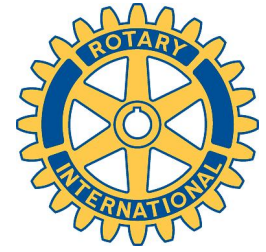




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## Last Week's Proceedings – 21<sup>th</sup> May, 2014

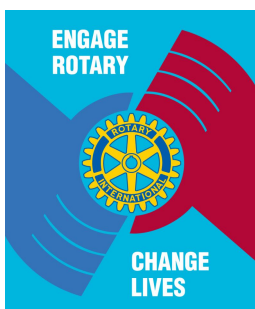
At 1:10 pm, President Jonathan Lamport announced to start the 42<sup>nd</sup> Luncheon. He especially welcomed Rotary International (RI) Grant Officer Ms Callie Czerkie who was accompanied by District Governor (DG) Eugene Fong. President Jonathan has made the following announcements:

1. The board meeting of the Rotaract Club (RAC) Lingnan University Student Union was held on 19 May at 8 p.m. in the Chef's Noodle (韓廚麵) in Wanchai. All of RAC board members attended while PP Eric Chin, Rtn. Charles Man and I were also present at the meeting and have a good time of sharing with RAC.
2. Upcoming 54th District Training Assembly is the ideal forum to learn the 2014-2015 Rotary Theme. This event will be held on Saturday, 24 May 2014 at Regal Airport Hotel from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm.

The following members from our club will participate:

Pres. Jonathan Lamport  
President Elect Norman Lee  
Incoming Hon. Treasurer Jason Chiu  
Incoming Hon. Secretary Avis Kong  
PP Andy Wong  
Director William Wong  
PP Heman Lam  
Rotary (Rtn.) Kevin Leung  
District Governor Nominee Designate (DGND) Eric Chin

3. Our sister club Rotary Club (RC) of Osaka Jonan invited us to visit Japan and join their 45th anniversary commemorative ceremony and banquet on 30th May. The time will be from 3pm to 6pm and the venue is Sheraton Miyako Hotel Osaka. Ordinary attire will be fine. President Jonathan and his wife Emmy, PDG YK Cheng and Mrs. Irene Cheng, PP Stephen Liu and Mrs. Christina Liu and Rtn Sharon Lamport will join.



**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**

4. An Extraordinary General Meeting (EGM) of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East is to be held on 11 June, 2014 Weds at 1:00pm, Regal Hong Kong Hotel, at our regular luncheon meeting, for consideration, and if deemed fit, to pass the following resolutions:
  - a) To adopt the amended Bylaws (passed pursuant to Article 33(e) of the Articles of Association of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East Limited).
  - b) To adopt the change of meeting schedule starting from July 2014 onward as follows: Every Wed. 12:30pm to 2:00pm except the first Wed. of each month, 7:00pm to 9:00pm. Please kindly attend this important Extraordinary General Meeting and cast your vote.
5. The Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI) is a multi-district, grass root leadership development program of member districts organized into regional divisions in various parts of the world. RLI seeks to have Rotary Clubs in its member districts identify those Rotarians who appear to have the potential for future club leadership (not necessarily as club presidents) and provide those so identified with a quality education in Rotary knowledge and leadership skills so important in voluntary organizations. Rotary Leadership Institute Part 2 will be moved from May 17 2014 (Sat) to June 7, 2014(Sat). Venue will be at Rosedale in the Park, Causeway Bay.
6. Next week 28th May Wed will be our 4th REGULAR dinner meeting. New members Mr. Johnny Cheng and Mr. Chris Kyme will be inducted during this meeting.

After his announcements, President Jonathan invited Acting Sergeant-At-Arm (SAA) William Wong to report the Red Box contributions from members today. We got HK\$1,700 generous supports from attending members and guests. Before the speaker made the presentation, Pres. Jonathan let all members enjoyed our luncheon first.

At 1:30 pm, Pres. Jonathan invited Chief District Secretary (CDS) Eric Chin to introduce our Guest Speaker today. Ms Callie Czerkie is a Regional Grants Officer of The Rotary Foundation who looks after the grant matters. She has been with Rotary for 4 years initially supporting matching and district simplified grants and now global and district grants. Callie currently works with grants in Taiwan and previously worked with grants in Hong Kong. She was in Taiwan last weekend supporting Zone Team Training Seminar.

Ms Callie Czerkie took over the podium and started to make a brief introduction of the New Global Grant System to all of us.

First of all, she explained the goals of the New Grant Model as follows:

- Simplify Foundation programs and processes
- Focus Rotarian service efforts where they will have the greatest impact by addressing priority world needs that are relevant to Rotarians
- Offer program options to help achieve both global and local goals
- Transfer Rotary Foundation decision making to the district level
- Increase understanding of The Rotary Foundation's work by Rotarians and enhance Rotary's public image

And then she introduced what the Global Grants are:

- Global grants fund long-term projects and activities that are sustainable, measurable and address goals within one or more areas of focus.
- Global grants evolved out of the Matching Grant and 3H Grant programs and are intended to have a long-term impact on the benefitting community, well after grant funding has been expended.
- Global grants are matched by the World Fund with cash contributions receiving a 50% match and DDF contributions receiving a 100% match.
- Grant awards range in amounts from US\$15,000-US\$200,000

She also mentioned to us that the types of Global Grant Activities usually fell in the following:

**Humanitarian Projects**

- Global grants may support humanitarian projects that provide sustainable, measureable outcomes in the benefitting community.

