

# NEWSLETTER

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## CENTENARY THANKSGIVING MASS

The Centenary Thanksgiving Mass, themed “Amare et Servire” (To Love and To Serve), took place at the Hong Kong Catholic Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception on 27<sup>th</sup> June 2025. This Mass marked the finale of our Centenary celebrations.

The theme “Amare et Servire” emphasizes the core values that have guided our journey at Wah Yan for over a century. Love and service have always been the cornerstone of our school’s legacy, and this celebration renews our dedication to embodying these



## AMARE ET SERVIRE

values in our school and daily lives, both now and in the future.

We extend our heartfelt appreciation to Cardinal Stephen Chow, S.J., the Catholic Bishop of Hong Kong, as well as to our former School Chaplain and Supervisor, for serving as the Principal Celebrant of the Mass.

We are also profoundly grateful to all our guests who joined us for the Mass. Your presence and support throughout our

Centenary journey have been invaluable. These events would not have been possible without your love, encouragement, and steadfast commitment to the school—for the Greater Glory of God.

Let us continue to share the spirit of love and service with future generations of Wah Yan and the broader community, glorifying and praising the Lord through our actions.



# RECENT EVENTS



## CENTENARY BOOK SHARING SESSION

The Centenary Book 《百年樹人 立己同行：九龍華仁書院百年印記》 sharing session was held successfully on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2025.

The school invited alumni from different era, including a descendant of the founding principals as well as former teaching staff to share touching moments of campus life and memories.

The book contains three years of hard work and perseverance, by interviewing over 300 Wahyanites across generations (with the most senior ones graduating in the 1950s).

The Chinese and English versions of the Centenary Book is now available at Commercial Press. Thank you for your support.

**E-shop price:**  
**HKD\$161.5**

**Original price:**  
**HKD\$190**

**Order**



FORMING ONESELF, ACCOMPANYING OTHERS,  
NURTURING TALENT OVER A CENTURY

## 立己同行 百年樹人

A CENTENARY JOURNEY WITH YOUTH FOR A HOPE-FILLED FUTURE  
WAH YAN COLLEGE, KOWLOON, 1924-2024  
九龍華仁書院百年印記 1924-2024



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**Century Legacy:** Solemnly remembering the arduous founding of the school;  
500+ voices chronicling Wah Yan College Kowloon's campus evolution,  
educator devotion, and student growth through a century of educational mission.  
**世紀銘傳：**嚴謹銘刻九龍華仁創校峰巒；500+ 師生口述承載校園變遷、  
師者奉獻與學子成長，見證教育初心之實踐，啟迪未來，愈顯主榮。





## GRATITUDE IN THE GLOW



A Special Event — Gratitude in the Glow was held on 12<sup>th</sup> July 2025. This show utilizes projection mapping to showcase the campus, principals, and significant events of Wah Yan College, Kowloon, over the past 100 years, celebrating the journey toward its 101st anniversary.

As we honor the achievements of our past, we also look forward to the future with hope and determination.



May God illuminate our path into the next century, guiding us as we continue to inspire and empower the generations to come.

Full Video





## SPEECH DAY 2025

Speech Day 2025 was held on 12th July 2025. This year, the school invited Fr. José Mesa, the Secretary for Education of the Society of Jesus, as the Guest of Honor.

Fr. José's trip to Hong Kong was sponsored by WYKPSA.

Fr. José addressed the graduates with words that resonated deeply – in a new era of uncertainty, we must navigate the challenges ahead with a new level of solidarity and a commitment to the excellence of the heart and soul.



The chairman of WYKPSA, Paul Chan (Class of 2007), took the stage to present the WYKPSA Award. This award recognizes outstanding contributions and achievements of current students.



In addition, two dedicated teachers were honored with the Long Service Award for their remarkable commitment to education.

Mr. NG Ka Lok Alex and Mr. LI Ngai Hong

were both recognized for their 30 years of service to the school, demonstrating unwavering dedication and passion for their students and the educational mission.



