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Last Week's Proceedings – 11th January, 2012

The meeting started at1pm by Pres. Eric who asked PP Laurence to introduce his son Danny and SAA William Leung to introduce his friend Winnie Chiu. Pres. Eric also introduced Rotaractor Stacy who is our potential Rotarian. Pres. Eric then announced the following club events:

Club Visit from RC Osaka Jonan: Fujio Nagata san, Dir. of International Service, and Okakura san will visit us from Jan 17th to Jan 19th. The current schedule is as follows:

Jan 17 Welcome dinner at 8:15 pm. Members are welcomed to join. Venue to be decided.

Jan 18 12:30 Lunch meeting visit

3:30 pm visit to Holy Carpenter Secondary School

Jan 19 4 pm flight.

MC William Wong who is the Person-In-Charge (PIC)of the project reported on the Electrical Appliances delivery with St. James Settlement on 14th January 2012 morning. We will visit six families with two vans to carry the helpers and the appliances. The project is sponsored by PP John Kwok.

SAA William Leung who is the PIC of the project reported on the Vocational Service project – the Real Job Interview of Holy Carpenter Secondary School students. Due to the school examination schedule, further announcement and confirmation will be made after the Chinese New Year.

There is a Bowling Event from the District. We plan to form two teams including Pres. Eric, RC Colin, MC William Wong, Rotaractor Henry Cheung and one more student from Holy Carpenter Secondary School. Each will pay HK\$700 to join.

PP Eddy gave a three-minute talk for the first session on the "Rotary 1-2-3" to the members. This week's topic was the structure and the explanation on the Rotary Membership Dues.

SAA William announced this week's Red Box collection of HK\$2,000 including one handsome contribution from MC William for being a grandfather for his new born grandson.



THE ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST LTD. 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

Tree Planting Project

Date: Sunday 13th Nov, 2011

MC William introduced this week luncheon speaker, Mr. Benson Pau who is also a candidate to be nominated by our Club to the Rotary THE ONE project. Mr. Pau's presentation is summarized as follows:

Presentation for the Philanthropy Work on Childhood Cancer

Background of Mr. Benson Pau

- Many years in Business Services
- Founder & CEO of Wings Trading (HK) Co., Ltd. established 1980 (Export of House-wares & Gifts)
- Philanthropy Services (Childhood Cancer)
- Founder & Chairman of Pau Kwong Wun Charitable Foundation (PKW), Hong Kong established 1998
- Board member (since 2005) and Chairman (2008-2011) of International Confederation of Childhood Cancer Parent Organizations (ICCCPO) established 1994 (148 member organizations in 81 countries)
- Trustee (since 2009) of World Child Cancer, UK established 2007

GLOBAL CHILDHOOD CANCER STATISTICS * all figures are approximate 175,000 children with cancer each year globally

Group 1:

60% die without access to treatment - 105,000 need access to treatment 40% treated 70.000 treated

Group 2:

70% survivors (after treatment) - 49,000

Group 3:

30% die (after treatment) 21,000

SIMILAR & DIFFERENT NEEDS

All families need information, emotional, and social support

- ? Group 1 (105,000 die without treatment per year)
- Need better diagnosis and access to treatment
- ? Group 2 (49,000 survive after treatment per year)
- Need survivorship support, and
- Need help in rehabilitation
- ? Group 3 (21,000 die after treatment per year)
- Need bereavement support, and
- Need better treatment to reduce loss
- ? Global advocacy & awareness to support these needs

HONG KONG

Pau Kwong Wun Charitable Foundation (PKW)

- ? "Master My Future" an unique program
- adolescent survivors reintegrating into the society
- build self-esteem and skill for job-seeking
- 6 lives were enlightened in 2011
- ? Audience reached out in 2011
- Psychosocial activities 140 turnout
- Awareness & fundraising activities 640 turnout from general public

