

DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S MONTHLY NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2019



DG MESSAGE 總監的話

November was a fruitful month that our district organized numerous events. In addition to Hong Kong, the district resolution committee had launched two consultation sessions in Macau and Mongolia. Members from whole district got chance to know more about the new DG election system. After hearing the comment from various members, the committee is going to issue a consultation paper soon for further discussion.

Several district training seminars were hosted in November. District Foundation Committee held the GSM on November 2 with over 120 participants. All participants learned sophisticated knowledge about foundation and grant applications. The district PI committee also organized a PI seminar in Macau on November 23. Members not only got more understanding to rotary image but also learned skills at photo taking, public image, fashion style and so on. All these are beneficial to promote rotary public image.

DG visits were in full swing in November. Up to the end of November, we finished 101 club DG visits. The visits enhanced mutual understanding between district and clubs. AGs and district officers will follow up the issues discussed during DG visits so as to strengthen our district.

November was a busy month for club services. I pitched in a number of services projects, such as the elderly body check joint project by Rotary Clubs of KGM, HK Sunrise, Guangdong-HK-Macau Greater Bay Area; elderly fun gathering of Rotary Club of Kowloon Tong; painting contest for children of Rotary Club of Manhattan HK; official visit to Correctional Services Department by area 11 and so on. I believe there will be more and more social services in the coming months that make great impact to our community.

We kept continuous connection with our young generation in November too. By joining the Joint university base rotaractor high table night, we got valuable opportunity to communicate with our young generation. I expect more youth work will be carried in the following months.

Our connection was not only limited to our district. With a team of 50 members, we attended the Manila Zone Institute 2019. We got a memorable experience to connect with members from other districts namely the Philippines, Thailand, Indonesia, Taiwan, Malaysia, Singapore, Pakistan, Bangladesh and so on. Our members participated at plenary and breakout sessions that enhanced our rotary knowledge. During the cultural night, we got cultural exchange performance and connected with the world. I myself had an unforgettable memory to sing on stage. All participants from our district and other countries joined my performance joyfully. We sang and danced together.

Furthermore, I was glad to represent our district to have connection with other organizations. It was my pleasure to join the ESG forum on November 27 at BP International. During the forum, I not only promoted rotary to other participants but also got valuable ideas from other organizations that will be useful to our district development. I believe our clubs are well connected and updated with social trend, like the concept of ESG.

Last but not the least, November had a sad news to announce. With deepest grief and sorrow, our beloved PDG Johnson Chu passed away peacefully on November 18. We express the sincere condolences and deepest sympathies to the family of PDG Johnson. May he rest in peace! We all will never forget the contribution of PDG Johnson to our district.

承接10月的動力，我和地區團隊在11月裡，繼續全速展開各項活動。

- 地區議案委員會分別在澳門和蒙古國就選舉地區總監舉辦諮詢會
- 地區扶輪基金委員會於11月2日舉行了撥款管理研討會，有超過120位社友參加，認識扶輪基金和學習如何申請撥款
- 地區公眾形象委員會於11月23日在澳門舉辦了公眾形象研討會，與社友分享建立正面形象的秘訣和拍照技巧
- 連結社友：繼續總監拜訪扶輪社活動，至今已經拜訪過101家扶輪社
- 連結社區：我與各扶輪社友投入各式各樣的社區服務活動，包括長者體檢、長者樂聚、兒童繪畫比賽、拜訪懲教署等
- 連結新世代：本月，我參加了大專院校為基礎的扶輪青年服務團晚宴
- 連結世界：我和50位社友參加了2019年馬尼拉地帶講習會，與來自菲律賓、泰國、印尼、台灣、馬來西亞、新加坡、巴基斯坦、孟加拉等地的扶輪社友交流，享受友誼

11月18日，摯愛的前總監朱梓焜安詳辭世。願逝者安息、家人節哀。他曾為地區作出許多貢獻，讓我們永遠懷念他。



PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE DECEMBER 2019

Source: RI Website

There is no experience quite like attending the Rotary International Convention. Discover the true spirit of aloha and Rotary with your family, friends, and fellow Rotarians from 6 to 10 June in Honolulu. It is the perfect setting for the entire family of Rotary to celebrate, collaborate, and connect.

There are two types of people who enjoy visits to Hawaii — those who have never been to the islands and are about to have unique and wonderful experiences, and those who have had those Hawaiian moments etched into their memories already and cannot wait to create some new ones.

