend more of the money or try to reduce member's current contribution, so that we could get the best out of

the prsent worth of the money. Third is try to have some sort of investment to protect against inflation. But the third approach could be rather controversial and should be handled very carefully. It may run into the usual problem of investment of public money as a trustee, and may have tax implications too. We will study all these carefully before any recommendation and/or action will be taken.

5. Tung Feng

Our Weekly Bulletin TUNG FENG, which has been the pride of our club for many years. All the past and current editors had done a fine job and we got repeated recognitions in the District. The current problem is the printing cost is getting higher again, upto above \$50,000 per year. VP Hubert and myself are looking into ways to cut this cost if possible. The tentative idea is to do without the conventional printing and try to use more computer aided ways. We try to reduce the cost by 30% to 40%.

#### 6. Attendance

On the issue of attendance which appears to be a sacred issue in Rotary. Good attendance is always encouraged and satisfactory attendance is always required.

It is understood that, in the present Hong Kong scenario both politically and financially, Rotary members have many different types of commitments, and yet they take the time to participate in the Rotary movement to show their concerns and make their contributions in the Rotary activities. I do appreciate all these. I myself am a believer in participation and contribution. I value substantial achievements more than forms. However, as the President of this club I will try to maintain this form of good Rotarians i.e. as a 100% attendance member. To encourage members to do so too I will also follow the club tradition that the President will show recognition to all 100% attendance members by way of presenting them a souvenir or inviting them to a dinner after the 100% attendance is achieved.

Afterall, I think the more important thing is to make substantial contribution to the club and to the community. And, I look forward to your support in these respects.

#### 7. The club needs two Vice Presidents

As there are more and more formal Rotary businesses and activities particularly that at the District level e.g. +40 Rotary Annual Balls and/or many other functions for the executives of the club; and more private concerns of the executive members e.g. immigration problems, business travels and other commitments, as well evidenced in last year's membership and executive turnovers. It would be helpful in many aspects if we could adopt separate posts of a Vice Presidents and a President elect for the whole Rotary year. This would give the executives an additional hand. This is allowed for in our Constitution and could easily be implemented.

#### 8. Sister Clubs

I wish to enhance the interaction and co-operation and fellowship among our sister clubs. We would try to have more joint projects and mutual visits with them. We also plan to improve the relationship and interaction with the Vancouver sister club this year.

#### Extension in China

We will try to support the Rotary movement to be extend to China. Uncle Peter has been doing a lot of work in this area. In this respect we will try to support the "Polio + Project" of the District. We committed ourselves as the co-sponsor of the "Project Wok - Satellite Disk for the Chinese villages" organised by Qin Jia Yuan Foundation and RC of HK Harbour. Our Community Services Director Desmong Cheung and International Service Director Dick Lidster is looking into a possible project in the Guangsi Province. However, I am well aware that we should not over commit ourselves in this aspect without a short period of time. Conclusion

Finally, I wish to thank my Board Members who are able, willing and supportive. Particularly worth additional mention are: Secretary Hon. Gary Chiu who despite his health problem suffered last year decided positively that he will act as the Hon. Secretary again this year to give me solid support with his good experience and proven excellent management techniques

both as the Hon. Treasurer and Hon. Secretary in past years. Hon. Treasurer Henry Luy, who despite of his recent heavy business commitments with a lot of overseas travelling and his new found love of the HKIE Rotary Band which he spent and will be spending alot of time to "Serve with Love", and still promised to act as my Hon. Treasurer, Rtn. Murray Macdonald. despite the possibility of leaving the club in the middle of the Rotary year, he still promised to act as the advisor on vocational services and to act as the Bulletin editor which is one of the most demanding job in club service. With their supports and of course with that of all members I am confident the fine tradition of this Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East will be upkept and I hope we can do more in the Rotary movement in the year to come.

Thank you for putting youth trust in electing me as your president for the 1995/96 Rotary

### Congratulations to PDG Peter Hall

Congratulations to PDG Peter Hall for being recognized by the Trustees of the Rotary Foundation of Rotary International with the highest award, the Rotary Foundation Distinguished Service Award. The Award (presented to no more than 50 Rotarians each year for exemplary service to the Rotary Foundation) is for his significant service to the Rotary Foundation. Recipients of the Distinguished Service Award must have received the Citation for Meritorious Service at least two years before they are considered for Nominatioin for the Distinguished Service Award. The Award is given annually to Rotarians whose outstanding service to the Foundation reaches beyond District level or extends over a long period of time.

#### **Visiting** Rotarians

Peter Blake RC Hong Kong John Mallins RC Hong Kong

Dick Sedgwick RC HKŇE PP Joseph Tam RC Kowloon Albert Chang

#### Guests

RC Colchester, Forum Tammy Chan & Stanley Tsui (Rotaract Club HKIE) Milos Dunckvo (Rtn. Flicker)



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#### This Week

Mr Tony Miller Director General of Trade - Hong Kong

#### Next Week

Rtn Ian Cook
"The changing role of BBC worldwide in Asia"



VP Hubert Chan

#### Last Week

We listened to plans for this year presented by Directors of the Four Avenues of Service and how encouraging it was to hear these new ideas from four fine Rotarians. The essential need however is for each Service Committee to consist of willing committee members to assist each Director to put all these wonderful and worthwhile ideas into practice. Enjoy Rotary by getting involved.

Club Service - Director VP Hubert Chan (Phone: 2863 9999)

Hubert introduced the Club Service sub committee members:

Fellowship

Kenneth Wong

David Wei

Cheung Lee Kwong

David Wong

Gerald Yu

Sergeant at Arms Christop

Christopher J Howe

Francis Li

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PP John Kwok

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P P Andrew Chen

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Hubert advised us the District Governor would be visiting us on 27 September and it was proposed to hold an evening club assembly/dinner in his honour. On the fellowship scene, various items are being considered including a Horse Racing night and a day trip to Mai Po Marshes with students from the Victoria School for the Deaf.

### International Service-Director Dick Lidster (Phone: 2868 3888)

Your Club has committed itself to donating US\$2,000 towards a matching grant project with our sister club Makati North. The money will be used to assist the many street children in Manila. We are awaiting further details from Makati North.

Our major International Service Project is the Club's Co-Sponsorship of "Project Wok", organised by our daughter club the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Harbour and the Qin Jia Yuan foundation, whose main objective is to contribute to the cultural education to the Chinese people.



Dick Lidster

The Chinese Ministry of Culture has organised the "China Culture Enhancement project" utilising voluntary service of Government Officials, to provide Satellite dishes for the 600 remote and poor counties situated in inner China and desert areas.. Currently the CCTV programmes are available nationwide except some remote villages where TV signals are unreachable by ordinary TV antenna due to geographical barriers. To overcome this, special satellite dishes must be installed. Each satellite dish costs some HK\$35,000, which the villages cannot afford. The target is to raise sufficient funds to install 40 dishes in remote Chinese villages, giving access to some 800,00 villages to CCTV programmes. The cost of the dishes will be met from fund-raising and the installation will be undertaken by the Ministry of Culture and volunteers. We are also inviting our sister clubs to participate in this worthwhile project by either sponsoring their own dish, or contributing towards the cost of a dish on a joint sponsorship basis with other sister clubs.

A Fund raising Gala Premiere, officiated by the patron Mr. Zhou Nan, Chief Executive of the NCNA will be held on the 14th August at the Hong Kong Exhibition Centre, where a movie based on Dr. Anita Leung's Novel "I want to go on living". The minimum contribution of each ticket is HK\$1,000. Corporations, organisations and individuals can also sponsor shows of this movie for charitable causes for sponsorship costs from HK\$50,000 to HK\$60,000. As cosponsors of this fund raising project, our club members are encouraged to make their own donation, purchase of tickets or corporate sponsorship of private shows of the movie. If any memberis interested in helping please contact me for further information.

One of DG Vincent's District Goals and Objectives for 1995/96 is a Polio Plus Fund-Raising Walkathon in Hong Kong and in Macau by the end of October to raise funds for donation of cold chain equipment to the PRC to help achieve Rotary International's aim of eradicating polio from the world by the year 2000 followed up by a delegation to the PRC in November. I hope that our Club can play an active part in this Walkathon.

The International Service Committee will be aiming to improve and foster relations with our sister clubs in Japan, the Philippines, Malaysia and Canada and arrange visits during the coming year.

I also will continue Rudy's efforts last year in striving for our Club's 100% Paul Harris Fellowship support and expanding our number of benefactors.

In order to have any chance of success, it is essential to enlist the help of members in the work of International Service projects. During the coming weeks I shall be seeking help, especially from our newer members to serve of the International Service Committee. Also, the Club is looking for ideas and suggestions from our members for suitable International Service ventures that can be developed by the Club during the coming year. So please let me hear from you.

#### Vocational Service - Director Wing Eng (Phone: 2571 0220)

As the Vocational Director for this year, I would like to outline some ideas we have for this year. Vocational Service is to recognize the worthiness of all vocations to society as well as providing guidance to others in the way to conduct ourselves in our vocation.

In this rotary year, I would like for us to have two or three vocational visits to have a better understanding of other vocations. We may be able to combine a vocational visit with a fellowship function to further encourage interaction and participation among our members. A visit to a Chinese factory as well as visiting Hong Kong Telecom's Stanley facility were some of the previous ideas. I would welcome any suggestions from our club members.

As part of our job as Rotarians, we should be providing guidance to our Rotaract club as well as our interact clubs. I would like to organize vocational talks by our members at the regular meetings of the Rotaract and interact clubs. For example, our President John Luk, can talk about property development for member of these club and many of our members can talk about accountancy as a career option. For those with medicine in mind, we have Rotarian

Tony and PP George to enlighten them.

To further provide guidance to our interact clubs, we can provide intership programs within our organizations to expose these young minds to possible career opportunities in the different fields. There is no better way for someone to learn whether they are suitable to a certain career than by actual spending two to three months doing the work and working in that environment. As an employer in Hong Kong, one thing I recognize is the lack of interviewing skills in many of today's young people. This may also ba possible project for us to sponsor a job interviewing skill seminar for local colleagues and university.

These and many other ideas are possibilities. However they will only remain a possibility unless we can get more of you involved. Many of the committees need your involvement to make these projects a reality. If you disagree or would like to change some of these projects, great! Sign up for the vocational service committee and express your view. I look forward to working with you in the coming year.

#### Community Service - Director Desmond Cheung (Phone: 2840 1088)

I have set three (3) objectives for this year:

Objective (1)

To increase members' awareness and support in our club's community service

I propose to keep members informed on Community Service matters, by providing a monthly up-date in the Bulletin, and by inviting those whom we are supporting to come to our luncheon meeting to talk to us about their projects every now and then.

I would hope that by increasing members' awareness of what Community Service is doing, it will lead to increased support in the long term.

To increase guidance and support to Rotaract Clubs of HKIE and Lingnan College At this moment in time, Rotarian L.K. is in charge of looking after Rotaract Club of Lingnan College and I am in charge of looking after Rotaract Club of HKIE.

Rotarian L.K. and I have met with the new president Miss Vienna Lam and other officer of Rotaract Club of Lingnan College. President John, Roatract Joseph and also attend their

inauguration dinner on 8th April this year.

I have met the incoming president of Roatract Club of HKIE Miss Tammy Chan on several occasions in the past. Miss Chan has invited you all to join them for their inauguration dinner due to take place on 5th August 1995, and to support their Annual Bulletin. Any member not present at last luncheon meeting please collect a copy of their invitation letter from Rotarian Gary Chiu

Both rotaract clubs have already submitted to us an outline schedule of what they propose to do this year. Rotarian L.K. and I will keep in close contact with the 2 clubs this year.

Will members please give them the support they deserve.

#### Objective (3)

To identify a common theme for this year's projects

Both rotaract clubs shall focus their community projects this year on helping the young. It is my hope that our club's community projects this year will focus on helping the young and children too.

To this end, I have approached:

- (a) Miss Chung of H.K. Council of Social Services. They are planning to set up an information centre for young people involved in drug abuse with counselling and employment. They are also planning to increase the awareness of the public of the youth drug problem and to seek their tolerance and support for these young people. At present, the details of this project are not available to me, but it is a worthwhile project on a topical issue and I would hope to obtain the board's approval thereon in due course.
- (b) Heep Hong Society for Handicapped Children. I have asked them to suggest projects which our club can do with them rather than just handing them a cheque. They promise to come back to me.
- (c) Rotaraian K.T. relating to possible projects for children in Guangxi, China as he is the representative of People's Congress there. He promised to look into it.

You will no doubt hear more about these projects later. Meanwhile, if you have any ideas on what projects our club should be doing or if you wish to assist in Community Service, please let me know.

Pres. John with Dick Sedgwick and Denita Connor

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香港東區扶輪社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

### This Week

Rtn Ian Cook "The Changing Role of BBC Worldwide in Asia"

#### Next Week

Pres. John Luk
"Central Plaza - The most intelligent building in HK"

#### Last Week

Mr Tony Miller Director General of Trade, Hong Kong



Mr Tony Miller

Mr Miller addressed the issue of the World Trade Organisation and the importance of the organisation for Hong Kong in particular.

He reminded us that with most multilateral international agreements all issues are very rarely resolved at the time agreements of intent are signed and the recent talks successfully concluded, known as the "Uruguay Round" were no exception to this rule. Whereas there is now general agreement among members for the freeing up of trade barriers, items to be still resolved are Financial Services, Maritime Services and Telecommunication Service between member countries. Hong Kong's interests lie in ensuring all the commitments agreed by the "Uruguay Round" are implemented and that the implementation be accelerated. It is most important to Hong Kong that the World Trade Organisation is established as an entity to effectively, quickly and openly settle disagreements between member countries. It is also important to Hong Kong that China is admitted as a full member of WTO and the sooner this happens the better although it is likely this will not happen until the US Presidential elections next year are over.

Mr Miller told us that discussions on Financial Services started going wrong and USA backed away from the negotiating table, Hong Kong is ranked 4th in the world as a banking sector and 8th in the world in terms of market capitalisation. Hong Kong is working actively with the European Union, the Asian Countries, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, Chile and many others, to push for an agreement in this all important Financial Services area. USA has been sent a signal that they are not essential to the agreement and that discussion will continue with our without them - hopefully with them as they are a world financial leader.

Mr Miller said the WTO was in its infancy but it was already robust and ready to meet its challenges.

Rtm Roy Grubb proposed a vote of thanks to Mr Miller who in a short time had given us a most thorough insight into the World Trade Organisation and the important role it will play for the future economic prosperity of Hong Kong.

### Your directors need assistance. Please volunteer your willingness to assist them

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Vocational Service

International Service

Desmond Cheung (Ph. 2840 1088)

Wing Eng (Ph. 2571 0220)

Dick Lidster (Ph. 2868 3888)

Support Rotaract Clubs

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Career Advice

"Wok" Project

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Skills

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### Membership Booklet

A sincere thank you to PP John Kwok and Gary Chiu who in their own quiet and efficient way have produced our new Membership Booklet. We are grateful for their efforts. Please let PP John or Gary know of any amendments for the next "up date".

### Attendance

Our Attendance for the month of June was 77%+ and thank you to the following 16 members who assisted the Club by achieving 100% attendance during the 1994/1995 Rotary Year:

IPP Leslie Soltay

PDG Peter Hall David Li

Pres. John Luk Garv Chiu

PP Tim Lui

Kenny Chan

Manolo Chellaram

Alex Ling Rube Hausman

George Leung

Rov Grubb

PP John Kwok

Bala Balakrishnan Murray Macdonald

PP Y K Cheng



PDG Peter Hall



Gerald receives a gift from Pres. "]L"

### Last Week's Issues

- A little bereft of members we were due no doubt to the holiday season. Rumour has it that Tom Bovet has finally reached that point in time when he has to leave us for Rotary Club for Cambodia. We wish him well and no doubt we will continue to see him from time to time in the future.
- Even though our attendance was down our spirits were up! PP Dave sported a summer haircut, PP Con was in his usual fine form, Kishu was back from Singapore, Dick Sedgwick was again visiting us, the food was good what more could we wish for!
- Kishu Narain was Sgt at Arms for the day a position he knows well from many years ago and he did well! \$1,820 was collected thanks to all who contributed.
- Our birthday boys were PP Dave Chang, Roy Grubb and Gerald Yu. We duly serenaded them under the leadership of Gary Chiu and Hubert Chan.
- PDG Peter advised us of the new Rotary Club (Peninsula Sunrise) which meets at Foreign Correspondent Club for a \$75 breakfast on Thursday mornings. They are yet another "baby" of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong.
- We toasted RI and RC Hong Kong South after listening to Tony Miller's very interesting and informative address on World Trade Organisation.

### Visiting Rotarians

Dick Sedgwick PP Neil Kraunsoe Lal Hardasani

RC Hong Kong RC Hong Kong South RC Peninsula



Pres. John Luk with Teny Miller and visiting Rotarians Lal, Neils and Dick

### For Our Diaries

Sun 30 July - Fellowship evening HK Country Club Sing-a-long with Gordon Ong 7 p.m. Kenneth Wong needs to know numbers of persons attending. (Ph. 2835 7139)

Sat 5 August - Annual Dinner for our Rotaract Club - Rotaract Club of Hong Kong Island East. Royal Pacific Hotel Kowloon 7 p.m. cost \$400.

Desmond Cheung (Ph. 2840 1088) would appreciate support

District Membership Growth Seminar/Workshop, Jockey Club, Happy

Valley 2--5 p.m. (for Club President, Pres. Elect; Membership Chairman)

Sat 2 September

District Rotary Foundation Seminar (Chinese) in Macau 2.30 - 7 p.m.

Sat 30 September - District Rotary Foundation Seminar (English) at Furama Hotel 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### Farewell

We say farewell to the following former members who have resigned from the Club

PP Chan Soo (now with Rotary in Johore); Tom Bovet (now a charter member of RC Cambodia); Ravmond Chung (who we hope will rejoin us when he returns to Hong Kong); Alastair Mclachlan; Rama Ramakrishnan; Abraham Razac; Vianney Willy-Furth; PP Y P Yang (who is now permanently in Canada); David Wong; PP Ken Poon (now with Rotary in Sydney).

### Rotaract Clubs of Hong Kong Island East and Lingnan College

Rtn Desmond Cheung has asked for more support from Members to assist him and Rtn L.K. Cheung who are this year's Rotarian Advisers to the above Rotaract Clubs. Members who are interested in promoting Youth activities would find this extremely interesting, not very time consuming but very rewarding.

The Club's meet once a month and we want to ensure we have at least one Rotarian Adviser at each meeting. Attendance at a Rotaract Club meeting in this way, also counts as a "make up" for our own Club meeting. Please contact Desmond (Phone 2840 1088).



Happy Birthday Boy, Gerald and PP Dave

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#### This Week

DGN YK Cheng The importance of Membership Development

### Last Week

Rtn Ian Cook - BBC World Service

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The words "This is London" have been broadcast across the world's airwaves since the 19th December 1932.



Rtn lan Cook

In the 63 years since it's first broadcast, the BBC World Service has grown to become the dominant interntional radio broadcaster around the world. It's programmes can be heard in almost every country of the world, in over 40 different languages. There are over 100 million regular listeners.

Although sharing the same top management and premises at the now famous Bush House in London, the World Service functions with a high level of independence from the BBC domestic service. Domestic BBC broadcasting is funded by levving an annual license fee on televisions in the UK. The World Service is funded by an annual grant from the Foreign office.

There are three distinct components to the BBC World Service.

Up until recently, if you tuned your radio in to the World Service at the same time, anywhere in the world, you would hear the same programme. This was because the English Language service broadcast a single signal, all around the world. The upside of this is that everyone got the news at exactly the same time, as it happens. The downside was the non-news programmes could often only be heard at times most inconvenient to listeners in certain parts of the world. In an attempt to make sure that someone, somewhere, had the opportunity to listen to these programmes at reasonable hours, a programme would be repeated at different times GMT.

From the 1st April 1995, this has changed with the breaking up of the signal in to five separate beam, for five different regions, including one specifically for the Asia/Pacific region. News broadcasts remain live and unchanged. Nonnews programmes are now rescheduled to be broadcast at times more suited to listeners in this part of the world. This also means that the need for repeat programming is reduced, created space for additional programming with more regional content.

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In many parts of the world, the World Service radio signal is only available on short wave, sometimes of questionable quality. Luckily, RTHK acts as a rebroadcaster for the World Service in Hong Kong. This means that you can pick up the complete World Service radio signal on AM675 on any normal domestic or car radio.

You can now also pick up World Service radio with a TV satellite dish. If you already receive Star TV, you can, with only a minor adjustment, add World Service radio to an audio channel on your television.

Broadcast technology evolved rapidly in the late 1970s and 1980s, allowing the introduction of global television networks such as CNN. BBC World Television began broadcasting on the 11th March 1991.

BBC World TV has had something of a rollercoaster relationship with viewers in Hong Kong. We started by broadcasting with Star TV, but early last year, for politically motivated reasons, the service was dropped from Star TV's Northern beam, effectively losing the Hong Kong audience. Late last year, agreement was reached with Wharf Cable and a separate, 24 hour channel dedicated to BBC World was launched in Hong Kong.

Wharf Cable's wiring policy has been such that many parts of the territory have taken a long time to become hooked up to Wharf. However, this is changing and now Wharf Cable - at least in theory - provides almost total coverage of the Urban areas.

Thanks to a new technology known as DTH allows individual homes to pick up the Wharf signal, on the condition that you have "line-of-sight" access to a Wharf Cable broadcast station. The cost of this service is a one-off purchase price of about HK\$2,000. The only other expenditure is then the monthly subscription fee of just over HK\$200.

The BBC World Service launched London Calling in September 1939, just as the first shots of the Second World War were being fired. The magazine, consisting almost exclusively of radio listings and frequencies, was published through the war years without interruption, and prospered for over 50 years.

The move, in 1991 to add visual broadcasting to it's services led the BBC World Service to review the magazine. The result was the launch, in November 1992, of BBC Worldwide magazine. A full colour magazine that consists mainly of current affairs and features, with a continuation of radio and TV listings as a bound in insert.

At the beginning of 1995, partly in anticipation of the regionalisation of World Service radio, BBC Worldwide magazine was regionalised with the launch of the Asia/Pacific edition. This edition covers 22 countries from Mongolia to New Zealand, Burma to Korea and the Pacific islands.

