

# Last week's Proceedings -

# 30th March, 2011

The 37th meeting of the Rotary Year 2010-2011 started at 1:05pm with Pres. Heman welcomed members and invited Uncle John to introduce Rtn. Joanne Li of RC of St. Ives, Sydney, Australia. Pres. Heman welcomed Rtn. William Wong back from a business trip from USA. Then Rtn. William was invited to introduce his friend Jonah Cheung. Rtn. Anthony was invited to introduce his friend Brenda Li.

Rtn. Jason was the birthday boy who invited PP George to be the birthday song leader. All members sang the song with joy celebrating Rtn. Jason's birthday.

Sgt-at-arms William Leung reported the red box collection was HK\$ 2,700 and thanked for the generous donations from members including a handsome one from our birthday boy.

President then made the following announcements:

- 1. PETS II Training will be held on 09 April (Sat) at Regal HK Hotel, Causeway Bay Time: 1:30 2:00 pm Registration 2:00 5:30 Training.
- 2. District Fellowship Poolside BBQ Dinner to be held on 16 April (Sat) at 4/F Food Court, HK Jockey Club, Happy Valley with fellowship starts at 5:30 pm and dinner at 7:00pm. Sumptuous BBQ dinner with free flow of wine, beer and soft drinks. HK\$500 each.
- 3. DG 2nd Visit to Mongolia Date: 30 April to 02 May for meetings with Mongolia Rotary Clubs & Community Service visit.
- 4. After careful budget control of PP Paul, for IPP Dinner, we have a surplus of HK\$2,426. If there is no objection, the surplus will go to our red box.
- 5. Our performing teams at District Conference's Governors Banquet Rotary Got Talent Performance have received the following recognitions for Ivan Chin, who recited "The Boat Song" he received The Most Talented Award, and for Lucia and Johnson Luk, who sang the "The Coming Eternal Night Time", they received The Most Poetic Award.
- 6. For Rotary Shares, thanks to the sharing by PP Eddy Wong, PP Andy Wong and IPP Norman Lee. PP Andy Wong, who presented the Swimming Above Self Project received The Best Community Service Award.
- 7. Our 4 Clans Meeting was successfully held on 25 March, with 11 clubs participating the event and over 110 members and guests attended. Pres. Heman thanked SAA William Leung for taking care of our members and specially thanked Dir. Anthony Kwong for acting as the Floor Manager for that day.
- 8. For the Japan Disaster Relief Fund, apart from the HK\$3,600 contributed by red box on 16 March, plus HK\$1,000 donated by Rtn. Sharon, we received further HK\$500 from Rtn. William Wong, HK\$2,000 from PN Nancy, HK\$3,000 from PP Andrew Chen and HK\$5,000 from PP Uncle John. So altogether, we have HK\$15,100.
- 9. PP Stephen Liu and PP Hubert Chan's golf gathering will be held on 6 May, Friday at Discovery Bay Golf and Country Club, details will be announced later.
- 10. Choi Jun Swimming Gala will be held on 16 April, Saturday morning 9 am at Ma On Shan Public Swimming Pool. This year we will have all together 4 Schools for the Mildly Handicapped students to participate. Our object is to promote swimming as key element in building self-esteem for physical/ mentally impaired students and to arouse

public awareness in accepting them as equal. There will be one competition where our Rotaractors will be competing with them. DG Jason would be our Guest Of Honor. Please come and participate in this meaningful event.

PE Eric was invited to introduce com based Rotaractors project with Playright at St. Edward Primary School on April 9, 2011 from 10 am - 12pm and will serve over 200 school children in 7 booths to provide a fun and inspiring day for them. Members are encouraged to enroll with him.

Pres. Heman then invited Rtn. Anthony to introduce Speaker who was Stanley Lau, Lead Auditor, IRCA Principal Auditor of Furgo Certification Services Ltd. His topic is topic of "Quality Management System".

