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香港東區扶輪社週報 THE ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

Last week's Proceedings -

1st December, 2010

1st December, 2010 Pres. Heman started the meeting at 1.10 PM to welcome everyone to our Rotary meeting.

He gave special welcome to our speakers today, Nancy Tsang JP and Kyoko Leung from Heep Hong Society, then he welcomed our visiting Rotarians Laurence Ho from the Rotary Club of Bangkok South and PP Angela Hui from Rotary Club of Peninsula South. Pres. Heman also asked PP Laurence to introduce his another half and guest Jennie. Pres. Heman also welcomed back PP Tim Lui and Rtn John Yao. Today was the 49th wedding anniversary of PP John Kwok, Pres. Heman presented a celebration card to congratulate him.

Pres. Heman then made his announcements.

1. Date of PP George Golf day will now be changed to 18th Dec Saturday as there are members feedback they would like to join the gathering at Zhong Shan Hot Spring Golf Club in particular the side trip to the Dr. Sun Yat-sen former residence. PP George again extended his invitation to all golfers and non-golfers to attend and he will treat all participants to a sumptuous dinner.
2. We so far have received one interested party to enroll to RYLA, and urged more members' children and student leaders to apply. The deadline for the application is 23rd December 2010(Thursday). It is a four-day camp with the theme of 'Build the Future, Bridge the Cultures', the camp will be held on 10th - 13th February 2011 at Breakthrough Youth Village.
3. Rotary and JCI HK Joint Dinner will be held on 15 Dec at Regal HK Hotel.
4. Our annual calendar sponsored by Wing On will be ready for collection next week, thanks to PP John Kwok, please do come and collect it.
5. Club Assembly will be hosted by PE Eric on 15th December.
6. Our Christmas Party will be hosted by PN Nancy on 22nd December, and Pres. Heman extended his invitation to all members to bring along their spouse and children to celebrate this family gathering of the club.

Rtn William Leung made report on SAA, the total collection was HK\$1,800.

Then Pre. Heman asked President Nominee Nancy to introduce our guest speakers Ms Nancy Tsang and Ms Kyoko Leung. Their topic is "The Heep Hong Society & Nancy".

Ms Nancy Tsang is the Director of the "Heep Hong Society" which is a subsidized social welfare organization providing comprehensive services to children with special needs and their parents. "Heep Hong" is currently one of the largest service providers in Hong Kong and serving over 6,000 families each year. For nearly half a century, "Heep Hong Society" has been providing professional training and education to children of different abilities and their families, with the mission of helping these children develop their potential and lead a fulfilling life.

Ms Nancy Tsang graduated from the South Western Medical College in Dallas, U.S. and has been working in the "Heep Hong Society" for over 20 years. She is active in the rehabilitation as well as the education sector and serves on several committees and working groups of the Social Welfare Department, Education Bureau and Hospital Authority. Recently she has been appointed by the HKSAR Government as a member of the Steering Committee of the Community Care Fund.

Nancy gave an introduction and information of Heep Hong Society:

History

Established in 1963 by a group of five Chinese women who were concerned with the welfare of children recovering from poliomyelitis.

Mission

Help children of different abilities reach full potential in a happy and healthy environment, thereby contributing to a more inclusive society.

Service target

Children with different kinds of disabilities:

- Autistic Spectrum Disorder
- Global Developmental Delay
- Specific Learning Difficulties
- Attention-deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
- Others (sensory impairment, multiple handicap)

Supporting 6,000+ families and their children with special needs

12 Early Education & Training Centre.

14 Special Child Care Centre.

1 Nursery School.

5 Parent Resources Centre.

2 Centres for Supportive Learning Project.

Long waiting list

- 5,000 subvented pre-school places.
- Heep Hong provides over 50% of places.
- Over 4,000 children on waiting list.
- Average waiting period: 1.5 - 2 years.

Wan Tsui Centre

- A Special Child Care Centre in Chai Wan.
- 60 children: moderately and severely disabled children aged 2 to 6.
- Provides professional intensive care and training 5 days a week.
- About 50% of the graduates go to mainstream schools every year.

