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### LAST WEEK'S PROCEEDINGS - May 02, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 1:02p.m. The luncheon meeting was a unique one as we requested something different from Regal Hotel - a Yum Cha Style lunch. At first we were a bit nervous because there was only around 6 attendees, however by the end of the lunch there was a total of 14 of us and we all squeezed in quite snuggly in the Chinese style round table!

Those attending were: PP Tajwar, PP Andy, PP Eddy, PP Rudy, Rtn. Tony, Rtn. Bernard and guest Matthew Hum, Rtn. John Poon, Rtn. Stephen Leung & Rotarianne Evelyn, Rotarianne Vivian (Rtn. Charles' wife), PE Gilbert and P Stacy.



The food was great, baskets of dim sum and entrees. From the time 1:00 - 1:25p.m. we had casual conversation and spoke to our guests about Rotary. Our very

knowledgable PP Eddy gave such an articulate introduction about the Rotary Foundation. Bravo to him. The Rotary Foundation is one of the pillars of Rotary - most of Rotary District Grants/Global Grants, Rotary Scholarships, Rotary Peace Fellows are sponsored by the Rotary Foundation. Rotarians around the world may choose to donate to the Rotary Foundation and in doing so help the numerous projects around the world. Furthermore, Rotarians who do donate earn recognition - the Paul Harris Fellowship is awarded to those who donate to the Rotary Foundation - the starting Paul Harris Fellow recognition is at 1,000USD. Thank you again PP Eddy for a wonderful sharing.

P. Stacy introduced the speaker.

#### Speaker Notes

The speaker in fact turned out to be a "Si Hing" of both PP Hubert and PP Andy in Wing Chun! What a small world! Dr. William Wong had such a variety of topics to share with us (from his experience) however he chose to share his perspective on Narrative Parenting. What is Narrative Parenting? It is communicating with children not only through story...but also through dialogue. It is a parenting style that encourages interaction through dialogue and discussion and asking questions. Children very often may wish to express themselves without a purpose, i.e. expressing part of their day/ experience without expecting to be corrected/receive comments by their parents. Dr. William Wong suggests allowing

Children to share their stories/idea/points of views. Instead of immediately offering solutions or correcting children, parents could ask leading questions to coach their children along the way.

Dr William share many personal stories of how he used Narrative Parenting in raising his 2 children (boy and girl, both University students now)

Rtn. Stephen Leung thanked the speaker in our usual Rotarian fashion.



### LAST WEEK'S REDBOX COLLECTION \$800

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. DTA - District Training Assembly will be held on May 12th 2018 - Please contact PE Gilbert for details.

2. Visit to the Rotary Club of Southsea Taipei - May 19 - 21st (PP Andy Could you please put in the flight details and package here) So far we have 4 Rotarians going: PP William (PIC), PE Gilbert, Rtn. Kevin and Rtn. Walter. Members who would like to join please contact PIC PP William Wong.

3. District Conference: Save the Date: June 2-3rd 2018 - In Regal Hotel Airport.

# Out & About - Happy Lunch

On May 7th 2018 - we had a wonderful troop of our HKIE members show up to bring sunshine and happiness to 4 Choi Jun students. Members attending were: PIC John Poon, PP Rudy, PP Nancy, P Stacy, PE Gilbert, Rtn. Charles and our very deeply missed former PP Heman (now CP Heman of RC the HUB HK). The lunch was held at Charlie Brown Cafe in TST. The children loved it. The children loved the decorations and even went to the extent of dabbing dry their Charlie Brown paper coasters so the students could take them home. The Choi Jun students made us such sweet Pink Heart handicrafts saying "Happy Mother's and Father's Day". It was a very warm occasion! One of the students so boldly ordered an "All Day Breakfast" and his eyes popped when that huge platter landed in front of him! He probably never ate such a big dish before! We all played games with the 4 students, 2 teachers (Ms. Chan and Mr. Hui) We also went around the restaurant and took photos! Photos with Charlie Brown and Snoopy Statues. The kids had a great time. Thank you again for PIC John for organizing, and thus concludes this year's round of Happy Lunches!



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