MAINLAND CHINA

- ? April 2006: ICCCPO Asia Regional Meeting, Shanghai
- Catalyst experience what support groups can do
- Formation of Guangzhou Childhood Cancer Parents Group in July 2006
- Being mentor and support growth of GCCPG

- GCCPG served thousands of clients in past years
- 9 Oct 2011: Legal entity recognition
- ? Gradually more support groups were formed
- Chengdu, Nanning, Jinan, Wuhan,.
- ? Support to national group meetings
- July 2009: Guangzhou
- June 2011: Chengdu
- ? Approximately 40,000 new cases annually

ASIA

- ? Organized ICCCPO Asia Regional Conference
- 2007: Indonesia
- 2008: Oman
- 2009: Lebanon
- 2011: China
- ? Personal visits to medical centres and support groups in past 3 years:
- Indonesia, Jordan, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam
- ? Discussion in person with Indonesia & Philippines ministerial officials

INTERNATIONAL

- 2010 Feb: 1st Global Fundraising & Awareness event on International Childhood Cancer Day (ICCD)
- 2010 Jul: UN ECOSOC Special Consultative Status
- 2011 Feb: 2nd Fundraising & Awareness event, ICCD
- 2011 Apr: Met WHO officials in Geneva for joint childhood cancer project feasibility
- 2011 Sep: UN Summit on Prevention & Control of Non-Communicable Diseases (NCD), New York HQ
- witnessed the Political Declaration
- expected to generate a global momentum in the fight against NCDs (including cancer) and have its progress accelerated in the next decade

INTERNATIONAL

World Child Cancer (WCC)

- ICCCPO initiated WCC in 2007 in UK
- Provide seeding fund and twinning partnerships between medics, hospitals and parent support groups in developed and developing countries.
- Up to 2011 trained >500 doctors & nurses, helped >2,000 children with cancer in developing countries
- Running projects: Columbia, Ghana, Malawi, Mexico, Mozambique, Philippines

Mission Statement:

- To share information and experience between parent groups around the world, and with all others involved in the treatment and care of children with cancer, in order to
- ensure the best possible access to treatment and care for children with cancer everywhere in the world.

After a few rounds of questions and answers Pres. Eric led us to put our hands together to thank Mr. Benson Pau for his informative talk and PP Norman gave the vote of thanks on behalf of the members.

Pres. Eric reviewed the three goals of the club and the plan for the next six months as follows:

- 1. Increase members to 52 by inducting 6 more members
- 2. Execute the outstanding projects which are medium scale to large scale.
- 3. Enhance more exposure of Public Image within Rotary and external to the Public. Pres. Eric invited members' support and participation aggressively within these two months to help the club to achieve the Presidential citation and the Change-maker Awards.

Meeting was adjourned at 2:00pm with a toast to Rotary International coupled with Rotary Club of Hong Kong East. All members and guests were asked to stay behind for a group photo.

രുള്ള Rotary Potpourri

Rotary 1-2-3 Part 1

As a Rotarian, you should know what you have paid for in your Membership Dues. The breakdown of your half year membership dues (HK\$3,000) is as follows;

RI Dues (US\$26)	HK\$ 202.80
District 3450 Due	HK\$ 750.00
Rotary Magazine (US\$12)	HK\$ 93.60
 Rotary Council on Legislation Levy (US\$1) 	HK\$ 7.80
 RCHKIE Community Project Levy 	HK\$1,000.00
Balance for Member Service	HK\$ 945.80

In fact, 1/3 of your dues can be tax-deductible because it is the donation you make to our community service project. 1/3 of our dues covers the contribution both to RI and District 3450 etc. where the balance is used for the various service matters for the Club that all members should share for.

Report on Guizhou School visit on 3-4 January 2012

At the turn into the New Year of 2012, our President Eric led a team to Guiyang, China to attend the Completion Ceremony of the school built in memory of our late member Bill Lamport. The team included those from the Lamport Family – President Nominee & Hon. Secretary Jonathan Lamport, Michelle Hsu (the widow of Bill), and Spenser Lamport; and members from RC HKIE – Dir. Kevin Leung, Membership Chair William Wong and IPP Heman Lam.

