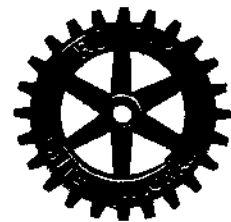




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What Happened Last Week

Pres. Stephen opened the first meeting of 2002 by wishing everyone a prosperous and peaceful 2002. He then invited Rtn Rudy to formally welcome the visiting Rotarians and guests. These were: Patricia Maxwell from Foster City, California, USA, Lee Chen Seng from Tawau, Sabah, Malaysia. Visiting Rtn Patricia was invited to introduce her guest, Bob her husband. The exchange of banners followed and these were circulated to the members. Pres. Stephen observed that many members were still on holiday but that we did have two "welcome backs" PP George who had been to Shanghai with his family and Rtn Danny from a very cold Minnesota.

The birthday boy today is PP Hubert who requested PP JL(Pavaroti) to lead the chorus. Pres Stephen asked PP CY to tell the members about his new shop. PP CY said that this was his 5th shop to be opened and is in Sha Tin. All Rotarians wished him well with his business. The next announcement concerned the HKIE website which has now been restored by PP John, all members are encouraged to view it especially for the Latest Tung Feng. Other announcements were: The district sports day to be held on 13th Jan. 2002 at Wan Chai sports ground, lunch and entrance are free. Our Clubs annual function is planned to be around the 1st week in April, most likely the 3rd or 4th. Pres Stephen has had a good response from our sister clubs of Makati North, Osaka Jonan and Kawasaki South. SAA Lawrence was then invited to report, he was pleased to collect \$1,100.

Pres. Stephen then introduced our speaker, Rtn Heron performing his vocational talk on IT. Heron told us that he was born in Hong Kong, has been married for 11 years, has a 15 month old baby. His early schooling was in Hong Kong with later education in Canada where amongst



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PDG (Uncle) John Yuen

A Rotarian since 1967, he has served RI as district governor, International Assembly instructor, committee member and chairman, director and trustee of the Rotary Foundation. He currently chairs the African Regional PolioPlus Committee and the African Affairs Committee. He and his wife, Ade, are major donors to the Rotary Foundation.

The Nominating Committees are: Sudarshan Agarwal, India; Lennart Arfwidsson, Sweden; Guido Arzua, Brazil; Jacques M. Berthet, France; John T. Blount, U.S.A.; Irving J. "Sonny" Brown, U.S.A.; William B.P. Cadwallader, Jr. U.S.A.; Hee Byung Chae, Korea; Gustavo Gross C., Peru; Edgar C. Hatcher, Jr., U.S.A.; Tario Kano, Japan; John Kenny, Scotland; Ryuichi Kotani, Japan; Carl S. Rosenbaum, U.S.A.; Paul L. Santens, Belgium; Sabino S. Santos, Philippines; and Howard D. Vann, U.S.A.

SPEAKER PROGRAMME

- Jan 09 Their hearts have not grown old, a genetic view of ageing
by Dr. Stephen Lam, Head of Clinical Genetic Service, Department of Health
(Past President, RC of Hong Kong Northwest)
- Jan 16 Outlook for HK & China Markets in 2002
by Mr. Herbert Lau, Celestial Securities Ltd.
- Jan 23 Employees Retraining
by Mr. S. S. Kwong, Employees Retraining Board

other things he studied economics. He has also worked for big companies such as IBM and Xerox. Heron then went on to tell us about:

- **COMPUTER STUFF:** hardware, operating systems, tools, applications, networking and services.
- **SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT:** stress testing, load testing, debugging, data management and transfer.
- **ENTERPRISE RESOURCE PLANNING**
- **SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT**
- **CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT** improving relationships with customers, understanding customer behaviour, cross selling, analysis, IT enabling and organization cultural change.
- **FUTURE TRENDS:** internet, Bto B , application service providers, wireless systems, blue tooth protocol, turnkey solutions and outsourcing.