The magazine draws on the immense editorial resources of the BBC in London, as well as the substantial and highly repected resources of our network of overseas correspondents.

As you have heard, the BBC has come a long way since that fateful day 63 years ago when "This is London" first reverberated around the world. All through the up and downs of international affairs, the World Service has held tight to it's philosophy of providing up to date, unbiased and fairly reported news and information.



President "JL with our visitors

### Notable happenings last week

- A warm welcome back to Rube Hausmann who has been away for several months. As usual Rube arrived back with a bucketful of make-up cards. Many thanks for these, Rube.
- Immediate Past President Leslie had been away with Molly and the family for a holiday in Thailand and PP Sam was back with us after also being away.
- Sgt at Arms Rtn Howe received \$1,190 in donations. Many thanks to all who contributed and special thanks to IPP Leslie, PP Sam, Rube Hausman.
- PP Con Conway introduced our guest speaker Ian Cook. Several alternate interpretations of "BBC" abounded in conversations around the tables and all seemed to centre on PP Conthat well known, ever so mildly balding Irishman "Bloomin Beautiful Conway" (Con's version); "Boot Bloomin Conway (Annon); "Bring Back Conway" (Bulletin Editor!) but we are reliably informed that the real interpretation is British Broadcasting Corporation and there's nothing Irish about that!!
- The new Rotary Club of Peninsula Sunrise which meets at Foreign Correspondents Clubs for breakfast on Thursday mornings was in fact sponsored by RC Peninsula (thank you PDG Peter for correcting us).

This club is well worth a visit. Meetings start around 8:00 a.m. and finish promptly at 9:00 a.m.

#### Attendance

Leslie Soltay spoke to us on attendance and make-ups. There has been a new ruling on the time allowed for make ups - 14 days prior to the meeting we are going to miss until 14 days after it. (Previously we had only 7 days either side.)

To remain a Rotarian of good standing we are asked to make a point of attending at 3 meetings a month, 2 of which should be at our own Club unless we are away from Hong Kong.

It is built into our Constitution and By Laws that failure to achieve these minimum attendance requirements renders us liable to expulsion! Fortunately we have an understanding Board of Directors and common sense prevails but the message really is that attendance of each member is a very important part of the well being of any Club.

Guests

Mr Albert Lee,

guest of Rtn Chris Ting

### Visiting Rotarians

Ian Cook - RC Hong Kong

Richard Sedgwick - RC Hong Kong

P Purnell-Edwards - RC Quarry Bay

Wilfred Koo - RC Hong Kong
David Tsoi - RC Hong Kong North East

Mike Chan

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Lal Hadasani - RC Peninsula

## For Our Diaries

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Desmond Cheung (Ph. 2840 1088) would appreciate support

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Sat 2 Sept - District Rotary Foundation Seminar (Chinese) in Macau 2.30 - 7 p.m.

Sat 30 Sept - District Rotary Foundation Seminar

(English) at Furama Hotel 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Thur 16 Nov - Barbecue Fellowship with RC Hong Kong South and RC Quarry Bay (at the

Country Club) 6.30 pm

### New Member Proposal

In accordance with Sub-section (5) of Section 1 of Article XI of the By-Laws of our club that the Board of Directors has sustained the decision of the Classification Comittee and the Membership Committee to propose the following person be admitted to our club as a senior active member:

Name:

Rtn Ron Forte

Nationality:

Australian

Classification:

Senior Active

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Standard Chartered Finance Ltd

22/F Evergo House, 38 Gloucester Road, Wanchai

Phone: 2861 5138 Fax: 2861 0457

Residential Address: 17A Block 3 Garden Terrace, 8A Old Peak Road, Hong Kong

Phone: 2524 6581 Fax: 2530 5190

Wife:

Marilynn

Anniversary:

7 February

Proposer:

Rtn Geoff Simmons

Ron was a formerly a valued member of RC Hong Kong Island East before returning to Australia some years ago. He rejoined RC Castle Hill. Ron has travelled extensively in his job and has now had in excess of 15 years Rotary experience. He elected Senior Active Status and this was confirmed last year.

In accordance with Sub-section (5) Section 1 of Article XI of the By-Laws of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East, any member objecting to the election of the above proposed member shall notify the Board, in writing stating reasons, within 10 (ten) days, from the date of publication of this notice.

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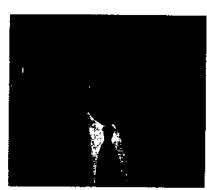


### Appeal for New Members - Pres. John Luk

We must increase our membership and I appeal to all of you your support. With the recent resignations due to various reasons our membership has dropped to 61, which is the lowest so far as I can remember. I appeal to you all to put great effort and support into a membership drive endeavour. With the board of director's approval the club will be prepared if asked, to reimburse three luncheons, costs to the members who succeed in introducing a new member into the Club, starting from the day of the induction of the new member.

### Membership Development -**District Governor Nominee** Y K Cheng

DGN Y K addressed us on this all important subject. From June 30, 1993 to June 30, 1994 worldwide membership in Rotary grew by only 1.5%. The 'growth' was attributable to the formation of new clubs and not the growth in existing clubs who actually lost members. To illustrate this Y K gave us the following District Governor Nominee Y K Cheng alarming statistics:



Rotary Club of Chicago from 430 members to 340 over 5 years Rotary Club of Boston from 240 members to 80 over 5 years Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East from 82 members to 61 ovr 3 years As our membership stagnates, opportunities for service pass us by and if this state is allowed to continue we will not be able to do what we want to do. Membership development cannot continue to be an afterthought. Many clubs believe that simply preserving the status quo is good enough. Unfortunately, the human need for the service Rotarians provide is constantly increasing. Just think of how much more our club can accomplish with additional helping hands and people who can bring new skills, new ideas, and new energy. Some new thinking is needed. Let me offer some strategies:

Lets look objectively at our Club

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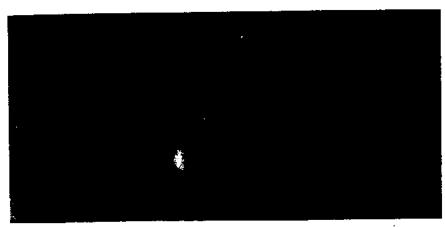
Are programmes interesting and exciting

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- Are meetings time effective? What can be done to make meetings more appealing and relevant? Should more club members be involved in the process?
- 2. Just what is our competition? The facts suggest we do not lose members to other service organisations. Our real competition is families, jobs and leisure activities. Time is scarce, people are more discriminating about what they do with their diminishing free time. Rotary offers an organised approach to providing service to the community. Collectively we can achieve what individuals cannot accomplish on their own.
- 3. Identify gaps in members
  - Is there an untapped pool of members in your community. Seek out your friends and those you do business with. Bring them along to Rotary as your guest. Talk to them about Rotary, ask them if they are interested in sharing this wonderful worldwide organisation with us.
  - Will the admission of women result in greater success?
- 4. Make it easier for potential members to find us There are thousands of people who would like to join a volunteer service organisation. Perhaps we need to make our club more visible in the community.
- 5. Set goals and stick to them Begin a programme today to actively seek new members, Everyone in the club should be involved. Remember if you don't ask you won't get people involved. Retention of members is a challenging and important goal. New members in particular who feel they are needed and that their opinions and work are valued are not likely to leave Rotary. Make sure new members enjoy their initial meetings until they become more comfortable as a club member. Keep members involved, assign members to committees.
- 6. What can each one of us do?
  - Write down the names of all persons you know who would be Rotarians. Make the list as long and expansive as possible.
  - ASK them. Do not prejudge or assume their answer. Tell them what Rotary will do for them.

All successful clubs have one thing in common regarding membership. They ASK. They SELL the benefits of Rotary. They don't just give membership lip service. Let us take immediate action now so that at end of this Rotary year we can proudly say we are indeed one of the successful clubs in Rotary.



Happy Birthday PP John and Kenny

- Gerald Yu was in charge of Fellowship and he introduced our three visitors: Rtns Dick Sedgwick, Michael Duck and Patrick Cheng all from RC Hong Kong. PDG Peter Hall introduced his guest Mr Lionel Boxer.
- PDG Peter Hall and Kishu Narain shared honours for being Sgt at Arms. Kishu reported a
  collection of \$2,330 for our community service projects. Many thanks to all who contributed
  so generously and especially to our Birthday Boys PP John Kwok and Kenny Cheung who
  we duly serenaded under the 'baton' of David Li.
- Fellowship chairman Ken Wong told us the President's night (to honour Immediate Past President Leslie and Molly) would be held on 16 September. He also forewarned us to book the evening of 6 November for a special fellowship get together with RC Hong Kong South at Contry Club Deepwater Bay.
- Ken Wong introduced District Governor Nominee Y K Cheng who was thanked after his address by PDG Peter and we all finished off an enjoyable meeting with a toast to RI Rotary Club of Hong Kong.

Wing Eng

- Director of Vocational Service Committee

phone 2790 3393

Desmond Cheung - Director of Community Service Committee

phone 2840 1088

Dick Lidster

- Director International Service Comittee

phone 2868 3888

Wing, Desmond and Dick are inviting members to join them on their respective committees and to assist with the various projects they wish to implement. This does not mean a great imposition of our members' time and the aim is to have as many people as possible sharing a little responsibility each. Wing, Desmond and Dick would prefer to have members volunteer. If this does not produce results, they will be contacting you directly and the Board asks everyone to remember the unwritten rule which implies Rotarians will never say "No" when asked to help.

JL is going to buy a dinner for:

1. Any indivdual member who introduces two or more new members who are inducted this Rotary year.

2. Whichever of our "Attendance Groups" brings in the highest number of new members (minimum of 3) who are inducted during this Rotary year.

It is time to revitalise Rotary and to revitalise our own club by bringing in new members. PDG Peter Hall urges us to aim high for 25 new members this year. "Never say it can't be done" said uncle Peter - "RC of Hong Kong introduced 42 new members last year and there's the challenge for us to beat". (Quote: the person who says it can't be done had better watch out because he could be overtaken by someone doing it!)

Sat 12 Aug - District Membership Growth Seminar/Workshop, Jockey Club, Happy Valley

2--5 p.m. (for Club President, Pres. Elect; Membership Chairman)

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### This Week

Mr Brian Lerner
"Dealing in Dinosaurs"

Message from RI President, Herb Brown.

### Set Your Goals Now to Meet The Calgary Challenge

Perhaps the single most effective way to strengthen Rotary's ability to do good in the world is by increasing club membership. In addition to infusing your club with fresh ideas, energy, and enthusiasm, new members can help you to broaden your service base, expanding the number or scope of the projects you undertake. During my year as president of RI, I want to stress the importance of membership growth and strongly encourage all clubs and districts to increase their numbers. To foster the accomplishment of this worthy goal, I am initiating the following incentive program for 1995-96:

 The President Club Citation for Integrity, Love and Peace, which includes a challenge for individual club net membership growth.

 The Two New Member Program, which will recognize individual Rotarians who recruit two or more new members. These Rotarians will receive a certificate of recognition after their club president has verified the new member gain with an RI service representative.

 The Calgary Challenge, a special program that will recognize those districts and clubs that achieve the highest net gains in membership between 1 July 1995 and 1 January 1996.

### How the Calgary Challenge Works

 Clubs set their own goals for membership growth. In conclusion with your district governor-nominee, determine how much you can increase your club's membership between 1 July 1995 and 1 January 1996.

 Governors-nominee report club goals to the president-elect before the Nice Convention. At a special presentation on membership growth during the convention, I will announce the worldwide goal for growth based on the goals set by all the clubs.

District governors work with club presidents to plan growth strategies during the official visit. Your governor will bring several tools to help you promote membership growth, including a classification survey through which you can identify open classifications in your club, a five-year history of your club's membership growth, and a copy of "What Can Your Club Do To Continue on page 2

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- Increase Membership Today?" which offers tangible steps clubs can take to bring in new members. Pay special attention to the Five For One Plan, which involves dividing your membership into groups of five, with each group being responsible for bringing in one new member.
- Winners will be based on figures in the semiannual reports. These forms must be received by the RI Secretariat no later than 23 February 1996. Reports received after that date will not be used to ascertain the winners.
- Fifty districts will be winners. In late March, RI staff will calculate the figures for all districts worldwide to determine which ones have achieved the highest percentage net gain in membership. There will be at least one winning district from each zone, and the district with the largest net gain will be the overall world winner. In the case of a tie, a drawing will be held to select the champion.
- Two top clubs will be selected from each winning district. To keep the competition more evenly matched, the clubs will be divided into two categories: clubs with fewer than 50 members and clubs with 51 members and more. Each of the winning governors will then determine which club in the district has achieved the largest net member gain for each category. In the event of a tie, the governor will hold a drawing to select the winner.
- Winning clubs and districts will receive handsome commemorative statuettes. At the Calgary
  Convention, I will invite the presidents and governors of those clubs and districts to join
  me on stage for special recognition.
- Grand winners will attend the Calgary Convention at RI expense. The governor from the district that is named the overall world winner will be invited to bring his or her spouse and the presidents of the winning clubs and their spouses to the Calgary Convention at RI's expense. The grand winners will receive special recognition on stage.

### District Governor's visit 27 September

IPP Leslie updated us on the purpose of the DG's visit which is to be held during our regular weekly meeting on Wednesday, 27th September.

DG Vincent will meet with the President and Board at 11:30 a.m. at Regal Hotel. A summary of our Club Plans and objectives for this Rotary year are to be presented to DG Vincent at least 2 days before his visit and these will be discussed. Vincent will then address the Club during the lunch meeting.

### Speaker for Wednesday 23rd August

Ms Diane Wilcoxson, "Communications at the top"



Our former members PP Ken Poon and John Taylor during Ken's induction into RC North Sydney in July.

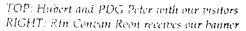
### Last week's happenings

- VP Hubert Chan was in the chair and he appeared totally comfortable in this position which he will himself opccupy next year.
- A great day for Hubert not only was he to chair his first Rotary meeting but the day marked the 1st day of his son going to school! As a result the 5gt at Arms benefitted considerably! Thank you Hubert.
- While on the subject of Sgt at Arms (Henry Luy), thank you also to Flicker Lamport, PP's Sam Lam, Andrew Cheng, George Leung, Rtns Henry Luy, Henry Chan, Thomas Ling, Alex Shang and Roy Grubb for their generous donations, all of which totalled \$1,400.
- Dick Lidster reminded us that 51,000 tickets for the Fund Raising Gala (Film Premier sponsored by RC Hong Kong Harbour for their "Wok" project) were available for the film showing on Monday, 14th August. Our Club is assisting RC Hong Kong Harbour as a cosponsor in this project to provide communication satellite dishes to remote villages in China and we have guaranteed support of \$100,000 which will purchase three "wok" satellite dishes.
- Murray advised the Chinese version of the Rotary Foundation Seminar for this year would be held in Macau on September 2nd at the Toursit Activity Centre (opposition Mandarin Hotel). Registration starts at 2:00 p.m. and there will be a dinner at 7:30 p.m. Murray Macdonald has the registration forms for anyone who wishes to attend (Phone 2822 2670).
- We had one overseas visitor Rtn Convan Roon from RC the Hague and it gave us pleasure to toast this Club together with RI at the end of the proceedings.

#### For Our Diaries

- Sat 2 Sept District Rotary Foundation Seminar (Chinese) in Macau 2.30 7 p.m.
- Sat 16 Sept President's Night (to honour Leslie Soltav and Molly).
  - Aberdeen Marina Club
- Wed 27 Sept District Governor visit.
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### Last week's guest speaker

Kitty Ng Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholar Kitty is back in Hong Kong for a brief spell before returning to UK where her husband is completing his PHD. Kitty has just completed her year as a Rotary Foundation Ambassadorial Scholar in Liverpool where her host club was RC Garston. Prior to her selection, Kitty had been working as a social worker for 5 years before joining YMCA, Hong Kong. She extended her social studies at University in Liverpool and has aims of returning to Hong Kong to lecture at University here.



We heard how hospitable the Liverpool Rotary Clubs were to Kitty and how involved she became in their various activities. There are 64 Rotary Clubs in Liverpool and she visited 18 of them during the period of her scholarship. She said she enjoyed talking to the various clubs. Men, said Kitty were more interested in Politics and Economics existing in Hong Kong whereas the women were more down to earth and wanted to know about social and family life. Lady Rotary members are not a feature in Liverpool. Out of the 64 Clubs only 3 have lady members. Kitty was particularly impressed with the way Rotary worked in the community and by Rotarian's hands on approach in actively participating in small, but very worthwhile community projects which were well within each club's means.

### Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Convan Roon

RC The Hague

David Tsoi

RC HKNE RC Kowloon

K M Chan Benny Ratmani

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Kitty Ng

Guest Speaker

Phillip Hong

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#### Last Week

Brian Lerner of Dinosaur Merchant, Causewav Bay, Hong Kong gave us a fascinating talk on locating dinosaur fossils. He has been interested in the subject since he was 14 years old and he is now in the business of marketing Dinosaur and other pre historic animal fossils. His company has been in existence in USA for 12 years.



Brian Lerner

We were told how there are various parts of the world which are known to be "fossil rich". These are often in out of the way places. In days gone by if anyone found old bones they became frightened and called the police. Today, people realise there is money to be made and they call Brian's company when a "find" is made.

Experts then go out to the area of the discovery to ascertain what the find really is and also whether it has been found on private property with clear ownership (it is not legal to take or purchase fossils from Government land). If the "find" is found to be genuine, a team of from 6 - 60 people will go into the field to conduct an indepth investigation and "dig". In most places this can only happen a few months a year and it can take several years to recover a relatively small volume of prehistoric fossil. Most items are found embeded in rock. Huge slabs of rock of 4 - 5 tons each are taken back to the laboratory for careful cracking and breaking.

Until recently clients in the market for prehistoric fossils were mainly museums and universities but now collectors are interested.

Mr Lerner said his company opened their 500 sq. ft. Causeway Bay office a year ago. It is set up with the environment of a private museum. Mr Lerner said it is recognised much education is required to enable collectors in Hong Kong to develop an interest in these items and to assure them of authenticity. Mr Lerner concluded with a most amusing anecdote of how he was arrested for alleged murder when he was attempting to travel home from Harleyville USA, with a mummified Egyptian head in a hat box in the back of his station Continue on page 2

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wagon car (which was also loaded with muddied spades etc. from a recent dig). It took a night in jail and advice from known experts that the "head" belonged to a "Mummy" thousands of years ago and not to the torso of a known drunkard who had gone missing from Harleyville some months previously.

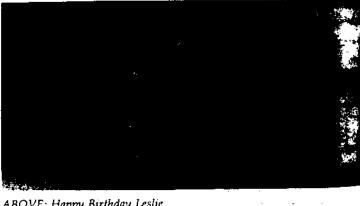
Reminder:

Have you joined a committee yet? If not, please call: Dick Lidster - International Service Committee - phone 2868 3888, Desmond Cheung - Community Service Committee - phone 2840 1088, Wing Eng - Vocational Service Committee - phone 2790 3393.

Happenings Last Week

- We warmly welcomed Ron Forte back into the Club. He was proposed by Geoff Simons who in fact had originally been introduced to our Club by Ron in October 1991. Ron's classification is Senior Active. His most recently Club was RC Castle Hill, Sydney where he recorded 100% attendance. Great to have you aboard again Ron.
- Pres "JL" and six other representatives from our Club attended the Club Premiere of the film presented in support of RC Hong Kong Harbour's "Wok" project. As a co-sponsor, "JL" received a souvenir on behalf of the Club.
- Geoff Simmons has again been round the globe hence his inability to be at our meetings for the past 2 weeks, we warmly welcomed him back.
- Chris Howe is back from holiday. He arrived during the last typhoon (or near typhoon!) and it took him 5 hours to get from Tai Tak to his home. Not happy persons were he and Lisa when they finally got home after having flown through the night from London.
- Dave Chang was also back and he has been to Vancouver where he met with PP's Y P Yang, Harold Lee, Henry Fetigan and Rtns Gary Chiu and Alex Ling.
- "LK" Cheung introduced our visitors and it was great to see Patrick Connor back with us again. Patrick is now a member of RC Singapore and we also see Patrick's wife Denita from time to time. She belongs to another Singapore Rotary Club.
- Its official! IPP Leslie Soltay is now a year older and PP Con led the birthday song.
- Chris Howe as Sgt at Arms reported a return of \$1,730. Many thanks to all who gave and
  in patricular thank you to PP's Dave Chang, Con Conway, Leslie Soltay, Andrew Chen,
  Sam Lam, and Rtns Howe, Hubert Chan, Henry Chan, Chris Ting, Kurt Schneiders, Patrick
  Connor, Tommy Ling, Samuel Wong, Rube Hausmann, Stephen Liu, Roy Grubb.
- Other visiting Rotarians were Dick Sedgwick (RC Hong Kong), John Glass (RC Kln North), Lal hardasani (RC Peninsula).
- Pres JL adjourned the meeting with a toast to RI and RC Singapore.





ABOVE: Happy Birthday Leslie LEFT: Welcome Back Ron

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Any changes, please inform Secretary Gary Chiu at once Thanks.

### Dear Fellow Rotarians,

Please Note that from this week onward, I will bring along with me 10 sets of District Souvenir to distribute one each to members of the club till 31/12/ 1995 on a first serve basis.

So, please do not miss this magnificent FREE GIFT from the club. COME AND GET IT EARLY.

Rtn. Li



Pres "JL" PDG Peter Hall and Ron Forte with our visitors

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Tolo Harpour	New World Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m (E/C)	Kingspark HK	Ramaga Renaissance Hotel	12 <b>30 p.m</b> (E)
New Territories	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	6 45 pm (C)	Hong Kong Bayview	Forama Kempinski Hotel	12:30 p.m. (M/C)
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TUESDAY			Kowloon Northwest	Omni Prince Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p m (C)
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Our 42nd Year of Rotary Service

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### Community Services Report for August - Rtn Desmond Cheung

#### Rotaract Club HK Island East

On 20th July, PDG Uncle Peter, President John, Rotarian L.K. and I attended the inauguration dinner of our sister club The Rotaract Club of Hong Kong Island East at the Royal Pacific Hotel.

