

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- 17th October - Visit to St. Theresa Children's Home, Kota Kinabalu
- 24th October - Rotary Foundation Seminar
- 31st October - Career Guidance Exhibition and Seminar, Keningau
- 30th Nov. - Cleft Lip project in Cambodia

PP Datuk Dr. Johnson Tee

There is a complaint of water supply problem from the gravity feed water project at Kg. Lapasan. Rtn. Vincent Chua have been requested to look into this and revert back to club asap.

Rtr. Dennis Koh – Rotaract Club of Likas Bay

On behalf of our President and members, I would like to thank you for your sponsorship of RM500 for the Rotaract District Conference to be held in Kota Kinabalu.

May I request Rotarians to assist in our membership recruitment by giving name of potential members from their staff, children and children's friends



Rotaractors and Rotarians, led by President Chu Lai, IPP Soon Lan, NGS Chair Gwen Vu and others at the Buka Puasa visit at the Likas Disabled Home. In addition to donating much needed necessities, the Rotaractors also helped to beautify the surrounding area.

G E L O M B A N G

THE WEEKLY BULLETIN OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF LIKAS BAY

The Future of Rotary is in Your hands

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



While our neighbouring countries had suffered the tragedy of typhoon, flood and earthquake, we in Malaysia have been spared all of these calamities. Unicef, Mercy and many relief workers and medical personnel are there to provide shelter and food and medical care. Tents provided by Unicef are used as temporary schools in Sumatra. Our district 3310 are also lending a hand financially.

October is Vocational month. Our club have been active in our Career Guidance project to rural schools over the last 15 years. This year's seminar will be held in Keningau on 31 October, where we last held the seminar in 2005. Some of our members will be going to the schools in Keningau to promote this seminar but I would like to see more members going along. Encouragement is oxygen to the soul, we need to see the encouragement of the members on this project.

Continuing education is important even in Rotary. We also look forward to the Rotary Foundation seminar which will be held on the 24th October. I urge all members to attend and learn about the latest development on the Rotary Foundation.

"Hope sees the invisible, feels the intangible and achieves the impossible." - Helen Keller

Happy Anniversary ...
IPP Chua Soon Lan and Kevin on 8th October

Speaker Finders

October	
October 07	PP Tsen Kui Loi
October 14	PE Michael Tong
October 21	PP Dr. Johnson Tee

A GUIDE TO DAILY LIVING

Before doing the things we want to do, consider first, the precept of the guide. Ask yourself these 4 questions and act upon them:

- First : Have I spent some time to self examination?
- Second : Have I spent quality time with my family?
- Third : Have I given my best to my work?
- Fourth : Have I given some time to someone near and far?

CONTRIBUTIONS

	RM
Sunshine	48.00
Donations	
Fines, etc.	

DUTY OFFICERS are expected to arrive early to ensure that everything has been prepared for the meeting, to welcome visitors and guests and collect Sunshine Fund and Fines.

07 October
PP Dr. Johnson Tee
PP Tsen Kui Loi

14 October
Rtn Gwen Vu
PP Michael Wan

Sanitation system (which is under phase 2) – Rtn. K.H.Lim will approach BHP for sponsorship of steel structure and claddings for the toilets.

Rtn. Yvonne Tan - Please sign up the activity list that is now being circulated to confirm your participation on the official opening of the mini-library at St. Theresa Children's home in Kota Marudu on 17 October, 2009. Please bring your spouse and children . Still need some more reference books or cash to buy extra books. Please let me know if you can donate this.

In conjunction with this , a golf game will be arranged after the opening ceremony at Kudat Golf Club. Rtn. Aldrin Wong will announce the details. All Rotarians and their family are encouraged to stay overnight in Kudat for fellowship.

IPP Esther Chong & Rtr. Jason Ho of Rotaract Club of Likas Bay cordially invite all Rotarians and spouses to attend their lovely baby girl's full moon celebration on 9 October, 2009 at Supertaker Restaurant. Please confirm your attendance as per activity list now being circulated.

Vocational Service Chair Rtn. Ho Shi Yin (as reported by Rtn. Aldrin Wong)

Vocational Career Guidance Exhibition at Keningau on 31 October, 2009 – 11 Exhibitors confirmed, 2 declined and 10 more to be confirmed. Letter to schools will be sent by 1 October, 2009.