The convention is the best place to find and share your aloha, which you will soon discover is much more than a greeting. Just as Rotary is a way of life for Rotarians, aloha is a way of life for Hawaiians — one that focuses on living in harmony, being patient, treating everyone with respect, and sharing joy with your family, or 'ohana.

Our host committee has arranged some fabulous events for you and your family. This includes a Hawaiian Culture and Lunch Boat Cruise, a two-hour tour that will feature spectacular views of Diamond Head, Waikiki, and the Kahala Gold Coast. On board, you can learn to play the ukulele, take part in hula dancing, and create your own Hawaiian flower lei.

You will also have the opportunity to enjoy a full range of island hospitality events, from small backyard picnics to multicourse family meals. There will be fantastic service projects to see, including two ancient Hawaiian fishponds. And a sunrise Walk for Peace will take place at the beautiful Ala Moana Beach Park, a 3-mile stroll in the shadow of the iconic Diamond Head crater.

Inside and outside the convention halls, we are going to hold the most family-friendly convention in Rotary history, including a family-centered opening ceremony and family-focused events in the

House of Friendship. The opening session will, of course, include our traditional flag ceremony.

Our 2020 convention will also be a time to celebrate Rotary's historical ties to the United Nations. As I mentioned in my November message, June 2020 will mark the 75th anniversary of the signing of the United Nations charter. On the day before the start of the convention, Rotary and the UN will host our fifth joint event of 2019-20, one focused on environmental sustainability.

In addition, we are planning the greenest convention in Rotary history — and I will share more details about this in the months ahead. But now, go to riconvention.org and click the REGISTER button right below the Honolulu Hawaii 2020 logo. Early registration discount pricing ends 15 December, so do not delay.

Rotary Connects the World in no better way than at the Rotary Convention. Bring your family to meet our family. See you in Honolulu!

無與倫比的體驗 - 2020國際扶輪年會

國際扶輪社長梅隆尼邀請各位社友參與2020年6月6日-10日於夏威夷舉行的國際扶輪年會。除了連結社友親朋，亦可以『Aloha』方式分享友誼、和諧、包容、尊重和愉悅。社友在旅途上，可以盡享豐富地道美食、暢遊群山峻嶺和優美海岸景色。大會亦安排社友拜訪當地社區服務項目，包括兩個古代遺留下來的養魚塘。今年國際年會正藉聯合國憲章簽署75周年大日子，國際扶輪和聯合國將於6月5日，攜手舉辦2019-20年度第五項大型活動，重點宣揚保護環境。



Mark Daniel Maloney
President 2019-20



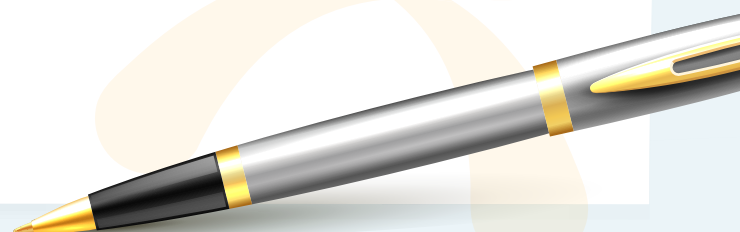
DGN Election System Consultation and Pre-Q Assessment Update

Dear Rotarians,

Many of you have approached me and asked about the DGN election arrangement this year including the Pre-Q assessment. Here is an update. The District Resolution Committee has been working hard on the district consultation and we are on track with the time-table for a district resolution on the future election system. While the Pre-Q assessment is not mandatory and is currently under review, I have requested the PDG Council to continue with the process as a service to those Rotarians who have declared their candidacy for the DGN election and are keen to seek improvement from the feedback of the Pre-Q assessment.

The first round of assessment is tentatively set on 8 January 2020. Please let me know if you wish to take the Pre-Q assessment. I shall advise you the final arrangement, once made.

**Yours in Rotary,
DG Wilson Cheng**





THE DISTRICT ROTARY FOUNDATION COMMITTEE 2019-20

By PDG Jones Wong

Since Arch Klumph's idea for an endowment fund dedicated to **"Doing Good in the World"** took root in **1917**, we have come a long way. From its first contribution of US\$26.50 a century ago, The Rotary Foundation has given more than US\$4.7 billion to projects that **promote peace, fight disease, provide clean water, support education, save mothers and children, and grow local economies**. We can proudly call ourselves one of the world's leading Foundations, because our peers consistently recognize the impact of our work.

