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Last Meeting:

Ellen Mok & Irene Law: What Your Fingerprints Could Tell You About You!

Ellen Mok started off with this beautiful narrative. Before discovering finger profiling, she had a career as a piano teacher. As a piano teacher, Ellen is extremely skilled in perceiving the different personalities of her students and then adapting her teaching styles. During her time as a teacher, she often would observe the different personalities of her students and of the parents of her students. She concluded that different personalities require differ-



ent communication styles for effective learning and harmonious relationship. Hence she jumped down the rabbit hole to discover different personalities through fingerprint analysis.

Ellen created a unique system to reference the different personality types using animals. Seven animals: Lion, Cat, Monkey, Ox, Peacock, Dog, Cat. Both she and Irene went over the different personalities. Our members engaged in the conversation and were asked to raise their hands to identify which Animal personality each aligned to. Most of us thought we were either Lions or Dogs.

Lions: Strong. Leadership. Loyalty. Fierce. Never give up and never give in and will work until the job is done. (Sounds like all of us right?)

Dogs: Loyal. Strong Bonds. Team Player. Family Man. (also sounds like all of us right?)

PP Tim and Rtn. Leo both volunteered (eagerly) to have their fingerprints read. And one lucky member PP Andy was able to be the 3rd and last volunteer! PP Tim is undoubtably a Lion. Leo's dominant animal is a Dog, and he has aspects of a peacock and lion. And PP Andy is a combination of Peacock and Dog.

Overall, all us members enjoyed this informative, insightful sharing by Ellen and Irene. John Poon officially thanked the speaker in our usual HKIE Rotarian manner. John mentioned that as a parent he is interested to learn about his sons' personalities and how that information would help him communicate with them better and understand them better.

THE ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

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

Out & About 1. Rookie Star Street Dance Education and Contest 2019 Report by PDG Eric

On February 24th 2019, there was so much vibrance and high energy at the PolyU Hung Hom Bay Campus, Hong Kong Community College from the hours 11:30 a.m. to 9:30p.m. We held our signature Rookie Star Street Dance Education and Contest service project. This is a service project that was originated in my year as President 9 years ago, and now it has been elevated to a District 3450 project. We mobilised at least 60 Rotaractors (District Rotaractors and Rotaractors from RAC HKIE Com Base, RAC HKCC, and RAC Kung Lee College) to experience event and floor management from February 23-24 2019.

The opening ceremony included VIP guests:

District Governor YC Ho, Rotary District 3450 Deputy Director Mr. Ho Ching, The Liaison Office of the Central People's Government in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Mr. Jeffrey Lam, Executive and Legislative Council

Ms. Wang Siu Ning, Deputy Head of Kowloon Sub-Office, The Liaison Office of the Central People's Government in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

Celebrity Jimmy Au 歐瑞偉先生

Professor Peter Yuen,

廣州市人大常委会华侨外事工委主任蔡国强,李 岱珂 北京舞蹈学院附中歌舞学科主任 and Organising Chair PDG Eric Chin



Our project provided five schools with 20 hours of dance training. These schools had students from various backgrounds: SNES, Ethnic Minority, Under privilege. Through this dance education subsidy, over 100 youth (including a District Rotaract Dance Team) were provided with dance training. Over 100 teams competed in the different dance contest categories: Primary School, Secondary School, Open, International, and 2 x 2 Battle.

On the event day, it is estimated that over 700 youth from 9 different regions and countries (Bejing, Guangzhou, Mongolia, Macau, Hong Kong, Japan, South Korea, Singapore, and The Philippines). Our Dance Judges came from: Japan, Beijing (Beijing Dance Academy) and Hong Kong)

Regarding public image exposure:

1. Sony live streamed the contest 4 pm to 9:30 pm to over 100,000 group fans.

2. Over 5 media including Apple Daily, HK01 and like magazines interviewed and reported the event in various media channels. The online news center of Liaison Office Of Central Government in HKSAR reported the event in their web site on 25-2-2019.

This Rookie Start Service project is a community service project to shine and highlight Rotary's support to our New Generation. Supporting them for individual expression, supporting them to follow their dreams, and supporting them by providing them a stage on which to express themselves.



2. Our Diligent New Generation Advisers

Three cheers and three hip hip hoorays to our devoted Rotaractor Advisers: PDG Eric and PP William. PP William diligently attended RAC HKCC Board Meeting on February 28th 2019. And PDG Eric debriefed 20 HKCC Rotaractors on March 2nd. Our HKCC Rotaractors arranged to visit 18 Elderly in Shatin from 9:30-12:30 noon. It was a day of service as well as personal growth and learning - via the mentoring of PDG Eric. Thank you to our advisers.



3. Baby Fung's Big Celebration!

On February 23rd 2019, President Gilbert's little bundle of joy celebrated her 120th Day of Life with a big splash! Bouncy Castles! Games! Balloons! And over 18 of our HKIE Rotarians attending this wonderful lunch celebration.



Rotary Information

Area of Focus: New Generation:

Rotary is not only Rotary Clubs. The broader concept is **the family of Rotary**, which includes wives/ husbands, widowers/widows, children, grandchildren, relatives of Rotarians, and members of youth Clubs and programs, associations of Rotarians' wives/husbands, as well as Global Contact Groups, consisting of individual Rotarians and others from different countries, united by common interests in the professional field, hobbies or as part of a service activity.

