

WYKPSA CIRCULAR

by Wah Yan College Kowloon Past Students' Association Limited

15th Wah Yan Football League Cup

The finale of 15th Wah Yan Football League Cup was successfully held on 26 July 2014. The team HOW TO FIND YOU (WYK'01) has tasted their first Championship by beating the team SUNDAY DROGBA (WYHK'03) with a convincing win of 3-1.

*Congratulations to the Champion –
HOW TO FIND YOU (WYK'01)*



STUDENT AMBASSADOR SCHEME

Trip to Vancouver

Every year, the Past Students' Association will select a student ambassador which will be delegated with the task of visiting our overseas alumni chapters during summer vacation. This year, Wat Tsz Chun, Timothy from class 5W has been selected as the student ambassador and has visited the alumni chapter in Vancouver in July. The following is the report from Timothy:

After crossing the Pacific for more than eleven hours, Spencer (WYHK) and I finally landed safely on the territory of Canada. It was indeed a pleasant flight. Plus, it was my honor to meet the first officer, Dave, before leaving the cabin. Dave was so nice that he let me take

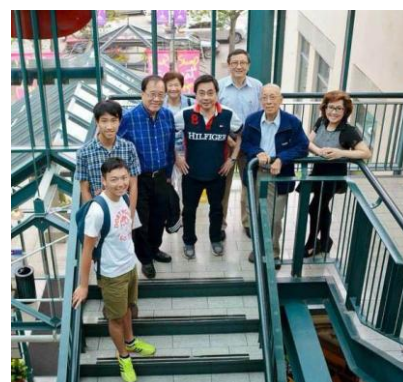


pictures in the cockpit. Besides, he explained the functions of each equipment. At last, we even took a selfie.

During the whole trip, Mr. Lawrence Chan (WYK'72), President of the Vancouver Chapter, acted as our host. Lawrence was extremely caring throughout the journey. For instance, he arranged a well-designed schedule for us. Apart from that, his wife Michelle has taught us a lot, especially about religious belief. Residing in Lawrence's apartment, I was assigned to stay in his daughter's bedroom (she was finishing her PhD in Boston at that time). Talking about the room, I was amazed by my first sight not only because of the enormous periodic table jigsaw puzzle hung on the wall, but also due to the ceiling covered with fluorescent star-shape stickers. Being a science student, the room had driven me to crazy.

There are several unforgettable events I would like to share. The first thing is definitely our one-day cycling tour

in Stanley Park. It is a thrilling experience for both of us since we were biking alone. After picking up our bicycle from the shop (which the shop owner is our alumnus), we were required to plan the route on our own. Furthermore, we were riding in a place where we were not familiar with, hence, we had the opportunity to communicate with local pedestrians and nurture our problem-solving strategies. At last, we succeeded to ride from the park to an island called the Granville Island through the Burrard Bridge.



Spending more than a week on this harmonious domain, we returned to Hong Kong on 22 July. I would like to express my deepest gratitude to the Wah Yan College, Kowloon Past Students' Association for giving me such an opportunity to visit the Vancouver Chapter and learn from our seniors, this is the intrinsic bonding among Wahyanites. As what the old saying goes, sweet is the memory of distant friends. I will definitely remember what I have learnt and explored in Vancouver.

Wat Tsz Chun, Timothy
Student Ambassador
2013-2014

Updates from School

A. Performance in the HKDSE:

- (i) Number of 5* or above:

2012	2013	2014
86	132	146

- (ii) Chinese, English, Mathematics & Liberal Studies (minimum requirement for University admission)

(%)	2012	2013	2014
Chinese (level 3+)	65.4	73.1	75.7
English (level 3+)	96.2	95.1	98.3
Maths (level 2+)	98.4	96.7	98.3
L.S. (level 2+)	89.7	97.8	99.4

- (iii) Chinese, English, Mathematics & Liberal Studies

(%)	2012	2013	2014
Chinese (level 4+)	33.0	39.0	41.8
English (level 4+)	70.3	66.5	78.0
Maths (level 4+)	65.9	63.7	74.0
L.S. (level 4+)	34.1	53.3	70.1

- (iv) Overall Results

(%)	2012	2013	2014
Core subject at 3322 or above	62.4	71.4	74.6
Core subjects at 3322 or above, with two electives at level 2 or above	61.6	68.7	71.2
Core subjects at 3322 or above, with two electives at level 3 or above	55.7	63.7	66.7
Level 2 in 5 category A subjects	91.9	92.9	96.6

B. Performance in Music

66th HK Schools Music Festival

Events	Awards
1. Senior Mixed Choir	Best Mixed Choir of the year
2. Intermediate Boys Choir (Foreign Language)	Champion
3. Intermediate Boys Choir (Chinese Language)	Champion
4. Oratorio-Secondary School Choir	Champion
5. Madrigal	Champion

C. Performance in Sport

(i) Inter-School Championships

Events	Awards
1. Tennis	2 nd Runner-up
2. Ice-Hockey (A Grade)	2 nd Runner-up

(ii) Sports Teams in Division 1 or Open Championships

- a. Athletics
- b. Swimming
- c. Football
- d. Tennis
- e. Ice-Hockey
- f. Water Polo
- g. Badminton
- h. Cross-Country

Mr Eric Wai Wing Yin has been appointed as the new Vice-Principal of Wah Yan College, Kowloon.

