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Last Meeting's Speaker: From Rotaractor to Rotarian to Entrepreneur in Africa - Hazel Ip's Sharing.

Hazel prepared a very heartfelt presentation filled with photos and stories of her journey from Rotaractor to Rotarian.

Rtn. Hazel was the President of the RAC HKCC in the Rotary Year of 2013-2014 - the same year our PP Jonathan Lamport was President of HKIE.

Rtn. Hazel was instrumental in linking us with our Sister Club the RC of Southsea Taipei. What started as HKIE Rotarians accompanying Rotaractors from HKCC to an international service trip in Taipei...developed into a friendship club and eventually a sister club relationship with the RC of Southsea Taipei.

Our HKIE Rotarians also fondly remember Rtn. Hazel as that humble diligent Rotaractor who (with her fellow Rotaractors) performed at an HKIE fellowship gathering as a fundraiser for their RAC activities.

The relationships Rtn. Hazel formed with her HKIE advisors are heartwarming. Even after Rtn. Hazel graduated from HKCC, then attended University, and also ventured into the workplace - she had her thoughtful 'uncles' calling her asking her how she was and also she called them to ask for advice.

Recently, Rtn. Hazel started her own company in Africa! Our HKIE Rotarians were very supportive and also very much in awe of her determination. We are also inspired that as CEO of her company, she always thinks about service above self. There was one time in which her firm was unable to distribute/sell PPE garments due to some regulatory matter, right away she coordinated for the PPE to be donated to hospitals. Rtn. Hazel has the heart of gold.

In her presentation, she shared with us a photo of a screenshot that she took. It was a message from PP Rudy, "You are welcome, Hazel - one day, you would do the same to the young people."

As Rtn. Hazel read PP Rudy's message aloud, she was choked with tears. Her heart was so full of gratitude towards the warmth and support from HKIE. We hope that Rtn. Hazel's sharing is an inspiration to all of us that our efforts to uplift the youth - our leaders of tomorrow- are not in vain. Thank you Rtn. Hazel

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

Last Meeting:

Meeting called to order at 1:00 PM

President Bernard started the meeting with announcements.

Our PP Chris Kyme visited our HKIE luncheon. It was great seeing him. We presented him with his Memoir (he was President in the Year 2016-2017) and...he was President of the Year 2016-2017. PP Chris also recited a poem he wrote called, "Shipwrecked".

IPDG Eric was also present during our meeting, he presented awards and certificates of recognition to DGE Norman, AG Sunny and Past DAG Gilbert. AG Sunny had a meeting with the Board of Directors before the luncheon meeting. Thank you AG Sunny!



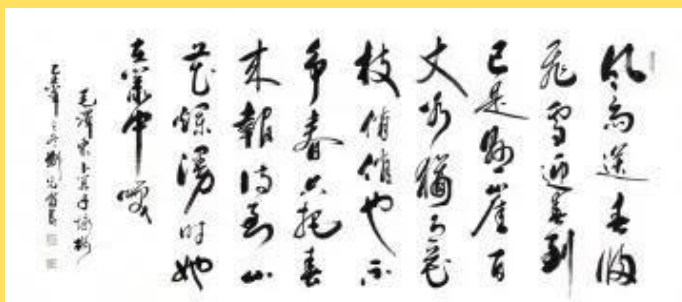
It was a very happy meeting because we sang happy birthday to our very splendid PP Nancy, PP Hubert was the song leader.

PP Wiliam gave a heartwarming introduction of Rtn. Hazel. His introduction demonstrated how much care and encouragement PP William has for our Rotaractors.

PP Jonathan thanked Rtn. Hazel by sharing with us his reflection on Hazel. PP Jonathan said that although Hazel humbly stands here to express that she is a student of HKIE Rotarians, that actually - Rtn. Hazel has a lot to teach us Rotarians too. We all thanked Rtn. Hazel in our usual Rotarian manner.

We invited a special person to also say a few words about Hazel - her HKCC Advisor Samson. Samson has been our Rotaract Advisor for the past seven years. And Hazel's Rotaract Year was the first year that he was the advisor. He feels so proud to see Hazel's growth and commends and encourages HKIE to keep on this strong mentorship relationship with HKCC Students.

PP Hubert recited this poem:



The Red Box of this meeting was dedicated to the Haiti Disaster Support initiative led by Rotary.

Red box: HK\$3,950
Meeting adjourned at 2:00 P.M.

**Community Projects: We are People of Action - People with Heart.
Reported by PP Stacy, Community Service Director/Bulletin Editor**

On September 4th 2021, Our HKIE Rotarians went to distributed Mid-Autumn Festival care packages to the beneficiaries of the Live Play Love Charity in Shek Yam and Kwai Chung. Rotarians who attended were: P Bernard, PP Gilbert, IPP Leo + Sally, HS Rico, Rtn. Chris + Marie, Rtn. Bonnie, Rtn. Andrew, Rtn. Vagman, and 6 Rotaractors of HKCC. The event was a whole day event, split into two sessions - one morning and one afternoon session.



Movie Day with the Little Life Warrior Society coming up - September 25th 2021
The Little Life Warrior Society (LLWS) is a childhood cancer mutual-support organisation aiming to improve the services for and welfare of children cancer patients, children patients having undergone bone marrow transplant and suffering from severe blood diseases.

Last year we supported them through providing DATA sim cards for 100 children cancer patients. This year HKIE is continuing to serve the Little Life Warrior Society (LLWS) through various service activities.

Our first activity is a Movie Day! We are sponsoring a movie day for 30 families. Together we will watch the Marvel Super Hero movie: Shang-Chi on September 25th 11:30am.

During this service we will be preparing small care/snack packages, engaging in fellowship with the families and also enjoying the movie together. We have 24 seats allotted to HKIE. So members please come along with your family and friends.



Happy Birthday to our Splendid September Boys and Gals

September 7th: Rtn. Stephen Leung

September 15th: PP William

September 9th: PP Stephen Liu

September 19th: PP Andrew

September 11th: PP Nancy & Chair Chris

September 24th: DGE Norman



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Meeting Venue : Regal HK Hotel, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong

Meeting Schedules : Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 12:30 pm

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