The incoming president of our sister club, Miss Tammy Chan, was unable to attend because she was resting in hospital after a minor operation. But we managed to catch a glimpse of her on video, resting in the hospital bed, surrounded by beautiful flowers, thanking us all for coming and apologizing for her absence. I must say that this video presentation was most innovative. I must confess however that I was not aware of her condition until that night. But I made up hopefully by promptly sending her flowers on behalf of our club the following Monday.

In his speech, President John encouraged these young Rotaractors to continue their good work. President John then gave a robust rendition of an old-fashioned English love song, the name of which I unfortunately could not recall.

After dinner, there were further songs and games, ably organized by the board members of our sister Club. We all had a very good time. The scheduled regular meeting of the board of Rotaract Club of Hong Kong Island East for August was postponed due to typhoon.

#### Club Project for this year

I had a meeting with the representative of Community Drug Advisory Council in early August. They had a project under consideration in which they would print a leaflet in both English and Chinese containing information on drugs designed for children for 11 to 15 years old. This leaflet will be attractively designed, 'near friendly' and will contain a section on how to handle peer-pressure. Apart from monetary su-port, our club can assist them on design, printing and distribution. President John is thinking of extending this drug education by organizing seminar and video presentation at schools and community centres.

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Ms Diane Wilcoxson

### Last Week's Speaker

PP Con Conway introduced our guest speaker, Diane Wilxocson of Diane Wilcoxson & Associates. Diane was indeed the highlight of our enjoyable meeting last week. She spoke to us on "Communication at the Top", a subject on which she is eminently experienced having been a management development consultant for 19 years.

"What is more challenging to a top executive than effectively communicating to those who work with him? - Perhaps not knowing how to do it without relying on others and not knowing how to learn", Diane suggested to us. She then proceeded to explain her views to us in a most amusing and effective way. She had us enduring happily, a multitude of arm extension exercises in answer to her directions. These directions were aimed at making us realise the importance of clear and precise verbal communication from the top. "It is amazing how imprecise our language is becoming - we must learn to use it the way we should", Diane said.

Leadership responsibility calls for guidance, instruction and feedback not only from subordinates but for the business leaders as well. As leaders we must be good listeners; we must work on presenting clear ideas, we must develop the techniques of effectively persuasion and effective meetings.

To be a good leader in today's business climate, we need to be more precise in our language, we must seek feedback as to whether or not we are understood. We must not look at other people and assume it is a problem for them to handle instead of ourselves.

So often there is a tendency for leaders to get carried away with their high position and to forget the intent behind the message they are trying to put across. How we say something and what we mean are not always the same. "Make sure people know your intentions when you speak", Diane advised and she recommended that before we speak or write we first check the intention of the message we wish to get across and gear the message

accordingly. We were reminded of the importance of non verbal communication. Our expression and our gestures are very important. Research suggests 55 - 90% of what other people think

of us is based on what they see and not they hear.

"Generally people are not good at giving feedback and this may be for varying reasons. As leaders you must adapt to your surroundings. Many of us have grown up with traditional, perhaps old fashioned models", Diane said. "Beware, people below you no longer believe those at the top don't have to communicate and subordinates' expectation of being kept informed is far greater than even it used to be. It is often scary to put ourselves forward but the public at large expect leaders to have confidence; to speak up and to speak well. Until we learn this, those who don't change will become "Dinosaurs" within their organisations and people will eventually pass them by."

### Last Week's Happenings

 We were delighted to welcome Charles Lai as a visitor to our meeting. Charles is the son of Rtn Robert Lai. Also visiting us was Malcom Phillips of Dale Carnegie who was a guest of Rtn Murray.

Our visiting Rotarians were Yoshio Ishii (RC Hiroo, Japan), Hartvig Jeffersen (RC Haslev DK) - Hartvig had as his guest his wife Mammee Jeffersen DK, Leo Ramata (RC Waikiki), Charles Chan (RC HKNE); Benny Ratnani (RC HKNE), Dick Sedgwick (RC Hong Kong) and George Li (IPP RC HK South).

 What a distinguished group of birthday fellows we had! Rtns Dragon Nie; Alex Ling and Rube Hausmann, three long time and highly respected members. Very Happy Birthday to each of you. Rube selected PP Con to lead the birthday song ("because Jack Lau isn't here" said Rube. "I guess that makes me 2nd best singer" said Con)

 Sgt at Arms Howe reported contributions totalling \$2,370. Special thanks to Rtns Dragon Nie, Alex Ling, Rube Hausmann and PP Sam Lam. Thank you also to those 11 fine Rotarians who each donated \$100. Your names are duly recorded in the good book.

As is our tradition, beautifully bound copies of Tung Feng for the last Rotary year were
presented to Immediate Past President Leslie Soltay and past Bulletin Editor Con
Conway. A further set was presented to PDG Peter Hall, keeper of the Club's archives.

 After listening to Diane Wilcoxson's excellent address, PP Tim Lui gave the vote of thanks and the meeting was adjourned with a toast to RI and RC Hiroo Japan.

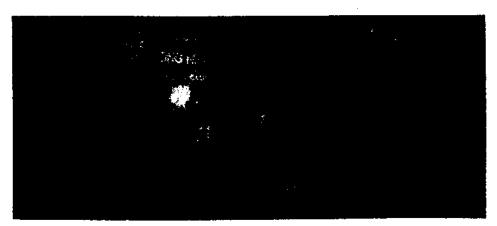


ABOVE: Happy birthday Rube, Dragon and Alex

RIGHT: Reading Material for PP Con

BOTTOM: Those who visited us





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### Immediate Past President's night Saturday 16 September

This is to say a thank you to Leslie Soltay and to Molly. Rtn Ken Wong has sent details  $t_0$  all members and he would be grateful for a prompt response. The venue will be Aberdeen Marina Club.

### Farewell David and Nancy Waring

Rtn David and Nancy are relocating on company transfer to Chicago. David addressed us briefly and paid tribute to the Club and the many members who had backed him in times of need. David and Nancy were grand supporters of our various functions. We will miss them and their lovely girls, Elizabeth, Alexandra and Victoria.

### New Rotary Foundation Benefactor

As a farewell gift to the Club, David became a Benefactor of the Rotary Foundation by presenting a cheque for US\$1,000 to PDG Peter Hall last Wednesday. David becomes the first "Benefactor" for this Rotary year and PDG Peter asks other members to acknowledge the great works of the Foundation by following David's example.



Farewell David Waring and thank you for becoming a Benefactor

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Macau Central	Oriental Hotel, Macau	7:30 p.m. (C/E)			

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# Report on Membership Development Seminar held on 28th August 1995

Past District Governor Dom Vessigault prepared the following summary of the Seminar. Rotary's growth is not only a question of attracting new Members but also to keep them. "The business of Membership growth is that of each and every Rotarian, not just the President, The Board or the Membership Development Committee" said District Governor Vincent Toh "Member get Member should be each Rotarian's motto" he advised attendees of the Seminar. "Too many Rotarians have never proposed any of their friends for Membership. Imagine if your own Proposer had done the same - the chances are that if this had happened, you would not be a Rotarian today"

The excuse that a Club needs Quality and not Quantity does not wear too well with Past R.I. President Cliff Dochterman who visited us enroute to the Melbourne RI Convention a year or so ago. He says "Quality and Quantity? There is plenty of both! If you cant find one individual worthy of Rotary membership, what kind of friends do you keep?"

District Governor Nominee YK Cheng has already addressed us on the alarming decline in Rotary's membership statistics worldwide and he has told us about R.I. President Herb Brown's "CALGARY CHALLENGE" which was reported in Tung Feng recently.

PP Peter Pun recommends that if we must remember only one key word, let that word be involvement. "Involvement" he says "is the only way to keep the new Member - indeed to turn him into a Rotarian. Allocate him to a committee soon, if not immediately upon his induction". "Make your new member's induction dignified and memorable" PP Peter said,

"otherwise you run the risk of losing a new Member from day one". Peter recommends Clubs adopt a Mentor Programme and Check List of new Members.

(see elsewhere in this bulletin)



PDG Dom and visiting Rtn Liz Raynovich

### New Membership Proposals Simplified - PDG Peter Hall

PDG Peter advises that the Council on Legislation he attended in Caracas has determined to simplify and speed up the process of handling and approving new Membership proposals. The proposal goes to the Board through the Club Secretary. The Board then discusses with the Membership Development Committee but must make a decision within 30 days. If the decision of the Board is favourable, the prospective Member shall be informed and be requested to sign the membership proposal. The proposal is then presented to the general Membership and if there are no objections within 7 days following the publication of the prospective member's details, he or she shall be considered as being elected a Member subject to payment of fees and induction.

PP Peter Pun recommended at a recent membership Development Seminar, that Clubs consider adopting a "Mentor" Programme for all New Members and here is a suggested check list for consideration, what do you think of this?

### Check List for New Member - Mentor Program for New Members

To help you join in the activities of your Rotary Club, we've developed a list of action items that we feel will help you learn about our Club, explore the opportunities of Rotary, and find your niche in our organization. Please report the completion of each item on the list to your Mentor. Questions about procedures and dates can be obtained from that Rotarian. We hope that you can complete all of the activities within the next six months. Upon completion, the Heavens will open, Paul Harris will discend, and our Club President will anoint you with blessings. Good luck and Welcome to Rotary!!

AC	TIVITIES	DATE COMPLETED
1.	Attended New Member Orientation meeting	
	Served as leader for two head table functions	
		&
3.	Functioned as Greeter for three Club meetings	<u> </u>
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4.	Proposed at least one New Member	
	Displayed Object of Rotary and Four-Way Test	
	at place of business.	
6.	Visited two other Rotary Clubs	
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7.	Demonstrated use of Official Directory to mentor	
8.	Presented a Mini Classification Talk to the Club	
9.	Brought a guest to Rotary	
	Attended one Board of Directors Meetings	
	Participated in one hands-on project.	
	Had perfect attendance for the month of	
13.	Secured committee assignment and met chairperson	
14.	Attended a District Function	
15.	Hosted a visiting Rotarian at place of business	
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Note: Please Do Not Hesitate to Call on Your Mentor for Assistance

## Windows 95 - Implications for Businesses in Hong Kong

Ms Amanda Young, who was responsible for the launch of "Windows 95" in Hong Kong, advised us that over a period of 3 days following the product's launch, 6,000 people had attended the launch event. Interest was so high that an estimated 11,000 people tried to get in but it was just not physically possible to accommodate that number.

Sales in Hong Kong were not revealed but Amanda did tell us that over the 3 day period, 1 million "Window 95" programmes have been sold worldwide. As expected, it took only a matter of days before the counterfeit product arrived on the streets priced at considerably less than Microsoft's market price. Amanda briefed us on some of the action being taken against counterfeiters but she said one of the more important "tools" was the education of prospective purchasers by Microsoft, of the advantages in buying the "real" product with its back up support, virus free environment and discount privileges for other purchases. The genuine article is easily identified by the Hologram on the box which shows a child pointing at a computer. "This will be a very difficult feature for any counterfeiter to reproduce" Amanda said.

Amanda was clearly excited about this new product and she expounded 10 main reasons why we should all upgrade to "Windows 95".

- 1. It has built in support for more than 1900 existing hardware devices and has tested compatible with more than 3500 software applications.
- 2. It is easy to get up and running as it has been designed to practically install itself.
- 3. Adding new hardware and software is simple.
- 4. You can use up to 250 characters for file names.
- 5. The "help" feature serves as a visual guide to walk you through topics for which assistance is required.
- 6. Mobile computing is easier.
- 7. E-mail and fax are included, no matter what the source.
- 8. Windows 95 can double as family storeyteller, homework helper, stereo system CD player, and video-game platform.
- 9. With its 32-bit power, Windows 95 is faster and provides more efficient computing.
- 10. You can work on several tasks at one time. i.e. write a report in a word processor while information from an on line service is being trasmitted, or create an e-mail message while printing a report from a personal financial package.

"The aim of Microsoft in developing "Windows 95" has been to make computing fun while at the same time making it so easy to use, anyone can do it" Amanda said.

Our very own computer "Guru", Rob Grubb gave the vote of thanks and recalled some of his experiences in installing "Windows 95" into his system over the past long weekend. One got the impression Roy wanted to have a few words with Amada after the meeting on a few ticklish issues which had confronted him and indeed as we all left the venue of our meeting the two were in amiable conference together.



Amanda Young - our guest speaker



Past President Tim with Connie Yu, Amanda Young, Rtns Sung Noo, Liz Raynovich and PDG Dom Vessigault.

### Happenings Last Week

 PP Tim Lui was in the chair as President John Luk, VP Hubert Chan and IPP Leslie Soltay were all unable to be with us. As usual, Tim did an excellent job and in opening the meeting we paid special tribute to Past District Governor Dom Vessigault who was visiting us.

 We also welcomed Connie Yu who runs the Rotary Information Centre in Hong Kong and PP Rob Fielding who wa a guest of PP Tum Lui. Visiting Rotarians were Rtn Liz Raynovich (RC Downtown Sault St Marie, Ontario), Rtn Sung Nee (RC HKNE) and Rtn Francesco Cavazzoni (RN HKS).

 Gary Chiu, Flicker Lamport and Francis Li have all returned from Vancouver, China and London respectively.

Rtn Stephen Liu was Sgt at Arms and he announced a collection of \$1,890 from Community Service projects. Many thanks to all who contributed.

 PDG Dom Vessigault reminded us of the Rotary Foundation Seminar to be held on Saturday morning September 30th at Furama Hotel. He urged as many membrs as possible to participate and to learn more about the Foundation and its wonderful works, particularly in its contribution to world wide Humanitarian programmes as well as Educational programmes.

The toast of the day was to RI and to the Rotary Club of Sault St. Marie.

### Tribute to Mayford Company

Today's bulletin is the last to be printed for us by Mayford Company. The "Modern age" with its desk top publishing capability has persuaded the Board to venture forth into this new mode of bulletin preparation thanks to VP Hubert Chan's secretary who will take on the task of preparing and presenting Tung Feng as of next week. For many years now Mayford Company in Wanchai has been our Club's bulletin printer. The guidance and assistance given present and previous editors by Mr. Wong and in recent years by Mr H M Lai, have enabled us to produce presentable, award winning bulletins. It is sad to part company with Mayford after so many years of excellent service but the economies of the change over to desk top publishing won through in the end. As the total cost of Tung Feng is charged members separately within the half annual dues in July and January of each year, we trust the Board will sanction the appropriate reduction in Bulletin Fees as of next January.

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Speaker this week Mr C K Lo "Legislative Council Election"

Speaker next week Mr Malcom Phillips

Last week
"Central Plaza"



President John Luk

Pres JL explained that at the time it was opened, this 78 storey building was the tallest in world outside North America. In fact of all the buildings in the world it was the 4th tallest in 1992 and undoubtedly it was the tallest "reinforced concrete" building.

Obviously the pride and joy of Sun Hung Kai Properties portfolio, Central plaza measures 1,227 feet from ground floor to the top of the mast and what a strange coincidence it is that this is just a little higher than the Bank of China Building.

The land for this magnificent structure was purchased for HK\$3,350 billion, and thankfully we weren't paying the interest payment on the loan which worked out at \$918,000 per day.

From ground level, the basement goes down a total of 40 metres and John explained how the caissons necessary to build the support columns were up to 6 metres in diameter.

By Building in reinforced concrete instead of structural steel, the building secured large floor plates; could introduce corner offices because there were no cross bracing requirements and there was also better time control in the sense that late changes could be accommodated to suite market demands.

One of the many features of the Building is the spire which incorporates a time clock by using changing lights for each quarter hour and a colour scheme of lights to determine which hour it is. John tells us there is a booklet on the subject if anyone is interested.

The land was acquired in January 1989 and the building was built and fully functional less than four years later.

In order to obtain height and ensure at least 65% of the occupancy could command sea views and therefore maximum rentals, the 1st floor of the building is in fact 10 storey's high.

Says John "a scale model of the entire area including all the buildings was built and this was subjected to severe wind tunnel testing". Many other modern innovations have been incorporated into the building but time ran out and John was therefore not able to tell us about them. "Suffice it to say, Central Plaza must surely be the most intelligent buildings in Hong Kong", John said and few would argue with him on this.

### Immediate Past Presidents Night

To remind, we are honouring IPP Leslie Soltay and Molly next Saturday night at Aberdeen Marina Club. It will be a barbecue and the dress is casual. If you haven't yet let Kenneth Wong know you are coming, please contact him at 2835 7139 or fax 2891 3081.

#### New Member Proposal

In accordance with Sub-section (5) of Section of Article XI of the By-Laws of our club, the Board of Directors has sustained the decision of the Classification Committee and the Membership Committee to propose the following person be admitted to our club as an active member:

Name

: Past President - Dr Rob Fielding

Nationality

: Australian

Classification

: Education : Teacher Education

Business Address

: School of Design

Hong Kong Polytech University

Hong Kong

Phone: 2766 5468
Fax: 2774 5067

Residential Address

: N-13 Pak Tak Yuen

2 Lok Kwai Path

Fo Tan Shatin

Phone/Fax: 2688 5339

Wife

: Gae

Proposer

: IPP Leslie Soltay



pp Rob is a Paul Harris Fellow and he was President of RC Townsville, Sunrise in Australia 1993/94. He came to Hong Kong last year and is attached to the School of Design at the Hong Kong Polytech University, Hung Hom.

In accordance with Sub-section (5) Section 1 of Article XI of the By-Laws of the Rotary Club of Hong kong Island East, any member objecting to the election of the above proposed member shall notify the Board, in writing stating reasons, within 10 (ten) days, from the date of publication of this notice.

### District Governor's Visit - Change of Meeting Time

District Governor Vincent Toh will be making his official visit to us on Wednesday, 27th September. On that day, our usual luncheon meeting will not be held and we will be holding an evening function instead. Details will be announced but it will be at Regal Hotel so please mark your diaries:

Wednesday 27th September - evening meeting including club assembly and dinner - Regal Hotel

### District Sports Day

This will be held on Sunday 15th October at Wanchai Sports ground. Pres John will be appointing a "sports captain " to tell us more.

The way it was last week

- President John Luk was in attendance but he delegated his duties to VP Hubert so that he he programme himself for the address he was to give us later in the programme.
- Rtn L.K. Cheung introduced our visitors whom we warmly welcomed: Rtn Andrew Shum from RC HKNE. Mr Peter Au Yeung, guest of VP Hubert and PP Rob Fielding, guest of Leslie Soltay.
- PP's Jack Lau. T.K. Ghose. Ramesh Mahtani and Rtns Geoff Simmons, Mattew Kok had all returned from travels out of Hong Kong and ouir birthday boys were none other than PDG Peter Hall and PP Edwin Tao. PP Jack Lau joined forces with PP Sam Lam to lead the birthday song.
- . Sgt at Arms, Howe collected \$1,900 by way of contributions.
- . Leslie Soltay spoke to us on Membership Development.
- . Kishu Narain thanked the Pres "JL" for his address and the meeting was adjourned with the usual toast to RI, this time coupled with RC Hong Kong North East.

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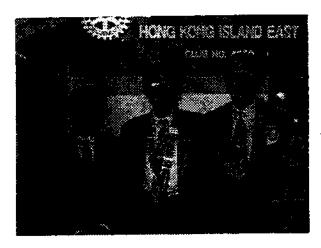
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IPP Leslie Giving Rotary Information



PDG Peter, Pres J.L. & Visiting Rotarian

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Speaker this week

Mr Malcom Phillips of Dale Carnegie, "Training for Business Needs"

Speaker next week

District Governor Vincent Toh Club Assembly followed by Dinner





Dr C. K. Lo

Dr C. K. Lo spoke to us on the likely outcome of the Legislative Elections to be held on 17th September. After declaring his interest as an active Member of the Democratic Party, Dr Lo then proceeded to give us an interesting analysis as to how he "read" election.

There are 138 Candidates contesting 60 Legislature Seats of this, the first ever to be elected Legislature for Hong Kong. Of the 60 seats, 9 have individual candidates who will be voted in unopposed but on average there are between 2-3 candidates contesting most other seats.

"Barring major upsets, it is not difficult to predict the result" Dr Lo said. "There are clear Leaders for 42 of the 60 available Seats" and almost unquestionably the Pro Beijing supporters will be the overall winners. The losers will be the business community as a whole who are likely to lose much of the support they had in the former Legislature" Dr Lo said it was unlikely the Democrats would be big winners. In the old Legco they had only 15 seats and it is probable this number is not likely to grow beyond 18-20 after Sunday's election. It is equally unlikely the Liberals will be big losers although their overall strength may be reduced. However in the last Legco they had 15 seats and whereas the Liberals already have 5 guaranteed seats in the new Legco with many other candidates doing well in their campaigning, it is possible they will only get 10 seats in all as of Sunday.

PP Dr Edwin Lau thanked Dr Lo for his address and highlighted the will of us all that Hong Kong be allowed to continue to prosper and not be overrun by the desire of "grass root" interests to persue their own objectives without regard to the harm caused by increased regulation and taxes which may be required in order to meet some of their possible demands.

#### District Governor's Official Visit to our Club

Date

Wednesday 27th September 1995

Time

5pm - Board Members and any other Members who wish

to be there.

6pm - Club Assembly for all Members

7pm - Dinner

Venue

Regal Hotel, Basement level 3

Please remember, there will be No luncheon meeting that day.

#### Last Week's happenings:

\* President John Luk was unable to attend and IPP Leslie Soltay received a well deserved cheer as he stood in for "JL"

- \* It is always great to see former Members again and we gave a special welcome to Rtn Tom Bovet (RC Phnom Phen) and Rtn Patrick Connor (RC Singapore) who was attending with his lovely wife Rtn Denita Connor (RC Queensway, Singapore).
- \* Other Rotarians visiting us were:

Rtn Akarim Hamir

RC Daresalaam who received one of our

banners.

Rtn Dick Sedgwick

RC Hong Kong

PE David Leung

RC Hong Kong Harbour

- \* IPP Leslie introduced his guest PP Rob Fielding and Rtn John Yao introduced Mr. W.H. Kan
- \* Congratulations to Rtm Henry Chan who was declared by South China Morning Post to be "the most famous Chef in town", referring to the betting programme he is responsible for at the Jockey Club. -
- \* Very happy birthday to PP's Andrew Chen, Ramesh Mahtani and Rtn Stephen Liu. That former "NCR" duo of PP Jack Lau and PP Con Conway led the birthday serenade to three fine Rotarians.
- \* Sgt at Arms Chris Howe alias Rtn Howe, swallowed his chicken in extra fast time so as to be able to report his takings for the day of \$1,630, thanks to all who contributed and a special thankyou to our three birthday boys.