Mr Wai joined Wah Yan in 2003, he is the current chairman of Biology Panel.

Ms Lowe Won Jing Erica has been appointed as the Chairlady of English Panel.



Grass Football Pitch Redevelopment Project

Opening Mass for New Grass Pitch

The redevelopment project of grass football pitch will be completed before September, an opening mass and would be conducted in mid-September. A friendly football match would be followed by the opening mass!

ALL ARE WELCOME!

Date: **20 September 2014 (Saturday)**

Time: **02:00pm**

Venue: **Grass Pitch**



WYK Grass Football Pitch Redevelopment Project



The view of new grass pitch

16 August 2014

Credits to Edward Cheung ('07)



Laying the first roll of turf

29 July 2014

90th/95th Anniversary Celebration



Enrollment NOW!!

Please find the appeal letter, enrollment and donation form signed by Fr. Stephen Chow, Fr. Alfred Deignan and Principals of two Wah Yan from :



<http://www.wykpsa.org.hk/wp-content/uploads/2014/07/Appeal-letter-final.pdf>

Past Librarians Association

The PLA organized a reunion on 12 July 2014 (Saturday). A visit to the WYK library and a dinner gathering were held. Miss Christina Tai, former teacher librarian and about 20 past librarians graduated in the 1980's to 2000's joined the event.



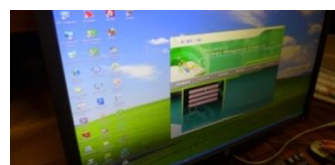
WYK library used to be the home for all the school annual journal – The Shield



Date stamps for showing loan period and the filing box



Old catalogue record



The new library management system running in Windows. Computerization of the catalogue system was introduced in 1994. WYK was one of the first batch of school to adopt the technology



Digital corner of the library



Inside the library



Alumni News

It Is A Girl!

Cheung Yin Cheong, Stanley 張彥昌(class of 1997), one of the vice-chairmen of PSA, had a baby girl born at HK Baptist Hospital on 18th July 2014.

Congratulations!!



An Accident Involving an Alumnus

Ho Chun To, Ronald, 何鎮濤 graduate of class 2002, and his wife Priscilla, were seriously injured in a serious car crash at the countryside of Christchurch in New Zealand while on their honeymoon in Sept 2013. They were trapped in the rented car and luckily saved in time by a farmer passing by. (The accident was reported in one of the local news <http://www.stuff.co.nz/national/9196591/Teen-frees-stricken-tourists>).

Ronald had a broken leg while his wife suffered more serious injuries, including acute traumatic brain injury and multiple fractures of the spine and the limb bones, She was admitted into the ICU of Christchurch Hospital. Multiple surgical procedures were performed by different surgical specialists - neurosurgeons, general surgeons orthopaedic surgeons and maxillo-facial surgeons. She was finally discharged from hospital in May 2014. Flying back from New Zealand in late June, she was admitted to Queen Mary Hospital and subsequently MacLehose Medical Rehabilitation Centre. She is now on a long course of slow recovery.

Deeply touched by all supports of sincerity, Ronald would like to express his thanks and gratitude to everyone involved in helping out, financially or spiritually. He also appreciates all medical advice and experience sharing during the difficult moments over the last few months.

Get Well Soon!!



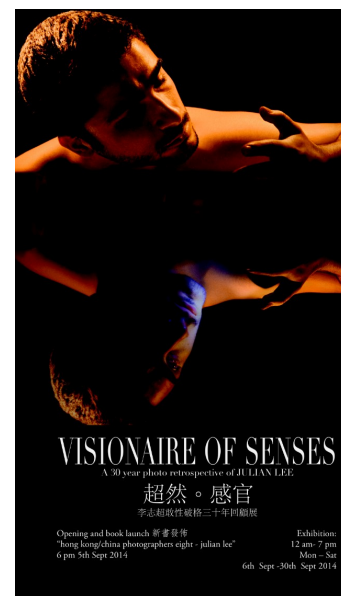
Photographic Exhibition of an Alumnus

Lee Chi Chiu, Julian (李志超), graduate from the class 1978, is going to hold a photographic exhibition -

Visionaire of Senses

at the CMC Gallery 3/F, Run Run Shaw Creative Media Center, City University of Hong Kong, 18 Tat Hong Avenue, Kowloon Tong from 6th till 30th September 2014.

The exhibition is open from 12 noon to 7 p.m.



Football Jersey

WYKPSA will produce the second batch of Football Jersey and is available for order now.

Deadline: 10 Sep 2014

Please bank in the sum to the WYKPSA's bank account directly and send the order form with the bank-in slip/bank transfer slip to wykpsafig@gmail.com.

Collection of jersey will be arranged during Exco Meeting of the WYKPSA. Exact date to be notified when stock is ready.

For order form, please go to --

<http://www.wykpsa.org.hk/football-jersey-2nd-batch/>

