

Last Week's Proceedings – 22nd June, 2011

The 49th meeting of this year started on time with President Heman being returned from his vacation. Pres. Heman made a special welcome to PDG YK Cheng and welcomed back PP Rudy, Dr. Freddie Wu and Sharon Lamport as well.

Then PP Hubert Chan introduced his guest, Tony Hau; Rtn. William Wong introduced his guest Jonah Cheung; Dr. Tony Loy introduced his guest Dr. Ng Fook Hong. Pres. Heman introduced his wife Olivia.

We celebrated our birthday boy Rtn. Dr. Freddie Wu with song leader Dr. Tony Loy; and at the same time Pres. Heman presented Rtn. Freddie with a wedding anniversary gift too.

Our Incoming AG PP Andy announced that we have received altogether 12 District Awards this year in which we won the Best Community Service Project, 7 Outstanding Awards and 4 Merit Awards. We have also received three DG Special Recognitions to our specific members serving for the District (see details in the Rotary Potpourri of this bulletin.

Pres. Heman made his announcements as follows:

- 1. PP Andy, PN Nancy, PE Eric and Pres. Heman have joined DG Jason on the District Beijing trip held from 12 June to14 June.
- 2. Thanks to Rtn. William Wong who has relayed messages from Rtn. Lawrence Ho that he has been readmitted to ICU of Prince of Wales Hospital due to flu. Doctor advised that he remained in hospital for a few weeks until recover, let's wish him speedy recovery. Members please do send him your regards on email or SMS.

Rotary Club of Makati North extended their invitation to our members to attend their Inauguration Ceremony on 14 July. Should any members wanted to attend, please inform HS Jonathan.



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 PE Eric then made his announcements as follows:

- Our July 6th meeting will be moved to July 8th
 For the July 8th District Inauguration Ball altogether 39 seats were booked.
- 3. The first member induction meeting of the new Rotary Year will be held on July 13th with 4 of our new members enrolled. Our incoming DG David will attend.
- 4. Visit to RC Penang will be held from Aug $14^{th} 18^{th}$, 2011.
- 5. The first project service to the elderlies will be held at 1 -2 pm on July 22nd, 2011. Members interested please enroll to HS Jonathan.
- 6. Lingnan U Rotaractor Induction ceremony will be held at July 10th 2011 7 -10 pm in PolyU. Members interested please enroll to HS Jonathan.

Acting Sergeant-At-Arm Rtn. William Leung reported the Red Box collection today being HKD 2,000.

Then we welcomed the highlight of the day which was for our Pres. Heman to present his Year Plan 2010-11 Review to us all and the details were summarized as follows:

Pres. Heman began by introducing The Five Pillars which will be used to summarize the events happened in his year.

- ✤ Club Services
- ✤ International Services
- ✤ Vocational Services
- New Generations
- Community Service

Club Assemblies completed as planned on

- 29th September, 2010
 16th December, 2010
- 13th April, 2011
- 22^{nd} June. 2011

Joint Meetings with RC of City North on 13 July 2010

4 Clans Meeting

- Held on 25 March with all 11 clubs, over 110 members and guests joining the event.
- Our speaker was Professor Peter Yuen, Dean of College of Professional and Continuous Education of The Hong Kong Polytechnic University.

Membership Drive

- Membership targets
 - 43 by January , 2011
 - 50 by 2011-12 and we are confident that PE Eric would achieve his target in his year.
- New sources of members
 - Second generations
 - Lady members
- Membership initiatives
 - 4 free meals for 1 new member inducted
 - Anniversary celebrations with free luncheon for spouse on anniversary month
- 4 new members inducted, they are Rtn. Sharon Lamport, Rtn. William Wong, Rtn. Lawrence Ho and Rtn. Freddie Wu, thanks to HS Jonathan Lamport, PE Eric Chin, PP George Leung and Rtn. Tony Loy respectively who introduced them to our Rotary Family.

