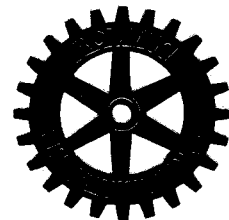


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## What Happened Last Week

President Stephen opened the meeting and gave a special welcome back to PP Ramesh. PP Ramesh said that he had been all over but did not specify what. Rtn Rudy then introduced his guests:

PP Pedro Ching, RC Hong Kong Island West

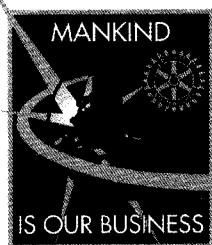
Pedro Yap, RC Darwin North

Paul Chan, RC Kowloon

Rudy welcomed the speaker David Lloyd who would be formally introduced later. Rudy also took the opportunity to announce the SAA collection whilst he was at the rostrum. The red box collection came to HK\$ 1,500. Rtn Francis was then invited to the front for his birthday song, he chose Rtn Bill to lead the chorus. President Stephen then made some announcements:

- 1 The board has accepted Rob Fieldings resignation from the board and as bulletin editor. PP Desmond has kindly accepted the Editor role for the Tung Feng.
- 2 The AGM will be held on the 12th December 2001.
- 3 Explained the proposal for the VP nominating committee.
- 4 Gave notice for the joint fellowship to held with City North West.
- 5 Reminder for the RYLA nomination Feb 2002.
- 6 Our Club Christmas lunch will be planned for 19th December 2001, complementary wine will be given by the hotel.

Rtn Ates made an announcement about our activities in the Phillipines, regarding our Sister club and a matching Grant project. PP John Kwok reminded members about the PDG Peter Hall Trophy, the tournament for which is scheduled for the 9th Nov at Fanling. (for more details contact John) Rtn Kishu then introduced our guest speaker chosen especially for the lead up to the Peter Hall Tournament, David Lloyd local Hong Kong golf guru. David started straight away with some audience participation (Long and hard with little directional control or Short with more directional control). The talk was about the trade off between direction and distance and how to achieve the best by



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hinging and rotating the swing. IPP Taj asked how a 3 wood should be hit? The answer is to put your balls in the right place relative to the down swing.

The speaker was then thanked in the usual ROTARY WAY AND THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED.

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## *Potpourri*

"As our speaker to-day touched on Golfing technique, it is appropriate to reproduce the Golf Quotation copied from a plaque of Poppy Ridge Golf Course in California, U.S.A. as follows"

1. The Course craves admiration;
2. The Green requires love;
3. The ball marks demand repair;
4. The divots urge replacement;
5. The bunker relish the rake;
6. Your opponents deserve respect;
7. The score is your truth;
8. The ball expects abuse."

### **Subject: Golf Laws**

- LAW 1: No matter how bad your last shot was, the worst is yet to come.
- LAW 2: Your best round of golf will be followed almost immediately by your worst round ever.  
The probability of the latter increase with the number of people you tell about the former.
- LAW 3: It is a known fact that the more expensive the golf ball, the greater its attraction to water.
- LAW 4: Golf balls never bounce off of tree back into play. If one does, the tree is breaking a law of the universe and should be cut down.
- LAW 5: No matter what causes a golfer to miff a shot, all his playing partners must solemnly chant "You looked up," or invoke the wrath of the universe.
- LAW6: The higher a golfer's handicap, the more qualified he deems himself as an instructor.
- LAW7: Even par-three hole in the world has a secret desire to humiliate golfers. The shorter the hole, the greater its desire.
- LAW8: Topping a 3-iron is the most painful torture known to man.
- LAW9: Palm trees eat golf balls.
- LAW10: Sand is alive. If it isn't, how do you explain the way it works against you?
- LAW11: Golf carts always run out of juice at the farthest point from the clubhouse.