- \* PP Con then introduced the speaker and in his vote of thanks. PP Edwin mentioned Con "in despatches" by congratulating him on organising such a topical subject for us to listen to.
- \* The meeting was adjourned with a Toast to RI and the Rotary Club of Singapore.

# Change in Meeting Venue

Pleased we are to report that rennovations at Excelsior Hotel are finished. Negotiations have been successfully concluded with the Hotel Management and effective Wednesday 4th October, we will be returning to our old venue. The meal price will be \$210.00 per head.

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IPP Leslie Greeting Rtn Akarim Hamir



Happy Birthday Stephen, Andrew and Ramesh



IPP Leslie with our Visitors

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#### **ROTARY CLUBS IN DISTRICT 3450 - MEETING DAYS**

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Victoria	Furnina Kompinski Hotel, Hotel Kore	12:30p.m. (E)	H.K. Harbour	Regal Hong Kong Hotel	22:30p.m. (C)
Wanchai	Grand Hyatt, Hong Kong	12:30p.m. (E)	H.K. North	New World Harbour View Horal H.K.	12:30p.m. (C)
Tspen Wan	Omes House Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6:00p.m. (C)	H.K. Sooth	H.K. Country Club, Hong Kong	12:30p.m. (E)
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New Territories	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	6:45p.m. (C)	Kingsperk H.K.	Ramada Resassanco Hotel	12:30p.m. (E)
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	1st Tuesday Dinner Meeting	7:30p.m.			
The Peak	The China Club, Hong Rong	12:30p.m. (E/C)	Friday		
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Welcome District Governor Vincent To

to our Club Assembly and meeting today

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This Week:

Club Assembly with DG Vincent To

Last Week's Speaker:

Mr Malcom Phillips,

Director Training, Patrick Connor & Associates.

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Mr. Malcom Phillips

# THE SUPRANATIONAL CORPORATION-FACT OR FANTASY?

The rise of the stateless corporation is a phenomena of the last 10 years: such companies as IBM and Imperial Chemical are players in the global market place. Is it really possible for a company to operate without a national allegiance?

A study of the Roman Empire 2000 years ago indicates it might be possible. Despite being a small city state. Rome was able to govern a geographical area that now constitutes modern Europe, North Africa and the Middle East for over 350 years. It did so initially by appointing "client kings" who were locals, and not interfering in the military, the government system and the local culture. Decision making power rested with the local people, reinforced by a small Roman garrison. Roman values were transmitted by bringing officials back to Rome for training and development.

In a similar way, American corporations such as Motorola and Citibank, who have offices throughout the world, train and develop local managers and invest them with decision making power. America as a nation is a diverse culture, and takes pride in managing differences of race and gender. Whilst Japan has succeeded in the quality war, and now has production facilities throughout the world, it is falling behind in the skill of handling diversity, and training up local managers and involving them in decision making.

It is probably too soon to say whether corporations are ready yet to drop their national identity. Nationhood is potent, and has given rise to warfare for over two centuries. But if people's economic livelihood depended upon supranational organisations with a vested interests in the political stabilty of the region, it is more likely that greater efforts would be made to avert war and maintain peace so that the supranational could function.

# THE ROTARY FOUNDATION OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL.....PDG DOM VESSIGAULT

Arch C Klumph. 6th President of Rotary International, had a vision. At the Altanta convention in 1917, he proposed the creation of an endowment fund for Rotary...... for the purpose of doing good in the world in charitable, educational and other avenues of community progress.

What is the Rotary Foundation? It is Rotary's way to work for peace. RI President Herb Brown's Theme for 1995/96 is:

# ACT WITH INTEGRITY - SERVE WITH LOVE - WORK FOR PEACE.

The ultimate aim of our great organization is most definitely world understanding and peace. This is what The Rotary Foundation is all about!

The Rotary Foundation is more than contributing US\$1,000 and then becoming a Paul Harris Fellow..... It is the way for every Rotarian to participate in the humanitarian and educational programs of Rotary international. We are Rotary International, not Rotary District 3450 or just Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East...... It is only when we have fully outgrown our local attitudes and become truly international that Rotary will become a movement for the centuries....

Therefore come and learn more about your Foundation at a semimar which will be held at the Furama Kempinski Hotel in Hong Kong on Saturday 30 September 1995. Registration will be at 8.30 am and we will start 9am to enable us to finish at 1pm and enjoy a fellowship lunch with guest speaker PP Robert Fung, Chairman of UNICEF Hong Kong.

Topics will be: The Rotary Foundation Humanitarian Programs (Matching Grants, Carl P Miller Grants, Peace Programs, 3-H Grants, PolioPlus) and Educational Programs (Ambassadorial Scholars, Group Study Exchange, The Rotary Foundation Alumni) The Rotary Foundation Trustees and Finances, Financial support of the Rotary Foundation Programs (Annual Programs Fund and Permanent or endowment - Fund) and the way our contributions are shared between world projects and district projects under the SHARE system.

So much to learn, so many experiences to share with others! sign up and arrend:

#### THE ROTARY FOUNDATION SEMINAR

at the Furama Kempinski Hotel

on 30 September 1995 at 9.am

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Seminar Finishes with Lunch at1pm

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CHANGE IN OUR REGULAR MEETING VENUE - REMINDER!
We move back to Excelsior Hotel on WEDNESDAY 4th OCOTBER.
The meal price will be \$210 per head.

#### The way It Was Last Week:

District Sports Day has been postponed until next year and the good news is that Rtn Howe has been unanimously appointed as our Sports convenor! As the saying goes - watch this space! Rumour has it that our brand new sports "Whizz" (short for "wizard") was seen rushing to the nearest sports shop after the meeting to buy himself some running shorts and muttering something about "going to run"... THIS SOUNDS SERIOUS!

\* Visitors welcomed by Rtn LK Cheung were :

Pres. Patrick Strainge

PP Peter Tse

RC Witney, England

RC Tsim Sha Tsui East

PE Pedro Ching RC HKIW
Rtn Tom Bovet RC Pnom Phen
Rtn Derek Cheng RC HKIW

Rtn Ian Bickersteth RC Humyani, Zimbabwe

Rtn Dick Sedgwick RC Hong Kong
Rtn Charles Cheng RC HKNE
Rtn Abraham Wong RC HKNE

Guests were PP Rob Fielding (IPP Leslie Soltay); Mr Clement Wong (Rtn Flicker Lamport); Mr Peter Au Yang (VP Hubert Chan)

\* Sgt at Arms "Howe" advised us he had collected \$1,940 thanks to all who contributed.

\* Rtn Kenneth Wong was thanked for organising the evening at Hong Kong Country Club on Saturday 16 September to honour immediate Past President Leslie and Molly for Leslie's year in "the chair". Leslie presented gifts to 100 percenter's for last year who were unable to attend Saturday's celebration.

\* Pres "JL" and Samual Wong celebrate their birthdays on 16th 22nd September respectively. PP Edwin Lau lead the Birthday song.

\* IPP Leslie Soltay then gave us Rotary Information by giving us answers to the Island East

"FirstAnnual Quiz":

1994/95 RI President?

Bill Huntley

Education F

Leslie's Classification?

Where cometh "Merry Christmas"?

1994/95 District Treasurer's spouse?

Education Facilities Management
From our Christmas Party 94

Grace

No. new Members inducted 1994?

Who made the 41st Ann. Birthday cake?

Molly Soltay

Who was Head, Tail of our Lion, Fat Man?

Recipient our used clothing?

Leslie; "JL"; Hubert
Shatin Hospital

Leslie's two lovely daughters?

Most Interestin Speaker 1994?

Winner of PDG Peter Hall Golf Trophy?

Tabatha and Leonie
PP Dr George Koo
Samual Wong

2 new Paul Harris Benefactors?

Dick lidster; Carol Chiu

Recipient our Musical Instruments project?

Acadamy for Performing Arts.

\* The meeting ajourned with a toast to RI and Rotary Club of Witney, England.

Change in Member's Address - Rtn Roy Grubb

Rtn Roy Advises his new address is:

8/B Haywood Mansion

57 Paterson Street

Causeway Bay

Phone and Fax numbers remain unaltered.

Excerpt from "The Sunbeam" bulletin of Rotary Club of Townsville Sunrise (The former Club of PP Rob Fielding who we are inducting into our Club today)

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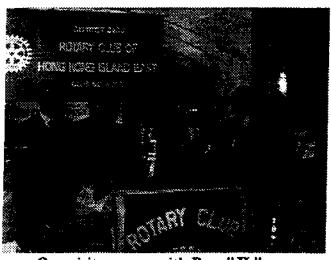
"Frequently friends ask whether Rotarians receive special business benefits from their Rotary memberships. Should Rotarians expect a special discount or some preferential service just because they are dealing with a fellow Rotarian?

The answer is clearly "no". The Rotary Manual of Procedure expressly states the Rotary position on this matter. The policy, originally approved by the RI Board of Directors in 1933 is that in business and professional relations a Rotarian should not expect, and far less should he ask for, more consideration or advantages from a fellow Rotarian than the latter would give to any other business or professional associate with whom he has business relations. Over 50 years ago the concept was expressed that "true friends demand nothing of one another, and any abuse of the confidence of friendship for profits is foreign to the spirit of Rotary".

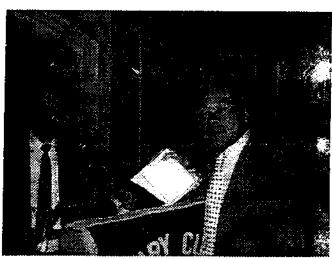
On the other hand, if new or increased business comes as the natural result of friendship created in Rotary, it is the normal development which takes place outside of Rotary as well as inside, so it is not infringement on the ethics of Rotary membership.

It is important to remember that the primary purpose of Rotary membership is to provide each member with a unique opportunity to serve others, and membership is not intended as a means for personal profit or special privileges."

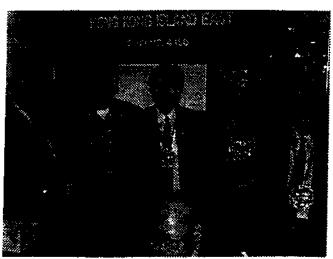
......Pres Alex Lang



Our visitors pose with Pres "JL"



The two birthday boys, "JL" and Samual



4 of "100 percenter's" 1994/95



Pres JL with Pres Patrick Strainge

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Our 42nd Year of Rotary Service

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Chartered: 6th April,1954 by Founding President, the late PDG (uncle) John Yuen



Speaker Next Week
Mr George Humble
Chairman Institute of Directors
"Guidelines For Directors"

Speaker this week Mr Mark Beddis, "Traded Options at the Stock Exchange of HK"

Last Week
Club Assembly and the official visit of DG
Vincent To



DG Vincent To

DG Vincent was accompanied by District Secretary Jimmy Cheung. They held a meeting with our Board of Directors prior to the Club Assembly when an outline of the plans for the Club during the present Rotary year was given by Pres "JL" and our Directors of the four avenues of service. This was followed by a Club Assembly and we had a good turnout of 27 Members.

There was a useful exchange of ideas between Members and a very good point made by Kishu Narain concerned Fellowship. Kishu made the point that whereas our Programme Chairmen over the past years had done a splendid job in engaging top class speakers on interesting topics, the programmes could be made even more meaningful if perhaps one week per month could be set aside as a Fellowship meeting which would discuss nominal Club business but which would forgo the need for a speaker.

This idea found favour with many Members who were present and the Board will no doubt be giving the matter thought at their Board meeting on 2nd October

Another point made was that we as a Club are very bad at indicating attendance for functions. It is the constant cause of concern to organisers who, almost without exception, are required to waste their valuable time phoning Members every time a function is organised. Members are asked to please share a little consideration for function organisers in future and to respond to attendance enquiries as soon as we possibly can.

PP John Kwok explained what is meant by "Fireside" meetings at Members homes and it was agreed we must encourage such meetings.

During the "Last Supper" at Regal Hotel, DG Vincent To addressed us on a number of issues facing Rotary in general and our Club in particular. Membership Development being a priority matter which we are all asked to concentrate on. "Rejuvenate (the oldies!) but concentrate on bringing in new younger blood" was the theme of DG Vincent's plea. "Build your Membership now so as to give DGNominee YK Cheng the fullest possible support in his year as District Governor 1 July 1996 - 30 June 1997. "Set your goals now in order to meet "The Clagary Challenge" (see Tung Feng of 16th August)" he hold us.

"We must act now to motivate and retain existing Members as well as bringing in new Members" Vincent said. He applauded the Club's action in forming a committee under PP George Leung to implement Membership "retention" procedures.

This year we celebrate the 90th Anniversary of Rotary. Vincent urged us to bring our minds back to "Polio Plus" for the next five years until 2000 as our further effort is going to be needed in order to achieve the goal we as Rotarians throughout the World set ourselves, to eradicate Polio by the year 2000.

Vincent explained that the World had to be free of a disease for three years before that disease could be considered eradicated. Hence the aim to clear the World of this scourge by 2000 so that at Rotary's Centennial in 2005 we can look back with pride and claim to have been successful in this most wonderful of Humanitarian projects. Vincent explained that this message was being spread throughout the 515 Rotary Districts within Rotary International.

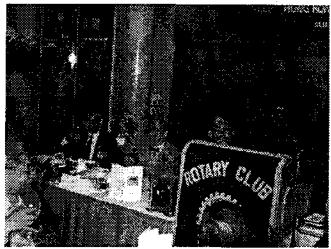
Turning to the Rotary Theme for 1995/1996, DG Vincent broke down the components. We should aim to act with integrity, serve with love and work for peace in our families, our communities, our Countries. "Act with honesty and fairness in all our doings; put others' needs before our own in serving with love and put effort into working for peace - we must fight for it at all levecs of our influence" DG Vincent said.

He then updated us on District Plans for the remainder of this year including the Plans to hold the annual Rotary Youth Leadership Award camp on Lantau January 19-20 1996. Our Club would be contributing to the cost and we will be entitled to nominate 2 individuals for the course.

He encouraged more members to attend the Rotary Foundation seminar at Furama Hotel on September 30th and he advised us that the District Sports day would be combined with a fund raising walkathon on February 4th 1996 (Rtn "Howe" get your running gear ready!). Vincent also updated us on the District's activities in presenting Rotary ideals in China.



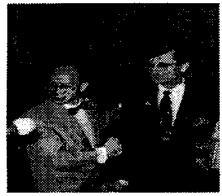
DG Vincent, DGS Jimmy and our Board



Cheers to RC HKIE

#### Happenings at last week's meeting

- We welcomed as visitors, Rotaractor Stanley Tsui (Rotaract Club of HK Island East); and two guests of PP George Leung, Mr Clement Wong and Sam Say.
- Leslie Soltay had yet another "100% Gong" to deliver and this was presented to DGNominee YK Cheng.
- PP Hubert reported a collection for the night of \$2,000 all of which was be presented to the District's push for Polio Plus.
- Rtn Dick Lidster as Director of International Service advised he wanted to arrange a Sister Club Visit to Manila (RC Makati North) in order for us to see the joint project we have assisted them with. Dick will advise us details later.
- Group Study Exchange. DG Vincent advised us our District is "paired" with District 1730, Nice this year and that an incoming team of young persons from Nice would be here around March 20th- April 30th 1996. a team from Hong Kong to Nice will be selected to leave here 3rd May and returning 4 June. Successful candidates for this team will need to have an understanding of the French language. Our team will be lead by President Elect Carlos Pinto of RC Amagao, Macau.
- Then we had a great moment as President "JL" inducted a new Member, PP Rob Fielding who is a Past President of the Rotary Club of Townsville Sunrise, Australia. Welcome to the Club Rob. DG Vincent then welcome PP Rob back into Rotary.
- After DG Vincent's address, the meeting was adjourned with a toast to Rotary International and Rotary Club of Victoria, DG Vincent's home Club.





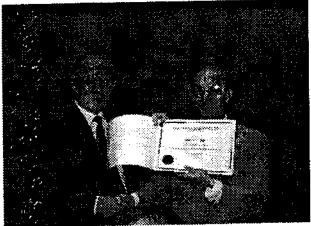


DG Vincent welcomes Rob back into the Rotary movement DGN YK Cheng with his "100% going"

Welcomes to the Club PP Rob Fielding

#### Resignation Received

With very much regret, Wing Eng has found his extensive travel and work schedule in his new position within the Emmerson Electric Group, has made it difficult for him to give the time required to his job as well as time to fulfill his Rotary obligations. He has therefore submitted his resignation to the Board and this was accepted with regret at the 20 October Board meeting. Wing has been a great supporter of the Club and we hope he will consider rejoining us when circumstances permit.



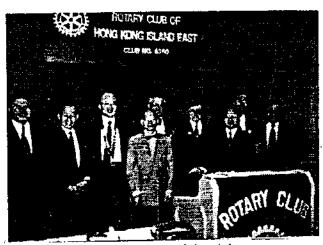
DG Vincent presents District Awards to PDG Peter Hall



Ipp Leslie Soltay



PP George



Last photo of the night

Club's postal address: P.O.Box 47064, Morrison Hill Post Office, HK Make-up cards to: Miss Rebecca Hui, GPO Box 1508, Hong Kong Bulletin Materials to Rtn Muarry MacDonald

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Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East meets each Wednesday at 12:30pm in Excelsion Hotel. Club 4350 - District 3450 of Rotary Int'l

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MONDAY			THURSDAY		10.00 IF
Tsensheisur East	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	H.K. Harbour	Regal Hong Kong Hotel	12:30 p.m. (€)
Victoria	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	H.K. North	New World Harbour View Hotel, HK	12:30 p.m (C)
Wanchai	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	H.K South	H.K. Country Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m (E)
	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6.00 p.m. (C)		3rd Thursday Dinner Meeting	7 30 p.m.
Tsuen Wan	New World Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m. (E/C)	Kingspark HK	Remada Renaissance Hotel	12:30 p.m. (E)
Tolo Harbour	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	6:45 p.m. (C)	Hong Kong Bayview	Furama Kempinski Holel	12.30 p.m. (M/C
New Territories	Royal Park Holel, Shalin	7:00 p.m. (E)	Kowloon	Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon	12.30 p.m (E)
Tai Po	Red Cross Hos. Macau	9:30 p.m. (P)	Kowloon Northeast	Miramar Hotel, Kowloon	12.30 p.m. (C)
Amagao (Macau)	East Monday Dinner Meeting	8:00 p.m.	Mid-Level	Que Que, Hong Kong	12.30 p.m. (C)
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			Kowioon Northwest	Omni Prince Holel, Kowlagon	6:30 p.m. (C)
TUESDAY		8:00 a m. (C)	Kwai Chung	Royal Garden Hotel, Kowloon	6.00 p.m. (C)
Hong Kong Sunrise	Regent Hotel	7 30 p.m.	Kwun Tong	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowkoon	6.00 p.m. (C)
	Lasi Tuesday Dinner Meeting	12.30 p.m. (E)	Queensway	American Club, Hong Kong	6:30 pm (E)
Hong Kong	Furama Kempinski Holel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (M/C)	Macau (Macau)	Tenis Civil Restaurant, Mecau	8,00 p.m. (E)
HK Bayvew	Victoria Hotel, Hong Kong	12 30 pm. (C)		1st, 3rd, 5th Thursday Dinner Meeting	8.00 p.m (E)
H.K. City North	Grand Hyati Hotel, Hong Kong	12 30 p.m. (C)		2nd, 4th Thursday Lunch Meeting	1 00 p.m
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Peninsula	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12.30 pm (E)			
Quarry Bay	Regal Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong	12 30 p.m. (E)	FRIDAY		
	1st Tuesday Dinner Meeting	7 30 a.m.	Admirally	Furama Kempinski Club, Hong Kong	12 30 p.m (E)
The Peak	The China Club, Hong Kong	12 30 pm. (E/C)	H K Island West	Ritz Cartion Hotel, Hong Kong	12,30 p.m. (C)
Hou Kuong (Macau)	Grandeur Hotel, Macau	1,00 p.m. (C/P)	H.K. Northeast	World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong	12 30 p.m. (E)
			Kowloon North	Holiday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)
WEDNESDAY		_	Guia (Macau)	New World Emperor Hotel, Macau	1:00 p.m. (M)
City Northwest H.K.	Grand Hyatt Hotel	12,30 p.m. (C)	Channel Islands	World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong	7 15 p.m. (C)
H.K. Island East	Regal Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong	12 30 pm (E)			
Kowloon Golden Mile		12.30 p.m. (E)		- IFI Facility Consistency (M) Ma	ndarın Speaking
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Our 42nd Year of Rotary Service

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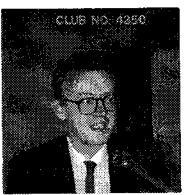


#### Speaker This Week:

Mr George Humble

Chairman Institute of Directors, Hong Kong

"Guidelines for Directors"



Mr Mark Beddis

#### Last Week:

Mr Mark Beddis of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, spoke to us on "Traded Options at the Stock Exchange". "Options Trading first started on the Chicago Stock Exchange in 1973. The idea appeared to be so precarious at the time that the Government Authorities granted only a 90 days licence as a trial period only. The demand and success of the operation was such that the Licence was extended and the Chicago exchange is today the world's largest "Options" market.

The Hong Kong Stock Exchange started "Options Trading" on 8th September this year with HSBC and Cheung Kong. 8,000 contracts were traded on the first day. Swire Pacific A and HK Telecom are due to be introduced into the "Options" market this month.

"The introduction of Options Trading by the Hong Kong Stock Exchange was not the highest profile development but we are very proud of what has happened and the way in which it is developing" Mr Beddis said. "The availability of options trading in Hong Kong has been well publicised overseas and considerable interest has been shown by overseas investors." Mr Beddis said that the new "Options" market here had put Hong Kong into the limelight in as far as derivitive trading was concerned. The only other "Options" market in Asia is in Singapore and it is not of the size of the Hong Kong market.