Everything The Rotary Foundation has achieved is a result of your support. Why? Because your gifts to the Foundation change lives. Without your support, our district D3450 would have never had a chance to offer services to our local communities.

Without your support, some of our clubs in D3450 would not be able to carry out projects to help other countries in need. Nor they have the funds to help other people in need.

Let us share with you one of our successful Global Grants, **GG1977558**, with **RC of Kowloon East** of D3450 as International Club, and **RC of Bangkok** of D3350 (Thailand) as Host Club, under Grant Title: **Capacity Development for Palliative Home Care**, helping middle, and lower income families with heavily laden with debts from medical bills in taking care of bedridden family members in their last stage of life. To stop giving the most expensive treatment to their loved ones is widely perceived as against the Asian family value of being "ungrateful" to parents and would draw a societal condemnation. Palliative care is an alternative to the costly and painfully invasive conventional treatments in hospitals. It would provide a better quality of life to patients and their families, both economically and emotionally. The total budget and funding from TRF is **US\$34,358.00**. What a meaning project to help?

There is another successful Global Grant, **GG1876956**, with **RC of Ulaanbaatar** of D3450 as Host Club, and **RC Central Blue Mountain** of D9685 (Australia) as International Club, under Grant Title: **Family and Community Conflict Resolution in Mongolia**, helping a group of Mongolian professionals in mediation, family law and community conflict resolution to gain knowledge of Australian legal and organizational frameworks for family law and community dispute resolution. Afterwards, the project continued to provide skills in conflict prevention and management at the judicial, government department and community level in Mongolia. The whole idea of the project is to create peace and harmony to the families and communities. The total budget and funding from TRF is **US\$32,344.00**.

To enable that our fellow Rotarians can learn more how to continue our contributions and our meaningful projects to connect the world, a District Rotary Foundation Seminar (DRFS) and Grant Management Seminar (GMS) was held on a full day schedule on Saturday, 2 November, 2019 at Baptist University.

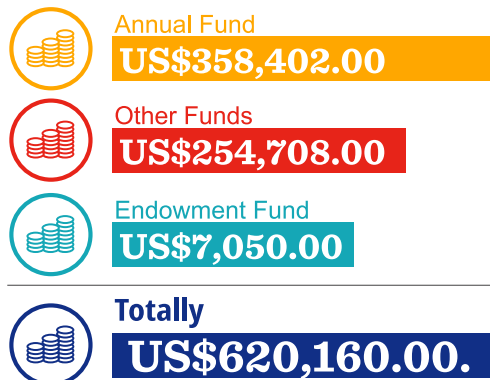
Though it was a not so comfortable weekend due to current situation of the uncertainties and chaos in Hong Kong, we had a good number of participants showed up: 124 members from 61 clubs and 1 satellite club at the DRFS in the morning session, and 103 members from 58 clubs and 1 satellite club at the GMS in the afternoon session.

For the above mentioned reason, as the Rotarians from Macao Area 1 were not be able to attend both events on 2 November, 2019, therefore a mini DRFS and GMS will be arranged in January 2020 mainly for Area 1 Rotarians.

For the 2019-20 Rotary Year, our Foundation target in D3450 set an reasonable fundraising goal of US\$1million. Thanks to your hard work and continued efforts we are on more than half way of target to reach the goal, and have raised **US\$620,160.00** as from July through November 2019. These funds will ensure that our many programs will be fully funded and Rotarians will be completely equipped and empowered to continue making real change.

Ending this report, please read the update as following: Annual Fund **US\$358,402.00**, Other Fund **US\$254,708.00**, Endowment Fund **US\$7,050.00**, Total Fund **US\$620,160.00**.

Contributions by Rotarians of RID 3450 (As of 30 November 2019)





SMALL, SIMPLE YET MEANINGFUL INSTALLATION IN ROTARY DISTRICT 3450

Written By CP Joseph Leung and endorsed by PDG Eugene Fong

When Rotarians hear about installations, they usually think of the many club installations held from June to August in every year; rarely would they realize that there is still an installation held in late October. This year, we have our District Interact Representative (DIR) installed on 22nd October.

We have the great pleasure to invite DG Wilson and PDG Eugene to come and support this installation in Rotary Information Centre, and our District Interact leaders have sharing with DG over some sumptuous pizzas.

This meeting also served as a “kick-off” to District Interact 2019-20. Stay tuned for more news and activities!