Require at least 5 teams (2 per team) of Rotarians to visit the 22 secondary schools located in Tambunan, Keningau, Nabawan and Tenom on Thursday 8 October, 2009 departing 8.00am so as to confirm their participation. So far Pres. Chu Lai, Rtn. Woo Soo Poo, Rtn. Charlie Tan, Rtn. Aldrin Wong, G3 and Rtn. Yvonne Tan confirmed going. Rotarians who are free on that day, please lend a hand and let me know. If you do not wish to drive, we can arrange a driver for you.

Rotary Foundation Chair – PP Oh Chu Vun

Understand that Rotary Foundation Seminar organized by Rotary Club of KK South will tentatively be held on 24 October, 2009.

Appeal to members to contribute generously towards our club's commitment of US\$1,000 in support for the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation matching grant to eradicate polio.

PRESIDENT'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

President Chu Lai welcomed Rotaractors and Rotarians before making the following announcements:-

Our DG Datuk Md. Latip have called on clubs in our district to donate generously for the flood victims in Philippine. May I request our club to support this. After discussion among members present during the meeting, our club have agreed to donate US\$500 from our Sunshine fund towards this flood relief fund.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Club Administration Chair- Dtk. Dr. Ghandi Das

The speaker, PP Arul is unable to speak to us tonight as his wife has taken ill, so Rtn. K.H. Lim is going to speak. Next week's speaker finder is Rtn. C.C. Wong.

The new contract between the hotel and our club has been finalized. Terms and conditions remain the same as per previous contract. A big thank you to Rtn. Peter Lim for his assistance on this matter.

Sport Convener – Rtn. Aldrin Wong

3rd Mingo Cup tournament have been fixed on this Saturday 3 October, 2009 7.30am. at the SGCC. So far 12 players confirmed. Those who are able to participate, please let me know after this meeting so that I can arrange the flight booking.

Service Project Chair – Rtn. Charlie Tan

All Sub-committee Chairs are requested to get ready their reports for the BOD on 1 October, 2009. Those who are unable to attend, please forward your report to me so that I can report on your behalf.

Community Service Chair- PP David Kong

Gravity Water Feed project at Kg. Timbangoh Laut, Penampang – a progress meeting was held on 30/9/09 between the village working committee and ourselves. So far the work progresses well and we will arrange to deliver the balance materials.

DATE OF MEETING : 30 September 2009

Name	On	At	For
PP Chio CL	16/9/09	Vocational visit to Holy Family Home	30.09/2009
Rtn V Chua	16/9/09	Vocational visit to Holy Family Home	30.09/2009
Rtn Ho SY	2/10/09	Vocational Seminar Meeting	30/09/2009
Rtn CP Lim	16/9/09	Vocational visit to Holy Family Home	30.09/2009
PP Tsen KL		CLP Committee Meeting	30/09/2009
Rtn Woo SP	2/10/09	Vocational Service Com.Meeting	30/09/2009
Rtn S Yeh	16/9/09	Vocational visit to Holy Family Home	30/09/2009

PREVIOUS WEEKS' REVISED FIGURES

Date	Membership	Present	Make-ups	Rating %
09/09/09	43 (37)	28	5	89.20%
23/09/09	43 (37)	25	5	81.00%

THIS WEEK

Date	Membership	Present	Make-ups	Rating %
30/09/09	43 (37)	24	7	83.80%

VISITORS

Mr Liew Shin Khen	- Guest of Rtn Yvonne Tan
Dinnis Kho	- Rotaract Club of Likas bay
Sophia Wan	- Ann of PP M Wan
Set Moi	- Ann of PP CV Oh
Naomi Lee Datin	- Ann of Dtk Lee Chuen Wan
Lan Nyuk	- Ann of PP P Chong
Christina	- Ann of George Ligonjang
Mun Mun	- Ann of Aldrin Wong
Yvonne Hiew	- Ann of PP Hiew CW

Presiding	-	President Wong Chu Lai
Secretary	-	PP Chang Erh Ling
Treasurer	-	Peter Yapp
Sergeant-at-Arms	-	George Ligonjang
SaA George rang the bell and called the meeting to order and President Chu Lai led the singing of the Negaraku, and proposed a toast to the health of His Majesty the King.		



September birthday boys celebrating their birthdays during our club meeting.



A lovely catch of groupers ready for steaming!

Deep-sea fishing can be hard work when you have a sizeable fish on the other end of your rod.



Rtn K H Lim giving a talk about deep-sea fishing off Pulau Mengalum.



Some of our RotaryAnns listening to the talk on deep-sea fishing.