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Last Week's Proceedings – 27th February, 2013

IPP Eric acted as president to chair the luncheon meeting when Pres. Nancy was still taking sick leave, but recovering soon. Director William introduced his guest, being his son Wilkin, visiting us for the first time. The speaker was Ms Rennie Kan from the School of Design of HK Polytechnic University.

Birthday Boys were Rtn. Tony and PP Andy, their choice of song leader was PP John Kwok, for his sexy voice, leading us to sing from the bottom of our hearts.

IPP Eric made the following Club announcements:

(1) PP John Kwok's golf tournament results of February 22 at the Fanling Eden Course

The Winners are as follows:-

Best Gross Score

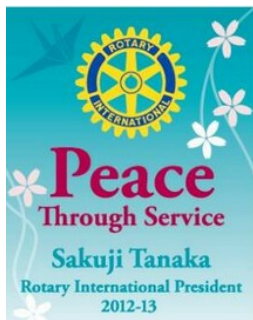
Tajwar Shadikhan	92
Kevin Leung	97
Stephen Liu	97

Best Net score

Hubert Chan	69.28
David Li	71.75
Tony Hau	72.29

Closest to the hole

Hole 2	Stephen Liu
Hole 5	Kevin Leung
Hole 15	Tajwar Shadikhan
Hole 17	Stephen Ho



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**

Longest Drive

Hole 4 Andy Wong
Hole 7 Victor Tan
Hole 10 Heman Lam
Hole 16 Kinsen Fok

Shortest Drive

Hole 7 John Kwok
Hole 10 Jonah Cheung

Booby Prize William Wong

The prize presentation will be held later when the trophies are ready.

(2) Hip Hop Dance Competition in Tseung Kwan O February 24, 2013 4 – 8 pm.

IPP Eric and Rtn. Morris attended the 2nd Rookie Star Inter-School Hip Hop Dance Competition. There were 21 teams with 400 dancers and nearly 500 audiences in the Tseng Kwan O Shopping Center. 4 Holy Carpenter Students joined the Horizon team and won the champion in the competition. They will be sponsored to Germany with Youth Outreach to attend a dance exchange in summer. DG Kenneth also attended and presented prizes to winners. Thanks for the sponsors from our PP Andrew Chen to make the competition happened.

(3) Rotary Centenary Cup racing night on February 20

Eight members Including PP Uncle John, IPP Eric, PP Norman, Rtn. Freddie We, Dir. William Wong, Rtn. Jonah, Morris and his wife joined the Rotary Centenary Cup in the evening on Feb 20, 2013 in Happy Valley Race Course.

(4) The Standard Chartered Marathon

Feb 24, 2013 IPP Eric and Rtn. Freddie joined the Standard Chartered Marathon with 60 Rotarians and friends in 10K run for fund raising specially contributed to Hong Kong Sports Association for the Physically Disabled in the Chartered Standard Marathon today with '818 Presidents' Rotarian. Cool and meaningful!! They completed 10 K run within 90 minutes!

(5) Peace Forum in Science Park, Taipo Feb 24, 2013.

PP Norman and PP Eddy participated in the Peace "Opening Ceremony" UNESCO HK Association.

The Rotary Peace Ambassadors who attended the "Rotary Global Peace Forum" in Hawaii, Honolulu on Jan 25-27, 2013 would bring new concepts, ideas and inspirations of peace from the aforesaid forum. They will share it at the Rotary booth of Peacemakers' Celebration to the public. Rotary Global Forum Sharing Workshop was held from 1:10 p.m. to 1:50 p.m. at Hong Kong Science Park. A presentation with video will be presented by our Rotary Peace Ambassadors for ideas inspired after they had attended the "Rotary Global Peace Forum" in Hawaii, Honolulu.

Upcoming Events:

(6) Island Scout Walk for Fund Raising. March 24, 2013

Fund Raising Chair: PE Jonathan

Organiser: Scout Association and RC HK Harbour

Uncle John will contribute for every members of HKIE who complete the Walk, he will donate \$500, with a cap of \$5,000 maximum.

(7) Rotary Youth Sing for Peace Concert 扶輪青年唱好和平音樂會 February 24, 2013

Music Zone, G/F, Kowloon Bay International Trade & Exhibition Centre, Kowloon Bay
Tickets: HK\$250 each Rotarian

Guest Singers: Ellen Loo 盧凱彤, Dear Jane, Robynn&Kendy, Chochukmo 觸執毛
Contact person: RIC Deadline for application: 1 March 2013

(8) The 2nd District New member Orientation will be held in 33/F SkyZone, Rosedale Hotel, Causeway Bay, from 12 noon to 5 pm on March 16, 2013 by District Membership Committee. Fee will be HK\$ 330. Please contact HS Stacy for enrolment.

(9) District Conference will be held on April 20-April 21 Mission Hills Resort Hotel, Dongguan. Enrolment to be made to PE Jonathan.