- Golf Tournaments
 - Uncle Peter Cup on 3rd September 2010
 - PP George Golf Gathering on 17th December 2010
 - Uncle John Cup on 18th February 2011
 - PP Stephen and PP Hubert Cup on 3rd May 2011
- Quarterly gatherings were planned but achieved
- 1x Racing Night
- No Karaoke
- BBQ at PP Laurence's residence, thanks to PP Laurence
- We planned for luncheon meetings with Ladies Topics that turned out to be Ladies Night, thanks to Rtn. Teresa Ho who organized this fun and memorable event.
- 3 Year Plan Sharing sessions to be held on 29 June
- Christmas Party was held on 15th December 2010 and sharing of Christmas Joy with children of Duchess of Kent Hospital on 25th December 2010 which was organized by Rotaract Club of Hong Kong Island East. As a tradition we have member of our Club as Santa Claus, and that is PP John Luk, he was interviewed by media that day and 4 newspapers coverage had included Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East in their prints.
- International Services
 - PP John Kwok, IPP Norman Lee, PE Eric Chin and Pres. Heman visited Rotary Club of Makati North on 14 to 16 July 2010.
 - A trip was planned to visit Rotary Club of Osaka Jonan, Kawasaki South and/or Niigata in April 2011 but was cancelled due to the earthquake and radiation leakage on 11 March 2011.
- Vocational Services
 - Visited Dialogue-in-the-dark on 21st August 2010
 - Link Cod Farm and Wetland Park on 12 March 2011; we had IPP Dinner and prize presentation for PP John Kwok Golf Cup after the visit.
 - Thanks to Service Chair Rtn. Jason Chiu for organizing both events.
- New Generations
 - We attended Joint University Rotaract Clubs Installation on 3rd July 2010
 - Revitalized Rotaract Club of Hong Kong Island East, thanks to the efforts of PE Eric Chin and PP Andy Wong. We attended their First Board Meeting on 19th August 2010 and their Inauguration Ceremony at our Ladies Night.
 - Thanks to Rtn. Sharon Lamport and all Rotarians who participated in the Professional Development Talk and BBQ Dinner held on 5th March 2011 by Rotaract Club of Hong Kong Island East for local University Students and graduates.
 - We also linked up Rotaract Clubs HKIE and Lingnan University for joint project with District's Sport Carnival at HK Jockey Club on 25th September 2010
- Community Services
 - We have 2 projects with Choi Jun School Swimming Above Self Swimming Gala and Happy Luncheons
 - Swimming-Above-Self Swimming Gala
 - Saturday 16 April at Ma On Shan Public Swimming Pool. 4 Mildly Handicapped School students participated.
 - DG Jason who acted as our Guest of Honor, our Rotarians Rtn. William Wong and Fanny Wong, IPP Norman, PE Eric, PN Nancy, Dir. Kevin and Catherine Leung, together with our swimmers Alfred Leung and George Wang from Rotaract Club of HKIE joined the event.

- Alfred Leung and George received the second and 3rd runner up respectively in their legs. For relay, they achieved 2nd runner up. Our Rotaractor Suki and 2 rotaractors from Lingnan U also joined this event.
- Happy Luncheon.
 - Aimed to build up the self-value and confidence for the close-to-graduate students through close contact and having lunch with our Rotarians, and in the process, train up their communication skills, widen their perspectives in dealing with other human beings, raised up their levels of learning.
 - 8 students, age from 16 to 18 were selected by the school based on their attitude and school results. 4 dates were planned on Thursdays and Fridays, which were 21st Oct and 16th Dec in 2010, and 25th Feb, 28th Apr in 2011.
 - 6 members participated, including PP Andy Wong, Rtn William Wong, Rtn. Sharon Lamport, PE Eric Chin, PN Nancy Yee and Pres. Heman. There were 5 students in each group accompanied by 2 teachers, they found their ways to the restaurants with minimal help from the teachers
 - Our heartfelt thanks to PP Andy Wong for organizing the project.
- Building Communities from Build-A-School Project in memory of late Bill Lamport
 - Our service partner is Charity Foundation
 - The building of school initially was located in Guizhou 貴州省 黔南州 惠水縣 長田鄉 建校 冗普小學 where 210 students will be benefited
 - Total amount is HK\$200,000
 - We are to match up funding of the HK\$180,000 from the Lamport's Family.
 - As the provincial government has other plans for the said school, Charity Foundation has offered another school project. The proposal was sent to HS Jonathan for their family's and was approved.
 - Location of the new project is in Guizhou 貴州省 黔南州 惠水縣 寧旺鄉擺壩小學
 - Confirmation was sent to Charity Foundation and await their progress.
 - Thanks to Dir. Kevin Leung and Rtn. William Wong who participated in the foundation laying ceremony of the previous school.
- Water Project with World Vision
 - A clean water supply system was built for a village in Dalinggan Village, Yunan. 雲南省 隴川縣 護國鄉 大嶺幹村民小組 to replace their worn out system currently being used.
 - Provide 70 households / 300 villagers with clean drinking water
 - This is a World Community Service Project with participation from Rotary Club of Niigata. Thanks also to Rtn. Jason Chiu, IPP Norman Lee and Rotarianne Olivia Kan for sponsoring the project.
- Anti-drug Project Dancing for Healthy Life with Youth Outreach
 - A program organized by Youth Outreach School of Hip Hop
 - Using street dance as a means to develop personal potential and healthy self-concept to senior primary and secondary school students
 - Serve two schools: St. Louis Primary School and Holy Carpenter Secondary School