Thanks to the arrangement of Dir. Kevin, the team was well taken care of by his close associate Mr. Hsu on arriving Guiyang, that included picking up from airport to hotel, and a sumptuous welcome dinner at a local delicacy with authentic Miu Tribe cuisine.

The weather turned extreme chilly on the next day when we embarked on the journey to the school. The local officials arranged part of the transportation and together with Mr. Hsu, the close associate of Dir. Kevin, the 3 hours journey began. After a slightly over an hour journey, we stopped at Huishui Province Educational Bureau where we met with Mr. Kwok of Charity Foundation (our service partner) and together, we began our next journey into the rural mountain of Huishui where our school situated (惠水縣寧旺鄉). After another 2-1/2 hours' travel on rough mountain paths, we reached the school where we were welcomed by over a hundred primary students, lined up on both sides of the entrance, singing and clapping their hands together enthusiastically.

The ceremony was held in the largest classroom, a change from the playground due to ice rain start to fall. As all being seated, one of their teachers who were the MC began the ceremony program by introducing us, their principal and the government officials. The students welcomed us by placing a red neck scarf on our collar. After the Principal delivered his speech, President Eric and Hon. Secretary Jonathan Lamport (as representative of The Lamport Family) both presented their wishes of a better education environment for the students. The ceremony was at its height when fireworks began together with the official appearance of the name of 林宝先 生 (LAMPORT) 摆坝纪念小学 on the wall of the school. Despite the ice rain, and the chilling wind, the

students showed their gratitude through singing performances. It was with such joy and warmth that the ceremony came to an end. After a delicious local hotpot lunch treated by the school, our members, together with the Lamport family, was urged to embark on the return journey to airport to avoid delay of traffic by bad weather. Snow fell heavily on our way back, apart from the beautiful snowy scenery of the Guizhou mountain, we were thankful to the local drivers who drove us back safely through the icy mountainous pathways, which took 4-1/2 hours on return.

ENCERCA SOURCE SOURCE LAUGH FOR THE WEEK

Subject: Things they did not and will not learn in school

This should be posted in every school or kid's bedroom.

Love him or hate him, he sure hits the nail on the head with this!

Bill Gates recently gave a speech at a High School about eleven (11) things they did <u>not</u> and will <u>not</u> learn in school. He talks about how feel-good, politically correct teachings created a generation of kids with no concept of reality and how this concept set them up for failure in the real world.

Rule 1: Life is not fair - get used to it!

<u>Rule 2</u>: The world doesn't care about your self-esteem. The world will expect you to accomplish something BEFORE you feel good about yourself.

<u>Rule 3</u>: You will NOT make US\$60,000 a year right out of high school. You won't be a vice-president with a car phone until you earn both.

Rule 4: If you think your teacher is tough, wait till you get a boss

Rule 5: Flipping burgers is not beneath your dignity. Your Grandparents had a different word for burger flipping: They called it opportunity.

Rule 6: If you mess up, it's not your parents' fault, so don't whine about your mistakes, learn from them.

Rule 7: Before you were born, your parents weren't as boring as they are now. They got that way from paying your bills, cleaning your clothes and listening to you talk about how cool you thought you were:

So before you save the rain forest from the parasites of your parent's generation, try delousing the closet in your own room..

Rule 8: Your school may have done away with winners and losers, but life <u>HAS NOT</u>. In some schools, they have abolished failing grades and they'll give you as <u>MANY TIMES</u> as you want to get the right answer. *This doesn't bear the slightest resemblance to <u>ANYTHING</u> in real life.

Rule 9: Life is not divided into semesters. You don't get summers off and very few employers are interested in helping you FIND YOURSELF. *Do that on your own time.

Rule 10: Television is NOT real life.

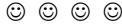
In real life people actually have to leave the coffee shop and go to jobs.