- LAW12: A golfer hitting into your group will always be bigger than anyone in your group. Likewise, a group you accidentally hit into will consist of a football player, a professional wrestler, a convicted murderer and an IRS agent - or some similar combination.
- LAW13: All 3-woods are demon-possessed.
- LAW14: Golf balls from the same "sleeve" tend to follow one another, particularly out of bounds or into the water.
- LAW15: A severe slice is a thing of awesome power and beauty.
- LAW16: "Nice lag" can usually be translated to "lousy putt. Similarly, "tough break" can usually be translated "way to miss an easy one, sucker."
- LAW17: The person you would most hate to lose to will always be the one who beats you.
- LAW18: The last three holes of a round will automatically adjust your score to what it really should be.
- LAW19: Golf should be given up at least twice per month.
- LAW20: All vows taken on a golf course shall be valid only until the sunset.

### Joke: Monkey Business

A police officer came upon a terrible wreck where the driver and passenger had been killed. As he looked upon the wreckage a little monkey came out of the brush and hopped around the crashed car. The officer looked down at the monkey and said "I wish you could talk." The monkey looked up at the officer and shook his head up and down. "You can understand what I'm saying?" asked the officer. Again, the monkey shook his head up and down.

"Well, did you see this?"

"Yes," motioned the monkey.

"What happened?"

The monkey pretended to have a can in his hand and turned it up by his mouth.

"They were drinking?" asked the officer.

"Yes."

"What else?"

The monkey pinched his fingers together and held them to his mouth.

"They were smoking marijuana?"

"Yes."

"What else?"

The monkey motioned "Screwing."

"They were screwing, too?" asked the astounded officer.

"Yes."

"Now wait, you're saying your owners were drinking, smoking and screwing before they wrecked."

"Yes."

"What were you doing during all this?"

"Driving" motioned the monkey.

## LAUGH FOR THE WEEK

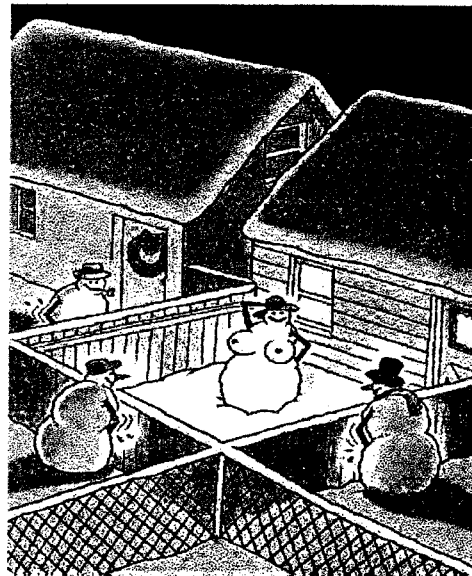
Miss Bee was in her eighties and much admired for her sweetness and kindness to all. The pastor came to call on her one afternoon early in spring, and she welcomed him into her Victorian parlor. She invited him to have a seat while she prepared a little tea. As he sat facing her old pump organ, the young minister noticed a cut glass bowl sitting on top of it, filled with water. In the water floated, of all things, a condom. Imagine his shock and surprise. Imagine his curiosity!! Surely Miss Bee had flipped...or something! But he certainly couldn't mention the strange sight in her parlor. When she returned with tea and cookies, they began to chat. The pastor tried to stifle his curiosity about the bowl of water and its strange floater, but soon it got the better of him, and he could resist no longer. "Miss Bee," he said, "I wonder if you could tell me about this." (Pointing to the bowl) "Oh, yes," she replied, "Isn't it wonderful? I was walking downtown last fall, and I found this little package. It said to put it on the organ and keep it wet, and it would prevent disease. And, you know, I think it's working! I haven't had a cold all winter."

priest continued blessing one of the horses, and it always came in first. George began to pull in some serious money, and by the last race, he knew his wildest dreams were going to come true. He made a quick stop at the ATM and withdrew every penny he owned, and awaited the priest's blessing that would tell him which horse to place the bet on. True to his pattern, the priest stepped out onto the track before the last race and blessed the forehead, eyes, ears and hooves of one of the horses. George placed his bet -- every cent he owned -- and watched the horse come in dead last. George was dumbfounded. He made his way to the track, and when he found the priest, he demanded, "What happened, Father? All day you blessed horses and they won. The last race, you bless a horse and he loses. Now I've lost my life savings, thanks to you!!" The priest nodded wisely and said, "That's the problem with You Protestants...you can't tell the difference between a simple blessing and The Last Rites!"