- There are total of 13 lessons. 22 students from St. Louis Primary School and 28 students from Holy Carpenter Secondary School participated the program.
- The program is from September 2010 until May 2011.
- Graduation public performance and contest as follows:
 - Holy Carpenter Secondary School students performed at Park Central at Tseung Kwan O on 8 May 2011
 - A dance competition "High Schoolers Hip Hop Championship 2011" organized by Youth Outreach was held on 15 May 2011
- Thanks to Dir. Anthony Kwong who took the lead and organized this project.
- Feed A Child, Build A Nation Matching Grant Project with Rotary Club of Makati North
 - Sponsoring supplementary nutritious lunch feeding program to 200 elementary students in public school of Barangay Sta Cruz & Singkamas
 - Matching Grant approved
 - Project begins from June 2011 for 36 continuous school week
 - Our commitment is US\$5,600
- Club Administration
 - Website revamp led by IPP Norman
- District Participations
 - Intercity Meeting, hosted by Area 3 on 17th August 2010
 - District 10k Race We had 17 runners and 15 cheering team members attended the Race and raised HK\$35,250 for Charity
 - District Conference
 - 13 members participated, 2 teams performing at Rotary Got Talent, 3 spouse and family members and 2 Rotaractors attended District Conference on 19-20 March.
 - The performance teams for Rotary Got Talent Performance at Governor's Banquet -Ivan Chin, the son of PE Eric, received The Most Talented Award and son and daughter-in-law of PP John Luk, Johnson and Lucia received The Most Poetic Performance Award.
 - Thanks to PP Eddy Wong, IPP Norman Lee and PP Andy Wong who presented our Signature Projects in Rotary Share Sessions. Our flagship project Swimming-Above-Self, as presented by PP Andy Wong received The Best Community Service Award.
 - We passed the baton as we attended District Assembly.
- Pres. Heman thanked Advisors, all Past Presidents and members support over his year and all credits goes to the Club.

We all put our hands together to thank Pres. Heman for his great leadership and dedication efforts in leading our Club to serve the community and in fostering enjoyable fellowship to our fellow members and family.

Our next week's speakers will be Mr. Bey Logan and Mr. Craig Leeson, their topic is "Introducing the Documentary "Plastic Oceans"; and A Discussion on Environmental Conservation in and through Film".

Meeting was adjourned at 2pm sharp with a toast to RI coupled with RC Hong Kong Island East. We all stayed behind to take a group photo before we left.

രുള്ളാരുള്ളാശ് Rotary Potpourri Obituary

We sadly announced the pass away of our Rotarian Lawrence Ho on June 24th Sunday morning after he was hospitalized again last week.

Let's pray for his soul and condole his family. It is a great lost to the Club for the pass away of Rtn. Lawrence!!

In memory of our beloved Rotarian Lawrence Ho we quote the recent message received from his spouse Melo below plus some condolence messages from our members for our sharing of the grief:

"Dear everyone,

It's with deep regret to inform you that Lawrence passed on June 24, 8 am due to multiple myeloma complications. He was very happy to be a member of your caring club. Thank you all and the other members for making us feel so welcome in the club.

