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Newsletter

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Words from Chairman, 2018-19

This is Eric Lai (class 97), chairman of Wah Yan College Past Students' Association (WYKPSA), 2018-19. Thank you for subscribing the first issue of our Newsletter!

WYKPSA was established in 1968, and we just celebrated our 50th birthday; this year marks a new beginning of PSA. It is my honour to be chairman in this very special year, witnessing another stage of growth and flourishing of PSA.

In this year, both Wah Yan Colleges are preparing vigourously to celebrate their 100th and 95th birthdays in 2019-2020. PSA is working together closely with the school and Wah Yan community. We are engaging ourselves in various projects to help make the celebrations meaningful.

Another major event coming soon would be Mr. Keung Yiu Ming's retirement party. Donning the role as a bridge between PSA and the School for decades, we appreciate his wholehearted effort on helping PSA in various aspects.

While looking ahead, PSA will not forget its good traditions and root. Inheriting the education philosophy of Jesuit education – 'Men for and with Others', we will firmly adhere to our objectives: to serve and support the school, students and Wah Yan community at large.

Should you want to get the most updated information on the school, students' developments and activities of PSA, please stay tuned for our Newsletters which will publish regularly.

Finally, I would like to express warm gratitude to members of the Editorial Board for their efforts on connecting the whole Wah Yan community!

A List of ExCo Members, 2018-19

WYKPSA Executive Committee 2018-19

Honorary President	Chung Wai Leung	Warren	1979
Immediate Past President	Yu Chun Sing	Sam	1983
President	Chow Yiu Ming	Raymond	1988
Vice-President	Wong Shun Kin	Ken	2001
Chairman	Lai Chun Yue	Eric	1997
Vice-Chairman	Wai Yiu Tong	Gabriel	1994
Honorary Secretary	Wing Chung		2003
Honorary Treasurer	Yip Chung Ki		2001

Members

Name		Remarks	Name		Remarks
Lau Wai Hung	1975		Law Wai Kei, Ernest	1997	
Fong Wing Hong, Monty	1983		Wong Kai Yu, Anthony	1997	
Chan Yiu Pun, Jimmy	1984		Chan Yuk Lung, Bryan	2000	
Ho Yiu Cheung, Gareth	1984		Chong Hin Wang	2002	
Ko Ka Shun, Karsen	1994		Chan Ka Kit, Chris	2003	
Lam Fung Ngai	1994		Chan Pak Woon, Victor	2003	
Chan Chi Fung	1996	Resign in Jul	Lam Chi Hoi, Alvin	2003	
Chan Ngo Fung	1996	Resign in Jul	Tse Yu Chi	2003	
Chan Yung Fei	1996		Lam Ka Tsun	2004	
Chiu Lorenzo	1996		Poon Cheuk Bun, Benny	2004	
Chong Kwok Lam	1996	Resign in Jul	Wong Chun Yu	2004	
Kwok Chun Yu	1996	Resign in Jul	Yeung Wan Yui, Curtis	2005	
Kwong Kar Ho	1996		Shieu Tsz Wang, Karl	2006	
Leung Chun Wing, Caleb	1996	Resign in Jun	Li Yin Pok, Chris	2007	Resign in Jun
Wong Hiu Man, Herman	1996	Resign in Jun	Chiu Yu Kiu, Gabriel	2008	
Chan Shing Kin, Ken	1997		Gee Chun Hang	2013	
Cheung Chuen Yih, Amos	1997		Lam Cheuk Fung	2013	
Cheung Yin Cheong, Stanley	1997		Park Chun Yu, Patrick	2013	

Alumni Manager Election

As at 4 May 2018, only one valid registration for WYK Alumni Manager election 2018, which was filed by Mr. Hui Cheuk Kit Frederick (1996 F.5 graduate), had been received by the Election Committee of WYKPSA.

According to the election regulation, in the event that there is only one eligible candidate to run for the election, that candidate will be automatically elected as Alumni Manager. The election result was formally endorsed by the WYKPSA Executive Council in the ordinary meeting on 10 May 2018. He would take up this duty from 1 September 2018 onwards.

Retirement Party for Mr. Keung Yiu Ming

WYKPSA is organising a farewell party for Vice-principal Mr. Keung Yiu Ming on 31 August, who has been serving WYK faithfully since 1981.

Date : 31st August, 2018 (Friday)

Time : 7:00 p.m. Reception / 7:30 p.m. Party

Venue : WYK School Hall

Dress code : Informal, but NO Manchester United jersey!

Charge : HKD350 per working adult; HKD150 per full-time student.