一個簡單小型而具意義的扶輪交職禮

當扶輪社員聽到交職禮時,通常會聯想到每年6月至8月舉行的地區及社交職禮;相信他們從來沒有想到會有一個在10月下旬才舉行的交職禮。今年我們地區的扶輪少年服務團代表(District Interact Representative)就是在這一天完成交職禮。

我們非常榮幸地邀請到鄭鶴明地區總監和方奕展前總監見證及主持這個交職禮,會後更與我們一班現屆地區扶輪少年服務團議會代表一邊分享一邊吃比薩餅。

這次活動亦正式啟動了2019-20年的地區扶輪少年服務團活動。敬請大家留意未來的各項活動!

Rotary Youth Leadership Awards 2020

Innov. Action -> Connect

Partner: Hong Kong Design Centre

30 January - 2 February 2020

RYLA is one of the goals in Rotary Citation.
RYLA is a significant counterpart of Rotary Alumni.
RYLA is not only legacy personal breakthrough, but also connect to the community and the world.

Sponsorship Details:

INDIVIDUAL:	\$1500 / 1 Participant
CLUB SILVER:	\$4000 / 3 Participants
CLUB GOLD:	\$6000 / 5 Participants
RYLA PLATINUM:	\$50,000

*Screening and interview are required.
 *Surplus remaining will use for RYLarian to do service projects partner with Rotary clubs

Contact: CP Alvin Lam (+852 9863 0660)

Rotary District 3450 | rotary youth leadership awards



DISTRICT PUBLIC IMAGE COMMITTEE 2019-20

Endorsed by PDG Belinda Yeung, JP

PI Seminar Organised for Macao Rotarians & Call for Submissions to PoA Photo Competition

Organised by the District PI Committee, the PI Seminar (Macao Series) was held on 23 November with over 30 Rotarians from RC of Hou Kuong, RC of Macau Central, RC of Guia, RC of Macau Islands, RC of Amizade, Macau, RC of Penha, Macao in Area 1 participated.

The PI Committee shared Mission & Vision of Rotary International and other PI related subjects while professional photographer from Macao talked on "How to Take Action Photos". The District PI Committee also invited Rotarians to join "People of Action Photo Competition". A good photo speaks more than thousand words, Rotarians are encouraged to project a positive image of Rotary by capturing members in action – when serving community or enjoying fellowship, etc. The Committee also shared tips on "How to Build Up a positive Personal Image".

國際扶輪3450地區舉辦公眾形象講座 廣邀社友參與『People of Action攝影比賽』

國際扶輪3450地區於11月23日星期六為澳門6家扶輪社舉辦了2019 – 20 公眾形象講座。來自濠江扶輪社、澳門中區扶輪社、松山扶輪社、澳門海島扶輪社、澳門友誼扶輪社和澳門西望洋扶輪社、超過30位扶輪社友出席參與。

是次講座，除了地區公眾形象委員會為社友講解扶輪機構理念、扶輪公眾形象相關課題，亦邀請了澳門專業攝影師講解如何拍攝動感感人的照片，並廣邀社友參與『People of Action 攝影比賽』，鼓勵社友透過照片對外宣揚扶輪好人好事。亦以深入淺出的方式，講解如何建立個人形象，把扶輪人積極正面的正能量，發放到身邊社區。



2019-2020 POA PHOTO COMPETITION

Organised by PI Committee

Thanks to the following Clubs for submitting photos in Round 1:

RC of City NW HK
RC of Lan Kwai Fong
RC of Nomt
RC of Soho HK
RC of Innovation HK
RC of Macau Central

RC of Dragon HK
RC of Macau
RC of Penha
RC of Star Avenue
RC of Peninsula Sunrise
Rotaract Club of Macau



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16 Dec 2019-15 February 2020

Send Your Photo to: poa@ric3450.org

Give LIKE and vote for your favourite service photos on PoA Facebook



THE DISTRICT PRESERVE PLANET EARTH COMMITTEE

By PP Anthony Ngai (RC of HK South)

