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### LAST WEEK'S PROCEEDINGS - OCT 25TH, 2017

This was a very important meeting, as we welcomed DG HW Fung to our club for his official visit. Members in attendance were PP George, PP Hubert, PP Rudy, PP Andy, PP Laurence, PP Norman, PP Eddy, PP William, P Stacy, HS Gilbert, SAA John Poon, and we welcomed back IPDG Eric, and Rtns Leo and Jason, as well as special guest AG WT Wong. The meeting officially started at 1.05pm, as P Stacy rang the bell. We had a birthday boy who was Rtn John Poon. John invited Jason to lead his birthday song, after which P Stacy read out the announcements. It wa then time for the main event, as DG HW took to the podium, having already met with P Stacy and our board members beforehand, during which he went over the goals and the citation this year. During his talk to our members, DG then overviewed the 3456 of Rotary Areas of Focus - the 4 way test, Avenues of Service, the causes we support, including: Promote peace, Fight disease, Provide clean water, sanitation, and hygiene, Save mothers and children, Support education, and Grow local economies. He also spoke about the End Polio campaign and shared with us the story of the 4-way Test. Of the highlights from this important and informative session, it was agreed upon that the Red box donation received in the October 25th 2017 luncheon will be given to Polio Plus fund. In total the red box donation was 4,000HKD, and IPDG Eric generously pledged to donate \$1000USD to the End Polio Fund. Total approximately 11,800HKD. With the pledge from Bill Gates this 11,800HKD, magnifies to 35,400HKD (4,538USD) to the PolioPlus efforts, which means approximately 7,564 children will receive the Polio vaccination. P Stacy would like to say "Thank you everyone! This is the power of Rotary! Serving humanity and making a difference!" P Stacy officially closed the meeting at 2.15pm, asking everyone to rise, give a toast to Rotary Club of Metropolitan HK, Rotary Club of HK Harbour, RI and RC HKIE. Meeting adjourned.









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THE ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

香港東區扶輸社週報 Club 16340 District 3450 Chartered on 06 April, 1954 by Charter President PDG (Uncle) John Yuen

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### **Club Announcements**

- 1. Golf Fellowship: Do you want to learn golf? A few members would like to get together and learn golf so that in the future they can participate in the HKIE Golf tournaments. Please register through PIC Kevin Leung.
- 2. Ultra Marathon: So far we have 2 runners committed to 10KM, which means we have 30 KM more of the relay to go! Would any of you like to run 2, 4, 8, 10, 12 KM at the Ultra Marathon? If so, please register with PIC Gilbert
- 3. Club AGM November 22rd 2017
- 4. Fellowship Dinner November 24<sup>th</sup> 2017 Mark Your Calendar, details will be given later.
- 5. Taiwan Sister Club Visit December 15th December 17th Mark Your Calendars

#### **TODAY'S SPEAKER - PP John Luk**

PP John Luk needs no introduction, he is a Fine Rotarian and has been so for many years, he joining Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East in 1980!

PP John got his 4th Doctorate from Jiaangxi University of Finance and Economics (江西財經大學), he is going to share with us his Doctoral Thesis "The Bubble of China's Property Market and Financial Risk Research" (我國房地產泡沫與金融風險研究)

**NEXT WEEK:** P. Julian from RC Shouson Hill, Director of Development, West Kowloon Cultural District Authority. West Kowloon, What's Really Going On?

## THE LAST LAUGH - Real estate

Have you heard the one about the young estate agent who asked his boss for a pay rise? "There are at least three companies chasing me," he said. "If I don't get an increase I shall leave."

His boss, surprised given the dismal state of the property market, asked him to name the companies. The young agent replied: "My bank, my mortgage lender, and my phone provider."



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