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Our 46th Year of Rotary Service Chartered: 6th April, 1954 by Founding President, the late PDG (Uncle) John Yuen



# What Happened Last Week

President Desmond started the meeting earlier than usual to make sure there would be enough time the election. He extended a warm welcome to PP David Bailey who was President of our Club in 1972/73. Mr Bailey left Hong Kong in 1975 and this was the first time he came back for a visit to our Club since his departure. Mr Bailey shared with us some of his good old memories in our Club, which were echoed by Uncle Peter and PP Edwin.

Rtn John Yao officially welcomed the guests, whom included:

PP Peter Tse of Rotary Club of Tsim Sha Tsui East Mr Peter Kong, guest of Rtn. Bill

Rtn. Rudy reported about the X'mas party held at the Hong Kong University of Science & Technology on 12 December for 175 students and parents of the Hong Kong School for the Deaf and the Victoria School for the Deaf. Rtn. Kishu played the Santa Clause and President Desmond was also there to help handing out presents.

President Desmond showed us a X'mas card received from the students of the Victoria School for the Deaf, which was made by them and was beautifully done.

The Acting Sergeant Rtn. Malcolm reported that there were 28 members present and the amount collected was \$1870.

IPP CY made an announcement about the District Ball for Past Presidents and urged PPs to support this event. There would be prizes for the highest turnout in number as well as in percentage.

VP Stephen told us that four Rotarians from our Sister Club Osaka Jonna were in town for a shopping trip and he would organize a dinner for them, any one interested to join should contact VP Stephen. He then went on making an appeal for support to the Rotary Foundation and urged members to make an effort in bringing new members to our Club.

PP Edwin told over the floor and conducted the election of officers for 2000-2001 Board. He was assisted by PP David Li (at no fees of course!), PP Tim, PP Sam, PP John and PP Hubert.

The results of the election were:

President Elect

Rtn Stephen Lui

Vice President

Rtn. Robert Lai

Secretary

Rtn. Ates Yucel

Hon Treasurer

Rtn. Jason Chiu

**Directors** 

Rtn. Andrew Shek

Rtn. Lewis Fung Rtn. Rudy Law

Rtn. Malcolm Philips Rtn. Christopher Howe

PP Rob Fielding

PP John Kowk thanked the Election Committee and congratulated those elected.

PE Taj was so pleased with the results of the election and said that with this dream team the new Board should be able to serve members to their expectation. He asked members to let him know what their expectations were!

President Desmond concluded the meeting with a toast to RI coupled with Tsim Sha Tsui East.



# Rotary Information

### President-nominee, six directors-nominee declared

RI President Carlo Ravizza has declared Richard D. King to be the sole official nominee for president of Rotary International for 2001-02. No other nominations were forthcoming by the December 1 deadline.

King is a member of the Rotary Club of Niles (Fremont), California, USA. He was selected for the top RI position by the Nominating Committee for President of RI in September and will be elected at the June 2000 Convention in Buenos Aires, Argentina. King will succeed Frank Devlyn of Mexico on July 1, 2001.

At the Buenos Aires convention, new RI directors will be elected from nine of the 34 zones of the Rotary world. They will take office on July 1, 2001, and serve two-year terms. Six candidates selected by zone nominating committees have not been opposed and are assured of election.

In accordance with RI bylaws, Ravizza has declared the six candidates who face no opposition to be the official directors-nominee from their respective zones. They are Toshio Itabshi, Rotary Club of Ashikaga East, Tochigi, Japan (Zone 1); Dong Kurn Lee, Rotary Club of Seoul Hangang, Seou, Korea (Zone 9); Peter Kron, Rotary Club of Salzburg, Austria (Zone 14); Floyd P. Olson, Rotary Club of Gig Harbor, Washington, USA (Zone 23); Gerald A. Meigs, Rotary Club of St. Paul, Minnesota, USA (Zone 27); and James R. Shamblin, Rotary Club South Shreveport, Louisiana, USA (Zone 29).

