



# Wah Yanites



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 49th Annual General Meeting

by Ashley Cheng

Date: 29 June 2018 (Friday)

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Venue: The Chinese Club, 14th Floor, 21 Connaught Road, Central, Hong Kong

You are cordially invited to the 49th Annual General Meeting of the Wah Yan (Hong Kong) Past Students Association, which will take place on Friday, 29 June 2018 at 6:30 p.m. on 14/F of the Chinese Club, 21 Connaught Road, Central, Hong Kong. A dinner reception will be held after the Annual General Meeting at 7:30 p.m. at HK\$400 per head. Please reserve your ticket with Mr. Patrick Sum on 9700-1226 or [patricksum.92@wyhkpsa.org](mailto:patricksum.92@wyhkpsa.org).

### Direct Subsidy Scheme (DSS)

by Principal Y. L. So

With the formal stakeholders' survey done after two rounds of consultation, the DSS exploration which spans over two and a half years is now in its last phase. While there had been heated arguments, seemingly unbridgeable divergence of views, rows occasionally being made public, and even some actions or words which may seem to be excessive at times, we believe that this is just part of a process of open-minded and in-depth exploration.

With extraordinary transparency, attention not just to broad principles but also to meticulous details of actual context, numerous opportunities for communication and debate, and ample time for consideration, culminating in a rigorous stakeholders' survey, it is hoped that stakeholders regardless of views will see the whole process as a journey from mere impression to genuine understanding, conflict to compromise, narrow interest to collective good, and divergence to unity. Having gone through the issues thoroughly and taking into consideration views of different stakeholders, we now come to a point when we need to find an optimal solution that balances different concerns and aspirations. Once this is done, all in the Wah Yan community can then cast our differences along with the uncertainties aside and move forward together to continue furthering the Jesuit vision for education at WYHK, serving young men in Hong Kong in the best way possible.

For details, please visit <http://web.wahyan.edu.hk/> -> 'DSS Consultation'

## REPORT

### Report of Reunion Dinner 2017

by Nelson Ng

The annual Reunion Dinner 2017 was successfully held on 9 November 2017 at the School Hall of Wah Yan College, Hong Kong. This time, with the Reunion Dinner held especially for the old boys with graduation years ending with "7", it had attracted over 300 guests comprised of Fathers, School Principal, old and current teachers, alumni with graduation years spanning from 1967 to 2007, fresh graduates in 2017, as well as Council members and Past Presidents from WYPSA – A record high in number. It is also our pleasure to meet some notable guests, including Professor Anthony Fung Ying-him (馮應謙) from the Chinese University of Hong Kong and Actor Kevin Cheng Ka-wing (鄭嘉穎), both are in the graduation year of 1987. Undoubtedly, everyone had enjoyed the Reunion Dinner in this jubilant atmosphere. It was glad to see so many teachers and friends rejoicing and chatting together after such a long time. What's more, to celebrate their 30th anniversary after graduation, the Class of 1987 had even reserved the school's rooftop classroom for a relaxing cocktail session before the Reunion Dinner started. Let's work together and make the bonding of Wah Yan to grow stronger and broader!

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## Below is a diary and brief outline of major PSA events/activities for the term 2017-2018:-