Speculation is an important source of liquidity in any market, we were told, but controls are in place to ensure investors know what they are doing and that they can manage their risk. "Options properly traded actually reduce risk" said Mr Beddis but we were left with impression that "Options" trading, although giving investors a new perspective on the market available to them, was not necessarily a good idea for "widows and orphans".

The stock Exchange places considerable importance on the need to educate investors and potential investors. Risk Management is a key issue and a variety of Seminars are being conducted for this purpose.

# ANNUAL MEETING FOR ELECTION OF OFFICERS 1996/97:

Official notices will be sent out in due course but the date is to be Wednesday 6th December, 12.30pm luncheon meeting at Excelsior Hotel.

# CHRISTMAS PARTY:

Date : Saturday evening, 9th December 1995

Venue: Regal Hotel

Details: To be provided later

#### Last Week's Happenings:

- Back we were at the Excelsior Hotel again and it was nice to be back. Same food, same peanuts at the sign in desk, somewhat refreshed look about the Venue, definite improvement in the carpet, higher per meal cost and no petit pours!
- Rtn Li (there are too many "David's" he says!) was Sgt at Arms for the day and he was able to report a 100% support from every one of the 33 Members who attended. The total collected for our Community Service Fund was a handsome \$3,440.
- Fellowship Chairman for the day was Rtn David Wei and he introduced our visiting Rotarians and Guests. PP Robin Lee was visiting us from RC HK City North and we warmly welcomed his two guests who are Charter Members to be of RC Causeway Bay.
- We welcomed PP Ramesh Mahtani back from Delhi and we celebrated Rtn Sital Motwani's birthday.
   Happy Birthday Sital. Pres "JL" was appointed best singer for the day by Sital for his rendition of Happy Birthday.
- Visiting Rotarian G Cocozza who advised us he was an Italian living in Sweden, was visiting us from RC Linkoping, Sweden. His Club meets for breakfast at 7.15am and 40% of the membership are ladies. "I can recommend you give this thought" he said when he heard of our recent decline in Membership. He exchanged a Banner with Pres. "JL".
- Rtn "LK" Cheung told us there was an exhibition of Tang Monastic Architecture on show at Chi Lin redevelopment, Diamond Hill from October 1st November 12th. Anyone interested on forming a party for a private viewing of the exhibition, should make contact with "LK". His phone number is 2822 2641.
- Pres "JL" reported that the Board was considering the action to be taken as a result of our Bulletin costs being dramatically reduced by \$40,000 per year by turning to "desk top" publishing. He advised part would be returned to Members by way of a reduced Bulletin charge in the next half year's dues (January), and part would be passed to the District Polio Plus revival fund raising effort/Rotary Foundation fund.

#### Visit to Hong Kong of Cedric Astbury

Our long time Members will remember Cedric who was our President in the 1971/1972 Rotary year. PP George Leung advises that Cedric is returning to Hong Kong for a visit from 20th - 28th October this year accompanied by his daughter. (Cedric's wife passed away two years ago). George is planning to organise a get together for Cedric with those who new him. Cedric will be visiting the Club for our regular meeting on October 25th.

# Visiting Rotarians:

G Cocozza
PP Robert Ho
PP Robin Lee
WH Fok
Daisy Cheung

RC Linkoping
RC Kowloon North
RC HK City North
RC Peninsula South
RC Peninsula South
RC Queensway

#### Guests:

Wendy Gan

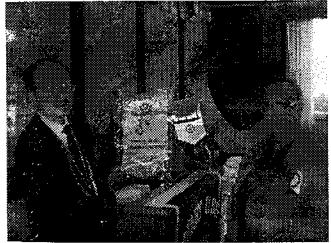
Mr Clement Wong - guest of Flicker Lamport

Mr Falcon Yim - guest of Robin Lee
Mr Stephen Hui - guest of Robin Lee
Mr John FC Li - guest of Tony Loy

# FELLOWSHIP FUNCTION - Barbecue with RC HK South - 16/11/95

Mark your dairies that this most enjoyable event will be held at the Country Club, Deepwater Bay, on Thursday evening, 16th November at 6.30pm. Also in attendance will be Members of RC Quarry Bay (The daughter Club of RC HK South and thereby our Club's "grand daughter"!)

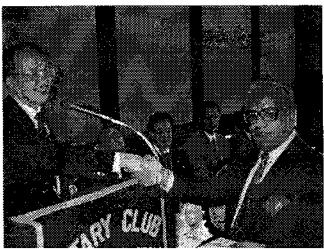
No doubt we will be hearing more from our Fellowship Chairman nearer the time.



Rtn Cocozza receives our Banner



Treasurer Henry Lui with Wendy Gan and PDG Peter Hall



Happy Birthday Rtn Sital



Pres. "JL" and our visitors

#### MONTHLY UP-DATE ON COMMUNITY SERVICE

#### Major Project -

#### Leaflet on drugs

Miss Pat Sanagan of Community Drug Advisory Council ('CDAC") reported that the above project is well underway including meeting with students for their input, organizing project design, and sending out letters to department of education. The leaflet will be complete by the end of November 1995.

At the DG's visit and club assembly I briefly described the above project to D.G and the members who attended. DG was highly enthusiastic about this project and he hopes that apart from financial support, our club can mobilise its members and those of our sisters and baby clubs to promote and distribute the leaflets.

Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East meet each

New World Emperor Hotel, Macan

(E) English Speaking

World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong

(M) Mandaon Speaking

1:00 p.m. (M) 7:15 p.m. (C)

#### APPEAL

#### WILL ALL MEMBERS (ESPECIALLY THOSE WITH YOUNG CHILDREN) PLEASE THEREFORE TAKE NOTE:

- This is an opportunity to serve your community in a worthwhile manner and also to obtain some useful information on a growing problem which we, as parents, must face.
- A briefing session on basic information on drugs will be organized by CDAC for all volunteers. This session will only take about two hours on a Saturday afternoon.
- Promotion will take the form of a brief talk (not more than 15 minutes) on drugs at schools and youth centres.

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- Each volunteer will not be expected to give more than one (1) talk.
- If you are interested, please call Rotarian Desmond Cheung at 2840-1088 or fax to him at 2810-4923

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Our 42nd Year
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#### Speaker This Week:

Mr Brad Allen

Smith Barney (Hong Kong) Ltd

'Asset Management in Today's Volatile Markets'



Mr George Humble

#### Last Week:

We were very pleased to welcome Mr. George Humble, Chairman of the Institute of Directors, as our speaker. George is, according to our Programme Chairman PP Con, the last of the Renaissance men.

In his introduction Con lauded George as a WW II fighter pilot, a champion racing car driver, a journalist, broadcaster, film critic, great lover (attributed to George's 30 year old wife!) and businessman, Executive Chairman of an Insurance Group, as well as Chairman of the Hong Kong IOD.

George began his talk with an explanation as to the origins of the Institute of Directors, its objectives and functions.

He then told us about a very important publication which had recently been produced by the Hong Kong IOD. Titled 'Guidelines for Directors' this newly launched paperback is a virtual 'Bible' of directors responsibilities and obligations. George then gave us a brief summary of where the need for this publication originated.

# Every Association or Organisation Needs a Governing Body to:

- a) Determine its strategic objectives;
- b) Appoint and control its operational management
- c) Monitor progress towards objectives
- d) Assure compliance with policies
- e) and be accountable for its activities

For a company, this governing body is the board, and the board can only function through its directors. It is important, then, that directors understand their duties and obligations, and how to discharge them effectively so that the board may function properly.

The 'Guidelines for Directors' sets out in detail the common law duties of directors, as well as the statutory obligations imposed by various ordinances and regulations. It identifies specific factual situations when such duties may have special relevance, and where possible also recommends good practice in areas where the law has no application. It also contains a section dedicated to the director as an individual, which looks at the eligibility requirements and the rights of directors under a service contract. There is also a separate treatment of the main taxes that affect directors.

The 'Guidelines' is not a long book - only 91 pages in English and 90 in Chinese - and it has been written very much with a practical, hands-on director in mind.

#### People who should be reading it are:

- · Newly appointed directors it helps them to understand their new duties
- Current directors who are uncertain about the breadth and scope of their responsibilities which change every so often
- · All practising directors who need a brief initial guide to possible courses of action in a new situation.

In short, the 'Guidelines for Directors' is an essential tool for anyone carrying the title of director or non-executive director.

PP Tim, on behalf of our club, gave George a vote of thanks for a very interesting, informative and timely talk on a subject of importance to all attendees.

Post speech note: PP Con has copies of the 'Guidelines'. Please fax him on 2881-0338 if you'd like a copy. Cost is a very reasonable \$200.

#### Spectator's Report

- Last week, according to PP TK, was 'actors week'. We had an acting Pres (Hubert); acting Sec (David Li); acting Fellowship chairman (TK) and acting Vocational Service Chairman (Tommy later rescinded by IPP Leslie who gave the job back to its rightful owner, CY).
- PE Hubert (main title actor) commenced proceedings at 1:22pm.
- PP TK introduced our old friends Rtn Dick Sedgwick from RC Hong Kong and Rtn Benny Ratnani from RC Hong Kong Northeast and he asked Rtn Flicker to introduce his guest Mr Clement Wong and A/Pres Hubert introduced Mr Peter Au Yang.
- TK then embarrassed the media present by asking them to be upstanding and name themselves and the publications they represented. They'll probably never return.
- · Neither Dick nor Benny wanted to Exchange Banners so that was passed over.
- Special welcome back was given to Rtn Tommy who had been to London, Paris and Vancouver. Well....he had a spare few days.
- Rtn Francis celebrated his birthday so he was given a rousing "Happy Birthday" song led by that excellent soprano (mezzo) Rtn (David) Li.
- Not content with his falsetto A/Sec (David) Li then announced he wanted us to caddy for Rtn Sam, PP John, PP Andrew, PDG Peter, PP Edwin and other professional golfers at the Asian PGA Championships 1996. Details elsewhere in the book.
- Real (as opposed to acting) Sgt at Arms Rtn (Chris) Howe said that despite a low turn out (29!!- where is everybody?) we were as ever most generous and he thanked us all for our donations which totalled \$1,800.
- IPP Leslie gave us some excellent Rotary Information on that most misunderstood and neglected avenue of service viz Vocational Service. October is Vocational Service Month so please read and act on Leslie's info which is also printed elsewhere in the book.
- · PP Con introduced our speaker Mr George Humble and PP Tim gave the vote of thanks.
- A/Pres Hubert ended our meeting at 2pm prompt with a toast to RI and this was coupled with a toast to the RC Hong Kong Dick's (estranged?) parent club.

# MEMBER'S LIST OF ROTARY CLUB OF HK ISLAND EAST as of 27th September, 1995

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2608-0488	2857-5485	2559-5000	Maria		Yu, Gerald	2881-8807	2827-5086	2827-7768	Amy	李家暉	Li, David
2524-1876	2869-8616	2869-8830	Irene	姚振宇	Yao, John	2568-8382	2838-6970	2838-6766	Cynthia	築大佑	Leung, George
2813-2008	2834-8534	2833-1900	Esther	胡文勒	Wu, James	2570-1158	2821-5534	2821-5138	Patricia	劉柱様	Lau, Jack
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2537-5271	2891-3081	2835-7139	Sharon	黄星文	Wong, Kenneth	2522-0210	2501-0591	2501-0582	Cecilia	林秀诚	Lam, W.S.
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2576-3987	2834-9500	2838-8013	Mabel	丁景順	Ting, Chris	2886-3467	2971-8257	2971-4208	Elaine	郭汝華	Kok, Mathew
2891-6491	2834-9500	2838-8013	Margaret	陶學祁	Tao, Edwin	2813-0547	2564-8274	2811-1310	Lisa	!	Howe, Christopher J.
2606-2914	2362-1148	2766-7200	Molly	蘇堤	Soltay, Leslie	2893-5127	1	2893-5127	Sylvia		Hausmann, Rube D.
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2656-1189	2695-9683	2699-5823	Christina		Shadikhan, Tajwar	2546-9207	2788-7429	2788-7375	Raj	-	Ghose, T.K.
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2833-5601	2891-3834	2575-6575	Ong Weishi	彭紀德	Pang, Kee Tak	2524-6581	2861-0457	2861-5138	Marilynn		Forte, Ron
2575-1657	2507-5151	2511-2151	Wan In-pin	凝实推	Nie, Dragon	2688-5339	2774-5067	2766-5468	Gae	1	Fielding, Rob
2849-6661		2849-6328	Bharli	•	Narian, Kishu	2523-2313	2881-0338	2881-0838	Carlye	江偉	Conway, Con
2574-6824	2810-5771	2522-2852	Lita		Motwani, Sital	2711-1342	2516-5555	2516-6666	Carol	超春村	Chiu, Gary S.C.
2573-6388	2865-1930	2574-3280	Mariam	Ï	Moosdeen, Baker	2595-9564	2537-1062	2822-2641	Sophia	强理光	Cheung, Lee Kwong
2574-0673	2810-4155	2523-1161	Mira		Mahtani, Ramesh	2525-4837	-		Ho Fung Chin	张棉香	Cheung, Kam Tim
2576-0132	2845-5771	2822-2670	Jill		Macdonald, Murry	2521-0988	2810-4923	2840-1088	Donna W Y	張信民	Cheung, Desmond
2886-1393	2869-7118	2869-7282	Wendy	雷景恆	Luy, Henry King Hang	2893-8928	2895-0237	2576-4343	Irene	教恩基	Cheng, Y.K.
2570-2841	2511-4698	2828-5208	Andy W.Y.	陸宏廣	Luk, John	2573-3822	2810-6780	2526-4294	Betty	程義	Chen, Andrew
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2891-1337	2836-6996	2834-3366	Lily	商同德	Loy, Tony Tung Tak	2580-1338	2565-8832	2562-8038	Mabel	陳錫昌	Chan, Kenny
2817-4371	2861-1283	2823-1823	Christina	學液療	Liu, Stephen	2890-3615	2788-8480	2788-8145	Cecilia	聚各年	Chan, Joseph
2849-6965	2541-1761	2815-3306	Eleanor	林子剛	Ling, Thomas	2526-1618	2865-6016	2863-9999	Josephine	限會美	Chan, Hubert
2548-3340	2517-85-42	2548-3467	June	林方	Ling, Alex	2561-8759	2830-7001	2837-8369	May	陳承緒	Chan, Henry
2791-6845	2791-6864	2868-3888	Judy	1	Lidster, Dick	2576-2730	2845-0471	2522-5710	Chitra		Challaram, Manolo
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#### **VOCATIONAL SERVICE BY IPP LESLIE**

Vocational Service is the "Second Avenue of Service." No aspect of Rotary is more closely related to each member than a personal commitment to represent one's vocation or occupation to fellow Rotarians and to exemplify the characteristics of high ethical standards and the dignity of work. Programs of vocational service are those which seek to improve business relations while improving the quality of trades, industry, commerce and the professions. Rotarians understand that each person makes a valuable contribution to a better society through daily activities in a business or profession.

Vocational Service is frequently demonstrated by offering young people career guidance occupational information and assistance in making vocational choices. Some clubs sponsor high school career conferences. Many recognize the dignity of employment by honoring exemplary service of individuals working in their communities. The 4-Way Test and other ethical and laudable business philosophies are often promoted among young people entering the world of work. Vocational talks and discussion of business issues are also typical vocational service programs at most clubs.

Regardless of the ways that Vocational Service is expressed, it is the banner by which Rotarians "recognize the worthiness of all useful occupations" and demonstrate a commitment to "high ethical standards in all business and professions." That's why the Second Avenue of Service is fundamental to every Rotary club.

#### SOCIAL FUNCTION Asian PGA Championship January 1996

The Asian PGA Championships is a premier event on the annual golf calendar and next year. January 1996, it will take place at The Clearwater Bay Golf and Country Club, Sai Kung, New Territories.

The event will be televised on Star TV and, with Prize Money of US\$500,000, will be the richest golf tournament ever staged in Hong Kong.

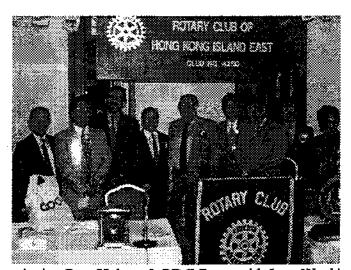
The Clearwater Bay Golf and Country Club needs help with the essential tasks needed to be done to make these Championships a resounding success. Volunteers are needed to help as marshalls, score 3, caddies, catering assistants and even as car park administrators.

If you can help please advise Rtn (David) Li at Fax 2827-5086. The tournament is from Monday 8 January to Sunday 14 January 1996 (inclusive) so please advise him of area of choice of work and available days.

(End of commercial - okay David?)



Happy birthday, Rtn Francis



Acting Pres Hubert & PDG Peter with Last Week's Visitors to our club

Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East P.O. Box 47064, Morrison Hill Post Office, Hong Kong

# New Member Proposal

In accordance with Sub-section (5) of Section 1 of Article XI of the By-Laws of our club that the Board of Directors has sustained the decision of the Classification Comittee and the Membership Committee to propose the following person be admitted to our club as a senior active member.

Name

Clement Man Chi WONG

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British National Overseas

Classification

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Rtn Flicker Lamporτ

In accordance with Sub-section (5) Section 1 of Article XI of the By-Laws of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East, any member objecting to the election of the above proposed member shall notify the Board, in writing stating reasons, within 10 (ten) days, from the date of publication of this notice.

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- \* Welcome Back Past President Cedric Astbury \*
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This Week
PP Rob Fielding
Vocational Talk

Last Week
Mr Brad Allen
Smith Barney (Hong Kong) Ltd



Mr Brad Allen

Mr Allen spoke to us on the need for Asset Management in today's volatile investment markets. Modern day technology enables us to see immediately the events in any part of the world and hence investment markets can and do react very quickly. The world market can be very volatile, we were told. Brief mention was made of the Baring/Daiwa situations and the comment was made that other institutions could quite easily find themselves in difficulty. Mr Allen recommended a conservative approach to those looking at investing their hard earned money to ensure the money works for them.

"Get involved in understanding what you are investing in because changes can occur so quickly and you need to know as much about your investment as possible in order to recognise change and to take appropriate action. Don't just leave it all to the professional advisers" Mr Allen recommended.

There seems to be little doubt that Asia is the growth market for the next 5 years. The US market also has room for improvement and in order obtain security, Mr Allen suggested US Blue Chip companies with large capitalisation, multinational operations and with Asian connections would be a good investment choice.

With the local market in Hong Kong it is a question of "getting in the game". Again the recommendation would be to look for blue chip, large capitalisation companies whose shares by volume represent a high percentage of the local stock exchange. It will be necessary to be prepared to ride the lows with the high's but the longer term result is likely to be very positive. "Understand the investment you are making" Mr Allen once again stressed to us. Geoff Simmons thanked the speaker for his informative and wise address.

#### The way it was last week

- What a turn out of visiting Rotarians we had! 28 in all of whom 22 were from RC Hong Kong North East who were paying us an "official" visit always a most enjoyable occasion.
- Visitors were introduced by Fellowship Chairman for the day, Rtn David Wei and we exchanged a banner with Rtn Nigel Dyson.
- Sgt at Arms Rtn "Howe" reported a slightly lower than usual collection for the day of \$1,560. Many thanks to the 17 members who contributed.
- Geoff Simmons was welcomed back from "too many places"! Welcome back Geoff.
- Those who subscribe to the HK Computer Journal were greeted in the 9 September edition with a full page photo on the front cover of that eminent of Isishmen, our very own PP Con Conway.

We didn't read his article but no doubt it was as full as always of wisdom and wit and thank you Con for your contribution to Sgt and Arms which when added to the fact you wrote Tung Feng last week, made a most respectable contribution.

#### Barbecue Night

Venue

HK Country Club, Deepwater Bay

Date

Thursday evening, 16 November, 7:30p.m.

Cost

\$200 per head (drinks cash bar)

Host

RC Hong Kong South

Fellowship Chairman Kenneth Wong will be asking for members to indicate their attendance.

#### Visiting Rotarians

Patrick Connor Dick Sedgwick Paul Chan Nigel Dyson Tom Bovet Robert Schroeder PRES Edward Lui PDG Moses Cheng Mark Lin P C Mar Anthony Desir	RC Singapore RC Hong Kong RC Kowloon RC Kelvedon UK RC Phnom Phen RC Queensway RC HKNE RC HKNE RC HKNE RC HKNE RC HKNE	Thomas Yuen Eric Ng Richard Ong Sung Nee William Chiu Charles Chan Lawrence Chan PP Raymond Tang PP Lawrence Lee Michael Chan Ancheld Shum	RC HKNE

#### 100 PERCENT ATTENDANCE - BY IPP LESILE SOLTAY

Today we welcome our baby club, RC HK North East in a formal visit. President Eddie and his Board has Deriguated October as 100% attendance month and challange their sister clubs to a competition.

Regular attendance is essential to a strong and active Rotary club. The emphasis on attendance is traced back to 1992 when Rotary International announced a worldwide attendance contest which motivated thousands of Rotarians to achieve a 100 percent attendance year after year. Many Rotarians take great pride in maintaining their 100 percent record in their own club or by making-up at other Rotary club meetings.

Although the bylaws of Rotary require members to attend only 60 percent of all meetings, the custom has emerged that 100 percent is the desirable level. Rotary stresses regular attendance because each member represents his own business or profession and thus the absence of any member deprives the club of the value of its diversified membership and the personal fellowship of each member.

From time to time, proposals have been made to give attendance credit to Rotarians who are on jury duty, serving in the community, attending a trade convention, on vacation in remote aareas, on shipboard or unable

to attend because of ill health or other special reasons. None of these exceptions has been adopted. The policy is very clear-a Rotarian is not given attendance credit if he does not attend a meeting.

There are a few circumstances where attendance credit is awarded when a Rotarian participates in an alternate type of Rotary event. If a Rotarian is requested to attend an Interact or Rotaract meeting, attendance credit may be allowed. When a member attends a Rotary district conference, district assembly, international convention, Council on Legislation, a meeting of an international committee, an inter-city meeting and a few other specially designated events, attendance may be credited A Rotarian actively participating in a district-sponsored service project in a remote area where it is impossible to make-up may also receive attendance credit. Following the Council an Legistlation held in Caracas last year, the window of opportunity to make up has been doubled: two weeks before and two weeks after a scheduled meeting.

President John (and President Eddie) are looking forward to many new 100% ers this year. Thank you.