A challenger has been proposed to the candidate chosen by the nominating committee in Zone 19 and Zone 6 was unable to select a candidate from among nine Rotarians suggested. In each of these two zones, a ballot by mail will determine the director-nominee. The results will not be known until early March 2000. Zone 18 will be selecting a director-nominee in a separate process and the declaration will be made in April 2000.

## New Zealand club answers plea for help in Turkey

Rotarians in New Zealand have responded to a call for help, issued via the Internet by their counterparts in Istanbul, Turkey, where efforts to aid the survivors of the August 17 earthquake are ongoing. The Rotary Club of Bulls, New Zealand, collected clothing, blankets, and toys and shipped the material to the Rotary Club of Istanbul-Gayrettepe in late November.

The Istanbul club has set up a tent camp that houses 600 people left homeless by the earthquake. Members of the Bulls club were alerted to the camp and its need for assistance by checking the Turkish clubs Web site (www.gayretteperotary.org/).

Lyndon Tamblyn, international director of the Bulls club, coordinated the project. The club procured a large shipping container and made an appeal to the community and other clubs in District 9940 for donations.

Tamblyn also visited Istanbul for four days during a business trip to Europe to survey the relief activities. He met with Rotarians and visited the Rotary camp, which is one of about 200 in the area, and was told that many of those in tent camps would have to live there through the winter until April. Survivors had plenty of food, the children seemed happy, and there was no evidence of disease.

"Everyone is performing well despite the difficulties," Tamblyn said. "I felt really humble to be part of the international aid agencies doing their utmost to help people."



### We missed you on 15th December 1999!!!

Team 1 Luk, John; Yucel, Ates

Team 2 Li Francis; Team 3 Pang, K.T.

Team 4 Chen, Andrew.; Ghose, T.K.; Kilis, Danny; Leung, George

Team 5 Ling, Thomas; Luy, Henry; Shek, Andrew

Team 6 Chan, Joseph; Chan, Pual

14 members missing

Please makeup!!!

### LAZIGO FOR TOE WEEK:

Here's a poem for the computer geeks to learn:

#### Life before the Computer

An application was for employment A program was a TV show A cursor used profanity A keyboard was a piano!

Memory was something that you lost with age A CD was a bank account And if you had a  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inch floppy You hoped nobody found out!

Compress you felt on the MTR
Not something you did to a file
And if you unzipped anything in public
You'd be in jail for awhile!

Log on was adding wood to a fire Hard drive was a long trip on the road A mouse pad was where a mouse lived And a backup happened to your commode!

Cut - you did with a pocket knife Paste you did with glue A web was a spider's home And a virus was the flu!

I guess I'll stick to my pad and paper
And the memory in my head
I hear nobody's been killed in a computer crash
But when it happens they wish they were dead!



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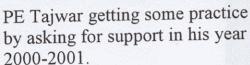
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Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East meet each Wednesday at 12:30 p.m. in Excelsior Hotel.

Club 4350 - District 3450 of Rotary International





TUNG FENG
香港東區扶輸社週報 HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

PP David Bailey (1972/1973) paid us a visit to our club. He gave us some news concerning himself & also gave us a couple of good jokes to entertain us during our counting of the our club election.



Uncle Peter was very glad to see PP David again because he left Hong Kong in 1975.







PP Rob keeping PP Peter Tse of TSTE entertained.



Congratulations to our new board and officers for 2000-2001. From left to right, Dir. Rudy Law, Lewis Fung, Hon. Tres. Jason Chiu, VP Robert Lai, PE(2001-2002)Stephen Liu, PE Tajwar Shadikhan. Dir. Rob Fielding, Malcolm Phillips, & Christopher Howe. Missing, Sec. M. Ates Yucel.



Pres. Desmond was so happy that the new board was lined up again with PDG Peter & PP David Bailey.





PDG Peter Hall addressing the audience during the 2<sup>nd</sup> Plenary Session at the Taipei Rotary Institute, Grand Hotel, Taipei



Delegates from Hong Kong attending the 1999 Taipei Rotary Institute at the Grand Hotel, Taipei, 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> December, 1999