2017	2018
16 Jun 48th AGM.	13 Jan Fr. Deignan's 90th Birthday Celebration Concert at Queen Elizabeth Stadium. PSA provided man power to assist organizing and Alumni Choir performed on stage.
13 Jul Meeting Mr. Naresh Gupta, secretary of World Union of Jesuit Alumni, Ms. Irene Cheung, Principal of Colegio Mateus Ricci (利瑪竇中學) from Macau, Mr. Samuel Tang, Chairman of Colegio Mateus Ricci Alumni Association, and Mr. Chan Chip Wa, Director of Macao Polytechnic Institute Alumni Association (澳門理工學院校友會理事).	17 Jan Annual Chinese New Year reunion with retired janitors.
16 Jul Alumni Choir performed at the School Annual Concert 2017.	19 Jan Mentorship Programme – A career fair for 100 WYCHK and 116 MSS students.
21-23 Jul International Reunion 2017 held at San Francisco. Video conference arranged by PSA for Fr. Deignan and Fr. Coghlan at Ricci Hall to chat with delegates in San Francisco.	21 Jan Team up with Wah Yan One Family Foundation to participate in the Standard Chartered Hong Kong Marathon to raise funds for sports development for the two Wah Yans.
29 Sep Annual dinner cum prize presentation for the 18th Wah Yan Football League.	31 Jan Lunch with Past Presidents and Immediate Past Presidents of overseas chapters.
12 Oct Mentorship Programme - matching session for mentors and mentees.	2 Mar Attended WYKPSA's Spring Dinner.
26 Oct Lau Ho Fung, Wong Timothy Bryan Co and Yuen Hei Shun Adam were selected to become Students of the Year.	15 Mar Spring Dinner at Metropolis Restaurant with over 250 participants.
29 Oct Kick-off of the 19th Wah Yan Football League with 38 teams competing in three divisions.	24 Mar Education Fraternity gathering with discussions on moral, civic and national education.
2 Nov Yuen Hei Shun Adam was chosen as Student Ambassador of 2017-18.	20 Apr Mentorship Programme – CV writing workshop for our students.
9 Nov Speech Day cum Graduates' & Reunion Dinner with close to 350 participants.	27 Apr Attended WYKPSA's 50th anniversary dinner.
13 Nov PSA golf tournament.	14 May Launched Alumni Manager election for 2018 – 2020. Registration of candidates started.
18 Nov Jesuit Fathers' Birthday Party at WYK School Hall.	24 Jun Alumni Manager Election Day.
22 Nov Annual dinner of the Medical Fraternity with 12 tables of participants.	29 Jun 49th AGM.
23 Nov Drinks gathering for the Finance Fraternity with over 90 participants.	30 Jun Mentorship Programme – interview workshop to help WYCHK and MSS students.
1 Dec Attended School's Foundation Dinner.	
9-12 Dec Supervised the filling of questionnaire survey of stakeholders' views on the latest DSS Proposal of WYHK, and witnessed and confirmed the survey analysis and results.	
13 Dec Form 6 students' recruitment day as PSA student members.	
15 Dec PSA mentors' Christmas Drinks Party with mentors from Marymount Secondary School Alumnae Association – a function for social networking and recruitment of new mentors.	

### 18th Wah Yan League Football Tournament (WYLFT)

The 18th WYLFT has come to the end. Thank you for your support and effort to make it happen!! Below are the final results:

	S-League	A-League	B-League
<b>Champion</b>	SPANNERS (WYK 85'-91')	FAT X (WYK 01'-06')	Friends (WYHK 91'-95')
<b>1st Runner-up</b>	WYHK78-82&85 (WYHK 78'-85')	DELAY (WYK 97'-03')	Drinking United (WYHK 03'-08')
<b>2nd Runner-up</b>	Da Da Dui (WYHK 83'-94')	WY2K (WYK 00'-05')	Europa 900 (WYHK 98'-99')
<b>Top Scorer</b>	LI Kai Fung (81) WYHK 78-82&85 - 9	NGAI Tsun Yan (06) FATX - 14	LI Kwan Ho Clement (07) Drinking United - 9

# Chairman's Report 2017-2018

It was my honour to be elected as Chairman of the Council on 16 June 2017 after serving the Council for 17 years. It was a mission for me to lead the PSA to work along her objectives.

Various Interest Groups have been established over the years, including Finance Fraternity, Legal Fraternity, Medical Fraternity, Football Club, Basketball Club, Table Tennis Club, Golf Society, Yoga Club, Wine & Dine Club, Good Shepherd Club, Students of the Year Society and Alumni Choir etc. Various gatherings and events have been held by these Groups. Recently, the Education Fraternity has been formed and we saw the beginning of the mushrooming of the Psychologists' Fraternity.

The Mentorship Programme remains an important task for the PSA to help current students. Mentors/mentees matching meeting, CV and personal statement writing workshop, career fair and interview workshop have been held with highlights being Joint School Programmes co-host with Marymount Secondary School Alumnae Association. A Christmas drinks party has also been organized to promote friendship for the mentors!

