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

Last Week's Proceedings (11th May, 2005)

Pres. Rudy opened the meeting by welcoming PP Peter Tse (TST) and PP Henry Fetigan (Vancouver, Chinatown). Pres. Rudy then invited PP Henry to come up to the rostrum to say a few words our sister club in Vancouver.

PP Henry said that Vancouver Chinatown is doing very well. He brought us some news about our ex-member Y.P. Yang whose health is not very good. He said that all of them are growing older and reaching retirement age and he himself will start earning his retirement pay soon.

Pres. Rudy then asked PP Hubert to introduce his guest who is Mr. Steven Wai from Hong Kong. He then welcome back Rtn Kenny Chan from Canada.

Our birthday boy is PP George who was serenaded lead by PP Hubert and Dir Jason He received a birthday present from Pres. Rudy.

Next PDG Peter was asked to do our presentation. He presented a Four Avenues of Service Citation to PP Henry from Rotary International for outstanding efforts in each of the four Avenues of Service.

He then made a report on the SAA collection of \$1,800.

Dir Jason then introduced the speakers Ms Camilla Benson and Ms Leini Spears from the Hong Kong Cancer Fund. Ms Benson is a full time member of the Fundraising and Marketing team since January, 2005. Currently, she is focusing on the written English aspects of our cervical and breast cancer education campaigns. She is also planning and initiating a skin cancer awareness programme with schools in Hong Kong as well as undertaking major event organization projects. Ms Leini Spears has previous experience in Public Relations, Marketing and Event Management. Leini is born and bred in Hong Kong. She has much experience living and working in the city. As well as her responsibility for overseeing all English language materials, she utilizes her local expertise to contribute to the charity's fundraising target of HK\$22.5 million a year.

Ms Benson lead off by saying 1 in 3 people will experience cancer in their lifetime. Cancer is the leading cause of death in Hong Kong.

Top 5 cancers in Hong Kong

FEMALE	MALE
Breast	Lung
Lung	Liver
Colon	Colon
Rectal	Nasopharynx
Cervix	Prostate

Hong Kong Cancer Fund Aims

- o To provide information and support on every step of the cancer
- o To empower patients to develop coping skills
- o To rebuild self-esteem and confidence
- o To help patients make the right choices and improve quality of life At the hospitals where there are resource center at :

Cancer Patient Resource Centres

- o Situated next to oncology units
- o Comfortable and relaxing environment
- o Provide instant support and information
- o Multi-functional and well laid-out

In the Community...

- o Hotline, 9am- 10pm daily
- o Support groups
- o Individual, family and group counselling
- o Rehabilitation programmes
- o Information - 33 booklets
- o Volunteer training
- o Equipment loans

Education - Knowledge is power

- o Annual public education campaigns build awareness of prevention and early detection
- o 33 booklets published cover all aspects of cancer care
- o Website
- o Medical conferences

Our only source of funds are:

- o Circle of Friends is HK Cancer Fund's only regular source of income
- o 3,000 members raised over HK\$5m in 2004
- o All funds raised go directly to services

We are raising funds for a New Island Service Centre to complete the network of cares which

- o Will provide a support network for professionals within a homely setting
- o Situated in a convenient location on Hong Kong Island
- o Private and group counselling by cancer care professionals
- o Workshops on relaxation techniques and rehabilitation
- o Information on cancer o Self-healing programmes
- o Talks by oncologists and other medical professionals
- o Evening and weekend sessions.

Dr Tony Loy then came up to gave a vote of thanks for such informative talk for a worthy cause and wish them best in the future.

Next week's speaker will be Mr. Andrew Chan, Director of DTZ Company who has over 15 years experience on Valuation in Property (China Market).

Pres. Rudy then closed the meeting and proposed a toast to RI coupled with Rotary Clubs of TST and Vancouver, Chinatown.

Rotary Information

For better information of the newer members of this club, it is reiterated that the formation of the two memorial funds, viz., Bunny Wang Memorial Fund and William Ling Memorial Fund were established for educational purposes only by using the interest of the said funds.

The formation of the Bunny Wang Memorial Fund for HK\$100,000.00 was contributed by the following members as follows:

PP Wilson T.S. Wang	HK\$ 70,000.00
Members of the Club	30,000.00
Total HK\$100.00.00	
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The formation of the William Ling Memorial Fund was solely contributed by the family of the late PP William Ling for HK\$100,000.00.

The above sums were endowment fund perpetually held in their names.

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District News

(1) RI District 3450 is greatly honoured by the visit of several Rotary dignitaries in this Rotary year, such as the RI President Elect Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar and others. We are welcoming an incumbent RI director Sushil Gupta and Mrs. Vinita Gupta who had been traveling in this region after the Taipei Presidential Celebration. A dinner party has been arranged for the VIP guests to meet our Past Governors at The Dynasty Club, Hong Kong.

(2) On the 18th May 2005, our club had been assigned by D.G. Alex to organize an Inter-City meeting in honour of the visit to Hong Kong by Past RI President Carlo Ravizza, chairman of the Rotary Foundation Trustees at the Miramar Hotel, Kowloon. All Rotarians are cordially invited to attend to further our knowledge concerning The Rotary Foundation. Apart from the key-note speech by chairman Carlo, recognition of Major Donors, new Paul Harris Fellows, 100% Rotary Foundation Sustaining Members Clubs in District 3450, etc. will be held.