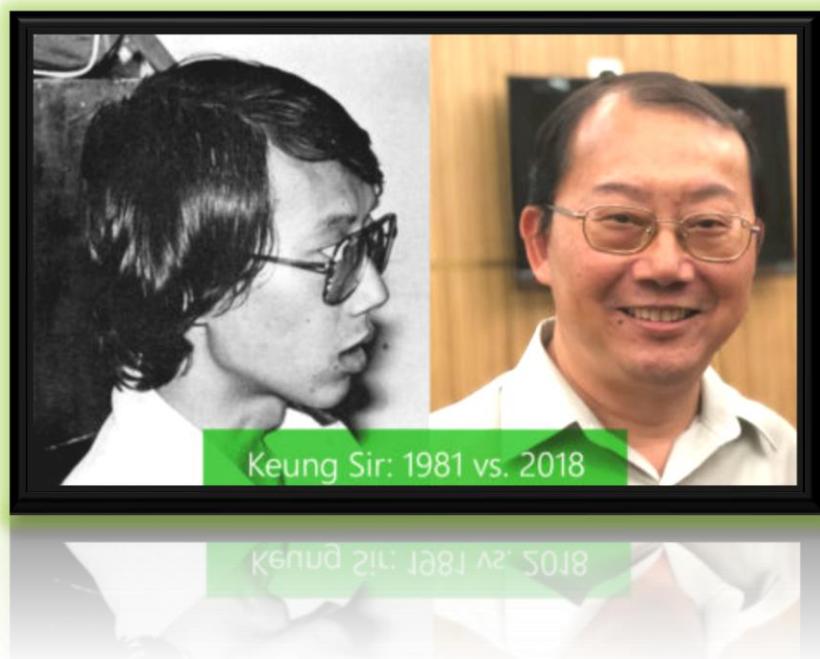
RSVP. Please respond before 31st July 2018 by email at

keung_retiring@wykpsa.org.hk

Please provide your full name, year of graduation (F.5) and phone number.

Registration is on a first-come-first-served basis.

Mr. Keung Yiu Ming and PSA are looking forward to sharing happy moments with you on that day!



(Photo courtesy: Mr. Keung Yiu Ming)

An Update on Father Naylor's Health Condition

在今年 5 月底，Fr Naylor 因為再次栓塞性中風入院，經廣華醫院及聖母醫院的悉心治療後，Fr Naylor 於六月底已康復出院並回到九龍華仁神父宿舍 308 號房生活。

雖然現在 Fr Naylor 行動不便、嚴禁飲食及說話很細聲，但他依然可以跟朋友及舊生見面。

在護理團隊二十四小時的照顧下，Father 每天下午都會在學校走廊曬曬太陽，又或者在神父宿舍飯堂聽聽音樂。大家日間有時間都可以去探望一下 Fr Naylor。



(Photo courtesy: Billy Wong)

Alumni Sharing

As invited by Careers Master, Mr. K. K. Lee, three alumni from class 97 (Dr. Amos Cheung, Mr. Eric Lai and Dr. Bede Leung) delivered a sharing session on university interview skills on 31 May at the School Hall. It is hope that this session could maximize the chance of all Wah Yan students to get into universities, in case if there is an interview.



Dr. Amos Cheung (class 97), clinical psychologist, is sharing his tips and observations on “Interviews: Dos and Don’ts”, with specific reference to the Social Sciences departments. (Photo courtesy: Mr. Eric Lai)

F.6 Graduate Dinner

The F.6 Graduate Dinner was held on 24 June at Marco Polo Hong Kong Hotel (TST). Representatives from PSA were invited to join the Dinner. PSA recruited 101 new members in that evening. Please join PSA in wishing all of them all the best for their future!



*All students, guests and staff of Wah Yan received the above money clip as keepsake
(Photo courtesy: Mr. Eric Lai)*



Sitting at the Head Table, facing the stage (Photo courtesy: Mr. Eric Lai)



Principal Mr. Warren Chung (second from the left) and representatives of PSA, Mr. Gabriel Wai (class 94, vice-chairman), Mr. Eric Lai (class 97, chairman) and Mr. Ryan Wing (class 03, Honourary Secretary). (Photo courtesy: Mr. Eric Lai)



F.6 students enjoying happy moments. A question: which class are they belonging to? (Photo courtesy: Mr. Jason Wong)



A photo speaks more than a thousand words: Students expressing gratitude to teachers and Principal. (Photo courtesy: Mr. Jason Wong)

Medical Fraternity: Doctors NEED a Break!

Some senior members of the Medical Fraternity had the monthly medical alumni lunch on 5 July 2018. Should you are a doctor, and want to join the Medical Fraternity, please feel free to email Dr. Lau Wai Hung (class 75) at lau.parkes@gmail.com.



(Photo courtesy: Dr. Leung Chi Hang, Betrand)

Back (from left to right): Dr. Leung Chi Hang, Betrand (class 79), Dr. Ng Tsz Ki (class 83), Dr. Shea Tat Ming (class 82), Dr. Leung Wai Ching, Ambrose (class 84), Dr. Ng Ka Kui, Philip (class 79)

Front (from left to right): Dr. Lau Wai Hung (class 75), Dr. Leung Tsz Ching, Vincent (class 65), Dr. Tsoi Chi Wah, Danny (class 76)

Education Fraternity: Calling for Members!

PSA is planning to activate the Education Fraternity. If you are a teacher / lecturer in primary / secondary / tertiary education level, please feel free to email Ryan Wing (class 03) at ryan860326@gmail.com, and join us! Getting together, having fun, chit-chatting from time to time.... Let's spice up our lives!

