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Last Week's Proceedings – 22nd August, 2012

Pres. Nancy kicked off the luncheon at 1:05pm. She also made a warm welcome to our District officers, DG Kenneth Wong, CDS Peter Pang, AG Eddie Wong, and PDG Anthony Hung. She then introduced her guest, Mr. Dominic Shui, a Marketing Communications professional who will be inducted in our meeting today. Then Membership Director, PP Norman introduced his guest Mr. Carl Yau who will be inducted today too, followed by New Generation Chair, Colin introduced his guest, Ms. Wincy Ching who also will be inducted today while our IT Chair Anthony Kwong introduced Mr. Willie Yu to our members as well. President Nancy then welcomed back PE Jonathan, Int'l Service Chair, Sharon, Social Media Chair, Terry and New Generation Chair, Colin. Chartered President Tobias Doeringer from RC of Shouson Hill turned in later and was welcomed by our President Nancy too.

Pres. Nancy then invited DG Kenneth to present an award namely "Recognition of Membership Development Initiatives" to IPP Eric and we all shared his joyful moment and appreciate his effort in promoting membership development for our club. Following this award presentation, IPP Eric presented a special gift to his Ex-board members, PE Jonathan, Int'l Service Chair, Sharon and New Generation Chair, Colin in appreciation to their contributions to the board during IPP Eric's President year.

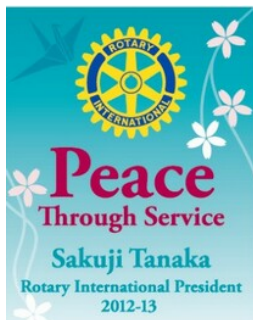
Sergeant-at-arms Jonah reported the Red Box collection was HK\$4,100 which included special contributions from DG Kenneth and our special guests and members.

Pres. Nancy made her announcements as follows:

A. District Announcement

1. Nomination of members to serve on the Nominating Committee for District Governor 2015-2016

PP Hubert Chan was elected by our board to serve on the nominating committee for District Governor 2015-2016 during our 2nd board meeting on 13 Aug 2012 and with the witness of DG Kenneth and AG Eddie and all members, the club has approved this motion.



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

2. District Membership Seminar on 25 Aug 2012

IPP Eric, Deputy Chair of the Membership Development & Retention made the following announcements:

August is the Membership and Extension Month, apart from recruiting new and quality members, retaining OUTSTANDING Rotarians is vital.

In this seminar, we will take a closer look at what recruitment and retention strategies can be implemented; and what best practices can be used, details of the workshop being:

Date: Saturday 25 August 2012 (Saturday)

Time: Lunch starts at 12:30 p.m. followed by seminar from 2:00 to 5:30pm.

Venue: Regal Hong Kong Hotel, Causeway Bay

Cost: HK\$400 per head, PIC: PP Norman Lee

Targeted participants: President, President-elect, President-nominee/Vice President, Club Secretary, Club Membership Chairs, AGs and DAGs

3. District PR Workshop - Sept 1, (Saturday)

Board members, PR Committee chair and members are encouraged to join the District PR Workshop, details being:

Date: 1st Sept 2012 (Saturday)

Time: 2 pm to 6 pm

Venue: The Hong Kong Management Association, 66 Gloucester Road, PICO Tower, Wingchair

Cost: free

PIC: PR Chair Teresa Ho

B. Club Announcement

1. Sept 6 PDG Uncle Peter birthday

As usual, we will have a Golf Tournament and followed by a birthday dinner fellowship every year, PE Jonathan, PP Norman & Service Chair Kevin will be the persons-in-charge of this important event and will be sent out all details shortly.

2. New Members Training

PP Eddy Wong will arrange a new members' training/orientation in late Sept. It will be an informative and entertaining fellowship. PPs are invited to share their valuable Rotary experience and those days of HKIE with new members. All details will be sent out shortly.

