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Last Meeting - Club Installation



Meeting called to order 1:05pm. Members attending were:

P Rico Fung PP Jason Chiu Rtn Tony Loy Rtn Raymond Chiu DG Norman Lee PP Nancy Yee PDG Y.K. Cheng PP Gilbert Fung Rtn Chris Wang PP Leo Yu PP George Leung Rtn Mofiz Chan PP William Wong PP Jonathan Lamport Rtn Benson Ng PP Rudy Law PP David Li Rtn Bonnie Yeung PP Henry Chan PP Stacv Ho Rtn Peter Yeuna PP Tim Lui IPP Bernard Lee Rtn Eric Poon PP Hubert Chan Rtn Kevin Leung

Visiting Rotarians IPDG Keith Chow

P Anton Chan, RC of The Hub Hong Kong P Michael Lui, RC Happy Valley AG Brain Ho, RC Hong Kong Northeast

Guest of DG Norman Lee: Spouse Isa Hall, Vincent Chan, Sharon Lam

Guest of PP Nancy Yee: Kwan Ping Kan

Guest of PP David Li: Spouse Amy Li, Christian Li

Guest of PP Leo Yu: Spouse Sally Kwok

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 Outgoing President Bernard declared the meeting open. He asked IPDG Keith to come on stage to say a few words. IPDG Keith also recognized PDG Y.K., PP Leo and PP Stacy for taking up District positions in Rotary Year 2021-2022, and Outgoing President Bernard for the past year's achievements.

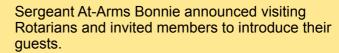
Outgoing President Bernard then proceeded towards his last remaining Presidential duty - to install Incoming President Rico as President of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East.





After the installation ceremony, President Rico presided over the rest of the meeting. His first duty was to recognize and pin Outgoing President Bernard as Immediate Past President. He then delivered his speech and introduced his Board Members. To minimize social contact, Incoming Directors pinning were not done on stage.

The first meeting of the Rotary Year of 2022-2023 at the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East started officially. This year President Rico introduced Rotary singing to our meetings. We all stood up and sang.





President also installed our new member, Sharon Lam. DG Norman is her sponsor and she was pinned by DG Norman too. Her classification is Banking. We all welcomed her as our first new member of Rotary year 2022-2023.



DG Norman was next to speak. With his dual role, both as District Governor and as Past President and Club Advisor of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East, he congratulated and encouraged President Rico and his board. He joked that District Governors usually have difficulties at their own club because the members know them too well. In reality, he knows we all are very supportive of President Rico's presidency and his governorship.

PDG Y.K. gave vote of thanks to IPDG Keith, IPP Bernard and DG Norman which was greeted in the usual Rotarian manner.



President Rico made club announcements, Sergeant At-Arms Bonnie announced the day's Redbox to be HK\$5,300.00 which included some exceedingly generous donations to mark the occasion.

Meeting adjourned at 2:00pm.

Rotary Information - Rotary Theme

Each January, as Rotary district governors-elect convene at the International Assembly for training and fellowship, they can be certain of two things: a lot of take-home reading and the announcement of a new RI theme.

The tradition of crafting a theme is credited to 1949-50 RI President Percy C. Hodgson, who outlined a list of four objectives for his term in office. Among them were the better application of the principles of vocational service and dedication to world understanding and peace through international service programs.

Though Hodgson's 83-word proclamation ran substantially longer than today's shorter, punchier themes, Rotarians' desire to celebrate and support their president's annual program of service has remained the same. Other early themes include Rotary Is Hope in Action (Joaquin Serratosa Cibils, 1953-54), Kindle the Spark Within (Nitish C. Laharry, 1962-63), and Good Will Begins with You (Ernst G. Breitholtz, 1971-72).

In the decades that followed, RI presidents introduced theme logos, lapel pins, ties, and scarves. Theme ties were introduced in the 1990s, and are now given out yearly. Many have incorporated the theme for the year. The first scarves showing the RI theme were designed by 1998-99 RI President James L. Lacy and his wife, Claudine, Follow Your Rotary Dream.

As we embrace our new Rotary Theme for 2022-2023, let's refresh ourselves with some of the shorter Rotary themes and their respective theme logos from the past.



1980-1981 Take Time to Serve Rolf J. Klärich



1985-1986 You Are the Key Edward F. Cadman



1986-1987 Rotary Brings Hope M.A.T. Caparas



1989-1990 Enjoy Rotary! Hugh M. Archer



1991-1992 Look Beyond Yourself Rajendra K. Saboo



1994-1995 Be a Friend Bill Huntley



2001-2002 Mankind Is Our Business Richard D. King



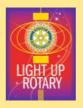
2003-2004 Lend a Hand Jonathan B. Majiyagbe



2007-2008 Rotary Shares Wilfrid J. Wilkinson



2008-2009 Make Dreams Real Dong Kurn Lee



2014-2015 Light Up Rotary Gary Huang



2016-2017 Rotary Serving Humanity John F. Germ

Happy Birthday to our Splendid July Birthday Members

9 July : Rtn Simon Ng



Virtual Rotary Exchange Online Interview with Mr. Kenneth Fok, JP



On 18 July, 2022, we complete the Virtual Rotary Exchange program last Rotary Year with our online interview with Mr. Kenneth Fok, JP. Questions from young programme candidates were organised and Mr. Fok was generous with his time and sharing.

The recording will be shared with the candidates and potential Rotary clubs who want to do their own Virtual Rotary Exchange program this year.

Little Life Warriors Society - "Seeds of Love - Going Beyond 20 Years"

To celebrate their 20th anniversary, Little Life Warrior Society will be holding a commemorative event, "Seeds of Love - Going Beyond 20 Years".

We will be joining the event not only to support them, but also to complete our service program with the Junioract Club of CCC Kei Wan Primary School (Aldrich Bay), bringing along hand written greeting cards and hand picked prizes and souvenirs from their "Living Hand In Hand" online event, coorganized with Little Life Warrior Society.



We will continue to find more ways to bring happiness to the courageous kids.

District Installation - 7 August 2022

District Installation Ceremony will be held on Sunday, 7 August 2022, from 4pm-7pm at the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Center. Many of us will be going, some with our spouse too. Let's all go and support DG Norman and President Rico.

For social distancing measures, there will be no official banquet afterwards, but we will be gathering for fellowship dinner after the ceremony.

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Meeting Venue
Meeting Schedules

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: Regal HK Hotel, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong : Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 12:30 pm

: http://hkie.rotary3450.org/