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**Subject: George and the Priest**

George loves the race track. One day he was there betting on the ponies and nearly losing his shirt when he noticed this priest who stepped out onto the track and blessed the forehead of one of the horses lining up for the 4th race. Low and behold, this horse -- a very long shot -- won the race. George was most interested to see what the priest did the next race. Sure enough, he watched the priest step out onto the track as the 5th race horses lined up, and placed his blessing on the forehead of one of the horses. George made a beeline for the window and placed a small bet on the horse. Again, even though another long shot, the horse the priest had blessed won the race. George collected his winnings and anxiously waited to see which horse the priest bestowed his blessing on for the 6th race. The priest showed, blessed a horse, George bet on it, and won! George was elated. As the day went on, the



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**ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST MEETS EVERY WEDNESDAY, 12:30 p.m. AT  
EXCELSIOR HOTEL, CAUSEWAY BAY**





PDG Uncle Peter, Mr David Lloyd and Pres. Stephen graced the head table.



Mr David Lloyd speaks on golfer improvement.



Stephen congratulated Birthday Boy – Rtn Francis, with Rtn Bill as song leader.



Keen golfers listened patiently to Speaker David Lloyd.



Group photo for October 10, 2001.





Rtn Tony, Rtn Tommy, and Rtn Petro Yap (visiting from Darwin North, Australia).



Rtn Paul Chan (Kowloon) enjoys The company of PP John.



Our Rtn Paul Chan, Rtn Malcolm and Rtn Ates.



Hon. Secretary Eddy, PP Pedro Ching (Island West) and PP Ramesh graced the Head table.



Birthday Boy Francis, VP Henry, and PP Hubert.



**Attendance for the Rotary Year 2000/2001**

Alex Ling	100%	Peter Hall	100%
David Li	100%	John Kwok	100%
Kishu Narain	100%		
Rob Fielding	100%		
Tajwar Shadikhan	100%		
Rudy Lau	100%	11 members	
Ates Yucel	96%		
Stephen Liu	92%		
Tony Loy	90%		

Overall Attendance for last half year = 57.86%

Whole year Average Attendance 1091/1747 = 62.45%

Members whose attendance less than 40%

John Luk	38%	
Sam Wong	33%	
Lewis Fung	27%	
Thomas Ling	19%	6 Members
Andrew Shek	15%	
Paul Chan	10%	

The Remaining members attendance records are as follows:

Laurence Chan	89%	
Eddy Wong	88%	
Chris Howe	71%	
Hubert Chan	67%	
Malcolm Phillips	63%	
Jason Chiu	60%	6 members 60% or above
Clark Lu	59%	
Henry Chan	56%	
Desmond Cheung	54%	
Y.K. Cheng	50%	
Andrew Chen	48%	
John Yao	46%	
Kenny Chan	46%	
C.Y. Fu	46%	
Andrew Hirst	46%	
Danny Kilis	44%	
Francis Li	44%	
Tim Lui	42%	
Leung George	40%	14 members below 60%
William Lamport	40%	

The Excused members:

Dave Chang	William Lam
Emperor Cheung	Remesh Mahtani
Con Conway	Baker Moosdeen
Edwin Tao	
James Wu	
Sam Lam	

Total 9 Members

-----total membership of 46-----

Summary of attendance:

11 + 6 / 46 = 36.95% Above 60%  
 14 + 6 / 46 = 43.48% below 60%  
 9 / 46 = 19.56% Excused

NOTE: 6 / 46 = 13% below 40%

Should there be any discrepancies, please notify the Attendance Chairman immediately as IPP Tajwar Shadikhan will present a souvenir for the 100 percenters according to the above calculation

John Kwok, PP  
 Attendance Chairman