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Club's News

1) Recognition

Our club is really honoured in receiving another recognition in the form of a "SPECIAL Patch" suitable for inclusion on our banner. This patch is reproduced in this issue of our bulletin for information in memory of our Twin Club with the Rotary Club of Osaka-Jonan, Osaka, Japan. (See photo below)

Though Rotary's Centennial passes, the celebration of Rotary's century of service continues to be celebrated through the lasting marks made by the community and twin club projects that have been completed by Rotarians across the globe in this centennial year.

Through the completion of Centennial Community Projects, Rotarians were able to provide valuable service in their own neighbourhoods, towns and cities. Forming a twin club relationship with a club in another country enabled Rotarians to enhance understanding of another culture, undertake complex ongoing projects, further international understanding and foster goodwill.

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2) ~~4~~ Avenues of Service Citation

IPP Henry Chan of our club has been awarded the Four Avenues of Service Citation for individual Rotarians by RI President Glenn Estess, Sr. recently. PDG Peter Hall was invited to do the presentation at our regular meeting in the Excelsior Hotel. (See Photo below)

Up to this date, our club created four recipients of this Citation, viz.,

- PP John Kwok
- President Rudy Law
- PP Hubert Chan
- IPP Henry Chan

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Jokes

Ultimate Computer.

It will give an intelligent answer to any question you may care to ask it.”

A smartass who ran a humor mailing list stepped forward and asked, “Where is my father?”

There was the soft hum of powerful electronic gear going to the task. Panel lights lit and blinked, and within a couple of seconds the laser printer printed out a piece of paper: “Fishing off Florida.”

The smartass laughed, “Actually, my father is dead! It was a trick question.”

The salesman, quickly thinking on his feet, replied that he was sorry the answer was unsatisfactory, but as the Ultimate Computer was precise, perhaps a rewording of the question might work better.

The smartass said to the Ultimate Computer, “Where is my mother's husband?”

Again, the hum of the powerful electronic brain filled the room.

After a moment, the laser printer whirred to life. The paper said, “Dead. But your father is still fishing off Florida.”

Photographs of our meeting

on

11th May, 2005





Our speaker today was Ms Camilla Benson who spoke to us about the Hong Kong Cancer Fund.



(L to R) Ms Camilla Benson and Pres. Rudy.



(L to R) Hon Sec John, Ms Leini Speaks, PP Henry Fetigan (Vancouver, Chinatown)



PP Henry informing us about the Vancouver, Chinatown Rotary Club.





PDG Uncle Peter reading the Citation for IPP Henry.



PDG Uncle Peter presenting the Citation to IPP Henry while Pres. Rudy looks on.



(L to R) PP Hubert, PP George, Dir Jason, Pres. Rudy singing happy birthday to PP George.



(L to R) Rtn Kenny, Dir Jason, PP Tim, Pres. Rudy, IPP Henry, Rtn Dr. Tony.



(L to R) PP Peter Tse (TST), PDG Uncle Peter, guest Steven Wai and his host PP Hubert.



Group Photo of our meeting with Pres. Rudy, PDG Uncle Peter, Speakers, and guest and our members on 11th May, 2005.

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Four Avenues of
SERVICE
CITATION

for Individual Rotarians



Rotary International recognizes, with deep appreciation,

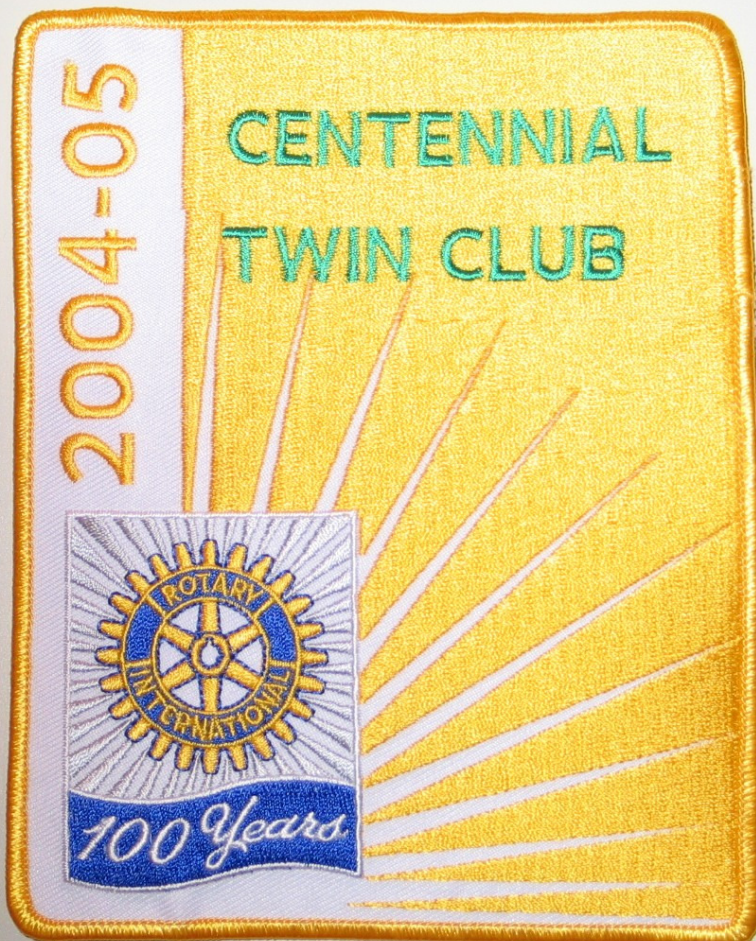
Henry Chan

for outstanding efforts in each of the four Avenues of Service.

President, Rotary International



Here's the photo of the citation which IPP Henry received from RI through PDG Uncle Peter.



This is the badge of our Centennial twin club with Osaka-Jonan.

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