APPLY NOW
Tree Repairing Program
at Tai Po Fung Yuen



Individual Form



Group Form

Mark your diary

11 Jan 2020
 19 Jan 2020
 08 Feb 2020
 29 Feb 2020

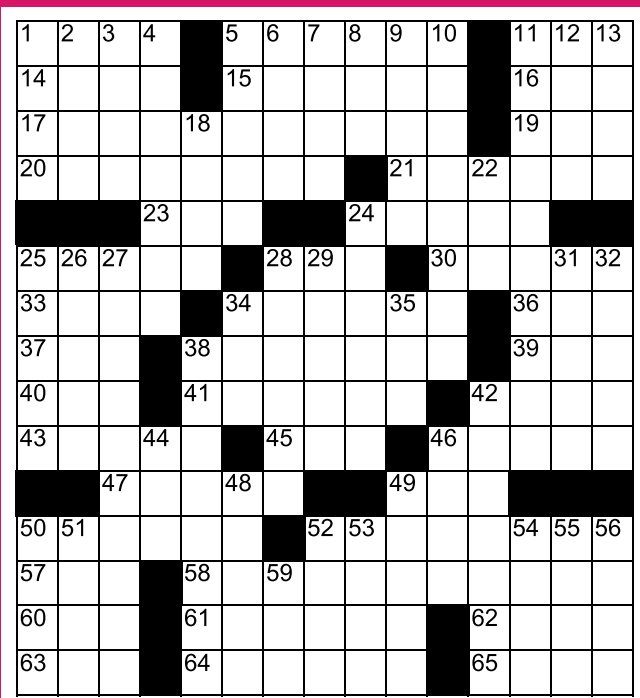
HKD100 donation per tree



Whatsapp District PPE Chair
Anthony 9787 7909
 To join PPE whatsapp group by Area

NATION DAY

by Victor Fleming (Rotary Club Of Little Rock, Arkansas)



Source : The Rotarian December 2019
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Across

- 1 Bag
- 5 "Am too!" rejoinder
- 11 Pas' mates
- 14 T, on some tests
- 15 Fine sheep's wool
- 16 AJ's partner on MTV
- 17 Cardigan coveted by none (20 Dec.)
- 19 Barrie hero Peter
- 20 Stuff for stenos
- 21 Slanted to the right
- 23 "It's just not my ___!"
- 24 Companionless
- 25 Acquire, as a debt
- 28 Sticker
- 30 Self-identifying response
- 33 One Life to Live, e.g.
- 34 "Menace" of the funnies
- 36 Candied tuber
- 37 Gallerygoer's love
- 38 Small iced treat (15 Dec.)
- 39 Crater's edge
- 40 "Gee, that feels good!"
- 41 Car lot transaction
- 42 Measly
- 43 SNL alum Oteri
- 45 Connections with clout
- 46 "Egad!"
- 47 Some IRAs, casually
- 49 Arkansas Governor Hutchinson
- 50 ___car (toy vehicle)
- 52 Kind of ballot
- 57 Birthday stat
- 58 Ring up one's bud (28 Dec.)
- 60 Ancient mariner
- 61 Cosmetics brand
- 62 Make out, in London
- 63 Sad start?
- 64 Account book
- 65 Shock with a 1-Down gun

Down

- 1 See 65-Across
- 2 2012 best picture winner
- 3 Close-knit group
- 4 Excited
- 5 Home products company
- 6 '50s sitcom mom Donna
- 7 Blocks of time
- 8 Critic's pick?
- 9 Barbara, Buck, or Roger
- 10 Fabled race winner
- 11 Flapjack topper (17 Dec.)
- 12 Jai ___
- 13 Match up
- 18 Argue (with)
- 22 Aardvark's victim
- 24 Chronological records
- 25 Biblical father of twins
- 26 Jones of song
- 27 They try to organize unorganizable groups (15 Dec.)
- 28 Some sodas
- 29 Concerning an Andean empire
- 31 Augusta's state
- 32 Asner's collection
- 34 Expected any minute
- 35 "I like ___!" ('50s campaign slogan)
- 38 All-important
- 42 Arrau or Cliburn
- 44 Angler's item
- 46 River through Flanders
- 48 Breathe hard
- 49 "But ___me, give me liberty ..."
- 50 Spade of design
- 51 Certain supermarkets, for short
- 52 "Break ___!"
- 53 Affliction
- 54 Long, narrow shoe size
- 55 Slaughter in Cooperstown
- 56 Defeat, barely
- 59 Showed the way

THE ONE AWARD GALA DINNER 2020

無名英雄獎頒獎晚宴2020



THE ONE will celebrate its annual award gala dinner next year on May 28th! RI President Mark Maloney and 380 esteemed guests will celebrate the awardees of THE ONE International and THE ONE Hong Kong humanitarian awards.

