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**70th Anniversary
Celebration Committee**

PDG Y.K. Cheng

Today: Mr. Joe Liu - Vocational Talk, Architectural Interior Design

Last Meeting: 70th Anniversary Celebration Dinner



Our 70th Anniversary Celebration Dinner was a testament to the vision, collaboration, and sheer hard work that went into its planning. For over a year, our passionate Organizing Committee under the able leadership of PDG Y.K. Cheng had meticulously crafted an event that told our story.

From selecting the perfect venue to curating a program that touched our hearts, every detail has been thoughtfully considered.

As we raise our glasses in celebration, let us honor not only the past but also the boundless possibilities that lie ahead. Our commitment to service, fellowship, and goodwill remains unwavering. Together, we shall continue to be the beacon of hope, the catalyst for change, and the embodiment of Rotary's motto: "Service Above Self."

Greeting our Sister Clubs

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our sister clubs for coming to Hong Kong for our cherished 70th Anniversary Celebration. You are more than just fellow clubs; you are our family. Together we celebrate the memories we've created and the ones yet to be made.

Thank you for being part of our journey, and for making our Anniversary truly unforgettable. May our sisterhood continue to thrive and flourish.





Betty & Moses,
Jane & Andy,
Fellow Rotarians, friends, ladies & gentlemen,

I extend to all of you my warmest greetings on this auspicious occasion to celebrate the Platinum Jubilee (70th birthday) of the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island East.

I thank you for your presence, which means a lot to us.

We are honoured by the presence of our Guest of Honour Dr. the Honourable Moses Cheng, and Betty, and our District Governor Andy Li, and Jane.

Moses & Betty need no introduction. They are constituents of the Hong Kong Island East family. So a warm welcome indeed.

Hong Kong Island East received her charter from Rotary International on 6 April 1954. That was exactly 70 years ago. It reminds me of the immortal words of the Tang Dynasty poet, Du Fu, perhaps taken out of context: 人生七十古來稀, meaning reaching the age of 70 is traditionally viewed as rare and special.

We take this opportunity to honour the past, celebrate the present and embrace the future. This celebration will herald a new chapter for Hong Kong Island East.

Hong Kong Island East has indeed come a long way. We survived, we thrived; we thrived, we survived. We hope that the next 70 years will be just as fruitful and eventful as the last.

May I thank everyone who makes this celebration possible, notably key members of the Organising Committee, who worked very hard, with a dogged determination to ensure success. I know that I cannot ask for more.

In addition to this dinner, we are organizing exhibitions and musical performances in partnership with Church of Christ in China Kei Wan Primary School (Aldrich Bay) and the Mass Transit Railway Corporation. Please stay tuned for further details; we love to see you at these events.

Ladies & gentlemen, we have prepared a video on Hong Kong Island East. I hope it will interest you. We will be content if you can come away knowing more about Hong Kong Island East, and better yet, re-kindling the spark within you to serve others.

Have a wonderful evening. Thank you.
PDG Y.K. Cheng

Happy Birthday to our Splendid April Birthday Members

1st - PP Rudy Law, **10th** - PP Tajwar Shadikhan,
23rd - PP George Leung



Past Governor Moses & Betty,
Governor Andy & Jane,
Fellow Rotarians, friends,
ladies & gentlemen,

The privilege of being the last person to speak today is that what needs to be said has been said, and my remarks can afford to be short and crisp.

This is a wonderful evening. It reminds me of Confucius who said that 'it is such a delight to have friends coming from afar'. 有朋自遠方來，不亦樂乎？ Your presence at this celebration has given a vivid modern interpretation to this 2,500 year old statement.

Many of you here are our service partners. I thank you for the help and guidance you have rendered Hong Kong Island East in the last 70 years. We look forward to your continued support and collaboration in the many years to come.

For me, I cannot help but feel over awed by the enormity of this Rotary year being a milestone celebration year for Hong Kong Island East. I am humbled by this unique opportunity to lead this premier Rotary club and for the full confidence you have placed in me.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank very much our 70th Anniversary Celebration Organising Committee under the able leadership of Past Governor Y.K. Cheng for a job exceedingly well done. A round of applause to the Committee. We couldn't have done it without you.

To all of you: Enjoy our fellowship! Have a great evening!

President Rico Fung



Our 70th Anniversary Celebration activities will continue in April & May.

There will be 2 music performances, respectively, on Saturday 27 April at 1:00pm & Friday 3 May at 6:00pm by choir and orchestra of our Junioract Club, Church of Christ in China Kei Wan Primary School (Aldrich Bay).

The venue is the MTRC Hong Kong Station. Please access by the Douglas Street entrance/exit 'C' at 37/39 Des Voeux Road Central.

The above is jointly presented by our Club and the MTRC. Admission is free. Please join us and invite your friends and families to do so likewise.

Each performance will last for 45 minutes. Refreshment will not be served. More details including the program will be released shortly.

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Meeting Schedules : Every 1st and 3rd Wednesday at 12:30 pm
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