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President's Message - A vocation in life



Rotaractors at Lingnan University, which was well received. Our members PP Jonathan, Rtn Sharon and PE Chris gave presentations to the students.

This past Monday we had vocational training for

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PP Jonathan shared insights about starting up your own business. Sharon spoke about Human Resources Management. PE Chris talked about what it takes to make it in the creative industries. All of this was valuable for the students and really just

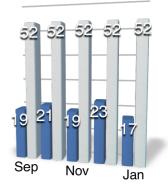
took a little of our time. This is an important role we can play as leaders of our respective fields - to pass down to the younger generation. To impart valuable knowledge based on our experience. And it's the diversity of Rotary which makes this possible. We come from all walks of life, but in the end, we are following the same path. To give back.



COMING SPEAKERS

02 March
Mr Harry Reid
Topic:
Wanchai Past,
Wanchai Future!

Avg. AttendanceMembers





Last Week REDBOX \$1,400

THE ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST

香港東區扶輸社週報 Club 16340 District 3450 Chartered on 06 April, 1954 by Charter President PDG (Uncle) John Yuen

Last week's Proceedings - 17 February 2016



Although the spirit of Chinese New Year was somewhat dampened by the sad news of our dear lost friend and devoted member Uncle Peter, this post-CNY luncheon was celebrated in traditional spirit, as Uncle Peter would have wanted, with a good turn out of members to wish each other good fortune and health for the coming Year of the Monkey. As such there was no guest speaker this week, instead members were encouraged to join together in fellowship and the warmth of each others' company.

P William began by welcoming back PDG YK Cheng, as well as returning Rotarian guest, PP Pedro Ching from RC of HK City North. P

William then requested a minute's silence in memory of Uncle Peter and all rose to observe this in a melancholy moment. After which, a happier mood commenced as we celebrated birthday girl Stacy, who invited Director Kevin to lead her birthday song. SAA John Poon then read out the Red box takings of HK \$1,400, and P William then read out the announcements. After which, some eating and hearty chatter among all, before it was time for some traditional proceedings...but, with a bit of a less traditional twist. The music began...the expectation was in the air...and then we got our first gloimpse of the Choy San, who this time turned out to be a foreigner..that's right...a Caucasian. What's more he looked really really very similar to PE Chris, who completely missed the whole affair as he claimed he was in the toilet while this dressed up bearded character was handing out lai see packets to the whole room. Who was he? We shall never know. PE Chris returned and wondered what all the fuss was about. By then this mythical God had disappeared. But not before many members took the opportunity to have their photo taken with him, hoping of course that some of the good fortune would rub off on them for the coming Year of the Monkey, including the overall group photo. So, after all the excitement, finally it was time to close the meeting. P William called a toast to RI, RC of HK City North and HKIE. Meeting adjourned.













Out & About

At the races

DGE Eric and P William were among the Happy Valley happy race goers on the evening of February 17th, at the District Horse Racing Night, along with visiting Rotarian Mark Rogo from RC Westwood Village, California, who DGE Eric had met recently on his US trip. He and his wife Lynn were celebrating their 4oth wedding anniversary and were about to embark on a 16-day cruise. What a great way to see Hong Kong, among fellow Rotarians on race night.









Vocational Training

PP Jonathan, PE Chris and Rtn Sharon took to the stage at Lingyan University on Monday evening, Feb 22nd, for each to give an inspiring vocational talk to Rotaractor students about their respective careers. President William did the introduction, and afterwards the students had breakout groups for further questions and advice. Rtn Elle also came along to observe (your turn next year Elle?). A good and meaningful session with the leaders of tomorrow by the leaders of today!





ANNOUNCEMENTS

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. The Memorial Service of PDG Peter Hall will take place with details as follows:

Venue: Hong Kong Funeral Home, North Point, Hong Kong. Date and Time: Feb 19 Friday between 5.00 pm to 10.00pm. The vigil mass will start at 8.00pm.

Funeral Service:

Venue: Same in Hong Kong Funeral Home

Date and Time: Feb 20th Saturday at 10.30am
Transportation will be provided to Cape Collinson Crematorium and lunch follow at East Ocean Restaurant, Taikoo Place.

Also there is a Memorial Mass on Feb 24, 2016 Wed at 7.30pm at the chapel of Wah Yan College, Hong Kong

- 2. We have an elderly visit service project on March 5 Sat in Sheung Wan. PE Chris and his family (3 persons) enrolled to join, Please let P William know who is available to join.
- 3. Just a reminder, our club lead Area 3 project Roockie Stars Hip Hop Dance competition will be on Feb 28, 2016 Sunday in Shatin Central Park from noon to evening, please come to support and join this annual event.
- 4. PP Mark Rogo from our sister club Westwood Village visiting Hong Kong, he could not come and join our regular luncheon meeting due to other early engagement but he is joining the District Horse Racing Night tonight, DGE Eric and myself will take care of him

DISTRICT ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1. The District Tennis Tournament will be held on Feb 28, 2016 in Shek Kip Mei Park Tennis Courts. Participant fees is HK\$800.00 for singles per player and HK\$500.00 for double per player.
- 2. Registration deadline is before 5.00pm on next Monday Feb 1 direct to PIC PP Eric Chak, RC of Peninsula. (Just a reminder, our club lead the Area 3 project Rockie Stars Hip Hop Dance Competition is on the same day Feb 28 in Shatin Central Park from noon to evening, please come to support)
- 3. The Rotary Hong Kong Ultra marathon 2016 will be held on March 6 Lung Wo Road. Central. The District official launch notice can be found on the website for registration- www.rotaryhkum.com

All corporate registration fees will go to Tung Wah Hospital, mental health service without deduction of administration costs.

4. P William sponsored one team of 8 New Generation to run with registration fees HK\$1,000.00. Please visit the website for the details of different names of competitions and registration fees if member interest to do as sponsor or run by your own.

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