Best regards, *Melo*"

"Dear members,

President Heman called me last weekend to break the sad news about Rtn. Lawrence. As his proposer into our club I specially feel the lost because he was such a fine Rotarian. Let's pray for his soul and condole his family. Find out if they require any assistance from the Club.

Regards,

PP George"

"Dear PP George and all,

It is indeed a great lost to the Club for the pass away of Rtn. Lawrence!! Thanks to Rtn. William Wong who contacted Melo, widow of Rtn. Lawrence, to see if she needed any assistance. I have called her this morning as well, and on both occasions, Melo said that she would like the funeral to be simple and amongst family members. She also mentioned as Lawrence was a Roman Catholic, a priest was there at his bed side before his passing away, and the pastor is helping them with the funeral arrangement. She is not trying to leave out their friends, it's just that as the family is in their deepest grieves she don't know how to handle all who comes to the funeral service. We have told her that they are part of the Rotary family, so if there is any help needed, just let us know. We will keep you informed on the latest progress. Warmest regards,

warmest reg

Heman"

"I am shock beyond belief that in such a short time we have already lost Lawrence Ho. He was such a brave and caring man that he returned to our club on the 15th of June and now we have lost him forever. May this very dedicated Rotarian rest in peace and may God bless his wife Melo and his family. *John Kwok*"

"Dear all,

As all of you, I am so sad to hear this shocking news that we have just lost our fellow Rotarian Lawrence Ho. I still remember I have a firm grip with Lawrence when he came back to the meeting on 15th after discharged from hospital. Let us join together to pray for Lawrence and his family, Melo and his two daughters on Earth. *William Leung*".

District Awards and Recognitions Received by RC HKIE

The following District Awards and Recognitions were received by our Club as reported by Pres. Heman:

- 1 Best Community Service Project Swimming Above Self for Mildly Handicapped Students
- 2 Outstanding Water, Health & Hunger Project Feed a Child, Build a Nation
- 3 Outstanding Literacy and Education Project Building Communities from Build A School, Education Project in Guizhou
- 4 Outstanding Rotary Family Project *Highly Encourage Club members and their family members' participation*
- 5 Outstanding International Service Project Feed a Child, Build a Nation
- 6 Outstanding World Community Service Project Drinking Water Project of Dalinggan Villagers, Yunnan Province
- 7 Outstanding Anti-Drugs Project *Hip Hop Dancing for a Healthy Life*
- 8 Outstanding Club Bulletin
- 9 Certificate of Merit in Public Relations Project
- 10 Certificate of Merit in Vocational Service Project
- 11 Certificate of Merit in Ecology Project
- 12 Certificate of Merit in Club Website
- 13 DG Special Recognition AG Henry Chan (PP)
- 14 DG Special Recognition DDS Andy Wong (PP)
- 15 DG Special Recognition DDS Norman Lee (IPP)

We have also achieved *Presidential Citation with Distinction*; and a batch was presented to us so that we can place on our club banner as recognition to the Club.

EXAMPLE FOR THE WEEK

In condolence of our late and beloved Rotarian Lawrence Ho we skipped this topic this week.



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

22 June, 2011 RC of HKIE Luncheon Meeting Photos



PDG Uncle Peter Hall, PDG YK Cheng & Pres. Heman Lam



Hon. Sec. Jonathan Lamport, PE Dr. Eric Chin & our first lady, Rotarianne Olivia Kan



Rtn. Sharon Lamport, IPP Norman Lee & PP Rudy Law



PP David Li & PP Eddy Wong



Rtn. William Wong, imcoing member



Rtn. Dr. Tony Loy & SAA William Leung

PP Andy Wong & PP Stephen Liu



Dir. Kevin Leung & Rtn. John Yao

Dir Teresa Ho & Dir. Kevin Leung



Incoming member Tony Hau & PP Hubert Chan

Rtn. John Yao, incoming member Dr. Ng Fook Hong & Rtn. Dr. Tony Loy



PP Laurence Chan & Dir. Teresa Ho



Group photos with visiting guests & club members