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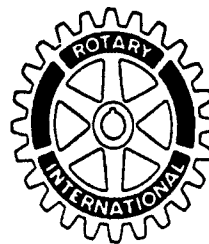
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香港東區扶輪社週報 THE ROTARY CLUB OF
HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

What Happened Last Week

This was one of our biggest meetings so far for this century. It was due mainly to the large roll-up of visiting members from the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Harbour. President Desmond opened the meeting by giving all these visiting members a very warm welcome.

Rtn Robert took charge of welcoming individual members:
President Douglas Hsia (HK Harbour)
Vice President Yoshie Takenaka (HK Harbour)
PP Peter Ngai (HK Harbour)
PP M.K. Cheng (HK Harbour)
IPP Antonio Chu (HK Harbour)
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Michael Duck (Hong Kong)
Benny Ratnani (Hong Kong NE)
PP Tony Price (Amesbury, Wiltshire, UK)
Miriam Young (Ates)
Eddy Wong (Rudy)

President Desmond and PP Tony Price then exchanged banners.

The birthday boy today was Rtn Rudy and he chose Rtn Andrew to lead the birthday singing.

The only announcement for this meeting was made by PP John: He reminded members going to Macau for the District Conference that the registrations would be conducted about 8:00-8:30 a.m. He also gave a reminder about the visit of the Makati North members on 12 April, and called on members to volunteer their wives to chaperone the wives of the visiting members.

Our newest member, and acting Sergeant for the day, Rtn Peter Kuang reported that \$1,120 had been donated.

Instead of an invited guest speaker this week, it was proposed to have Club Directors report on the projects being managed in their service areas.

The session was started by Rtn Joseph, Director of Vocational Service. Joseph spoke for some time on the major, ongoing project being run in conjunction with Hong Kong University, City University, Hong Kong Secondary Schools and the Education Department. This project was designed to research information on student career preferences and choices and to assist secondary school students in choosing careers by producing a booklet.

Rtn Rudy, Director of Community Service, then gave an outline of the numerous projects being pursued in his service area. These included:

- The Christmas party for the children at the Victoria School for the Deaf.
- The digital library corner project in which computers with software were installed in several schools.
- The donation of tents and other items for relief work in Turkey after the earthquake.
- The Club sponsored the visit of staff from the School for the Deaf in Ningxia to a conference in Hong Kong.
- At the request of World Vision, the Club is currently donating to the School for the Deaf in Ningxia a language laboratory, 60 hearing aids, and an earpiece moulding workshop.

Rtn Stephen, Director of International Service, finally gave some details of projects in his service area. These were principally aimed at re-establishing ties with the seven sister clubs. So far, visits have been arranged with the Rotary Clubs of Negata (40 years anniversary), Kawasaki South (60 years anniversary), and Penang (70 years anniversary). In addition, there will be a visit from members of the Rotary Club of Makarti North to Hong Kong in April, 2000.

There was very little time for President Douglas Hsia from RC Hong Kong Harbour to speak, but he did take the opportunity to thank PP John for organizing the visit by his members. He drew attention to the lady members of his club: He said that there are 10 of them and they are a very valuable part of his club.

As a gift to commemorate the visit, President Desmond presented President Douglas with a set of CDs containing the complete record of bulletins produced by HKIE.

To close the meeting, President Desmond then proposed a toast to the Rotary Clubs of Amesbury, UK and Hong Kong Harbour.



Rotary Information

Calgary clubs help to put hospital on leading edge of technology

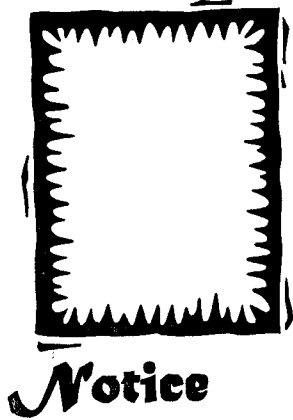
Rotarians in 12 clubs in Calgary, Alberta, Canada, have joined forces to help outfit a local hospital with the latest in endoscopy equipment. The clubs worked for more than a year in an effort to raise money to enhance the advanced therapeutic endoscopy program at the Peter Lougheed Centre.

Endoscopy procedures are used to directly examine the esophagus, stomach, and duodenum for cancers by using flexible endoscopes. With endoscopy, doctors can accomplish in as little as 20 minutes what once required patients to undergo a major operation and a lengthy stay in the hospital.

The Calgary-area clubs, led by the Rotary Club of Calgary, initiated the effort and raised \$115,000. This work inspired donations from other organizations as well as an anonymous donation of \$200,000, bringing the total to \$400,000. The funds were presented during a ceremony at the hospital in December. The event marked the naming of the Rotary Clubs of Calgary Centre for Advanced Therapeutic Endoscopy.

The contributions will allow the hospital to procure endoscopic ultrasound equipment to perform new diagnostic procedures for diagnosing and treating cancers in the chest and upper abdomen. The money also opens the door for the hospital to further develop its training of doctors who use the equipment.