Lau Ho Fung, Wong Timothy Bryan Co and Yuen Hei Shun Adam were selected to become Students of the Year and Yuen Hei Shun Adam was chosen as the Student Ambassador of 2017-18.

The WYHK Alumni Choir have made various performances, including those at the School's Annual Concert at Tsuen Wan Town Hall, at Fr. Deignan's 90th birthday Concert at Queen Elizabeth Stadium and during the Spring Dinner.

The PSA has actively helped Wah Yan One Family Foundation to organize a team of over 100 members to participate in the Standard Chartered Marathon to raise funds for sports development for both Wah Yans.

The PSA hosted a dinner for the current graduates after the Speech Day, which also fostered the 10xth cohort graduates to reunite, making the hall packed with a record high of about 350 participants.

Spring Dinner was held in March 2018 at Metropal Restaurant in Admiralty. The turnout was also exceptionally high and the evening was enjoyed by alumni across generations.

The PSA has assisted our Alma Mater in dispatching the consultation arrangements for the Direct Subsidy Scheme to our alumni and witnessed the impartial survey for gathering of opinions from various different stakeholders.

The PSA has helped to promote the "Tin Shui Wai Project" aiming at teaching English and Chinese to under-privileged students and ethnic minorities in Tin Shui Wai and other remote areas.

The PSA has made a beautifully designed Centennial Edition Chronograph Watch in a special collector's gift box with over 1,000 pieces sold via Facebook. Limited quantities will be sold to students at a reduced price when the next school term commences. Two sums of money, HK\$80,000 and HK\$320,000, being part of the proceeds of sale of the Centennial Edition Chronograph Watch, have respectively been injected into the "MPF Fund" to assist school contract staff members who are not eligible for the Government-funded *Provident Fund*, and the "General Fund" to sponsor current students' activities.

The PSA has conducted an Alumni Manager election. Upon approval by the Incorporated Management Committee, the candidate elected will be appointed as Alumni Manager from September 2018 to 2020.

The PSA is a member of the Preparation Committee for the 100th/95th anniversary of WYHK and WYK, with the theme of the celebration as "Transcending 100 (穿越百年, 同步納新)" and the objectives "Service, Companionship and Renewal". The following six major events are being worked on:-

- Guinness World Record setting at WYK (distributing "Lucky bags" 福袋 to the elderly) (Sep 2019)
- Musical Performance by students of the two Wah Yans (Oct 2019)

- Gala Dinner (on or about 30 Nov 2019)
- Mass of Thanksgiving (on or about 3 Dec 2019)
- Education Forum (April 2020)
- Variety Show (July 2020)

I feel saddened for Fr. Mallin leaving us on 1 April 2018 but the good news is he should be watching us in Heaven.

I am delighted with the three Council Members having their weddings during this term - Johnson Lam, Felix Wai and Adrian Hon have been pronounced "Men For & with Another"!

It was a busy, exciting and challenging 12 months for me. There are long term tasks yet to be completed by my talented successors. A Members' Communication Sub-committee, headed by Willie Cheng and Ivan Lam, is to review and explore ways to keep our members' database up-to-date and enhance our communication networks and channels. An E-payment Sub-committee is led by Brian Tsui to explore efficient payments and deliveries of PSA souvenirs to our local and overseas members as well as bookings and payments for future meetings or functions.

I wish to express my sincere gratitude to our Advisors and Past Presidents for guiding me along. I particularly want to thank my fellow Council Members, Conveners of the different Interest Groups, Clubs and Fraternities for their unflinching effort and precious time in bringing this term with fruitful, successful and amazing results. I also want to thank our alumni and current students who have participated/joined in our events and activities and I hope you are happy, satisfied and will continue to support the PSA. Finally, I wish the PSA continues to prosper under the good hands of her future administrators – *thru the Centenary and beyond!*

**Tang Kwok Hong, Peter (78)**  
**Chairman, WYHKPSA (2017-18)**

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