3. Final Call for the cheering team on Aug 26 –The Paralympics Games of Swimming

Members are encouraged to arrive at the airport at 6:00pm on 26Aug to support the 2 students from Choi Jun school who will take off to London to attend the Paralympics Games of swimming. For details, please contact PP Andy who is the advisor of this school.

C. Induction of New Members

Our club had the honor to have DG Kenneth to witness the induction of our new members, Pres. Nancy, PP Norman and New Generation Chair Colin received a proposer pin from the District in recognition to their effort in introducing new members to our club. The 3 new members are:

- 1) Ms. Wincy Ching, Senior Vice President of BNP Paribas Wealth Management proposed by New Generation Chair, Colin
- 2) Mr. Dominic Shui, a Marketing Communications professional proposed by Pres. Nancy,
- 3) Mr. Carl Yau, Managing Director of Portal Vision Ltd. proposed by PP Norman.

Today is a special day, we have the honor to have DG Kenneth to be our speaker and he is not a stranger to us, he has given us an introduction and the direction of the RI and District, details being:

Rotary International President 2012-2013 Sakuji Tanaka

- Charter member of Rotary club of Yashio since 1975
- Recipient of Service Above Self Award, Citation for Meritorious award & Distinguished Service award
- Member of the Arch C. Klump Society
- President of the national household papers distribution association of Japan
- Chairman of Daika Company
- Visit Mongolia and Hong Kong between 14-20th September 2012
- Members are encouraged to join RI President Sakuji Tanaka and DG Kenneth to visit Mongolia between 14-17 Sept 2012

PRID Gary Huang 黃奇光 elected RI President 2014-15

- Gary C.K. Huang, a member of the Rotary Club of Taipei, Taiwan, elected as the President of Rotary International in 2014-15. Huang will become the president-nominee on 1 October if there are no challenging candidates.
- Huang says his vision for Rotary is to increase membership to more than 1.3 million. "To increase our membership, we must go beyond borders to wherever we see growth potential, such as the countries of China, Mongolia, and Vietnam."

Peace Through Service

- Since its inception in 1905
- Rotary - committed to building peace and understanding between nations and peoples around the world.

Through

- Humanitarian projects in more than 200 countries
- Rotary Exchange programmes
- Rotary Peace Centers.

Humanitarian Projects in more than 200 countries

- Humanitarian projects to reduce the causes of conflicts such as Hunger, Illiteracy, Poverty, the lack of health care and clean drinking water.

Rotary Exchange Programmes

- Rotary builds bridges of friendship and international understanding through its exchange programs such as the Youth exchange program, ambassadorial scholarship, Group study exchange.

6 Rotary Centers for International Studies

- Chulalongkorn University, Thailand
- Duke University and University of North Carolina, USA
- International Christian University, Japan
- University of Queensland, Australia
- University of Bradford, UK
- Uppsala University, Sweden

SIX Rotary Centers for International Studies

SIX rotary Centers for International Studies in peace and conflict resolution to provide 60 scholarship on 2 years master program and 50 three-months short course in international relation, peace studies and conflict resolution.

4 Days - Certified Rotary REAL Conflict Coaching Workshop

- 29 June – 2 July 2012
- Shue Yan University
- Participants:
 - 10 Teachers
 - 11 Rotaractors
 - 10 Rotarians
- Trainer: Rtn. Prof Nadja and her team from Australia

3 Global Peace Forums

- Berlin, Germany 30 Nov – 2 Dec 2012
- Honolulu, HI USA 25 – 27 Jan 2013
- Hiroshima, Japan 17 – 18 May 2013

Peace and Youth

- Each area in D3450 provides sponsorship for one youth to attend one of the three Global Peace Forums
- District to sponsor three youth

Peace Through Service

- To promote peace and harmony
- To build stronger D3450
 1. Membership to reach 2000
 2. Significant service projects
 3. Effective Rotary image promotion
 4. Joint Strategic Committee
- Rotary Foundation
- Upcoming Events

Membership to reach 2,000

To strengthen club membership:

- Net gain TWO or more members per club
- Charter TWO or more new Rotary clubs
- Membership Retention is of utmost importance
- New structure for membership committee
 - DAGs + club membership chairs
- New strategy and regular activities
- membership retention and recruitment
- New member induction pin
- New multi-level recognition to Rotarians who introduce NEW/PREVIOUS members

Water Filtration Units in Xian, China

With the support of clubs in D3450,

- We shall install 40 water filtration units in 40 schools in rural villages in Xian, China
- Providing bacteria free, clean drinking water to more than 40,000 students and teachers

Poverty Alleviation in Hong Kong

- Poverty Alleviation Committee led by DGE Eugene
- Understand poverty in Hong Kong
- Speakers bank comprises of experts on poverty

Poverty Alleviation

Strategic partnership agreement with the Hong Kong Council of Social Services – A network of 400 NGOs

- To invite proposals on service projects between Rotary clubs and NGOs, addressing to the needs of youth from low-income families
- Invitation for service proposals
- Project signing ceremony – 29th September at Kowloon Cricket Club

Rotary Public Image – To Rebuild D3450 Website

- Simplistic in design
- User-friendly
- With Non-Rotarians access

Joint District Strategic Planning Committee

- For 3 consecutive District Governors
 - Kenneth Wong
 - Eugene Fong
 - Belinda Yeung

Strategic Planning Committee

Chairman: DGE Eugene Fong
Secretary: DGN Belinda Yeung
Member: DG Kenneth Wong PDG YK Cheng
PDG Peter Wan PDG Alex Mak
PDG Peter Wong PDG Ada Cheng

PP Albert Poon
PP Henry Tong

PP Ted Ho
IPP H. W. Fung

Vision

To be the international service organization of choice in Hong Kong, Macao and Mongolia.

Mission Statements

1. To work with governments and partners-in-service to implement sustainable humanitarian service projects, including youth development;
2. To be the leading service organization through continuous and effective public image programs highlighting significant service projects;
3. To enhance membership through sustainable District and Club membership programs;
4. To build dynamic and action-oriented Rotary clubs;
5. To ensure effective district administration;
6. To seek growth and service opportunities beyond our territorial limits.

Core Values

- Service
- Fellowship
- Diversity
- Integrity
- Leadership

New Generation Centre in Youth Square, Chai Wan

- To strengthen our youth service
- Excellent facility for youth
- An office of 500 sq ft
- For use at NO cost to Rotaract, Interact, RYLA, RAAS, Foundation alumni
- Booking through RIC

Rotary Foundation

Transition to Future Vision Plan (FVP)

- Full implementation of this new grant model as from 1 July 2013
 - Qualification of Clubs
 - Qualification of D3450
 - Grant Management Seminar on 20th Oct 2012
- Target total Annual Program Fund contribution
 - US\$220,000 or more
 - To become a 100% contributing club district
 - To increase number of EREY club
 - District Governor's TRF challenge and special recognitions to clubs and Assistant Governors
- The Rotary Foundation Trustee Chairman
Past RI President Wilfrid Wilkinson visits Hong Kong between 7-11th October 2012
Meet him at Inter-city meeting on 10 Oct 2012

Group Study Exchange

- With D9640 Brisbane, Australia
- April 2013
- PP Helen Or is the team leader

Upcoming Events

53rd District Conference

- Date: 20 – 21 April 2013
- Venue: Regal Airport Hotel

104th International Convention Lisbon, Portugal
23-26 June, 2013.

Pres. Nancy represented the club to formally thank DG Kenneth in our usual Rotary manner and she presented a souvenir to DG Kenneth as a token of appreciation for his warm visit. Finally at 2:10pm, Pres. Nancy adjourned the meeting with a toast to RI, coupled with Rotary Club of Tai Po, Rotary Club of Shouson Hill, Rotary Club of New Territories, Rotary Club of HK Harbour and Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East and she also invited all members and guests to take a group photo.