SAA Jonah reported red box collection of HK\$1,200.

PP Rudy introduced the luncheon speaker of Ms Rennie Kan, senior marketing manager from the School of Design of HK Polytechnic University. Ms Kan had substantial marketing and branding experience, from Hallmark Cards, HK Jockey Club, and Cyberport. Ms Kan joined PolyU school of design since 2006 and helped connecting design students and teaching staff with the businesses.

Ms Kan brought forth the latest development of the new Jockey Club Innovation Tower to us, with a generous donation of HK\$ 249 millions from HKJC to the new building and the Design Institute for Social Innovation. The new Innovation Tower should be ready for use in September 2013.

The new Innovation Tower was a fine work from Zaha Hadid Architects, UK. The chairman was Dame Zaha Hadid, DBE, being an Iraqi-British architect who received the Pritzker Architecture Prize in 2004—the first woman to do so—and the Stirling Prize in 2010 and 2011. Her design works were said to be distinctively futuristic, characterized by the "powerful, curving forms of her elongated structure with "multiple perspective points and fragmented geometry to evoke the chaos of modern life.

By looking at the video from Ms Kan, all of us were impressed by the Innovation Tower, could not agree more that it would be a new icon to HK sky line. As the Vice Chancellor suggested the new building would be an ideal platform to do creative work.

The School of Design was established by HK PolyU since 1964, would be celebrating their 50th anniversary next year. Currently, the Design School had about 1,300 students, 70 R&D support staff and 60 full time teaching staff. The Design School had an international faculty mix:

20% from Europe
20% from America
60% from Asia

PolyU Design's courses included advertising, environment and interior design, product design, communication, interactive and digital media. Programs were offered at bachelor, master, and doctoral levels.

The Networked Innovation was highly encouraged, to allow multi-level academic collaborations, exchange programs and real life project experience, work with the professionals in the design field.

The values of the design programs were said to be producing HK talents for:

- open minded
- steering change
- visionary entrepreneurs
- authentic expression
- responsibility.

Design School of PolyU had an emphasis both on conceptual design and practical field works.

The Design School had her Master of Design Program (Design Strategies) being ranked top 30 in the world, and top 6 in Asia. Recently, its program was rated by the BusinessWeek among the world's best "design thinking programs".

Design School of PolyU had many outstanding alumni among her graduates. They were such as:

- Vivienne Tam (world-renowned fashion designer)
- Raman Hui (film director & animator from Dreamworks, his known works in Shrek 1 & 3, and Kung Fu Panda etc)
- Alice Mak (cartoon character creator of McMug & McDull)
- Yip Kam Tim (costume design and visual art, known for his work in Crouching Tiger Hidden Dragon).

Dir. William thanked the speaker for her informative talk, and remarked that his pet toy designer was also a graduate from PolyU Design School.

Next week program would be from PP Thomas Chan from Rotary Club of Kingspark Hong Kong, who would talk about the permanent fund update and development for Rotary Foundation.

Acting President Eric made a toast to RI coupled with HK Island East and the meeting was adjourned in time. The members and guests stayed to take a group photo.



Rotary Potpourri

“March is a turning point” - Monthly messages of Foundation Trustee Chair Wilfrid J. Wilkinson

The month of March provides each of us with an opportunity to reflect on Rotary's accomplishments. It is during this month that we pause to recognize World Rotaract Week, International Women's Day, World Water Day, and Literacy Month – all significant reminders of the good that Rotarians have done worldwide.

As I've traveled around the world, I've been inspired by Rotaractors and their important contributions to the Rotary family. I've had the chance to work with the outstanding women who serve on our Board of Directors. I've witnessed the incredible progress The Rotary Foundation has made on water and sanitation – an area of focus that is crucial to our growing population.

And as we begin this month long celebration of literacy, I've seen how Rotarians have helped empower communities with simple, creative, and sustainable ways to break the cycle of poor education. Literacy plays a critical role in healthy and productive lives, and whether it was by volunteering at a local school, bringing language training to adults and children through concentrated language encounter and computer-assisted literacy systems, or ensuring that all children have the textbooks they need, Rotarians have helped thousands.

Our promises and accomplishments have reached a turning point: We must now look at the goals we still aim to achieve. Keep the momentum up. Get the word out. Make sure your club knows about this important month in Rotary so that come next March, we'll have even greater successes to celebrate.