Rule 11: Be nice to nerds.

Chances are you'll end up working for one..

If you can read this... Thank a Teacher.
If you can read this in English... Thank a Soldier!
And for life and everything else you have... Thank God!!

Now.... think about this and smile if you agree and please pass this on... *If you don't agree, go stick your head in the sand and take a deep breath!*



YEAR 2011-2012									
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ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST MEETS EVERY WEDNESDAY, 12:30 p.m.

Luncheon Meeting - 11 January 2012 Rotary Club of HK Island East





PDG Uncle Peter Hall, Guest Speaker – Mr. Benson Pau & Pres. Eric Chin

PP Norman Lee, AG Andy Wong & PP Uncle John Kwok



Visiting guests -- Winnie Chiu & Danny Chan



Rtn. John Yau, PP Eddy Wong & Hon. Treasurer. PP Rudy Law



Dir. Teresa Ho, PP Laurence Chan & Rtn. William Wong



Rtn. Jonah Cheung, Rtn. Kenny Chan & Rtn. Jason Chan



Dir. Anthony Kwong, PP George Leung & Rotaractor Stacy Ho



Dir. William Leung & Visiting guest - Winnie Chiu





Rtn. William Wong introduced the guest speaker - Mr. Benson Pau

Guest Speaker Mr. Benson Pau gave us a talk about Children Cancer Foundation in Mainland China



Pres. Eric Chin presented a Club souvenir to thank Mr. Benson Pau's talk



PP Norman Lee gave a vote of thanks to Mr. Benson Pau on behalf of the Club



Group photo with all the members, guest speaker & visiting guests.

The Completion Ceremony of the Huishui County Primary School in memory of our late member Bill Lamport on 4th January 2012



Students welcoming our arrival



Pres. Eric and HS Jonathan arrived the school after 4 hours of driving



The newly built class room full of students



Students preparing their performance



Performing to all the guests



Students lining up for stationery prepared by HKIE



Presenting extra stationery to P6 students



Presenting extra stationery to P6 students



Extra stationery for P6 students



Pres. Eric with school student



Dir Kevin, IPP Heman, Pres. Eric and MC William (L to R)



Presenting stationery to all students





Students lining up for stationery prepared by HKIE (Dir Kevin, Pres.Eric and late member Bill Lamport's wife Michelle)

HS Jonathan, Michelle, Spencer Lamport, Pres. Eric, IPP Heman, Dir Kevin's friend Mr. Hsu (L to R)







After the ceremony, traditional lunch and performance made by school teacher and local minority, Pres. Eric presented HKIE flag to the school principal and member of local Government



Dir Kevin, IPP Heman, Pres. Eric and MC William with school students (back L to R)



Speech by Lamport's family representative HS Jonathan, also IPP Heman and Pres. Eric



Pres. Eric Presented HKIE club flag and gift to school Principal



Dir Kevin close friend Mr. Hsu, Dir Kevin, HS Jonathan, Michelle, Spencer Lamport and NGO Mr.Kwok (front L to R) Local minority, teachers, principal, Pres. Eric, IPP Heman and MC William (back L to R)



Group photo taken in front of the"林宝先生(LAMPORT)摆坝纪念小学" – "Huishui County Primary School in memory of our late member Bill Lamport" on 4th January 2012

School name: 林宝先生(LAMPORT) 摆坝纪念小学



碑记

宁旺乡林宝先生(LAMPORT)摆坝纪念小学经由惠水县统战部、惠水县教育局同慈恩基金会联系,由林宝先生(LAMPORT)家人及香港东区扶轮社捐资二十万元港而,惠水县人民政府匹配资金二十四万元人民而建成。

工程于二零一一年八月十五日奠基,二零一一年十二月二十六日竣工

为感谢林宝先生 (LAMPORT) 家人及香港东区 扶轮社捐资助学的义举,同时为激励本地学生努 力学习,奋发向上,特此立碑,以示纪念。

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