For the speaker next week, we will have Ms. Cornelia Francesca Maeder, she is going to speak on Title "Yin & Yang Executive Balance" and the content is How to keep mental and physical balance as an Executive? How to reach lasting happiness in a challenging environment?


Rotary Potpourri
Report on the Mock Court event on July 7, 2012

President Nancy Yee, Director Kevin Leung & his daughter, Catia Leung, have attended the event on 7th July 2012. Here is the report written by Kevin's daughter:

7th July was the Mock Court 2012 opening ceremony and training day organized by the Mock Court Subcommittee of the Rotary Adopt A School Committee, which took place in ELCHK Lutheran Secondary School. More than 200 students from 10 adopted schools participated in the event.

Mr Lee Hing Nin, Clement Registrar of District Court, and Mr. Steven Liu, barrister, were invited to give an informative speech about Hong Kong's legal system and other law-related issues, which gave the participants a first-hand insight into the legal professions.

There was particularly one question that inspired me the most. "What is law?" seems to be an easy and simple question. According to the dictionary, it means "a system of rules and guidelines which are enforced through social institutions to govern behavior." However, the official definition given by Mr. Lee Hing Nin was "law is the bottom line of morality". The compliance with law is the most basic morality and it is also the basic requirement for people in order to have a moral character. Yet, everyone in the world may have a different view on morality and their bottom line of morality may diverse. Therefore, law is a very controversial issue and using it to govern the society is very complicated.

This part of the program was followed by a training session, hosted by professional lawyers. This training session aimed at analyzing a mock-up case with the participants and enhances their critical thinking skills.

Overall, I was very glad to join this enlightening event as I have gained more in-depth legal knowledge. I hope the participants have also obtained the skills that are useful in mock court competition and I wish them all the best in the up-coming competition.

Two students from Choi Jun school took off on Aug26, 2012
to attend the Paralympics Games of Swimming in London

Below is the report from our Club President Nancy Yee:

Two students from Choi Jun school took off to London to attend the Paralympics Games of Swimming on Aug 26, 2012. I myself and Director William Wong went to the Airport on that night to join the cheering team to support them.

These two students are under our swimming sponsorship program, called "Swimming Above Self", starting from 2008. Other than swimming skills and better health, students who participated in this Swimming Program gained both self-confidence and self-motivation.

Our beliefs are this diversified self-development project could nurture the students at a whole-person approach. It is believed that the aggregate of tiny results can make a great difference to the students. We treasure so much about the positive growth in small steps of the students.

We started to sponsor meaningful students' self-empowerment activities of Choi Jun School since 2008. The good relationship between The Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East and Choi Jun School makes a great change for the students. Within these few years of time, a lot of students have a great leap in learning as well as in participation of the public encountering activities. It is a way for their students to improve their autonomy themselves.

We are glad to see these students have such brilliant results and we look forward to welcoming them back after two weeks with flying colors. Please join me to bless them.


LAUGH FOR THE WEEK

Subject : *Interesting Definitions...*

Life Insurance

A contract that keeps you poor all your life so that you can die rich.

Nurse:

A person who wakes you up to give you sleeping pills.

Marriage

It's an agreement in which a man loses his bachelor degree and a woman gains her masters...

Divorce

Future tense of Marriage.

Criminal

*A person no different from the rest
....except that he/she got caught.*

Boss

Someone who is early when you are late and late when you are early.

Politician

One who shakes your hand before elections and your confidence after .

DOCTOR

A person who holds your ills by pills, and kills you by bills.

Classic

Books, which people praise, but do not read.

Smile

A curve that can set a lot of things straight.

Office

A place where you can relax after your strenuous home life.

Yawn

The only time some married men ever get to open their mouth.

Etc.

A sign to make others believe that you know more than you actually do.

Committee

Individuals who can do nothing individually and sit to decide that nothing can be done together.

Experience

The name men give to their mistakes.

Atom Bomb

An invention to end all inventions.