"With the support of the Rotary clubs we are developing a major regional endoscopic database and creating a multimedia teaching centre to assist in the training of physicians in therapeutic endoscopy," said Gary May professor of medicine at the University of Calgary. "both of these initiatives will be the first of their kind in Canada."



We missed you on 29th March 2000!!!

Team 1 Chan, Hubert; Luk, John
Team 2 Chan, Kenny; Fu C.Y.
Team 3 Chan, Henry; Fung, Lewis; Pang K.T.; Wong, Sam
Team 4 Chen, Andrew; Killis, Danny; Leung, George; Li, David
Team 5 Ling, Thomas; Loy, Tony; Luy, Henry; Narain, Kishui;
Shek, Andrew; Yao, John
Team 6 Chan, Paul

19 members missing 48.7%!!! Missing
Please makeup!!!



LAZIGS FOR THE WEEK

Mrs. Ghandi's nephew announced to her that he wanted to become a fully-fledged Brahmin. She told him there were three initiation feats he had to perform in one hour : Firstly, he was required to down a bottle of whisky, then make love to a woman, and thirdly, shoot a man-eating tiger.

After 47 minutes, he's drunk the whisky. Then he returned from the jungle almost torn to pieces with three minutes to do, pulled out his gun and said, "Now, where's this bloody woman I'm supposed to shoot?"



"Just what I wanted – some ankle-warmers!"

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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



Pres. Douglas Hsia of our baby club Hong Kong Harbour talking to us about his club.

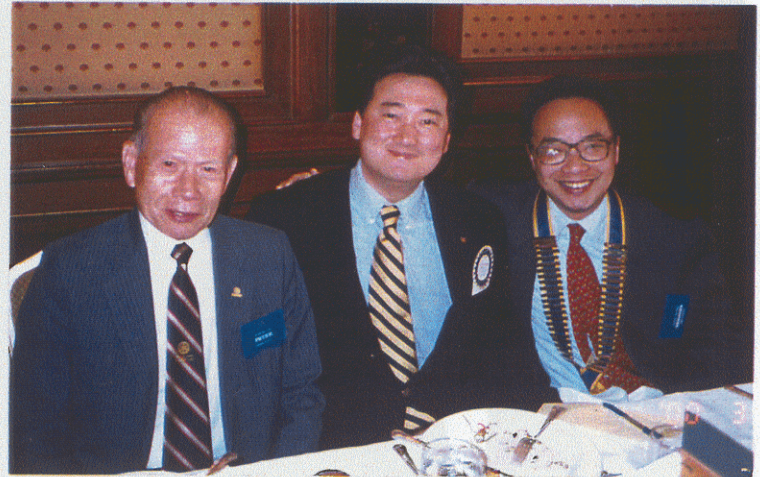


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PDG Peter, Pres. Douglas and our Pres. Desmond Enjoying a moment of fellowship.



Birthday boy Rudy receiving his Present from Pres. Desmond.

Our Pres. Desmond exchanging club Banners with PP Anthony Price of the Rotary Club of Amesbury (UK).



Rtn Alex and PE Robert show here with PP Anthony.



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(left to right) Rtn Dick (HK), PP Sam Lam, DG Rep Kay Lau and Rtn Joseph standing at attention.



Rtn Bill (dark glasses is to hide his roving eyes), PP Rob & Rtn Malcolm seated with all the charming Rtns from Hong Kong Harbour.



PP Tim entertaining all the visiting Rotarians from Hong KONG HARBOUR.



PP M.K. Cheng(right) from Hong Kong Harbour is seated Next to PDG Y.K. and PE Stephen.



Visiting Rotarian to our club on 29th March, 2000.

New Membership Proposal

In accordance with article V of our Club Constitution and Article X1 of our By-Laws, the board has approved the proposal of the following person to be admitted to our club as an active member.

Name : Eddy C. W. Wong (黃志榮)
Classification : Life Insurance

Company's Name: Aetna Insurance Co. (Bermuda) Ltd.
Position : Team Manager
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Tsim-Sha-Tsui, Kowloon
Tel: 2850-2598
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Residence : Room 1304, Fu Hong House,
Fu Keung Court,
Wan Tau Hom,
Kowloon



If no written objection to the proposal, stating reason, is received by the Board from any member of the club within (7) seven days from date hereof, the above proposed member shall be considered duly elected to membership.



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

DISTRICT 3450 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL 40th District Conference in Macao, 1-2 April, 2000



Our delegation is led by PDG Peter Hall pictured here with family members also.



Our delegates pictured with DG Dipo at the District Conference in Macao.



Pres. Desmond receiving four awards from DG Dipo for International Service, Weekly Bulletin, Joint Hosting Seminar & Club History.



All our delegates shown together in fellowship lunch.



PP David receiving his award from DG Dipo.



Our delegates at the fellowship dinner at the end of the District Conference. A good time was had by all.



Rtn Kishu pictured here with all our Rotaractors at the Fellowship Dinner.