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  - supply of concrete (QSPSC)

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- ISO 9001 certification in HKSAR
- Back in the mid 90's
- In particular the Works Bureau declaration
- To qualify in tendering works contracts
- Need to be ISO 9001 certified
- Within a couple of years
- The ISO 9001 certificates boom
- Contractors and Consultants on its lists

### WHAT ARE THE KEY BENEFITS?

- Cost reduction
- Continuous improvement
- Risk control
- Company image promotion

FCS can provide certification in all the above listed standards

## A Application Stage:

- -Application
- Quotation
- Confirm the offer

### **B** Audit Preparation:

- Arrange 1st stage audit
- Document Review either desk top or on site

## C Certification on-site audit:

- Pre-audit visit optional (recommended for freshly set up system)
- Stage 1 audit
- Stage 2 audit

## D After On-Site Audit

- Subsequent to the Certification audit
- Non conformities need to be closed satisfactory
- Recommended to issue certificate
- Issue approval
- Certificate issue

Following the talk, IPP Norman thanked Stanley for his informative talk in the certification services and its benefits.

President reminded members that the next week April 6 would be the Food Bank Services in Hong Kong by St. James Settlement whose Service manager Connie will present the current People Food Bank services to the poor.

Meeting was adjourned at 2:10pm and everybody stayed behind for a group photo after a toast to RI coupled with the RC of St. Ives, Sydney and RC of HK Island East.

# Rotary Potpourri

## **Highlights of RI Board in Jan.2011**

The RI Board agreed that Rotaract club presidents must submit updated membership lists to RI each year no later than 30 September and 31 March through its online reporting tool. Member Access, and include the names, e-mail addresses, and gender of each Rotaractor in the club. Rotaract clubs that fail to submit updated contact lists to RI in a two-year period will be terminated. Rotary clubs are also now encouraged to appoint Rotarian mentors to the Rotaractors in the Rotaract clubs they sponsor. As such, sponsoring Rotary Club Presidents are strongly encouraged to advise their members of sponsored Rotaract Clubs to abide by the aforesaid actions.

Electronic Make-up Questions

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

Name:
Email:

1. Who was welcomed back and from where ?
Ans)

2. Who was our visiting Rotarian and who did the introduction ?
Ans)

3. Who were our visiting guests apart from the speaker and who introduced them ?
Ans)

4. Who was our birthday boy today and who led the birthday song for us ?
Ans)

5. How much was left from IPP dinner and being proposed to go to the Red Box ?
Ans)

6. How much was our contribution collected so far for the Japan Earthquake Relief ?
Ans)

7. What event was announced by PE Eric today ?
Ans)

8. Who was our SAA and what was the Red Box collection today ?
Ans)

#### Submit

# **Joke**

Subject: THE POLITICIAN

A politician was seated next to a little girl on an aeroplane so he turned to her and said, "Do you want to talk? Flights go quicker if you strike up a conversation with your fellow passenger."

The little girl, who had just started to read her book, replied to the total stranger, "What would you want to talk about?"

"Oh, I don't know," said the politician. "How about global warming, universal health care, or stimulus packages?" as he smiled smugly.

"OK," she said. "Those could be interesting topics but let me ask you a question first. A horse, a cow, and a deer all eat the same stuff - grass. Yet a deer excretes little pellets, while a cow turns out a flat patty, but a horse produces clumps. Why do you suppose that is?"

The politician, visibly surprised by the little girl's intelligence, thinks about it and says, "Hmmm, I have no idea."

To which the little girl replies, "Do you really feel qualified to discuss global warming, universal health care, or the economy, when you don't know shit?"

And then she went back to reading her book.

# **Photographs of our meeting**

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### 30th March, 2011

30 March, 2011 RC of HK Island East Luncheon Meeting



PDG Uncle Peter, Guest speaker Brenda Li - Fugro Cert. Services Ltd. & Pres. Heman Lam



PE Dr. Eric Chin, Guest Speaker Stanley Lau -Fugro Cert. Services Ltd. & PP John Kwok



Visiting guest - Jonah Cheung & Rtn. William Wong



PP George Leung & Rtn. Kenny Chan



IPP Norman Lee & visiting Rotarian Joanne Li from RC of St. Ives



PP Andy Wong & PP Rudy Law



Dir. Jason Chiu & PP Laurence Chan



Dir. Anthony Kwong & Rtn. William Leung



PP Eddy Wong, PP Dr. Hubert Chan & PP Stephen Liu



Birthday Boy Jason Chiu received the Club birthday gift from Pres. Heman Lam. PP George Leung led the birthday song



Mr. Stanley Lau gave us a talk about their company's service



Pres. Heman Lam thanked Stanley and presented him a photo in action



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