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DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



ROTARY:
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DIFFERENCE

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January 2018

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

Time flies and this message marks the completion of half of my year of Governorship.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all club presidents and district officers who have given me unfailing support, especially those of you who have organised very exciting and meaningful service projects and activities for me and other Rotarians in our district to participate and enjoy.

January is the month of vocational service. Two most relevant events have been organized during the month. One is the District Vocational Service Seminar led by the Rotary Club of Peninsula and held in mid-January, in which the Convener of the HKSAR Executive Council, the Honorable Bernard Chan, was invited to be the speaker. His insights into the political arena of the HKSAR, the leadership required, and whether and how such leadership could be developed among politicians and civil servants was eye opening experience for the audience. It was one of the most successful vocational service seminars we have ever had.

The above seminar was followed by a Vocational Service Award Gala Dinner organised by the Rotary Club of Kowloon Golden Mile. This event has stepped into its 17th year, and is one of the events most appreciated by the disciplined and medical services in the HKSAR, such as the Hong Kong Police Force, the Hong Kong Fire Services and the Hong Kong Hospital Authority. Every year outstanding personnel in the above services are selected because of their particularly impressive performance, and given the Vocational Service Award. The awardees were also invited to join the dinner, and share their stories with the audience, which are always touching and sometimes nerve-wracking because of the dangers they faced in delivering their services. A full house audience was in attendance as usual during the night!

The above events remind us of the emphasis of vocational service in the objectives of Rotary, and by giving proper recognition to those who deliver exemplary service, Rotarians tell the world how much importance is placed on the selfless services by Rotary.

Two very interesting sports events were also organized by our district during the month of January. The Blind Bowling Tournament was held on 21st January again by D3450 in collaboration with the Hong Kong Blind Sports Association (HKBSA). Each participating team consists of four players. Three of them are Rotarians or Rotaractors. The fourth one is a player from HKBSA who has impaired eyesight. The activity therefore not only gives many the chance to enjoy a fun day bowling, but also highlights cooperation between those with normal eyesight and those with impaired eyesight. The participants were particularly happy to be joined by the World Champions of Bowling from the Hong Kong Bowling Team, who demonstrated their somewhat magical bowling skills. It turned out to be another very successful bowling event within our district.

The other sports event was the annual District Golf Tournament, this time held in the well-known Fanling Golf Club. The golf field was fully subscribed with 20 teams of highly enthusiastic participants. On the day, 31st January 2018, there was heavy rain but no thunder. Our players had to finish their games soaked from top to bottom and at the same time challenged by very cold weather. I must salute all of the players as most of them finished all the 18 holes with pretty good results. Their persistence and perseverance was a great demonstration of the excellent Rotary spirit. The event ended with an award-studded lunch in which many went home with trophies and gifts in hand.

The month of January was finished with an amazing programme which has a very special vocational content, with the visit of a delegation from the China Academy of Launch Vehicle Technology Corporation (CALT), the base for the Chinese space programme. Three most interesting seminars were delivered by experts including the Chief Designers of rockets in China's space programme. Two of these seminars took place in secondary schools and one in the Tsim Sha Tsui District Hall. This was the very first time that an NGO like Rotary District 3450 had the opportunity of cooperating with the CALT in conducting seminars in Hong Kong. The programme has provided a wonderful opportunity for the youth and public to learn how the aerospace launch vehicle industry has grown so rapidly in China and also its significant implications in various aspects.

I hope what I have written above will help those of you who may not have the opportunity of joining some of the events to know better what other Rotarians in D3450 are working on/participating in, and the fun, excitement and interesting experience one may enjoy as participants or the audience. I am privileged to have been involved in all of the events and I look forward to meeting you in similar events in future.



HW Fung
2017-18 District Governor
Rotary International District 3450

8th Hong Kong Bowling Tournament for All cum 7th Hong Kong Blind Bowling Tournament 21 January 2018

Supported by the Labour and Welfare Bureau of HKSAR and co-organised by the Hong Kong Blind Sports Federation and Rotary International District 3450, the 8th HK Bowling Tournament for All cum 7th Blind Bowling Tournament was successfully held on 21 January 2018 at the HK South China Athletic Association Bowling Centre. Forty Visually Impaired Bowlers with other 130 bowlers from 25 Rotary Clubs, Rotaract Clubs and Organizations joined the competition. With 40 teams in total, it was a 3rd record high participation among visually impaired and able-bodied participants in the past 8 years.