明年5月28日是無名英雄獎的年度頒獎晚宴！國際扶輪社長馬克·梅隆尼和380位尊貴嘉賓將會一同見證及慶祝國際無名英雄獎得主和香港無名英雄獎得主的誕生。

Platinum 白金	HK\$50,000/table of 12 (每枱12位)	HK\$4,188/seat每位
Ruby 紅寶石	HK\$32,000/table of 12 (每枱12位)	HK\$2,688/seat每位
Gold 黃金	HK\$22,000/table of 12 (每枱12位)	HK\$1,888/seat每位

All clubs and Rotarians are warmly invited to attend this hallmark event of our district.

我們誠意邀請所有扶輪社及其社友參與此地區盛事。

RSVP: res@theoneintl.org / 2376 2811 (Ms. Sarene Cheung)

THE ONE Hong Kong Increases Prize Money to HK\$600,000! Nomination deadline December 31st!

「香港無名英雄獎」獎金增加至六十萬！報名截止日期12月31日！

Last days to empower a humanitarian in Hong Kong! Nominate your unsung hero for THE ONE Hong Kong Humanitarian Award 2020 by **December 31st, 2019**. Go to www.theoneintl.org for the award guidelines and nomination forms.

最後數週去支持一位香港的人道工作者！於2019年12月31日前提名你心目中的無名英雄參加2020年度香港無名英雄獎。獎項細則及提名表格可瀏覽網址www.theoneintl.org。

首名得獎者 ▶ **HK\$400,000** TO THE CHAMPION

兩位次名得獎者各 ▶ **HK\$100,000** TO EACH OF TWO RUNNERS-UP

以三位得獎者提名人義捐出的善款 ▶ **HK\$15,000** FOR THE AWARDEES' NOMINATORS TO BE CHARITABLY DONATED



JOYCE x THE ONE, Home for Christmas Fundraiser 聖誕慈善籌款活動

Over 50 renowned creatives and local celebrities each made a one-of-a-kind Christmas stocking for sale with proceeds going to THE ONE.

超過50位名人親自設計獨一無二的聖誕襪作慈善義賣。活動收益將全數捐贈無名英雄獎。

They include Christopher Kane, Charles Jeffrey, Dries Van Noten, Hed Mayner, Marni, Rokh, sacai, Thom Browne, Victoria Beckham, Fiona Sit, Karena Lam, Man Lim Chung, and Stephy Tang.

當中包括Christopher Kane, Charles Jeffrey, Dries Van Noten, Hed Mayner, Marni, Rokh, sacai, Thom Browne, Victoria Beckham, 薛凱琪, 林嘉欣, 文念中及鄧麗欣。

Rotarians can show their support for unsung heroes this Christmas! Pick one up at JOYCE, New World Tower, Central, or place an order at shop@joyce.com.

扶輪社社友可於這個聖誕為我們一眾的無名英雄送上一點溫暖和支持。歡迎到JOYCE位於中環新世界大廈的旗艦店選購或電郵至shop@joyce.com 下單。

To see the album of Christmas stockings > Facebook/THEONEintl.

請瀏覽臉書/THEONEintl，來看看我們的聖誕襪系列。



ROTARY WINE APPRECIATION SAKE TASTING WITH SIMPLE DINNER



Welcome all of you!

*HKD400 per person,
you can have a HKD250
coupon to buy Sake there!*

Time & Address :

19 December (thu), 19:30-21:30

Show Room, 26/F, AIA

Financial Centre, 712 Prince

Edward East, San Po Kong, Kowloon

Contacts :

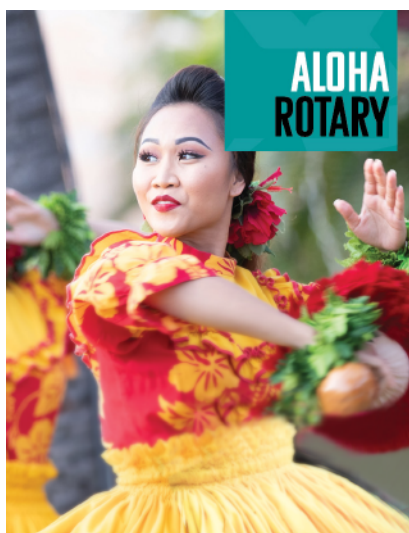
RSVP: CP Alex Hung

Pay on or before

17 December 2019

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NATION DAY

by Victor Fleming (Rotary Club Of Little Rock, Arkansas)

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(Source : The Rotarian December 2019)

6-10 June 2020 | Honolulu, Hawaii,
USA Register today at riconvention.org

請各位扶輪社友踴躍參加！
riconvention.org