**WYKPSA and school representatives' lunch gathering with Fr. José and Fr. Koko.**



## HONG KONG SCHOOL ICE HOCKEY LEAGUE

The 2024/25 Hong Kong School Ice Hockey League Final Game took place on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2025. In an exciting showdown, Wah Yan College, Kowloon faced off against Wah Yan College, Hong Kong in the gold medal match.



After a thrilling contest, WYK Ice Hockey Team emerged victorious, securing the championship title.

Congratulations to the players and coaches for their hard work and dedication throughout the season!





## HKDSE RESULTS DAY

The school is pleased to announce that our Class of 2025 keeps persevering through – our top scholar achieved 5\*\* in five subjects, 5\*\* in M2, plus 5\* in 2 subjects.

For Music, of the 5 students (ie 2.8% territory-wide) nailing a perfect score of 5\*\* this year, 2 are from WYK.

For overseas university offers, this year, we are very glad to see our student securing an unconditional offer from the National University of Singapore (NUS) with a full-ride scholarship.

Other remarkable conditional offers include Cambridge, LSE, UCL, and Imperial College.

For this cohort, their school life may have been riddled with obstacles – experiencing class suspension caused by a range of factors including the pandemic since S1.

However, it has also been marked by the development of a shared resilience that will serve them well as they embark on their next chapters.



**WYKPSA Legal Fraternity held a dinner gathering in July 2025.**

**Feel free to contact Bosco Cheng (Class of 1997) at 9535 4581 if you wish to join the group.**

## WAHYANITES REUNITE CE MEETS JIMMY O. YANG

Hong Kong Chief Executive John Lee (Class of 1975) hosted renowned comedian Jimmy O. Yang (WYHK) during his recent visit to the city, with the pair bonding over their Wah Yan College days.

Joining the duo at the gathering was Commissioner for Belt and Road (一帶一路專員) Nicholas Ho Lik-chi (WYHK), who was O. Yang's classmate.

The recent meetup was announced by O. Yang's management company, CAA, along with pictures of the three of them using Wah Yan One Family mugs.



# NOTICES & UPDATES

## WAH YAN PACEMAKER X 跑去你屋企 CHARITY SUMMER RUN

Wah Yan Pacemaker is back with an NGO, Run To Your Home (跑去你屋企) for another season of summer runs — with purpose.

Join us for ~8km weekend (and some weekday) runs across HK, linking donor homes and spreading good vibes.



No entry fee. Run, donate (if you'd like), or both! All proceeds go to Wah Yan One Family Foundation. Donations over HKD100 are tax-deductible.



WY PACEMAKER 2025

## SUMMER RUN



ft. 「跑去你屋企」

CHARITY SUMMER RUN



Led by KK (Kelvin Ko, H92), 6-star marathoner running in thanks to every supporter. All donors will receive a special gift!

Registration









## WAH YAN SAILORS VISIT TO

# MARINE POLICE ABERDEEN BASE

參觀香港仔水警基地

-  Date: 9 August 2025 (Saturday)
-  Time: 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM
-  Location: 28 Shum Wan Road
-  Quota: 25 participants



SIGN UP FORM

Please sign up via the QR code. Please feel free to contact Jerry (+852 9876 5128) or by email (wahyansailors@gmail.com).

## WAH YAN SAILORS MARINE POLICE ABERDEEN BASE VISIT

Wah Yan Sailors invites you to a rare, behind-the-scenes tour of the Marine Police Aberdeen Base 香港仔水警基地– a unique chance to see Hong Kong's marine law enforcement up close!

**Date:** 9<sup>th</sup> August 2025 (Saturday)

**Time:** 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM

**Location:**

Marine Police Aberdeen Base, 28 Shum Wan Road, Aberdeen

(Exit C, Wong Chuk Hang Station)

**Quota:** Only 25 spots

(Priority for Wah Yan students & teachers)

**Fee:** Free of charge



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