We were honoured to have the following VIPs as our officiating guests at the opening ceremony: District Governor HW Fung, Ms. Vivien Lau, BBS JP, Vice-President of the Sport Federation & Olympic Committee of Hong Kong and Chairman of the Hong Kong Tenpin Bowling Congress and Mr. Roger Ngan, Chairman of Hong Kong Blind Sports

Federation. We were also excited to have 2017 World Bowling Team Champion Mr. Wu Siu Hong & his two bowling athlete comrades from the Hong Kong Elite Bowling Team joining us.

Taking this opportunity, I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to all the participants, members of the Organizing Committee and 40 volunteers from the Rotaract Club of Kwai Chung.

Congratulations to all winners!!

Looking forward to seeing you all again in January 2019

Yours in Rotary,
PP Andy Li
Rotary Club of Kwai Chung
Chair of HK Bowling for All Organizing Committee
Chair of District Fellowship Committee 2018



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Rotarian Individual Result				Rotaractor Individual Result			
No	Clubs	Name	Score	No	Clubs	Name	Score
1	The Peak Team 1	Gerald Lau	618	1	Kwai Chung Team 4	Keison	416
2	Metropolitan	Alex Lam	539	2	Kwai Chung Team 4	Vicky Wong	370
3	The Peak Team 1	Yip Ka Hay	531	3	Kwai Chung Team 4	Hobbes	350
4	Kwai Chung Team 1	Alcuin Li	494	4	New Territories 2	Anthony Chan	310
5	Kwai Chung Team 1	Kevin Mak	444	5	HK Sunrise	王家俊	306
6	Homantin Hill	Halim Basgarudin	435	6	Kowloon West	Tang Yiu Cho	299
7	City Northwest HK	Michael Lai	410	7	Kwai Chung Team 4	TO	297
8	Kwai Chung Team 2	Ronnie Chui	409	8	Taipo Team 3	Janice Poon	279
9	HK Island West	Steven Cheng	405	9	HK Finacial Centre Team A	Wicky	274
10	City Northwest HK	Kenneth Au	387	10	Taipo Team 3	TG	256
11	Kowloon Tong	Wilson Cheng	378	11	Kowloon West	Choy Pak Ning	249
12	Kwai Chung Team 3	Andy Li	377	11	HK Finacial Centre Team A	Janet	249
13	Taipo Team 2	Peter	373	13	City Northwest HK	Paco Chan	233
14	Kwai Chung Team 2	Ronald Cheung	365	14	HK Sunrise	沃大生	227
15	Shatin	Marco Chu	362	15	HK Harbour Team 2	Bonnie Sin	225
16	Mid Level	Kelly King	360	16	Taipo Team 3	Dexter Ng	222
17	DGBY Super Heroes	Norman Lee	356	17	HK Finacial Centre Team A	Vicky	213
18	DGBY Super Heroes	Keith Chow	353	18	HK Harbour Team 1	Tang Pui Him Ian	212
19	Kwai Chung Team 3	Keith Lai	350	19	Taipo Team 2	Fred So	203
20	Mandarin HK 2	李柏坤	343	20	Taipo Team 1	Wendy Chong	201
21	HK Island West	Michael Cheung	340	21	HK Harbour Team 2	Suki Kwok	200
22	Kwai Chung Team 3	Alexis Suen	339	22	HK Finacial Centre Team B	王雅琪	196
23	Homantin Hill	David Hunt	335	23	Kowloon West	Cheung Chi San	190
24	HK City North	Pheobe Poon	333	24	HK Harbour Team 1	Tsang Chun Ka Keo	188
24	The Peak Team 2	David Ko	333	25	HK Harbour Team 2	Melanie Lo	182
26	Kwai Chung Team 3	Yan Yan	332	26	Taipo Team 1	Tracy Wong	174
27	The Peak Team 1	Anthony Cheong	329	27	HK Harbour Team 1	Yuen Siu Wang	171
28	Mandarin HK 2	Jason Jin	322	28	Taipo Team 1	Justin Huang	168
29	Channel Islands	Candy Mok	315	29	HK Finacial Centre Team B	陳正倫	166
30	Kwai Chung Team 1	Adrian Tam	314				