Philosopher

A fool who torments himself during life to be wise



<u>Year 2012 -2013</u>					
President Nancy Yee	President Elect Jonathan Lamport	Secretary Stacy Ho	Treasurer Dr. Dennis Wat	Ex-Officio Dr. Eric Chin	
Directors: John Kwok	Dr. Rudy Law	Andy Wong	Heman Lam	Norman Lee	William Wong
Service Chairs: Dr. George Leung	Eddy Wong	Laurence Chan	Anthony Kwong	Colin Chau	Kevin Leung
Sharon Lamport	Nelson Tse	Terry Tsang	Jonah Cheung	Teresa Ho	William Wong
Advisors: Peter Hall	Y.K. Cheng	Dr. Hubert Chan	PP Council Rep.	Andrew Chen	

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

**22 August 2012 - DG Visit Luncheon Meeting
Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East**



DG Kenneth visit's meeting photos



DG Kenneth Wong from RC of Tai Po & Pres. Nancy Yee



CDS Peter Pang & AG Eddie Wong



Hon. Sec. Stacy Ho, PDG YK Cheng
& PDG Anthony Hung from RC of Tai Po



Dir. William Wong, PDG Anthony Hung
& SAA Jonah Cheung



Pres. Nancy Yee
& PDG Anthony Hung



Rtn. Kenny Chan, PP Stephen Liu
& PP Laurence Chan



Dir. Teresa Ho & CP Tobias Doeringer
from RC of Shouson Hill



SAA Jonah Cheung,
Dir. William Wong & PP Andy Wong



PP John Kwok, PP Hubert Chan
& PP Eddy Wong



New member - Rtn. Karl Yau,
PP Norman Lee & Rtn. Tony Loy



New member - Rtn. Dominic Shui &
Rtn. Terry Tsang



Guest Willie Yu, Dir. Anthony Kwong
& IPP DAG Eric Chin



Hon. Tres. Dennis Wat
& PP Rudy Law



PP Heman Lam
& PE Jonathan Lamport



Rtn. Sharon Lamport
& Rtn. Nelson Tse



Rtn. Colin Chau & New member -
Rtn. Wincy Ching



IPP DAG Eric Chin (Right) presented souvenirs to some of
the last Rotary Year's board members



Pres. Nancy Yee presented a SAA pin
to Rtn. Jonah Cheung



Pres. Nancy Yee invited DG Kenneth Wong to induct 3 new members



New member - Rtn. Karl Yau (middle)
introduced by his proposer
PP Norman Lee



New member - Rtn. Dominic Shui
(middle) introduced by his proposer
Pres. Nancy Yee



New Member - Rtn. Wincy Ching
(Right) introduced by her proposer
Rtn. Colin Chau



We have the honor invited DG Kenneth Wong to induct the three new members



Each new member said a few words to thank the club members accepting them as a member of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East



IPP DAG Eric Chin presented a pin to thank all the proposers on behalf of District Membership Chair PDG Ada Cheng



DG Kenneth Wong presented this Rotary Year's District Goal at our luncheon meeting



Pres. Nancy Yee thanked DG Kenneth Wong with a Club souvenir and a photo in action



Group photo of Pres. Nancy Yee, DG Kenneth Wong, DAG Eric Chin, proposers & the new Club Members.



Group photo of DG Kenneth, PDGs, visiting Rotarians & guests
and
members of Rotary Club of HK ISLAND EAST

President Nancy Yee and Director Kevin Leung attended the Mock Court Event on July 7, 2012



Dir. Kevin (left), DG Kenneth and Pres. Nancy (middle) with the participating students



(L to R at the front) Dir. Kevin, his daughter Catia Leung and Pres. Nancy at the Mock Court event

Students from Choi Jun school took off to attend the Paralympics Games of Swimming in London



Pres. Nancy Yee and Dir. William Wong joined the cheering team at the HK Airport on Aug26 to see the Choi Jun School candidates took off to the London Paralympics Games in London



(L to R) Principal Lee of Choi Jun School and the two candidates, who were sponsored by our Club in the "Swimming Above Self" project took a picture with President Nancy at the HK Airport