Yes, Rtn Anthony Desir alias "Merry Christmas" was also there



Rtns Geoff Simmons & Ron Forte



Welcome Rtn Nigel Dyson from UK



IPP Leslie Soltay with Pres. Eddie of RCHKNE

# Development the Qualities for Successful Families

Successful families encourage communication. Development an atmosphere within the family where people can talk one another, express their feelings, and avoid being judgmental is a key ingredient to overcoming family stress and misunderstandings. If children are involved in making family decisions, they will get an early start on developing their own leadership skills. Most important, children and parents alike need to have a meaningful role in family life and a sense of belonging to the family circle.

Successful families share time together. Spending time together helps families to appreciate one another. Whether it be sharing meals, attending places of worship, or participating in spirtual, social and school activities, making a special effort to be together builds common experience and values.

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Successful families are not abusive. Love, respect, and caring are essential ingredients for harmony in the family. Rotary clubs can help people avoid the conditions that lead to abuse and violence within the family by working with the courts and professionals in the field of social behavior. The victims of spouse and child abuse need our help, as do the abusers, whose road to recovery requires long-range rehabilitation.

Successful families resolve conflicts. Fragile family ties can be strengthened if we learn to resolve difference peacefully and avoid the destructive atmosphere created by constant conflict. Apologizing when we are wrong, accepting a family member's faults, being receptive to varying opinions, and offering encouragement to others are all ways to lay the foundation for peace in the family, leading to peace in the community.

Successful families do not abuse drugs and alcohol. Parents must set an example for their children, refusing to use drugs or alcohol as a way of dealing with doubt and uncertainty. It takes strong family ties combined with wholesome activities and education to help young people avoid experimentation with drugs. It is essential that they know that what at first appears an innocent act can lead to addiction and tragedy for themselves and their families.

Successful families practice tolerance. A dangerous situation is created when an abusive force imposes its will upon others, whether it be in the world in the family. The ability to respect the opinions of other, to see the good in most people and to appreciate their diversity, and to be tolerant of one another while retaining our differences-all these will lead us to a better family and a better world.

Successful families encourage thoughtfulness. Children should learn early in life the joy they bring and receive - by thinking of others. Parents who show appreciation to their children or given them sincere compliments are teaching them the importance of thoughtfulness and gratitude.



Pres. JL with our large group of visitors

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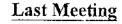
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Mr PP Rob Fielding

PP Rob Fielding is Associate Professor in Art Design and Education at Hong Kong Polytechnic University. In presenting his vocational talk to the Club, he gave us an insight into the challenge he encountered as a young teacher in Australia, particularly when teaching in a predominantly mining town.

Rob first qualified as a teacher from Teachers College in Brisbane. He then studied further for an economics degree which he attained in 1969. This was followed by a Master Degree in Education and finally a PhD.

In 1994 Rob was appointed Associate Professor at Hong Kong Polytechnic University, after having spent many years as Senior Lecturer in Art Education at James Cook University in Australia.

Teaching at any level is a very dedicated profession involving many hours of work. Rob explained that a 14 hour day was not unusual and after that, another 2 hours work is often required after getting home at night.

Rob's job function includes teaching and supervising research students who are seeking higher degrees. He is also undertaking three research projects himself, one of which is to publish a paper on "The State of Art Education in PRC". Rob quoted a well known phrase in tertiary education circles.... "you publish or you perish"......

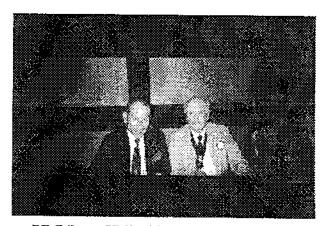
In addition to all the above, PP Rob has also to attend to adminstrative matters (working on committees etc.) and this can take up to 50% of his day.

Pres 'IL' thanked PP Rob for his vocational talk which enlightened us all on the demanding job requirements of a university professor in Hong Kong. We take our hats off to dedicated teachers such as PP Rob. In so many ways they deserve greater recongnition for their contribution to society.

Diary Notes		
Thursday	Nov 16	BBQ with RC HK South 7:30p.m.
Wednesday	Dec 6	Club Annual Meeting (Voting for officers 1996/1997)
Saturday	Dec 9	Club Christmas Function - Regal Hotel

#### The Way It Was Last Week

- We warmly welcomed Past President Cedric Astbury who is presently a member of RC Beckenham.
   Cedric was our Club's President 1971/1972. He was visiting us with his daughter Juliet Marsh. We also welcomed another past member Rtn Tom Bovet (RC Phnom Phen).
- · Also visiting us was President Eddie Leung of RC HK Harbour who introduced other HKH members who were attending with him. PP Peter Ngai; PE David Leung; Rtn Yoshie Takenaka; Robert Porth; Alby Ng; C K Chan.
- Other visiting Rotarians introduced by Rtn Gerald Yu were PP Johnson Chu (RC Peninsula); PP Anthony Hung (RC Tai Po); Rtn Maris Smalley (Minnesota); Water Zech (RC Peninsula); David Davison-Crowth (RC Tynside); Urmas (Finland) and PP Takanada from Japan who was visiting with his wife and who presented President "JL' with a yakata.
- Rtn Flicker then introduced Clement Wong; Rtn Li introduced Philip Ng and Rtn Hubert introduced Peter Au Yeung.
- We had no birthday boys but we welcomed back Rtn Emperor from Canada and PP Dave Chang.
- Sgt at Arms Rtn Howe reported revenues received of \$1,430. Many thanks to all who contributed.
- President "JL" inducted Clement Wong into the club. Clement was proposed by Rtn Flicker Lamport. Welcome to the Club, Clement.
- PP Rob Fielding gave us an insight into his work as Associate Professor in Art Design and Education at Hong Kong Polytechnic University and Pres "JL" then closed the meeting with a toast to RI and RC HK Harbour.



PDG Peter Hall with PP Cedric Astbury



Welcome to the Club Rtn Clement

#### Group Study Exchange - 1996

PP Johnson Chu addressed us. District 3450 is paired with District 1730 (Nice) for the 1995/96 Rotary year.

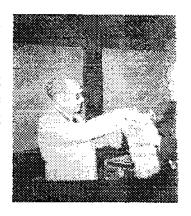
A team of six young persons from Nice will be visting Hong Kong from 6 April - 6 May 1996. Our team will go to Nice from May 6, 1996 - 6 June and nominations are being sought.

To qualify, persons must be younger than 35, have no Rotary connection, be an accomplished up and coming individual exerting an exemplary business aptitude.

A good knowledge of English is essential and an understanding of French will be necessary. The individual will also need to be willing and able to speak at functions arrranged by Rotary and other organisations both in France and back in Hong Kong.

Members are invited to nominate any person they feel might benefit from this wonderful opportunity. Nominations close 14th December - see Rtn Dick Lidster (phone 2868 3888) who is Chairman of our International Services Committee which looks after Rotary Foundation Matters (GSE is part of the Rotary Foundation activities).

If you are able to host any of the French Team from Apr 6-May 6 next year, would you please let Rtn Dick have your name and the number of persons you can accommodate.



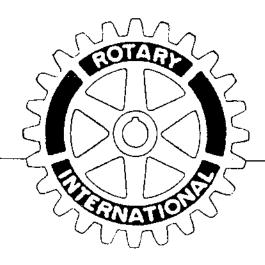




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Pres "JL" with our visitors



#### Declaration of Rotarians

#### in Businesses and Professions

As a Rotarian engaged in a business or profession, I am expected to:

- Consider my vocation to be another opportunity to serve;
- 2 Be faithful to the letter and to the spirit of the ethical codes of my vocation; to the laws of my country and to the moral standard of my community;
- 3 Do all in my power to dignify my vocation and to promote the highest ethical standards in my chosen vocation;
- 4 Be fair to my employer, employees, associates, competitors, customers, the public, and all those with whom I have a business or professional relationship;
- 5 Recoginze the honour and respect due to all occupations which are useful to society;
- 6 Offer my vocational talents: to provide opportunities for young people, to work for the relief of the special needs of others and to improve the quality of life in my community;
- Adhere to honesty in my advertising and in all representations to the public concerning my business or profession;
- 8 Neither seek from nor grant a fellow Rotarian a privilege or advantage not normally accorded to others in a business or professional relationship.

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#### Last Week

Rtn Chris Howe

Rtn Howe (Chris Howe) gave us a most interesting insight into his chosen vocation. Chris is an architect and he is Director of "Percy Thomas" which is a well known London based organisation specialising in Architectural Design. The original Sir Percy Thomas established the entity some 85 - 90 years ago and only recently has it restructured from a partnership into a company.

Chris graduated Bsc followed by Bachelor of Architecture (with distinction) at Cardiff University. He joined the Percy Thomas partnership shortly afterwards and his speciality is the design of health care facilities. He spent much time designing hospitals in Oman with forays into Egypt and the Middle East generally. As a result no doubt of his excellent performance he was asked to open an office for the partnership in Malaysia where Percy Thomas were commissioned to design 12 new hospitals.

While in Malaysia, Chris was involved in a transfer of technology package with the Malaysian Authorities whereby he was expected to pass on his knowledge in a teaching capacity. Says Chris "this involved me in a great deal of additional work learning how to teach effectively".

Now based in Hong Kong, Chris is again involved in healthcare design but basically his company are reknown as specialists for any difficult design project.

"If you have a development project which is of high quality and complicated - just give it to us" Chris said with a smile as PP John flashed the camera! (See photo above!)

Chris gave us a photographic insight into the various projects he and his company are involved in. Projects include HKUST (in conjunction with Simon Kwan); HKU; City Polytechnic; British Airways Avionics Workshop; Headquarters for ESSO in Europe and various other projects including the Lam Tin Housing Estate and the Entertainment Centre in Shanghai.

Chris was particularly proud of the Symphony Hall in Birmingham in which he was very heavily involved. "This has to be one of the finest symphony halls. It has exceptional acoustic quality and is well worth a visit should you be in Birmingham".

#### **Diary Notes**

Thursday Nov 16 BBQ with RCHK South 7:30 p.m.

Country Club, Deepwater Bay

Wednesday Dec 6 Annual Luncheon Meeting for election of officers

Saturday Dec 9 Club Christmas Function - Race course - Happy Valley -

Owners Box - members stand - (together with RCHK Harbour)

Friday Jan 5 PDG Peter Hall Trophy - Golf competition

Easter 1996 Sister Club visit to Manila to view our joint project with RC Makati North

#### Vocational Visit to Victoria Park School of the Deaf

Today after Rotary, Vocational Service Director \_ C Y FU will lead a visitation to the Victoria Park School for the Deaf. (It is a mere half mile from Excelsior.) The building of this school was one of our club's former project and we have always been ready to lend the school assistance. Three of our club members serve on their Board. The visit is intended to view the activity of the school and we will also be looking at areas where the Club's financial assistance may be helpful.

C Y hopes that as many members as possible will join him to show our support for the great work the school is doing (allow 1 hour).

#### Our Meeting Last Week

\* During his vocational talk, Rtn Howe, our resident Sgt at Arms quoted his vocation as being "ex" Sgt at Arms (as well as Architect) in honour of the great effort by PP Con Conway in encouraging contribution of \$3,240 towards our community service fund.

Special thanks to Rtn Kenny Chan for his \$500 celebration of a win at the races! and to PP's Sam Lam \$300; Tim Lui \$300; Rtn Manolo Chellaram and "Flicker" Lamport \$200 each. Thank you also to the many others who contributed handsomely.

- \* Rtn Flicker introduced our Rotarian visitors and guests. Valiently clutching the two heavy registration books, Flicker launched forward to the microphone causing concern among certain kind hearted souls that here was a candidate for a hernia! But no all was well and we greeted our guests in our usual friendly manner.
- \* One of our members (sorry I could not see who it was) presented a banner he received when he visited RC Burnaby Metro Town in British Colombia. This was circulated so members could see it.
- \* Warm welcome back to Rtn "TS" (Tajwar Shadikhan) who has spent much of his time in China in the past few months. Welcome back also to PP Sam Lam and to Rtn David Wei who does mot recommend going to Siberia Via Outer Mongolia! "20 hours in one of those trains with two Russians beside you who can't speak English is certainly not a joyous event to look forward to" says David. Thanks for the warning David we're glad to see you back in one piece!
- \* Our birthday boys for the week were PP Tim Lui and Rtn Manolo Chellaram and who better to lead the birthday song than PP Con. In fact we heard a lot from Con last week. As always he conducted himself with decorum and modesty!

# Visiting Rotarians

Rtn Vernon Moore Rtn Dick Sedgwick Rtn Raymond Ng

RCHK RCHK Rtn Benny Ratnani PE David Tsoi Rtn Michael Chan

RCHKNE RCHKNE

Rtn John Glass

RC Mid Level RC Kowloon North

Our guests were

Mr Marco Leung introduced by Rtn Francis Li

Mr Graham Scott - Robinson introduced by IPP Leslie Soltay

Mr Donald Sutherland introduced by PP George Leung

Mr Peter Au Yang introduced by VP Hubert Chan

#### New Member Proposal

In accordance with Sub-section (5) of Section 1 of Article XI of the By-Laws of our club that the Board of Directors has sustained the decision of the Classification Comittee and the Membership Comittee to propose the following person be admitted to our club as an Active Member:

Name

:

Peter Au-Yang

Nationalty

British National Overseas

Classification

Banking - Investment Banking, Active HSBC Corporate Finance Limited

Business Address:

Level 15, 1 Queen's Road

Central, Hong Kong

Phone: 2841-8392 Fax: 2845-5654

Residential Add. :

1/F 30 Shan Kwong Road

Happy Valley Hong Kong

Phone: 2893-3366

wife

:

Cathrine

Proposer

VP Hubert Chan

In accordance with Sub-section (5) Section 1 of Article XI of the By-laws of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East, any member objecting to the election of the above proposed member shall notify the Board, in writing stating reasons, within 10(ten) days, from the date of publication of this notice.



So that's from whom our Banner came! Many thanks
Rtn Clement Wong



Our Happy Birthday fellows

#### Rotary Foundation by IPP Leslie Soltay

November is Rotary Foundation month and this is a good opportunity to reflect on

#### THE ROTARY FOUNDATION'S BEGINNING

Some magnificent projects grow from very small seeds. The Rotary Foundation had that sort of modest beginning.

In 1917 RI President Arch Klumph told the delegates to the Atlanta Convention that "it seems eminently proper that we should accept endowments for the purpose of doing good in the world." The response was polite are favorable, but the fund was slow to materialize. A year later the "Rotary Endowment Fund," as it was first labeled, received its first contribution of \$26.50 from the Rotary Club of Kansas City, which was the balance of the Kansas City Convention account following the 1918 annual meeting. Additional small amounts were annually contributed, but after six years it is reported that the endowment fund had only reached \$700. A decade later, The Rotary Foundation was formally established at the 1928 Minneapolis Convention. In the next four years the Foundation fund grew to \$50,000. In 1937 a \$2 million goal was announced for The Rotary Foundation, but these plans were cut short and abandoned with the outbreak of World War II.

In 1947, upon the death of Paul Harris, a new era opened for The Rotary Foundation as memorial gifts poured in to honor the founder of Rotary. From that time, The Rotary Foundation has been achieving its noble objective of furthering "understanding and friendly relations between peoples of different nations." By 1954 the Foundation received for the first time a half million dollars in contributions in a single year, and in 1965 a million dollars was received.

It is staggering to imagine that from those humble beginnings, The Rotary Foundation is now receiving more than \$45 million each yaer for educational and humanitarian work around the world.



Pres "JL"; Chris Howe; PDG Peter and our visitors

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PP David Diniz

David Diniz is Past President of Rotary Club of Peninsula and he spoke to us on "The Acquiring of Jewellery". David is a Fellow of the Gemological Association of Great Britain and he is also a graduate gemologist of the Gemological Institute of America. In Hong Kong, David produces jewellery for export to Europe and Japan from his Hung Hom factory.

David looked back in history to the ancient Egyptians and beyond when armourers of the day were persuaded - no doubt not too gently at first-to fashion jewellery in the form of necklaces to be worn by the wives of prominent people in order to portray their importance and wealth. First came necklaces; then came bracelets and so jewellery developed through the ages until today.

"Money doesn't buy everything" David reliably informed us "but it helps!" We were assured that "as in most things in life, there are no bargains in jewellery but good jewellery does not depreciate. It may hold its value when economic conditions are down, but it will never lose its value" David said. "Throughout history jewellery has given security for families in times of severe trouble and it is easily transportable".

David praised women for their indepth sense of the need to have security in mind when buying jewellery. Security not only for their families but for themselves as well. "Men don't think the same way". said David. "To men, the more important question is how much is the jewellery going to cost me!"

David explained how diamonds maintain their value due to the control exercise by De Beer's (who control 80% of the world's diamond production - including the diamond production in the former USSR). "They 'feed out' to meet supply and demand", he told us.

Jewellery should be purchased to be enjoyed and the design must please the wearer. We were told the mark up in cost in jewellery between wholesaler and retailer can be much as 100% but this is acceptable particularly when you take into account the Retailer's overheads. "Your best protection is to make sure you buy from a reputable retailer who will give you a guarantee. You may have to pay a little more but you can then be assured of the quality of your purchase".

Rtn Denita Connor who was once again visiting us from RC Queensway in Singapore, was invited to give the vote of thanks which she did most delightfully and willingly.

#### Happenings Last Week

Diary Notes

- What a pleasure it was to have with us PP Roger Nicandro, Past President of our Sister Club RC Makati
  North whom we toasted together with RI at the conclusion of the meeting. We also warmly welcomed
  PDG Moses Cheng.
- Rtn Chris Howe was back at his desk as Sgt at Arms and Rtn Kenneth Wong welcomed our visitors. Contributions totalled \$1,810.
- In the absence of Pres "JL", VP Hubert Chan once again chaired the meeting.
- Many thanks to PP John Kwok for so kindly distributing "Wing On" Privilege Cards for 1996. Also thanks
  to Rtn "TS" for donating "Open Golf Championship" tickets for auction.
- Congratulations and thanks to Rtn Rube Hausmann who has contributed yet another US\$1,000 to the Rotary Foundation. PDG Peter Hall encouraged other members to consider making contributions to this wonderful cause.
- We welcomed Henry Luy back from Korea.
- We wish all our American friends "happy thanks giving" on 23rd November.

After the meeting, a group of ten Rotarians led by Rtn C Y Fu, visited the Victoria Park School for the Deaf after the meeting in order to see the school in action and to assess the assistance the Club can give with their air conditioning needs.

Diary Notes	
Monday 4th December	Board Meeting 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday 6th December	Club Annual Meeting Excelsior Hotel 12:30 for 1 p.m.

Saturday 9th December Christmas Party at Race Course - Happy Valley (together with

RC HK Harbour) - owners box - members stand

Friday 5th January PDG Peter Hall Trophy - Golf
Monday 8th January Board Meeting - HK Club

- 6:30 p.m. (dinner afterwards)

Thursday 4 - Monday 8 April (Ching Ming / Easter) Saturday 20 April

Sister Club visit to view our project with RC Makati North Annual Ball - Island Shangrila together with RC Hong Kong

Harbour



Visit to Victoria Park School for Deaf Children



Rtn Gerald Yu with Principal Victoria Park School for the Deaf, Ms BY Lun

#### Visiting Rotarians

PP Dave Deniz PDG Moses Cheng

PP Roger Nicandro PP Jimmy Keir

PP David Lee Rm Dick Sedgwick Rm Tom Bovet

Rtn Peter Tse Rtn Patrick Cheng

Rtn Denita Connor

RC Peninsula RC HKNE

RC Makati North

RC Kowloon

RC HK NW

RC Hong Kong RC Phnom Phen

RC TST East

RC Hong Kong

RC Queensway Singapore

#### David Waring's Address

When Denita Connor visited us last week, she asked for David and Nancy Waring's address in Chicago. We didn't have it but a phone call to a "Russell Reynolds" in Hong Kong has enabled us to get it:

David and Nancy Waring c/o Russell Reynolds Associates 200 South Wacker Drive Suite 3600 Chicago ILL 60606-5823 U S A

(Fax: 312-876 1919)

A copy of this week's Tung Feng will be sent to David with our greetings to him and his family.

Can anyone assist?
Tung Feng for Wed. 27 December and Wed 3 January

All three bulletin stallwarts (Rtn. Murray; Roy and PP Con) will be away from Hong Kong on the above two days. Can we please have a volunteer to "do" the bulletin on these 2 days. Please contact Rtn Murray Ph.2822-2670 if you would like to assist. Its fun!! why not give it a try?



Rtn Roger Nicandro, PDG Peter Hall and PP Geroge Leung



PP David Lee; PDG Moses Cheng; PP Jimmy Kier

#### Our Project in Manila

Director of International Service, Dick Lidster advises us that a visit to RC Makati North is planned for Easter 1996 (dates to be advised). The aim of the trip is to enjoy sharing fellowship with our Sister Club and to continue the longstanding friendship between our two Clubs, but more importantly it has been our pleasure to participate in a most worthy project with RC Makati North and one of our main objectives will be to see work which is being done to implement this project.

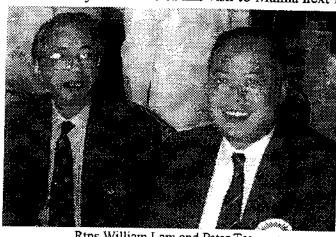
The objectives of the project are:

- a) To help eradicate the continuing health problems of around 170 street children and 500 indigent families living near Makati City.
- b) To help implement a meaningful skills and livelihood, development programme for these people (aimed at 20 children and 50 families).
- To help implement a micro-credit lending programme to provide start up loans for family based enterprises (aimed at assisting 30 families).

The project is being co-ordinated via the Virlanie Foundation, a professionally run child care institution licensed by the Department of Social Welfare and Development of the Philippines.

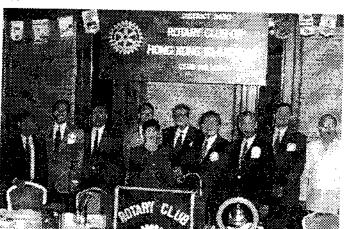
The project will get underway by February 1st 1996 and the estimated completion date is 30th June 1996. The budget for this most worthy project is US\$16,000. Our Club is acting as the primary sponsor outside the project country in a bid to obtain a matching grant from Rotaary International for another US\$16,000.