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21 January 2018**

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Rotary Club Team Result			Overall Team Result		
No	Clubs	Score	No	Clubs	Score
1	The Peak Team 1	1856	1	新地義工TEAM力量 A	2129
2	Kwai Chung Team 1	1724	2	Gammon Construction	2058
3	Kwai Chung Team 2	1502	3	The Peak Team 1	1856
4	Homantin Hill	1465	4	新地義工TEAM力量 B	1849
5	Kwai Chung Team 4	1433	5	Kwai Chung Team 1	1724
6	DGBY Super Heroes	1406	6	大亞文具	1597
7	Kwai Chung Team 3	1398	7	HKU Team A	1505
8	Metropolitan	1358	8	Kwai Chung Team 2	1502
9	City Northwest HK	1320	9	Homantin Hill	1465
10	HK City North	1227	10	Kwai Chung Team 4	1433
11	HK Island West	1213	11	藝恒愛心行動	1409
12	Channel Islands	1172	12	DGBY Super Heroes	1406
13	Tsuen Wan	1169	13	Kwai Chung Team 3	1398
14	Mid Level	1161	14	Metropolitan	1358
15	Mandarin HK 2	1138	15	City Northwest HK	1320
16	HK Sunrise	1135	16	Mr. Alan Chan	1274
17	New Territories 2	1130	17	HK City North	1227
18	Shatin	1116	18	HK Island West	1213
19	Mandarin HK 1	1103	19	Channel Islands	1172
20	Taipo Team 2	1079	20	Tsuen Wan	1169
21	Kowloon Tong	1062	21	Mid Level	1161
22	Taipo Team 3	996	22	Mandarin HK 2	1138
23	HK Finacial Centre Team A	966	23	HK Sunrise	1135
24	HK Harbour Team 1	961	24	New Territories 2	1130
25	Peninsula	960	25	Shatin	1116
26	The Peak Team 2	901	26	Mandarin HK 1	1103
27	Taipo Team 1	871	27	Taipo Team 2	1079
28	New Territories 1	751	28	Kowloon Tong	1062
29	Kowloon West	738	29	Taipo Team 3	996
30	HK Harbour Team 2	730	30	HK Finacial Centre Team A	966



2018 District Golf Tournament Hong Kong Golf Club (Eden Course) 31 January, 2018

On a cold and rainy Wednesday morning of 31 January, 90 Rotarian golfers and guests were arriving at the Hong Kong Golf Club, getting ready for the 2018 District Golf Tournament held at Eden Course. The Organizing Committee welcomed everyone at the entrance and handed out souvenirs and Polo shirts to all participating golfers. At 8:20am, the golfers were ushered to the Eden Hole No. 1 to attend the Tee-Off Ceremony.

District Governor HW Fung came to officiate the ceremony. On delivering his welcoming remarks, he thanked everyone attending this year's District Golf Tournament. Chair PP Andy then thanked DG HW Fung for coming to the ceremony even though he is a non-golfer. He also thanked all official sponsors FootJoy, Taylormade, cash sponsorship from Rotarian Tomas Leong and watches sponsorship from Rotarian Gary Lau (Rotary Club of Kwai Chung), PP Peter Lam (Rotary Club of Taipo) of Kam Lun Tailor who donated the Polo Shirts for all golfers, in particular DG HW Fung who sponsored HK\$20,000 Cash for the

Shot-gun Tee Off of the tournament. Chair PP Andy was grateful to all the Organizing Committee members for their hard work this year, especially thanks to Vice Chair PP Simon Chan (Rotary Club of Peninsular) for organizing the Golf Tournament and PP Francis Au (Rotary Club of Taipo) for arranging the trophies, prizes and backdrop. After the Master of Ceremony PP Francis reminded all golfers of the rules, DG HW, PP Andy, AG Abraham and PP Simon were invited to tee off with some smoky golf balls.

The District Golf Tournament began at 8:30am, more than 40 golf carts carrying the golfers to their start off Hole to begin with their quest for the 46 trophies and consecutive prizes ready for them. It was an amazing organizing ability of the District Golf Committee to enable all flights to tee-off at the same time.

Everyone enjoyed the day of golfing and fellowship and the awards were presented at the lunch in the Golf Club House. The major winners of the awards are listed as follows:

<p><u>Gross: Club Team</u> Champion: RC of Kwai Chung (Team A) 1st Runner up: RC of HK City North 2nd Runner up: RC of The Peak</p>	<p><u>Gross: Individual</u> Champion: PP Frankie Lam (RC of HK) 1st Runner up: Lot Tat Man (RC of Soho HK) 2nd Runner up: Simon Cheung (RC of Shouson Hill) Champion: (Non Rotarian): Mr. Lenny Chan</p>
<p><u>Net: Club Team</u> Champion: RC of Kowloon West 1st Runner up: RC Kwai Chung (Team B) 2nd Runner up: RC of Hong Kong</p>	<p><u>Net: Individual</u> Champion: PP Bobby Chung (RC of Kwai Chung) 1st Runner up: PP (RC of Kowloon West) 2nd Runner up: CP Chris Tsang (RC of Soho HK) Champion (Non Rotarian): Mr. Allan Tsang</p>
<p><u>Longest Drive</u> Man: PP Frankie Lam (RC of Hong Kong) Man: Simon Cheung (RC of Shouson Hill) Lady: Gillian Lai (Non Rotarian)</p>	<p><u>Nearest to Pin</u> Man: CP Patrick Poon (RC of HK Harbour) Man: Jimmy (Non Rotarian) Lady: ---</p>