New Generations Service became Rotary's fifth Avenue of Service in 2010. Under the definition.

New Generations Service recognizes the positive change implemented by youth and young adults through leadership development activities, involvement in community and international service projects, and exchange programs that enrich and foster world peace and cultural understanding.

New Generations refers to the youngest generation in the family of Rotary. Many are participants in Rotary's youth and young adult programs: Interact, Rotaract, Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA), and Rotary Youth Exchange. Others are service minded young people involved in Rotary club and district activities.

There are several activities provided by Rotary to new generation representatives.



Interact is a club for young people ages 12-18 who want to join together to tackle the issues in their community that they care most about. Clubs benefit from sponsorship by individual Rotary clubs, which provide support and guidance. Interact has a membership of over 250,000 youth in more than 11,000 clubs worldwide. It's one of Rotary's fastest growing programs. Interact clubs are self-governing and self-supporting and can be either school or

community based. Interact's name is a combination of the words international and action. With clubs in over 120 countries and geographical areas, Interact is truly an international phenomenon. Interact's global youth network is dedicated to community and international service. Every Interact club project, great or small, has a lasting impact on society worldwide.



Rotaract is a club for adults ages 18-30 that meets twice a month to exchange ideas, plan activities and projects, and socialize. While Rotary clubs serve as sponsors, Rotaract clubs decide how to organize and run their club and what projects and activities to carry out. Its membership totals over 184,000 in more than 8,000 clubs worldwide. Rotaract clubs are self-governing and self-supporting and can be either university- or community-based. Individual

Rotary clubs sponsor Rotaract clubs and offer guidance and support, making the Rotaract clubs true "partners in service" and key members of the family of Rotary.



The Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) program seeks to provide young adults, ages 14-30, with an opportunity to develop their skills and character while exposing them to Rotary's values of service, high ethical standards, and peace. RYLAs can be conducted at the club, district, or multidistrict level and usually run from 3 to 10 days.

While they can take many different shapes, most RYLAs follow a seminar or leadership camp format. Through RYLA, Rotary can help develop the qualities of leadership, citizenship, and personal development among young people in communities.

The Rotary Youth Exchange program provides thousands of young students with the opportunity to meet people from other countries and to experience new cultures, planting the seeds for a lifetime of international understanding. The program offers numerous benefits to its young participants and their Rotarian hosts and mentors, as well as to the community at large. Through Youth Exchange, students learn firsthand about all aspects of life in another country. As their concept of the world expands, they mature and develop a deeper understanding of themselves. Immersion in another country's educational system enhances their academic and personal growth. Host clubs and families and the entire community are enriched by extended, friendly contact with someone from a different culture.

The Observer:

- Meeting started at 1:04pm.
- President Gilbert welcomed all members back. This week we had 4 Guests: 2 Visiting Rotarians: President Joseph Yim from the Rotary Club of New Territories, and his Hon. Secretary Francis Chan.
 IPP Stacy's guests: Tracy Yee and Irene Law (Former Executive Secretary of RC Peninsula Sunrise)
- President Gilbert delivered club announcements.
- President Gilbert highlighted our Rookie Star project that was going to be held on February 24th 2019.

Project highlights from PDG Eric:

This 9th Year event attracted over 700 youths, 600 local youths and 50 international youths from 8 countries (including RAC from the Philippines) Our project provided 20 hours of dance training to 6 HK schools. These schools include: SNES students, Underprivileged students, Ethnic Minorities and also schools within our Rotary Family (Interactors & Rotaractors) We engaged over 50 Rotaractors RAC HKIE,HKCC, Kung Lee and District RAC to be helpers in this event. The experience they gained is priceless, they learnt about hospitality and event floor management as well as leadership training.We expect over 800 audience members. This truly is a Youth Service Project. The budget of \$500,000 fundraising has been fulfilled. There was no need for District to subsidise.

- IPP Stacy shared about our club's history we had a fellowship on a Yacht before! And also about the Meaning of Community Service.
- Birthday Celebration!: Our Birthday Girl IPP Stacy celebrated her birthday with all members present. She requested for 3 song leaders: PP Andrew, PP George and PP Tim!
- President Gilbert welcomed the speaker.
- Red Box: 1,300HKD
- Meeting Adjourned at 14:02



Announcements

1.65th Anniversary RSVP: PP Eddy has sent out a request to all members to indicate their attendance and reserve their seats at our 65th Anniversary. Details:

Date: April 6th 2019 Time: 6:00PM Reception 7:30PM Dinner Venue: Regal Hotel Hong Kong

2. District 3450 59th Conference: May 18-19th 2019

This year's District Conference will be held in Macau! Full Programme (Governor's Banquet + Foundation Lunch) @ 2,280HKD Members please enrol via P Gilbert or HS Stacy

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

March 2nd PP David and PP Andy March 10th Rtn Jason March 18th Rtn Angus



Club postal address : P.O.Box 47064, Morrison Hill Post Office, Hong Kong	
Meeting Venue	: Regal HK Hotel, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong
Meeting Schedules	: Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 12:30 pm
Website	: http://hkie.rotary3450.org/
Facebook	: https://www.facebook.com/RotaryClubHKIslandEast