Rtn Chris formally thanked Heron for his informative vocational talk. Next week's speaker would be about Ageing Problems.

The meeting was then closed by Pres Stephen with a toast to RI and Foster City California.



Rotary Information

Johnathan B. Majiyagbe, of the Rotary Club of Kano, Nigeria, is the choice of RI Nominating Committee to be the president of Rotary International in 2003-2004. The first African selected to be RI's top leader, he will become the official nominee on 1 December.

Majiyagbe is the principal counsel of his own law firm in Kano. A past vice-president of the Nigerian Bar Association, he has been a leader in many civic and charitable organizations, including the Nigerian Red Cross Society.

LAUGH FOR THE WEEK

A mother took her little boy to church. While in church the little boy said, "Mommy, I have to pee."

The mother said to the little boy, "It's not appropriate to say the word 'pee' in church. So, from now on whenever you have to 'pee' just tell me that you have to 'whisper.'"

The following Sunday, the little boy went to church with his father and during the service said to his father, "Daddy, I have to whisper."

The father looked at him and said, "Okay, why don't you whisper in my ear."

A little boy and a little girl attended the same school and became friends.

Every day they would sit together to eat their lunch. They discovered that they both brought chicken sandwiches every day!

This went on all through the fourth and fifth grades until one day he noticed that her sandwich wasn't a chicken sandwich. He said, "Hey, how come you're not eating chicken. Don't you like it anymore?"

She said "I love it but I have to stop eating it".

"Why?" he asked. She pointed to her lap and said "Cause I'm starting to grow little feathers down there!"

"Let me see" he said.

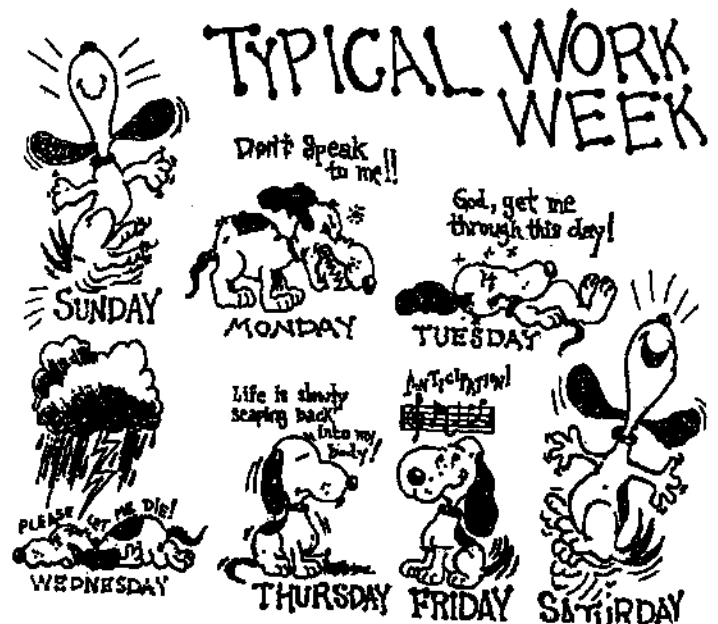
"Okay." She pulled up her skirt, he looked and said, "That's right. Better not eat any more chicken."

He kept eating his chicken sandwiches until one day he brought peanut butter.

He said to the little girl, "I have to stop eating chicken sandwiches. I'm starting to get feathers down there too,"

She asked if she could look so he pulled down his pants for her.

"Oh, my God, it's too late for you," she screamed, "You've already got the neck and gizzard!!"



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**ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST MEETS EVERY WEDNESDAY, 12:30 p.m. AT
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Rtn Heron Chan giving his Vocational talk on the Computer Software Industry.



Rtn. Ates seated next to IPP Taj enjoying the first meeting of the year.