2018 District Golf Tournament
Hong Kong Golf Club (Eden Course)
31 January, 2018

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Area 4 Walkathon 7 January 2018

Area 4 Walkathon 『扶輪第四地域慈善行』 was held on 7th January 2018 at The Wu Kwai Sha Youth Village. Over 200 participants attended the walk with approximately 50 children from underprivileged families. The event was officiated by District Governor H.W. Fung and Dr Ko Wing-man GBS, JP, Former Secretary for Food and Health of Hong Kong. Artist Alfred Hui (許廷鏗) was also invited as the charity & health ambassador 慈善健康大使. Charity funds raised from the Walkathon were donated to the charity service partners of the Rotary Clubs in Area 4.



**Aerospace Seminar
27-28 January 2018**

When we participated in a China Affairs course in Beijing in May 2017, we had the opportunity of visiting the China Academy of Launch Vehicle Technology Corporation (CALT), the base for the Chinese space programme. It is state-owned and has a number of subordinate entities which design, develop and manufacture a range of spacecraft, launch vehicles, strategic and tactical missile systems, and ground equipment.

Apart from being part of the former China Aerospace Corporation, CALT provides commercial launch services to the international market and is one of the world's most advanced organisations in the development and deployment of high energy propellant technology, strap-on boosters, and launching multiple satellites atop a single rocket.

CALT experts were invited to deliver seminars in Hong Kong to introduce their experience that may inspire the youth in our communities, which would be useful for attendees to consider this kind of industry as career or appreciate how successful of aerospace development is in China. Hence, a delegation, including Professor Wang Wei, and Long

March rocket Chief Designers Dr. He Wai and Dr. Yun Ye. arrived on 26 January 2018 and three seminars were held on 27 and 28 January 2018.

The first seminar was held in the Rotary Secondary School with 600 students who were eager to raise questions. The second seminar was organised in Tsim Sha Tsui District Hall joined by over 600 people in the community. The final seminar was moved to Po Leung Kuk Tong Nai Kan Junior Secondary College, where the delegation was surprised by the amazingly interactive discussion they had with the students. The event has provided a good platform for the youth and public to acknowledge how the aerospace launch vehicle industry has grown rapidly in China.

Special thanks must go to the Deputy Director General of Kowloon Sub-Office of the Liaison Office of the Central People's Government in the HKSAR, Ms. Wang Xiaoling, who has kindly assisted us to organize and present the above extraordinary programme to the community.



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DG Visit to RC Kowloon West



DG Visit to RC Homantin Hill



58th District Conference 3rd OC Meeting



JCI Inauguration



7th DMC



RC Star Avenue 1st Anniversary Gala Dinner



7th JPM in Macau



DG Visit to RC Shouson Hill



DG Visit to Chinese People's Association for Friendship with Foreign Countries in Beijing



Rotary Club of Hong Kong Financial Center 11th Anniversary



DG Visit to E-Club of Lantau



DG Visit to RC Peninsula South



Rotary HK Ultramarathon 2018 Press Conference



DG Visit to RC Kowloon Tong



District Vocational Service Seminar

Top 10 Highest Average Attendance Percentage by Club in Dec 2017

Area	Club	Average Attendance Percentage
2	Queensway	86.00%
3	Happy Valley	85.00%
5	HK Northwest	82.00%
7	Peninsula South	79.00%
2	Central	78.57%
6	Kwai Chung	73.00%
5	The Peak	72.00%
5	City Northwest HK	68.00%
6	Shatin	68.00%
4	HK North	64.00%

Upcoming Events

<p>International Assembly, San Diego, California, USA</p> <p>14-20 Jan 2018</p>	<p>The HK Bowling for All cum HK Blind Bowling</p> <p>21 Jan 2018</p>	<p>Golf Tournament</p> <p>31 Jan 2018</p>	<p>Rotary Alumni Association Charter Night & First Rotary Scholar Sharing Dinner</p> <p>1 Feb 2018</p>
<p>DTTS</p> <p>3 Feb 2018</p>	<p>Rookie Star Dance Contest 2018</p> <p>4 Feb 2018</p>	<p>PETS I</p> <p>3 March 2018</p>	<p>Rotary HK Ultramarathon 2018</p> <p>4 March 2018</p>