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President's Message - Just like old Times?



I sincerely want to thank each and everyone who turned out for the party last Saturday. After much anticipation, it was a great success I think, if the measurement of success is about people having a great time. I want to reiterate the main objectives of this function. Yes we were celebrating the club anniversary, but the main thing was to get as many members together as possible to just enjoy themselves and have a good time. It was about fellowship. It was also about tradition. I know all about the club's past.

I hear the stories about some great celebrations, great characters and great times. But as I've said at the start of my year, my mission is to 'respect the past while embracing the future'. And last Saturday was about the future too. We must be looking ahead. We must be thinking about future great times and where the club needs to go. And that's also what Saturday was about. It gave me such pleasure to see the 'HKIE All Stars' band on stage, performing. Members entertaining members. Last but not least, I want to thanks PE Stacy and Rtn Teresa for their great efforts in pulling it all together and making it fun (and Stacy's mum Melo! Our big supporter..). Let's look forward to doing it again!









THE ROTARY CLUB OF HONG KONG ISLAND EAST 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

Last week's Proceedings - April 1st, 2017



Well the official luncheon meeting was rolled over into the Saturday anniversary party, so to make that official, President Chris kicked off the meeting with the bell, and launched quickly into the announcements, as much as people could focus on that. With that done it was time for birthday boy PP Rudy to come up on stage and cut his cake as we performed the biggest every birthday song (led by PP John Luk), and P Chris presented Rudy with his card, as well as presenting one to himself (P Chris's birthday is April 8th). All of which was great fun and led us on into the party, as P Chris rang the bell to officially close the meeting. Dinner duly commenced, and then it was time for the special live performance

of the HKIE All Stars – PP Hubert (who had just landed from Afghanistan), PP David Li, Director Kevin, and special guest vocalists DG Eric and PP John Luk. What a great and beautiful performance it was too. Very heartwarming. As dinner drew to a close we had the dancing competitions, with people dancing to music from the 50s, 60s and 70s. And the party rocked on from there with lots of dance and merriment as P Chris turned into DJ Chris and spun the tunes across the '6 Decades of Island East'. Of particular note was Kyme Junior Cameron who stole the show with his dance antics to an enthusiastic audience, and Mrs Kyme (Flora) joined PE Stacy's mum Melo as judges of the Best Dressed of the evening. A great night in all!



Best Dancers & Dressed



ANNOUNCEMENTS

These are the following announcements for our club:

- Our club is planning a trip to Taipei May 18th 21st, to attend the anniversary and sign the Sister Club agreement with the RC South Sea Taipei. All members are welcome to join the fun, which includes cultural performances, fine dining and golf game. Please join us if you're interested. Inform PP George or IPP William.
- On Sunday June 25th afternoon, we will be supporting the Love & Care for the Sick elderly activities day. If you have interest to be involved please inform Service Director Leo or President Chris. Meanwhile we are waiting to confirm our 3rd Adopt An Elderly visit.

District announcements

- DG Home club RC HK island East members are cordially invited to the RF Centennial Celebration video shooting..: When Tai Chi meets Peace. Venue: THEi Campus, 30 Luen Fuk Road, Kowloon Tong. Video Shooting Day -30th April 2017 (Sunday)..12:00 noon to 6:00 pmProgram: 12:00 noon - 3:00 pm . Learning Tai Chi in small group taught by Tai Chi Masters. 3:00 pm -5:30 pm. Video Shooting (The video will be broadcasted in Inter-City Meeting to RIP John Germ on 15 May 2017)
- The District Training Assembly will be on April 22nd. District Governor-Elect H.W. Fung will deliver his keynote speech and District focuses of his year of governorship. All incoming Presidents and club officers are highly encouraged to attend. The Rotary International theme for RY 2017-18 is "Rotary: Making A Difference". 08:30 Registration, 09:15 Program Starts 16:30 Program Ends

Fee: Each club is entitled to 8 free seats, \$300 per additional registrant Venue: Baptist University, 224 Waterloo Road, Kowloon Tong. Registration: Please kindly register with RIC asap. Please kindly provide name and e-mail address of each participant.

- On behalf of DGN Y. C. Ho, Chair of the District Awards Committee, please be reminded that the deadline for District Awards submission will be on 5 PM 5 May 2017.
- District Golf June 23. Contact Lewis Man at Lm@rcosh.org or Tobi Doeringer at td@rcosh.org

The Last Laugh - Drunk Husband

A wife was in bed with her lover when she heard her husband's key in the door. "Stay where you are," she said. "He's so drunk he won't even notice you're in bed with me."

Sure enough, the husband lurched into bed none the wiser, but a few minutes later, through a drunken haze, he saw six feet sticking out at the end of the bed. He turned to his wife: "Hey, there are six feet in this bed. There should only be

four. What's going on?"

"Nonsense," said the wife. "You're so drunk you miscounted. Get out of bed and try again. You can see better from over there."

The husband climbed out of bed and counted. "One, two, three, four. You're right, you know."



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- : Every Wednesday at 12:30 pm : http://hkie.rotary3450.org/

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