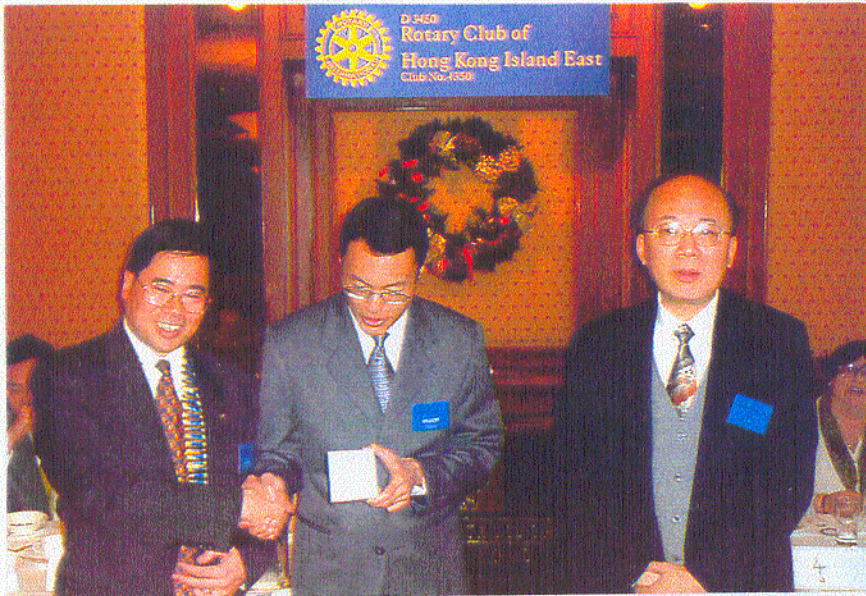
Hon. Sec. Eddy seated next to visiting Rotarian Patricia Player-Maxwell from The Rotary Club of Foster City (Calif.) with her husband Bob Maxwell.



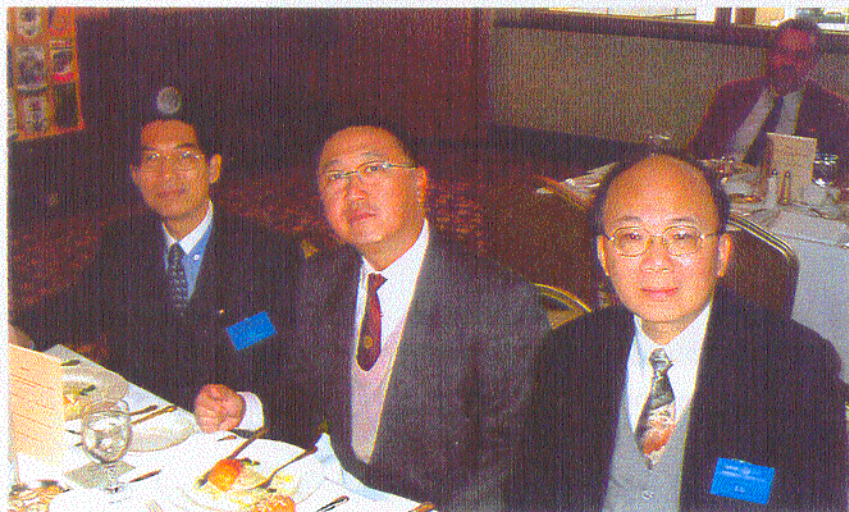
Visiting Rotarian Lee Cheu Seng from the Rotary Club of Tawau Tanjung of Sabah, (Malaysia) seated between PP Desmond & VP Dr. Rudy.



Pres. Stephen exchanging banners with the two visiting (left) Rotarian Patricia of Foster City & (right) Rtn Lee Cheu Seng from Sabah.



Our birthday boy of the week is none other than PP Hubert being congratulated by Pres. Stephen & the singing Rotarian of our club PP J.L.



Three regular Rotarians of our club sitting very obediently listening to every words said. (Left to right) PP C.Y., PP George, & PP J.L.



Rtn Kenny & Alex taking in all the club functions.



PP C.Y. is congratulated on opening of his 5th branch.



PP Hubert & PE Chris enjoying the meeting.



Visiting Rotarians in a picture with our President & PDG Uncle Peter on 2nd January, 2002.