Please note your diaries of this visit to Manila next Easter.



Rtns William Lam and Peter Tse

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VP Hubert Chan with our visitors

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#### ROTARY CLUBS IN DISTRICT 3450 - MEETING DAYS

MONDAY Tsimshatsui Victoria Wanchai Tsuen Wan Tolo Harbour New Territories Tat Po Amagao (Macau)	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong Grand Hyan Hotel, Hong Kong Omni Hong Kong hotel, Kowloon New World Hotel, Kowloon Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon Royal Park Hotel, Shatin Red Cross Hogs, Macau Last monday Dinner Meeting	\$2:30 p.m. (E) 3 12:30 p.m. (C) 12:30 p.m. (C) 6:00 p.m. (C) 6:35 p.m. (E/C) 6:45 p.m. (C) 7:00 p.m. (E) 9:30 p.m. (P)	THURSDAY H.K. Harbour H.K. North H.K. South  Kingspark HK Hong Kong Bayview Kowtoon Kowtoon Northeast Mid-Level	Regal Hong Kong Hotel 12:30 p.m. (£) New World Harbour View Hotel, HK 12:30 p.m. (£) ELK. Country Club, Hong Kong 12:30 p.m. (£) 3rd Thursday Dinner Meeting 7:30 p.m. (£) Furama Kempinski Hotel 12:30 p.m. (£) Furama Kempinski Hotel 12:30 p.m. (£) Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon 12:30 p.m. (£) Mirarnar Hotel, Kowloon 12:30 p.m. (£)
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Wednesday City Northwest H.K. H.K. Island East Kowloon Golden Mile Kowloon Weat Shatin Macau Central Robay Club of Hong Kong Island East	Grand Hyatt Hotel Excelsior Hotel, Causeway Bay Holiday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon Peninsula Hotel Ramada Renaissance Hotel, Kowloon Oriental Hotel, Macau	12:30 p.m. (C) 12:30 p.m. (E) 12:30 p.m. (E) 12:30 p.m. (C) 12:30 p.m. (C) 7:30 p.m. (C/E)	Kowloon North Guia (Macau) Channel Islands  (C) Cantoneae Speaking (P) Portuguese Speaking	World I rade Centre Club, Hong Kong 12:30 p.m. (E) Holiday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon 12:30 p.m. (E) New World Emperor Hotel, Macau 1:00 p.m. (M) World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong 7:15 p.m. (C)  (E) English Speaking (M) Mandarin Speaking

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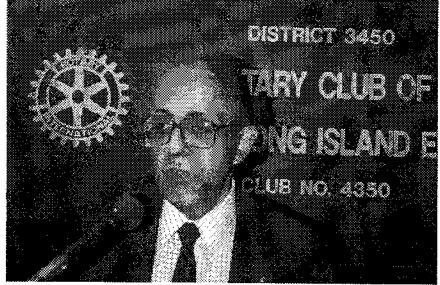
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Our 42nd Year f Rotary Service

Chartered : 6th April,1954 by Founding President, the late PDG (uncle) John Yuen





Rtn Kishu Narain leading our Forum

#### Last Week

Rtn Kishu Narain was invited by President "JL" to lead an 'Open Forum". Kishu commented that 14 years ago when he joined our Club there were over 80 members. He was very concerned that our membership had now dropped to 63 and he urged us all to take an active role this year in building up club membership to previous levels.

He also expressed his concern at the view taken by some Rotarians that attendance at meetings and functions was not to be considered priority.

He pointed out the real benefit that we all came from different vocations and that Rotary gave us the opportunity to briefly get away from the "hum drum" of our daily routine and to meet with one another, to share our views and fellowship over lunch once a week.

"We each have a responsibility to encourage new members to attend functions and to join in our activities. All members should be appointed to committees so as to get involved in what the Club is doing, "Kishu said. "Don't just leave it to others ask what you can do," he intimated.

"If you can manage your Company, why not manage your time for Rotary," Kishu reflected, "our turnout at functions organised by a hard working "few" within our Club is a poor reflection on us as Professional Managers," Kishu said. "We must give our Club more support."

PP John Kwok then urged us to look for more young members. "We must work for Rotary and our Club in particular," John said. "More dedication is needed to set aside Wednesdays for Rotary attendance if at all possible. If we don't attend meetings, we lack purpose in being a Rotarian," John advised us.

Rtn Chris Howe commented that he found having a job to do (Sgt at Arms) was very useful in that it made him get to know members of the Club very much more quickly but when compared with other Clubs he had known, we would do well to improve fellowship outside the regular meetings.

He commented on two Fireside meetings he had attended hosted by President "JL" and VP Hubert Chan. "These were wonderful events," Chris said, "and I strongly recommend the Firesides become a standard feature throughout the Club."

Visiting Rotarian Dorothy Au asked why there were no lady Rotarians in the Club. Our overseas visiting Rotarian Joseph Silagy came to Kishu's aid and said that in his Club of 326 members, 23 were ladies and they were great Rotarians. Kishu thanked Joseph for his kind remarks and Secretary Gary Chiu gave the most likely answer - "probably because no one has yet proposed a lady member".

PDG Peter Hall concluded the discussion by pointing the finger at all of us for not acting sooner in nominating names for our Club Officers in 1996/1997. "Don't just leave it all to George," Peter said. "The responsibility rests with each and every member," and it is to be hoped all will take this very seriously as our Annual Meeting will be held on Wednesday, 6th December.

#### In Memoriam



PP Patrick cha

It is with sincere regret we record the passing of PP Patrick Cha in Vancouver on 19/11/95. PP Patrick who was 74 years of age was a Charter member of our Club. He was later elected President for the 1961 - 1962 Rotary year. We extend our sincere condolences to his family.

# Visiting Rotarians

IPP Joseph Silagy	RC Shreveport
PP John Sze	RC HKNE
Rtn Walter Zech	RC Peninsula
Rtn Cam Leung	RC HKN.
Rtn Dorothy Au	RC Admiralty
Rtn Denis Liu	RC Kowloon NE
Rtn Tom Bovet	RC Phom Phen
Rtn Carlos Wu	RC Admiralty
Rtn Martin Quaile	RC Admiralty
PP Peter Pun	RC Admiralty
Rtn Paul Chan	RC Kowloon
IPP Cadmus Cheong	RC Admiralty

#### Guests

Mr Charles Kung - Rtn Andrew Chen Mr Peter Au-yang - PP Hubert Chan Diary Notes

Monday 4th December

Wednesday 6th December

Saturday 9th December

Friday 5th January Sunday 7th January

Monday 8th January

Wednesday 7th February

Thursday 4 - Monday 8 April

(Ching Ming / Easter)

Saturday 20 April

Board Meeting 6:30 p.m. - Details to be advised

Club Annual Meeting

Excelsior Hotel

12:30 for 1 p.m.

Christmas Party at Race Course - Happy Valley

(together with RC HK Harbour) - owners box -

members stand

PDG Peter Hall Trophy - Golf

Family day - Maipo Nature Reserve

Board Meeting - HK Club - Fraser Room 2nd Floor

- 6:30 p.m. (dinner 8 p.m.)

Ladies Night - Races at Happy Valley

Sister Club visit to view our project with RC Makati

North

Annual Ball - Island Shangrila together with RC Hong

Kong Harbour

#### Rover's Report or Last Week's Meeting

• Pres 'JL' led us in one minute's silence in memory of Past President Patrick Cha.

• Then Fellowship Chairman Rtn Kenneth Wong, that hard working stalwart of the Club who organises our functions so well, introduced visiting Rotarians and guests.

We gave IPP Joseph Silagy, one of our Banners following which we welcomed back Rtn Geoff Simmons our permanent traveller, and Rtn Sital Motwani.

• Rtn Chris Howe reported collections for our community service fund totalled \$1,320. Many thanks as always to all who contributed.

• Then we went headlong into a club Forum (which is reported on page 1). Following the rousing and deserved "kick in the pants" received from Past District Governor Peter Hall, we adjourned the meeting in "peace love and harmony" with a toast to RI and RC Shreveport.



Visiting Rtns IPP Cadmus Cheong, Rtns Dorothy Au and Martin Quaile



PDG Peter Hall with IPP Joseph Silagy as Pres "JL" presents our Banner

# Have you submitted your nomination for 1996/1997 officers? Yes, this means you!!

Have you lost your form or put it in the waste paper basket thinking that George would take care of it?? If so - see Gary Chiu quickly - for another form (phone 2516 6666, Fax 2516 5555).



Our happy gathering of visitors with Pres "JL" and PDG Peter Hall

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MONDAY			THURSDAY				
Tsimshatsui	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	H.K. Harbour		Regal Hor	kg Kong Hotel	12:30 p.m. (E)
Victoria	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	H.K. North			d Harbour View Hotel, HK	12:30 p.m. (C)
Wanchai	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	H.K. South			stry Club, Hong Kone	12:30 p.m. (E)
Tsuen Wan	Omni Hong Kong hotel. Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)				lay Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.
Tole Harbour	New World Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m. (E/C)	Kingspark HK			enasiiance Hotel	12:30 p.m. (E)
New Territories	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	6:45 p.m. (C)	Hong Kong Bayview			empinski Hotel	12:30p.m.(M/C)
Tai Po	Royal Park Hotel, Shatin	7:00 p.m. (E)	Kowloon			Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)
Amagao (Macau)	Red Cross Hqs. Macau	9:30 p.m. (P)	Kowloon Northeast			lotel, Kowioon	12:30 p.m. (C)
	Last Monday Dinner Meeting	8:00 p.m.	Mid-Level			Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)
			Peninsula South			Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E/C)
Tuesday			Kowloon Northwest			ce Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m. (C)
Hong Kong Sunrise	Regent Hotel	8:00 a.m. (C)	Kwai Chang	-		den Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)
	Last Tuesday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.	Kwun Yong			g Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)
Hong Kong	Furama Kepinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	Queensway	,		Club, Hong Kong	6:30 p.m. (E)
H.K. City North	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)		,			8:00 p.m. (E)
H.K. Northwest	Ritz Carlton Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)			2nd 4th Th	ursday Lunch Meeting	1:00 p.m.
Kowloon East	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)	Peninsula Sunvise	N	Foreign Co	rrespondents Club	7:45 a.m. (E)
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The Peak	The China club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E/C)	H.K. Island West				12:30 p.m. (C)
Hou Kuong (Macau)	Grandeur Hotel, Macau	1:00 p.m. (C/P)	H.K. Northeast				12:30 p.mE(E)
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Wednesday			Guia (Macau)			d Emperor Hotel, Macau	_1:00 p.m. (M)
City Northwest H.K.	Grand Hyatt Hotel	12:30 p.m. (C)	Channel Islands			de Centre Club, Hong Kong	7:15 -t (C)
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Kowloon Golden Mile	Holiday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)					
Kowleen West	Peninsula Hotel	12:30 p.m. (C)	(C) Cantonese Speaking	(E) English	Speaking	(M) Mandarin Speaking	
Shatin	Ramada Renaissance Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)	(P) Portuguese Speaking	رادانها المارك	эрлекти	(ver) resentation obearing	
Macau Central	Oriental Hotel, Macau	7:30 p.m. (C/E)	(- )B				
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Our 42nd Year of Rotary Service

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#### THIS WEEK

Annual General Meeting, 1995-96

#### LAST WEEK'S SPEAKER

MAN OF STEEL!



Speaker Rtn Clement

Rtn. Clement Wang told us about what kept calling his 'vacation'. No, sorry, vocation. *Freudian slip*, eh! Clement?

Rotarian Clement began by promising to avoid getting technical, and managed to keep his word. He introduced himself by telling us about his wife and one-year old daughter. He confided that he wanted a couple more children - boy or girl, but this was under discussion with his wife (why - does she want something else?)

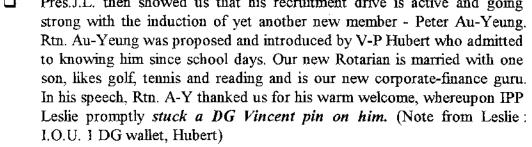
Rtn. Clement has a solid HK background at St. Joseph's College (like others in our club) and HKU where he majored in Economics and Management.

He loves trading and has chosen to deal in US\$8,000,000 boat-loads of steel (steel cargo in iron boat.... don't how they keep it a float!). Rtn Clement tells us that Hong Kong is important and active in steel trading because of its proximity to China.

The hotel has decided to clear away plates and cutlery during the speaker's address now, and some of us had to strain to hear how steel is processed from iron ore to pig iron and on to the rolling mills. We learnt that trader must know banking, LCs, insurance, shipping and chartering. He didn't mention that he needs nerves of steel as well!

Trust is all important, because of the large amounts involved, so are good relations with Chinese port and inspection authorities.

#### SPECTATOR The lunch began with a special offer. Rtn. Dick Lidster was on a diet, and there were three lunches going spare. No seriously, numbers were down so much, that we were three short of the hotel's minimum! This is widely recognised as worse than being two short of a six-pack. Pres. J.L. was woken sharply at 1:30 by Hon. Sec. Gary and get the meeting off to a ambling start 1:32. Perhaps he'd had a couple of those spare lunches but the late start kept our speaker down to his five minutes, that's for sure. Rtn. Kenneth gave an enthusiastic introduction to our visiters and guests. That man's doing half the work around here. No banners came in last week, but PP Ramesh did. Good to see his smiling face back from South India. Such a wonderful sun tan too! Now, we did and we didn't have a Birthday Boy. PP Jimmy wasn't there but it was his birthday and he had sent a properly-signed proxy form (a a brown one with \$500 written on it), so we sang the birthday song. Once Tung Feng goes from desktop-pulishing to CD-ROM, we'll be able to record action replays for "absent friends". We would like the pleasure of your company even more but thanks for the contribution to Club funds PP Jimmy. It's That Man Again! Rtn. Kenneth was back at the microphone with a CANE NO COS bold "Merry Christmas" to which, like idiots, we all merrily replied. It was a trick to get our attention and it worked. Our Ken's got terrific Christmas dinner all lined up on the 9th December at the Jockey Club in Happy Valley, so please book now before the entire grandstand is full. There are rumours that Rtn. Henry has arranged to have the horses out for a special race.... but who believes rumours, huh? Yes Sir! VIPDG Sergeant announces strong per capita Rtn. Kenneth reminded us too that there will be a visit to Mai Po marshes donations on January 7th, so if you're not skiing, put it in your diary now. See the mangrove swamps before someone converts them into a golf course or a housing estate. Acting Sergeant, the Man No-one Can Refuse, PDG Peter stepped up to record major takings from such a small number of attenders: \$2,370. Even one of our visitors, Rtn. Dick Sedgwick, had been unable to walk past our VIPDG without coughing up. (that was coughing-Ed). Pres.J.L. then showed us that his recruitment drive is active and going





Newly-inducted member Rtn. Au-Yeung

Rotary information was also from IPP Leslie and his information is given elsewhere.

Just squeezing in before the bell, was our speaker and Pres. J.L. thanked him after chopping him off at the knees with a one-minute warning.

☐ The closing toast was to the Rotary Club of Admiralty.

# GIFTS, LOVELY GIFTS

Some members have been so modest that they have not collected their district souvenir from Rtn. David Li. By the end of December, they will loose the opportunity to have one of these lovely sets. Let's hope they can make today's AGM!

So step up Rtn. Bala, Wing Eng, Tommy Ling, Kurt, Alex Shang, Geoff, Wilson Wang and PP James Wu.

	TOTAL STREET	TAILE	OFFICE	LAXITUE	HOME	IAMINE	CHINESE	WILE	OFFICE	FAXILINE	HOME
Au-Yang, Peter	加强長期	Catherine	2841-8392	2845-5654	2893-3366	Li, Francis K.C.	李健忠	Callterine	2527-6191	2865-1872	2564-6513
Balakrishnan, S.K.	:		2525-5231	2845-9284	1	Lidster, Dick		Judy	2868-3888	2791-6864	2791-6845
Challaram, Manolo	1	Chitra	2522-5710	2845-0471	2576-2730	Ling, Alex	林方	June	2548-3467	2517-8542	2548-3340
Chan, Henry	陳承楷	May	2966-8369	2966-7001	2561-8759	Ling, Thomas	林子剛	Eleanor	2815-3306	2541-1761	2849-6965
Chan, Hubert	映重義	Josephine	2863-9999	2865-6016	2526-1618	Liu, Stephen	廖凌康	Christina	2823-1823	2861-1283	2817-4371
Chan, Joseph	陳路年	Cecilia	2788-8145	2788-8480	2890-3615	Loy, Tony Tung Tak	雷同德	Lily	2834-3366	2836-6996	2891-1337
Chan, Kenny	班線昌	Mabel	2562-8038	2565-8832	2580-1338	Lui, Tim	雷栎良	Grace	2839-4365	2882-5087	2572-3280
Chang, David T.	强大惠	Jacinta	2833-0089	2892-1199	2553-3753	Luk, John	陸宏廣	Andy W.Y.	2828-5208	2511-4698	2570-2841
Chen, Andrew	程義	Belty	2526-4294	2810-6780	2573-3822	Luy, Henry King Hang	雷舅伍	Wendy	2869-7282	2869-7118	2886-1393
Cheng, Y.K.	鄭恩基	Irene	2576-4343	2895-0237	2893-8928	Macdonald, Murray	•	Jij1	2822-2670	2845-5771	2576-0132
Cheung, Desmond	福倉田	Donna W Y	2840-1088	2810-4923	2521-0988	Malitani, Ramesh		Mira	2523-1161	2810-4155	2574-0673
Cheung, Kam Tim	强錦添	Ho Fung Chim	;		2525-4837	Moosdeen, Baker	-	Mariam	2574-3280	2865-1930	2573-6388
Cheung, Lee Kwong	强理光	Sophia	2822-2641	2537-1062	2595-9564	Motwani, Sital		Lita	2522-2852	2810-5771	2574-6824
Chiu, Gary S.C.	趙善材	Carol	2516-6666	2516-5555	2711-1342	Narian, Kishu	. 1	Bharti	2849-6328	2849-6621	2849-6661
Conway, Con	が無	Carlye	2881-0838	2881-0338	2523-2313	Nie, Dragon	嚴質龍	Wan In-pin	2511-2151	2507-5151	2575-1657
Fielding, Rob		Gae	2766-5468	2774-5067	2688-5339	Pang, Kee Tok	彭紀德	Ong Weishi	2575-6575	2891-3834	2833-5601
Forte, Ron	 	Marilynn	2861-5138	2861-0457	2524-6581	Schneiders, Kurt	. 1	Rye Keun	2759-3281	2751-7162	2813-2584
Fu, C.Y.	伸了義	Тегеза	2782-3193	2780-6635	2491-7013	Shadikhan, Tajwar		Christina	2699-5823	2695-9683	2656-1189
Glose, T.K.		Raj	2788-7375	2788-7429	2546-9207	Shang, Alex	項階軒		2546-1641	:	2546-1641
Grubb, Roy	1		2857-1888	2857-1133	2857-1888	Simmons, Geoff	1	Jenny	2840-5525	2537-1709	2812-1576
Hall, Peter K.P.	質錦平		2523-2342	2521-2086	2523-2342	Soltay, Leslie	蘇堤	Molly	2766-7200	2363-1148	2606-2914
Hausmann, Rube D.		Sylvia	2893-5127	-	2893-5127	Tao, Edwin	陶學部	Margaret	2838-8013	2834-9500	2891-6491
Howe, Christopher J.	-	Lisa	2811-1310	2564-8274	2813-0547	Ting, Chris	丁景順	Mabel	2838-8013	2834-9500	2576-3987
Kok, Matthew	郭茂華	Elaine	2971-4208	2971-8257	2886-3467	Wang, Clement	王文志	Λту	2418-0268	2418-0785	2338-9869
Kwok, John G.O.	郭志安	Mac	2852-1817	2581-2639	2592-9287	Wang, Wilson	王鸒森	Sophia	2576-8937	2523-6559	2812-1714
Lai, Robert	調整湯	Wang Millay	2522-0263	2522-0733	2566-4636	Waring, David	1	Nancy	2844-0898	2845-9044	2987-9294
Lam, Sam	林秀葉	Elaine	2523-7081	2890-9751	2577-8728	Wei, David	魏中原	Ingher	2536-4469	2877-0739	2820-6855
Lam, W.S.	林秀誠	Cecilia	2501-0582	2501-0591	2522-0210	Wong, Kenneth	黄昱文	Sharon	2835-7139	2891-3081	2537-5271
Lamport, Flicker	1		2418-0268	2418-0785	2569-3233	Wong, Samuel	黄達琛	Jena	2520-0833	2866-2019	2575-1628
Lau, Jack	劉柱輝	Patricia	2821-5138	2821-5534	2570-1158	Wu, James	胡文瀚	Esther	2833-1900	2834-8534	2813-2008
Leung, George	架大佑	Cynthia	2838-6766	2838-6970	2568-8382	Yao, John	姚振宇	Irene	2869-8830	2869-8616	2524-1876
Li, David	李家暉	Amy	2827-7768	2827-5086	2881-8807	Yu, Gerald	余人佐	Maria	2559-5000	2857-5485	2608-0488
Total Members: 64					1						
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#### ROTARY INFORMATION FROM IPP LESLIE

#### Intercity Meeting in honour of RI President Herbert Brown and First Lady Diane

Our District is to be honoured by a visit from RI President Herb and First Lady Diane from the 11th to the 16th December 1995. President Herb will attend 2 functions:

- The Asian Extension Committee Meeting commencing on 12th December 1995 (Tuesday); and
- The Rotary Institute Hong Kong 1995 commencing on 14th December 1995 (Thursday).

Hong Kong is honoured to be the Host Country for the Rotary Institute 1995, (formerly known as Asia Zone 4 Institute). The purpose of the Rotary Institute is for the past and current District Governors to exchange their views with the RI President and Rotary leaders on the future policy of the Rotary movement. The Chairman of the Organising committee of the Institute is PDG Raymond Wong. During the Institute there will be an evening of host country hospitality on 15th December 1995. Host Country Committee Chairmen PDG Moses Cheng will be in charge, at the Jumbo Floating Restaurant in Aberdeen.