Sharing the Joy of WYHKPSA AGM cum Dinner

Representatives of WYKPSA were being invited to WYHKPSA's AGM cum Dinner which was held on 29 June 2018. Mr. Willie Cheng (class 80) was being elected as chairman of WYHKPSA (2018-19). Warm congratulations to Willie! WYKPSA will work closely with him in the coming year.



Dr. Thomas Tsang (class 83, first from the left) and Mr. Willie Cheng (class 80, third from the left) are President and Chairman of WYHKPSA (2018-19) respectively.

(Photo courtesy: Mr. Eric Lai)

Brotherhood Solidarity

The Chairman, Vice-chairman and Honourary Secretary joined lunch with Past Chairmen and senior ExCo members on 13 July. Full of laughter, and lots of fond memories evoked! Warm thanks are due to Mr. Alfred Lam (Class 1970), past chairman and our legal advisor, for his sharing and unconditional care for PSA!



*From Class 70 to Class 03: Different generations of alumni connected!
(Photo courtesy: Mr. Eric Lai)*

Back row (from left to right):

Gabriel Wai (class 94, Vice-chairman),

Eric Lai (class 97, Chairman),

Ryan Wing (class 03, Honourary Secretary)

Front (from left to right):

Tom Ho (class 81, Past Chairman and Alumni Manager),

Alfred Lam (class 70, Past Chairman and Legal Advisor of PSA),

*Lau Wai Hung (class 75, Honourary Advisor of WYK Parents' Association and
ExCo member of PSA),*

Sam Yu (class 83, Past Chairman)

Obituary

A man in grace

A grace it must be for Stephen Choy 蔡致中 to ascent from Diocesan Boys' School Primary Division to WYK in 1979. Wearing a smiling face, a joyful character, always being unpretentious, a shade of shy – he was the first-former to grow and develop his love of God and others in the College of the Sacred Heart in Kowloon.

Stephen was a gifted singer, pianist, and an all-rounded musician. Classical works, oldies, Cantopop – he loved all. We both played the cello part of our School Hymn which was the debut performance by our first string orchestra in 1983. He was the leader of our English Debate Team, and a committee member of the Joint School English Debating Society. He was destined to be a friend of mine for a lifetime.

Stephen commenced his studies in medicine in the University of Hong Kong in 1986. He strived to understand, and questioned every clinical sign. Memorising lists of unrelated items, which was my pastime, was not quite agreeable to him. But then, medicine was meant to be dry in that stage of learning. A medical student's academia was bound to be mediocre if he insisted to understand the underlying mechanisms before committing anything into synapses between his grey cells.

There has only been one examination in an open-book modality – immunology. Without having to memorise unconnected pieces of knowledge, this man shined, and attained the highest score in his class of merely 150 students.

Stephen is a devout Catholic. He served as the Treasurer of the Catholic Society (Katso) of the University of Hong Kong for two terms, in 1986-87 and 1987-88. The friendship of Stephen and I brewed into full maturity then. Two men also found their dream girls concomitantly.

Once jumped out from the crate of medical school, Dr Choy could finally learn by his hands. His might flourished. He became a Member of the Royal Colleges of Physicians in the United Kingdom, a Fellow of the Hong Kong Academy of Medicine in internal medicine, and a Fellow of the Hong Kong College of Cardiology.

Dr Choy was a cardiologist in Princess Margaret Hospital, where he has been serving the public unceasingly for 25 years. His expertises were transthoracic and transoesophageal echocardiography. He was versatile in numerous percutaneous transluminal cardiac procedures and pacing.

Beyond the bounds of the hospital, Dr Choy was a servant of the community. He contributed actively to the educational programs of the Hong Kong College of Cardiology. He also assisted in running self-help groups for patients with heart diseases and their families.

Dr Choy took leave temporarily in peace on 24 June 2018. He is survived by his faith, and by his wife, his daughter and son. He has joined the majority. We shall all join him. Until then, he will be fondly remembered by his beloved ones, physicians whom he trained, and patients whom he healed. He remains being – a man in grace.

Antonio Chuh 許晏冬 (WYK 1984)



*Dr. Stephen Choy (in white shirt) and Antonio Chuh (in dark suit)
(Photo courtesy: Antonio Chuh)*

Keep in touch with us by downloading the WYKPSA mobile app!



To improve communication, strengthen engagement among all our graduates, students and friends of Wah Yan, the WYKPSA mobile app is now available for downloading from App Store and Google Play. This app is free-of-charge and you will receive the latest news, upcoming events, exclusive offers and more from the app.

Scan the QR code below to download the app now! What are you waiting for?!



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<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=hk.edu.wyk.psa>

Still not a member of WYKPSA?

If you would like to join the WYKPSA as life members, please send the completed application form to "Wah Yan College Kowloon Past Students' Association Ltd., c/o Wah Yan College, 56 Waterloo Road, Kowloon".

The application form and payment method can be downloaded here:
<http://www.wykpsa.org.hk/benefits/>.

WYKPSA souvenirs

Take a glimpse at our souvenirs! If you are interested in ordering any of them, please feel free to place your order by sending email to enquiry@wykpsa.org.hk.



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