The 2nd Rookie Star Dance InterSchool Competition Unleashing The Energy and Creativity of New Generation

“Dancing to Healthy Lives” is the theme of this year of the 2nd Rookie Star Interschool Hip Hop Dance Competition, jointly organized by Youth Outreach and Our Club on Feb 24 2013 4 -8 pm in the Tseung Kwan O Shopping Center. The event attracted 400 Dancers from 21 teams of secondary and primary

schools and 500 audiences. DG Kenneth, CDS Peter Pang and his wife Katherine, IPP Eric and Rtn. Morris attended. Our Adopt A School Partner Holy Carpenter Secondary School also sent a 20 members team to participate. Four of the senior-form teams joined the Horizon Team with other dancers of Youth Outreach won the Champion of the event. It was glad to know that the 4 students will be sponsored to join the dance exchange in Germany organized by Youth Outreach. Our Hip Hop Dance project, launched 3 years ago, proved to be a fruitful one as the program nurtures and unleashes the potential of the students of our school partner. DG Kenneth, IPP Eric and Rtn. Morris were invited to present prizes to the winners. Thank you so much for PP Andrew Chen for the 2nd year sponsorship to make the event happened.

Reflection from Rtn. Morris

Five years ago when I saw street dancers practicing their moves close to a MTR station I thought “what a waste of time? Why don’t they put their time in more constructive things to prepare for their future?”. All that changed on the afternoon of 24th February 2013.

What I saw that day was youth, energy, and hard work. From what I’ve heard, these kids came from all sorts of background. Any normal day they wouldn’t know each other’s existence. But on that special Sunday, 21 groups of dancers came together and showed that they are all equals despite of their differences. On that Sunday, these 21 groups of dancers gained things that I and many others around the world never had a chance to experience when we were teenagers; courage, hard work, aspiration, and motivation to just name a few. I am very proud to be a member of an organization that could give these teenagers a stage to perform, to give them their five minutes of fame after months of hard work.

Finally, I would like to thank these kids for a great afternoon of entertainment. I was able to see their passion and energy in their every move. There was fun, energy, and excitement not only in the atmosphere, but also in my heart. And to see these kids regain confidence in life through street dancing brought me so much joy.

Morris Mak, Rookie Dance Competition PIC

Standard Charter Bank Marathon 10K with 60 Rotarians’ Participation

IPP Eric and Rtn. Freddy Wu joined in a party of 60 Rotarians participated in the renown Standard Chartered HK Marathon 10 K run fund raising in the morning on Feb 24 2013. The run was specially arranged to raise fund for the Hong Kong Sports Association for the Physically Disabled. They completed in 90 minutes and with good shape in the destination!

LAUGH FOR THE WEEK

Subject: UP

This two-letter word in English has more meanings than any other two-letter word, and that word is 'UP.' It is listed in the dictionary as an [adv], [prep], [adj], [n] or [v].

It's easy to understand UP, meaning toward the sky or at the top of the list, but when we awaken in the morning, why do we wake UP?

At a meeting, why does a topic come UP? Why do we speak UP, and why are the officers UP for election and why is it UP to the secretary to write UP a report? We call UP our friends, brighten UP a room, polish UP the silver, warm UP the leftovers and clean UP the kitchen. We lock UP the house and fix UP the old car.

At other times, this little word has real special meaning. People stir UP trouble, line UP for tickets, work UP an appetite, and think UP excuses.

To be dressed is one thing but to be dressed UP is special.

And this UP is confusing: A drain must be opened UP because it is stopped UP.

We open UP a store in the morning but we close it UP at night. We seem to be pretty mixed UP about UP!

To be knowledgeable about the proper uses of UP, look UP the word UP in the dictionary. In a desk-sized dictionary, it takes UP almost 1/4 of the page and can add UP to about thirty definitions.

If you are UP to it, you might try building UP a list of the many ways UP is used. It will take UP a lot of your time, but if you don't give UP, you may wind UP with a hundred or more.

When it threatens to rain, we say it is clouding UP. When the sun comes out, we say it is clearing UP. When it rains, it soaks UP the earth. When it does not rain for awhile, things dry UP. One could go on and on, but I'll wrap it UP, for now . . . my time is UP!



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

**27 FEBRUARY 2013 - Luncheon Meeting
Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East**



PP Uncle John Kwok, Guest speaker - Ms Rennie Kan Senior Marketing Manager from HK PolyU & Acting President IPP Eric Chin



PP Henry Chan, PP Hubert Chan & SAA Jonah Cheung



PP Rudy Law & Rtn. Freddie Wu



Rtn. Tony Loy & PP Eddy Wong



Dir. William Wong & Rtn. David Ng



PP Heman Lam & visiting guest – Mr. Wilkin Wong (Son of Dir. William Wong)



PP Rudy Law introduced the guest speaker



Guest speaker - Ms Rennie Kan gave us a talk on the " Poly U School of Design and the new plans for the School of Design".



Acting Pres. IPP Eric Chin presented a Club souvenir to thank Ms Rennie Kan's talk



Dir. William Wong gave a vote of thanks on behalf of the club to thank Ms Rennie Kan



Last week's birthday boys were Rtn. Tony Loy & PP Andy Wong



Group photo of members with guest speaker & visiting guest.

24 Feb 2013 Standard Charter Bank Marathon 10 K with 60 Rotarians' Participation



The 2nd Rookie Star Dance Inter-School Competition 24 Feb 2013