In line with Rotary Protocol, an Intercity Meeting involving Rotarians of District 3450 will be held in honour of RI President Herbert Brown and First Lady Diane's visit. Some Rotary dignitaries attending the Rotary Institute are also invited. The Intercity Meeting's schedule is as follows:

Date: 15th December 1995 (Friday)

Time: 6:00 p.m. for 7:30 p.m. (Photo Session at Island Restaurant,

4th Floor, Furama Hotel from 6:00 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.)

Registration will be first-come-first-served. Spouses are welcome and attendance by Rotarians will be counted as a make-up. The charge is HK\$500 per head.

All new Paul Harris Fellows and Benefactors since 1st July 1995 will be recognised by President Herb during the Intercity Meeting. Your full support is sought and we look forward to seeing all of you for this most important District event in honour of Rotary International President Herb and Diane.

PP Leslie has proposed that the Board of Directors consider a motion to support and underwrite or subsidize the dinner to show our support for RI President Herb, and Pres.JL has indicated that he will support such a motion.

#### VISITING ROTARIANS

Rtn. Dick Sedgwick, R.C. of Hong Kong IPP Cadmus Cheung, R.C. of Admiralty Rtn. Carlos Wu, R.C. of Admiralty

Rtn. Herbert Lau, R.C. of Tolo Harbour

Rtn. Hubert Ng, R.C. of HK Harbour

## **GUESTS OF ROTARIANS**

Peter Au-Yeung, guest for this last occasion, of V-P Hubert
(Peter is our new member Rtn.Au-Yeung)

Sherman Ng, guest of IPP Cadmus Cheung



What happened? did the other get away? Visitors line up for the find photo op

#### HELP OFFERED

PP Rob Fielding received a request for help from one of our members. It must be a member who doesn't attend so very often, because Rob can't quite bring to mind who it was, now that he's assembled an excellent list of books on child-rearing that was requested. Who was it? Let's speculate: it couldn't be PDG Uncle Peter, he's done an exquisite job already as anyone who has met his daughters will know; it might have been our speaker this week who admitted to having a one-year old daughter... perhaps suddenly realised what he's up against. Again, it could be that our incoming Pres. has been thinking about his problem of rearing a Roatry family next year, and a home-grown one at the same time. No can't be, he does everything so calmly and well.

Who was it then? Suggestions with sutiable phony justifications will be pulished in Tung Feng, but meanwhile, whoever should contact PP Rob. We won't tell - promise! (Ahem! - Ed)

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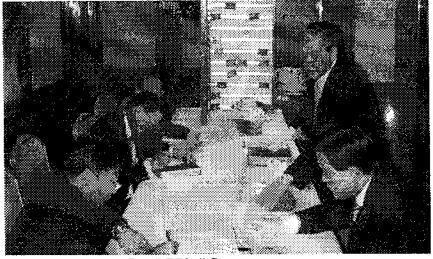
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Our " PP's " Scrutineering

# Election of Officers 1996 / 1997

Last week we held our Annual Meeting to elect officers for the forthcoming Rotary year beginning 1 July 1996 and how wonderful it was to see such a turn out of Past Presidents to support the occasion.

PP Edwin Tao	( President 1960 / 1961 )
PDG Peter Hall	( President 1964 / 1965 )
PP Baker Moosdeen	( President 1976 / 1977 )
PP Con Conway	( President 1982 / 1983 )
PP Andrew Chen	( President 1983 / 1984 )
PP T K Ghose	( President 1984 / 1985 )
PP John Kwok	( President 1985 / 1986 )
PP Jack Lau	( President 1987 / 1988 )
PP Dave Chang	( President 1988 / 1989 )
DGN Y K Cheng	( President 1990 / 1991 )
PP George Leung	( President 1991 / 1992 )
PP Tim Lui	( President 1992 / 1993 )
IPP Leslie Soltay	( President 1993 / 1994 )

As is our tradition, the "Senior" Past President (Edwin Tao) assumed the chair to conduct the election while Rtn Hubert Chan who had been elected last year to be our 1996 / 1997 President was able to sit back and enjoy the proceedings which followed.

For next year, the Past Presidents Council has endorsed the proposal by President "JL" that Club should each year elect not only a President Elect for the forthcoming year but a Vice President as well so that the duties of President can be shared more effectively. The By-Laws of RI allow for this and the Club speedily agreed that we should follow suit.

A great round of applause was given to Rtns David Li and Dick Lidster who were unanimously elected President Elect and Vice President for 1996 / 1997.

Another unanimously vote was returned for Secretary and Treasurer for 1996 / 1997. We warmly congratulated Rtn "Howe" (Chris Howe) and Rtn Henry Luy for their enthusiasm in accepting these two very important positions in the Club.

Then came the election of officers and we managed to throw the Past Presidents (who were acting as scrutineers) into a mild panic when it was realised they were one voting slip short. Pres "JL' quickly put them out of their misery by locating the missing slip - it was his! - and all was well.

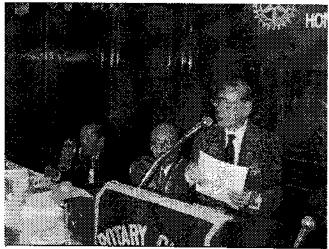
This occasion is perhaps appropriate to sincerely thank all those members who agreed to serve the Club as Directors next year. Unfortunately only six could be elected but the services of everyone will no doubt be called on as next year progresses.

While we were waiting for the results, PDG Peter reminded us we now have 14 days either side of our own regular meeting date in which to "make up". We also enjoyed the extra time which allowed for additional fellowship and even allowed a moment for one of PP Con's jokes - about 2 Irishmen as well recall - one apparently darker than the other! Then came the great moment when PP Edwin announced our newly elected team to lead us next year.

Here is our line up of officers for the 1996 / 1997 Rotary year:

President : Hubert chan
President Elect : David Li
Vice President : Dick Lidster
Secretary : Chis Howe
Treasurer : Henry Luy
Directors : Kenneth Wong

C Y Fu George Leung Joseph Chan Henry Chan Rob Fielding



PDG Peter Hall imparts his wisdom to us.

# Change in Meeting Venue Wednesday, 17th January

Please note the Board has agreed that on Wednesday, 17th January our meeting venue will be:

Hong Kong Sea School

Stanley

Time : 12:45 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

We have been supporting the Sea School for many years and this will be an occasion when we can see school in action.

#### Visit to Mai Po Nature Reserve

Sunday, 7 January

Remember copies of ID cards are required to be with Kenneth Wong by 20th December at the latest. The Club has reserved 60 places for the visit.

# Welcome back to Hong Kong Past President Warren Wilson (1991 / 92)

Warren and Jill are visiting Hong Kong this week and we welcome them today.

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Any changes, please inform Secretary Gary Chiu at once. Thanks.

# Last Week's Happening

- PP Dave Chang introduced visiting Rotarians and we exchanged a banner with Rtn David Ng from RC Pandan Valley in Singapore.
- Rtn Geoff Simmons has been on his travels again to Thailand this time. Welcome back Geoff.
- Sgt at Arms, Rtn "Howe" picked his time to take command of the microphone to let us know our collection for the day totalled \$2,250 and a special thanks goes to our new Rotarian Peter Au Yang who contributed \$500. Thanks also to all other members who contributed handsomely.
- Pres "JL" handed over the control of the meeting to PP Edwin Tao and the Past Presidents, under PP Edwin's baton, conducted the election of officers for 1996 / 97 following which Pres "JL" adjourned the meeting and this time we toasted RC Pandan Valley as well as RI.

# Visiting Rotarians

PDG Moses Cheng
RCHKNE
IPP Peter Scholz
RCKLN NTH
Respectively.

Rtn Dick Sedgwick RCHK

Rtn David Ng RC Pandan Valley Singapore

Rtn Derick Cheng RCHKNE

Rtn David Howard RC Corning New York

# Diary Notes

Wednesday 13th December Prserve Planet Earth - 5:00 p.m. - Shatin Centre Park
Friday 15th December Intercity meeting with incoming RI President Herb Brown.

Furama Hotel 6:00 p.m. Cost \$500 per head.

Friday 5th January PDG Peter Hall Trophy - Golf Sunday 7th January Family day - Maipo Nature Reserve

Monday 8th January Board Meeting - HK Club - Fraser Room 2nd Floor

- 6:30 p.m. ( Dinner 8 p.m. )

Wednesday 7th February Ladies Night - Races at Happy Valley

Thursday 4 - Monday 8 April Sister Club visit to view our project with RC Makati

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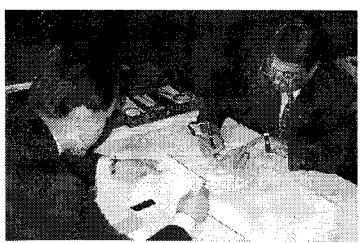
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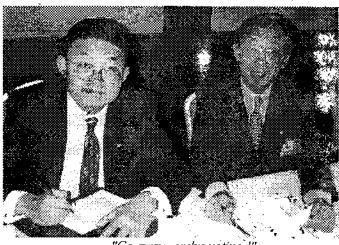
# Rotary Foundation

(Ching Ming / Easter)

Congratulations and thank you to Rtn Gary Chiu who has contributed US\$1,000 to the "Foundation" and who now becomes a "2-star Paul Harris Fellow". Also to Rtn Rube Housmann who has similarly contributed US\$1,000 to the "Foundation" to become a "Benefactor".



PP Tim advising PP Andrew on the intricacies of counting votes.



"Go away - we're voting !"

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# Last Weeks Programme

In the absence of the 'Formal' speaker we asked our good friend and Former member Rtn Tom to talk to us

about his new club the Rotary Club of Phnom Penh. Tom said his club has 45 members who meet on Wednesday evenings at the Cambodian Hotel. The evening meal costs a nominal US\$10.

The club has two major projects at present. One is the 'Gift of Sight' with the Singapore RC as partner and hundreds of cataract operation have been completed. The second is Polio Plus and this is also a major undertaking.

In addition Tom's club has built a kindergarten and a handicrafts teaching course has been arranged for hill tribe people as a community project. The cost of these is US\$20,000 and Tom will write to ask our club to assist by providing some Funds for these worth while causes.



Rtn Tom Bovet

The RC Phnom Penh's membership is made up of NGO (non-government organization ) personnel and businessmen.

Second speaker was PP Dan Doherty who told us Calgary was very 'Christmassy' right now with temperatures of minus 30 °C to minus 45 °C when you take the wind chill Factor into effect. He was very pleased to be in (relatively) sunny Hong Kong but missed the 80 members in his Club, the Rotary Club of Calgary. This splendid Club gives 70 percent of its Funds towards youth projects. They have given excellent Financial support to two eye hospitals in India. Dan reiterated PDG Peter's remarks on early bookings for the RI International Convention which will take place in June 1996 in his home town of Calgary. He hopes to see lots of RCHKIE members there.



PP Dan Doherty

# Happenings Last Week

- Rtn David (Wei ) was Fellowship member last week and David introduced our visiting Rotarians whilst guests were introduced by their Rotarian hosts.
- A special welcome was accorded to our Former member and PP, and good friend, Warren Wilson.
- Pres John paid a special fine for not introducing PP Warren at the appropriate time.
- · Exchange of Banners saw just one in/out, we swapped with PP Dan Doherty of RC Calgary, Canada.
- Welcome back greetings were given to PP Sam and to Rtn David (Wei) who had respectively been in London and China / Taiwan.
- Birthday greetings were sung to PE Hubert, Sec Gary and Rtn LK.
- Announcements came From Rtn Ken who said the Christmas Party had 73 Rotarians attending with 15 from our club. Ken gave a special thank you to Father Christmas Rtn Kishu. Ken also reminded members of the Mai Po visit next month, Please sign up ASAP.
- Rtn CY talked about the Wednesday 17 January 1996 club weekly lucheon meeting which he reiterated
  would be held at the Hong Kong Sea School at Stanley. We must have a turnout of one third of our
  members in order to make sure we have a quorum. Car paking spaces are available. PP Andrew has
  cancelled our weekly luncheon meeting at The Excelsior on this day.

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- PE Hubert told us about the Peter KP Hall Trophy Golf Championship (The Island East Open) which will be held at Royal HK Golf Club on Friday 12 January 1996. Booking are now open.
- Hubert also said we were hoping to visit our Sister Club RC Makati North and more details on this will come later. He reminded us that on this day (13 Dec) we were celebrating Preserve Planet earth Day.
- PDG Peter gave us Rotary Information and asked us to Register now for the Calgary 96 International Convention of RI. We must book early to avoid disappointment. He then read from his Little Red Book giving us the chapter (Section 3 Quorum Article IV Meetings) Confirming CY's remarks on turn out at the Sea School for our regular meeting on 17th January.
- The meeting ended with a toast to RI coupled with a toast to RC Adelaide Australia.

# Visiting Rotarians

Rtn Tom Bovet

PP Dan Doherty

Rtn Richard Sedgwick

PP Warren Wilson

PE David Tsoi

Rtn Paul Chan

Rtn Michael Chan

## **Visitors**

Mr Robert Fong

Mr Tsatsumi

Mr Kurimini

Mr Kumamoto

Happy birthday to Sec Gary, Rtn LK and PE Hubertour Choir Master was PP Sam

#### <u>Clubs</u>

Phnem Penh Cambodia Calgary, Canada Hong Kong Adelaide, Australia HK North East Kowloon North East HK North East

# **Hosts**

PP Dan Doherty

PE Hubert

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Last meetings visitors and visiting Rotarians

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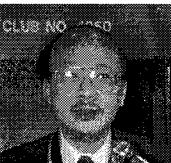
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# TUNG FENG

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President John Luk

#### LAST WEEK

Pres "JL" was our speaker for the day and he spoke to us on Investment Strategy for any Professional.

John said there were three main classifications, Budding Professionals, Mature Professionals and Over the Hill Professionals. There were also some super stars and some not so super stars!

He showed us some interesting graphs to illustrate the Risk / Return Concept (Efficient Frontier Concept ) and the movement in investments worldwide over many years.

"On average" said John, "Equities around the world have outperformed Bonds" and he illustrated this with a graph of a study undertaken in USA and Australia.

"JL" then showed the performance of the Hang Seng Index from 1985 to 1994 and compared this with Indices from Australia, USA, UK and Japan over the same period. The average increases recorded over the 10 year period were:

Hong Kong +26% per annum

Australia +17% per annum

USA +15% per annum

UK +18% per annum

+22% per annum

"It must be remembered" said John "that Hong Kong has been a developing market over this period" whereas the other countries were considered "developed" markets. Japan's volume of business has dramatically dropped in the past 2 years and their high average is due to exceptionally high levels recorded during a relative short period which peaked in 1990.

In terms of investment instruments John prepared a graph which from low risk to high risk read as follows: Government Bonds; Bank Interest; Corporate Bonds; Preference Shares; Mutual Funds; Individual "Blue" Stocks; Commodities; Gold; Foreign Exchange; Real Estate; Stock Index; Derivatives.

In thanking "JL" for his impromptu presentation, Rtn Geoff Simmons reminded all to make sure we were well were informed before investing.

## THE WAY IT WAS LAST WEEK

- 33 members attended and President Elect Hubert Chan called the meeting to order having been delegated this task by Pres "JL" who, once again, was preparing to be our "speaker of the day".
- Rtn Clement Wong introduced our visiting Rotarians and guests.
- Rtn Henry Luy and Rtn Geoff Simmons have been travelling and we welcomed them back.
- Birthday boys were PP Jack Lau and Rtn Chris Howe. Pres "JL" led the birthday song and we forever live in hope that one day we will all find ourselves singing in tune but not last Wednesday!!
- Sgt at Arms "Howe" looked resplendent in his 1994 birthday tie and next year he planned to wear his 1995 birthday belt as well! He reported a collection for the day of \$2,800.

Very special thanks to PP Andrew Chen who donated \$2,000 in celebration of his two daughters' marriages on 23 and 30 December. Many thanks to PP Jack Lau and Rtn Chris Howe for their generous contributions and thanks are also due to all other members who contributed.

- IPP Leslie Soltay reminded us of "The 4 Way Test".
- Rtn Flicker's mobile phone proved itself to be in good working order!
- We exchanged two banners and in adjourning the meeting later in the programme, we toasted RC Roodeport, Central together with RI.



The Birthday Boys



Great dessert!



Our sincere congratulations to PP Andrew Chen and Betty on the weddings of their two lovely daughters, Viola (on 23 December) and Vanessa (on 30 December).

# <u>HO! HO! HO!</u>

Rtn "Santa Claus" Kishu Narain would be most grateful if any member who took photographs at the Club Christmas Party could let him have some prints of himself "in action". Sadly; Kishu forgot to take his own camera with him.

PDG Peter, DGN PP Y K and IPP Leslie attended the Preserve Plant Earth Ceremonies last Wednesday evening in Shatin, a moving experience that should have been supported by more of our members.

IPP Leslie attended the Hong Kong Ploytechnic University 1995 Buosay Reception on Tuesday, 19 December where he met the two young students, recipients of the Bunny Ling and William bursaries, administered by the Rotary Club of HK Island East. Members of the Vocational Committee should attend in the future.

# VISITING ROTARIANS

Rtn Veda Takanobu Rtn Jane Oconnor Rtn Tom Bovet Rtn Lal Hardasaric Rtn Dick Sedgwick

Rın Hurbert Lau

RC Tokyo
RC Roodeport Central
RC Phom Phen
RC Peninsular
RC Hong Kong
Rc Tolo Harbour



Visiting Rotarian Jane Oconnor



PE Hubert with Rtn Veda Takanobu

#### **GUESTS**

Mr Ng Wai Cheung guest of PP George Leung.

# **DIARY NOTES**

Friday 5th January

Sunday 7th January

Monday 8th January

Wednesday 7th February

Thursday 4 - Monday 8 April (Ching Ming / Easter)

Saturday 20 April

PDG Peter Hall Trophy - Golf

Family day - Maipo Nature Reserve

Board Meeting - HK Club - Fraser Room 2nd Floor

- 6:30 p.m. ( Dinner 8 p.m. )

Ladies Night - Races at Happy Valley

Sister Club visit to view our project with RC Makati

North.

Annual Ball - Island Shangrila together with RC

Hong Kong Harbour

# THE 4 - WAY TEST BY IPP LESLIE SOLTAY

"The 4 - Way Test". This simple four question test, was developed by Herbert J. Taylor, RI President in 1954-55. It can be readily applied not only to Vocational Service but to all Avenues of Service and virtually every area of life as follows:

Of the things we thinks, say or do

- 1. Is it the TRUTH?
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

A Rotary club should be guided by its Vocational Service Committee and subcommittees to increase employment opportunities in the community, promote a fair workplace environment, and raise vocational

A part of the theme of this year is "Act with Integrity. Our RI President Herbert Brown said in his message to all Rotarians that integrity was living what we profess to believe, and being true to our word. There was a worldwide challenge that threatened the integrity of the family nowadays. It was a multifaceted monster that included drug abuse, child abuse, juvenile crime, illiteracy, teenage pregnancy, and broken homes. We therefore must strengthen the family. In our families, we must act with integrity to preserve the values that we treasured.







"JL" and PE Hubert with visitors

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#### ROTARY CLUBS IN DISTRICT 3450 -- MEETING DAYS

Monday			Thursday		
Tsimshatsui	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)	H.K. Harbour	Regal Hong Kong Hotel	12:30 p.m. (E)
Victoria	Furama Kempinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)	H. K. North	New World Harbour View Hotel, HK	12:30 p.m. (C)
Wanchai	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	H. K. South	H. K. Country Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
Tsuen Wan	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)		3rd Thursday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.
Tolo Harbour	New World Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m. (E/C)	Kingspark HK	Ramada Renasiiance Hotel	12:30 p.m. (E)
New Territories	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	6:45 p.m. (C)	Hong Kong Bayview	Furama Kempinski Hotel	12:30 p.m. (M/C)
Tai Po	Royal Park Hotel, Shatin	7:00 p.m. (E)	Kowloon	Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)
Amagao ( Macau )	Red Cross Hqs, Macau	9:30 p.m. (P)	Kowloon Northeast	Miramar Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)
	Last Monday Dinner Meeting	8:00 p.m.	Mid - Level	Que Que, Hong kong	12:30 p.m. (C)
			Peninsula South	Peninsula Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E/C)
Tuesday			Kowloon Northwest	Onmi Prince Hotel, Kowloon	6:30 p.m. (C)
Hong Kong Sunrise	Regent Hotel	8:00 a.m. (C)	Kwai Chung	Royal Garden Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)
	Last Tuesday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.	Kwun Tong	Omni Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	6:00 p.m. (C)
Hong Kong	Furama Kepinski Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	Queensway	American Club, Hong Kong	6:30 p.m. (E)
H. K. City North	Grand Hyatt Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)		1st, 3rd, 5th Thursday Dinner Meeting	8:00 p.m. (E)
H. K. Northwest	Ritz Carlton Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)		2nd, 4th, Thursday Lunch Meeting	1:00 p.m.
Kowloon East	Sheraton Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)	Peninsula Sunrise	Foreign Correspondents Club	7:45 a.m. (E)
Peninsula	Ommi Hong Kong Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)			
Quarry Bay	Regal Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)	Friday	<i>f</i>	
	1st Tuesday Dinner Meeting	7:30 p.m.	Admiralty	Furama Kempinski Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
The Peak	The China Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E/C)	H. K. Island West	Ritz Carlton Hotel, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (C)
Hou Kuong (Macau)	Grandeur Hotel, Macau	1:00 p.m. (C/P)	H. K. Northeast	World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong	12:30 p.m. (E)
			Kowloon North	Höliday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)
Wednesday			Guia ( Macau )	New World Emperor Hotel, Macau	1:00 p.m. (M)
City Northwest H. K.	Grand Hyatt Hotel	12:30 p.m. (C)	Channel Islands	World Trade Centre Club, Hong Kong	7:15 p.m. (C)
H. K. Island East	Excelsior Hotel, Causeway Bay	12:30 p.m. (E)			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
Kowloon Golden Mile	Holiday Inn Golden Mile, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (E)			Y-
Kowloon West	Peninsula Hotel	12:30 p.m. (C)	(C) Cantonese Speakin	g (E) English speaking (M) Mandarin S	
Shatin	Ramada Renaissance Hotel, Kowloon	12:30 p.m. (C)	(P) Portuguese Speaki		_
Macau Central	Oriental Hotel, Macau	7:30 p.m. (C/E)	, , <u></u>	` .	

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