## **Scholarships**

- Global grants may support graduate-level scholars whose field of study and professional goals further one of the six areas of focus.

## **Vocational Training Teams**

- Global grants may support VTT's, groups of professionals traveling abroad to either learn about their profession or teach local professionals about a particular field.

Thus, in order to successfully apply for the Global Grant, all projects should be designed according to the 6 areas of focus raised by RI:

- Peace and Conflict Prevention and Resolution
- Disease Prevention and Treatment
- Water and Sanitation
- Maternal and Child Health
- Basic Education and Literacy
- Economic and Community Development

She also gave project examples of the above focuses for our reference. However, she highlighted that we should fully understand what "Sustainability" is. The Rotary Foundation considers a project to be sustainable if it provides long-term solutions to community needs that the beneficiaries can maintain after grant funding ends. And this is a very good tip for us to design our future project if we want to apply for new global grant from the Rotary Foundation.

After her presentation, CDS Eric supplemented that Callie was the one who processed our matching grant for the Choi Jun School Multi-Media Room project. Her professional way of handling our grant application helped us a lot. President Jonathan presented a Club banner and a memorial photo to the speaker and then invited PP Eddy to give an official vote of thanks to our speaker.

Pres. Jonathan further reminded all members to attend next week's dinner meeting on 28<sup>th</sup> May. Two new members will also be inducted in next dinner meeting. He also announced that we would have a small auction for the three gifts from our Sister Clubs for our 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

After proposing a toast to RI coupled with RC of Kowloon West, HK Harbour and HK Island East, he invited all attending Rotarians and Guests to stay for Group Photo.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:00 pm sharp for members to return to work as normal.

## **Rotary Potpourri**

### **Zone 10B Team Training in HsinChu, Taipei**

DGND Eric Chin attended the Zone 10B Training Seminar in HsinChu, Taipei with PDG David Harilela and PDG Jason on May 18, 2014.

There were over 40+ PDGs, DGE, DGN and DGND of our Zone 10B which included D3450, 3460, 3470, 3480, 3490, 3500, 3510 and 3520.

PDG David is the Zone 10B Rotary Public Image Co-ordinator. He presented Public Image Action Plan in the zone training and also stressed on the Strengthening Rotary Brand.

DGND Eric was also invited to present a 15 minutes talk in Social Media Impact in D3450 sharing his experience on how he led the quality fans group growth from 100 to 1,073 in one year time to motivate members to "Engage Rotary". Zone leaders shown interest in implementing the social media in their respective zone with many questions to DGND Eric.

  
 LAUGH FOR THE WEEK

**Subject: Squeeze**

The local bar was so sure that its bartender was the strongest man around that they offered a standing €1000 bet. The bartender would squeeze a lemon until all the juice ran into a glass, and hand the lemon to a patron. Anyone who could squeeze one more drop of juice out would win the money.

Many people had tried... Over time: weightlifters, bodybuilders etc., but nobody could do it. One day, this scrawny little fellow came into the bar, wearing thick glasses and a polyester suit, and said in a small voice, "I'd like to try the bet."

After the laughter had died down, the bartender said, "OK"; grabbed the lemon; and squeezed away. Then he handed the wrinkled remains of the rind to the little fellow. But the Crowd's laughter turned to total silence... As the man clenched his little fist around the lemon... And six drops fell into the glass.

As the crowd cheered, the bartender paid the €1000, and asked the little man: "What do you do for a living? Are you a lumberjack, a weight-lifter, or what?"

*The little fellow quietly replied: "I work for the Inland Revenue"*



<b>YEAR 2013-2014</b>						
<i>President</i>	<i>Secretary</i>	<i>Treasurer</i>	<i>Ex-Officio</i>	<i>Club Advisor</i>		
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John Kwok	Eric Chin	Stacy Ho	Heman Lam	Norman Lee	William Wong	Andrew Chen
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**ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST MEETS EVERY WEDNESDAY, 12:30 p.m.  
 at Regal Hong Kong Hotel, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong.**

21 May 2014 - Luncheon Meeting  
Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East



Members welcome DG Eugene Fong to visit our club's luncheon meeting



IPP Nancy Yee, Pres. Jonathan Lamport & PP Tim Lui welcomed guest speaker Callie Czerkie - Regional Grants Officers of The Rotary Foundation.



DG Eugene Fong, Ms Callie Czerkie & Pres. Jonathan Lamport



DGND Eric Chin, SAA William Wong & AG Heman Lam



IPP Nancy Yee & PP Ka Hing Lee



Rtn. Raymond Chu, Rtn Freddie Wu,  
& PP Eddy Wong



Rtn. John Yao & Rtn Kishu Narain



PP Laurence Chan & IPP Nancy Yee



PP Tim Lui & PP Andrew Chen



DGND Eric Chin introduced the Speaker



Ms Callie Czerkie gave us a talk about The Rotary Foundation



Pres. Jonathan Lamport presented a Club Banner and a photo in action of Callie's talk



PP Eddy Wong gave a vote of thanks to Ms Callie's talk.



DG Eugene presented their club banner to Ms Callie Czerkie



Group photo with Guest Speaker and visiting Rotarians

# District Training Assembly 2013-14