Centre Expansion

- A new extension of 6 units with 3 units not subsidized by government.
- Beneficiaries: 84 centre children and about 300 children on waiting list in Hong Kong East and Kowloon East region.

Facilities in new extension and required funding.

- Adventure Land & Sensory Integrating Room - Sponsor secured
- Training Activity, Speech Therapy Rooms plus therapeutic equipment, Cross Motor Room plus play equipment and Sensory Motor Combo - HK\$800,000.00 funding required.

Rtn Dr. Tony Loy gave a big thanks to Ms Nancy and Ms Kyoko. He said Heep Hong Society started from Marjong

Table which was similar to the Rotary club started from Lunch table, we should support more to the community same as they do.

Next week's program will be announced later. Pres. Heman then closed the meeting by proposing a toast to RI coupled with Rotary clubs of Bangkok South, Peninsula South and Hong Kong Island East. All member and Guests are invited to take a group photo.

Rotary Potpourri

RI Zone Institute

The recent RI Zone Institute was successfully held on 19-21 November 2010 in Bangkok, Thailand. Delegates from district 3450 were around thirty. Total participants from all the Zones amounted to well over one thousand, which developed friendship and understanding among all of them within these few days. It was like a small convention started with the parade of national flags of each country.

The next Zone Institute comprising of Zone 6, 7 A and 10 B was decided to be held in Bali, Indonesia. Further details will be announced later.

Electronic Make-up Questions

You can submit an electronic makeup for this missed meeting by answering the following questions:

Name: _____

Email: _____

1. Who were our speakers and where they come from ?
Ans)
2. Who were our visiting Rotarians today and from which Rotary Clubs ?
Ans)
3. Who did we welcome back today ?
Ans)
4. Who did we celebrate the wedding anniversary today ?
Ans)
5. What is the revised date for the PP George golf day being held this year ?
Ans)
6. When and where the Rotary and JCI HK Joint Dinner be held this year ?
Ans)
7. When will our Club Assembly be held in December and be chaired by whom ?
Ans)
8. This year's Xmas Party of our Club will be held when and hosted by whom ?
Ans)

Joke

Subject: What do u think I am?

Wife says to husband:

W: Come help with the garden.

Husband: What do u think I am? a gardener?

W: Come fix the toilet faucet.

H: What do u think I am? a plumber?

W: Come fix the door handle.

H: What do u think I am? a carpenter?

The husband went out....but when he came back, he saw that everything is fixed...the garden...toilet faucet...& the door handle. He asked his wife who had done it?

The wife said it's the neighbour's son, but he gave me 2 options... Either to make him a hamburger or have sex with him...

Husband: I'm sure, u gave him a hamburger!!

Wife: What do u think I am?? Mc Donalds??!!!

Photographs of our meeting

on

1st December, 2010

01 December, 2010 Luncheon Meeting Photos



PDG Uncle Peter Hall, Guest Speaker - Ms Nancy Tsang, JP & Pres. Heman Lam



PE Dr. Eric Chin, visiting Rotarian - Laurence Ho from RC of Bangkok South & Guest Speaker - Kyoko Leung



IPP Norman Lee, Rotarianne Jennie Ma & PP Laurence Chan



PP Uncle John Kwok & PP Tim Lui



Rtn. Dr. Freddie Wu & Dr. Tony Loy



Dir. Nancy Yee & visiting Rotarian - PP Angela Hui from RC of Peninsula South



Dir Anthony Kwong, Rtn. William Leung & PP Andy Wong



Rtn. William Wong & PP George Leung



Rtn. John Yao & Hon. Tres. PP Rudy Law



PP George Leung said the golf tournament will be re-scheduled to 18 Dec at ZhongShan Golf Club



Pres. Heman Lam presented a gift to celebrate PP John's 49th years wedding anniversary



Dir Nancy Yee introduced the guest speaker of the week



Ms Nancy Tsang JP - Director of Heep Hong Society gave us a introductory talk about their organization



Ms Kyoko Leung - Centre-in-charge of Heep Hong Society explained the work towards the children



Pres. Heman Lam presented a club souvenir to thank both guest speakers



Group photo of members, visiting Rotarians & guests

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