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THIS IS THE WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN OF THE ROTARY CLUB OF KUCHING CENTRAL, KUCHING, SARAWAK, MALAYSIA; ROTARY INTERNATIONAL DISTRICT 3310; CHARTERED ON 23RD DECEMBER 1986.

WEEKLY LUNCHEON MEETING AT 1PM EVERY SATURDAY (EXCEPT PUBLIC HOLIDAYS) AT THE RIVERSIDE MAJESTIC HOTEL, KUCHING, SARAWAK, MALAYSIA

RTN. AUGUSTINE WONG ELECTED AS PRESIDENT OF THE CLUB FOR THE YEAR 2005-2006

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The club successfully conducted the election of incoming office bearers today for the Rotary Year 2004-2005 under the presidency of Aw Tai Hui. Also elected as President Elect (PE) for 2004-2005 is Rtn Augustine Wong. This will mean that Rtn Augustine Wong will take over from Rtn Aw Tai Hui as president of the club effective 1 July 2005 until 30 June 2006. The list of office bearers elected the next Rotary year are as follows:

POSITION	NAME	POSITION	NAME
President	Aw Tai Hui	Community Service	Frankie Ong
Immediate Past Pres.	Sylvester Fong	New Generations	Thomas Ngu
President Elect	Augustine Wong	Vocational Service	Chai Ko Jee
Vice President	Patrick Luk	International Service	Cecil Yong
Hon Secretary	Andrew Chong	Club Service	Steve Ng
Hon Treasurer	PP. Sim Cho Phong	Hon Auditor	Wilford Teo
Sergeant-At-Arms	Dr. Leonard Ng	Public Relations/Editor	PP. Andre Suharto

In addition to the above mentioned names, there are also Assistant Directors/Advisors for some of the posts such as PP Patrick Yu (Asst Secretary); PP Kho Ping, Dr. Leonard Ng, PP Polycarp & Frederick Pau as committee members for Community Service; PP Hj Odita Ibrahim as advisor for Service to New Generations with Rtn Leslie Phuan as Asst. Dir.; PP Frankie Yang and Jim Negining as committee members for Vocational Svc; PP K.C. Wong & Kamil as committee members

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for International Service; PP Chieng Lee Ching 7 Thomas Ngu as members of committee for Club Service and PP Bobby Chai as Asst. Seargeant-At-Arms.

With the above lined up of elected officers, this will be the first time that the new board has the list number of past presidents. A good sign indeed because it shows that we are getting reach to other members to participate in the board and in making policies and directions to chart the growth of the club.

Congratulations to incoming President Aw Tai Hui and his incoming board members for making the commitment to drive the club to greater heights of achievements.

AT THE SARAWAK SOCIETY FOR PARENTS OF HANDICAPPED CHILDREN [PIBAKAT] - CHARITY FOOD FAIR ON 14 Dec. 2003 at the Civic Center, Kuching

Another round of success for the club in recent PIBAKAT Charity Food Sales held at Kuching Civic Centre. Members of the R.C. of Kuching Central and their respective families have again contributed their effort to improve the quality of life for the less fortunate members of our society. The success of charity food sales was led by President Sylvester Fong with the help all the members and their families plus the efficient and dedicated First Lady Agnes in getting all the spouses to use their talents & skills in the preparation of the making of Nasi Lemak – a specialty dish that is commonly associated with the club. Great sales talents are also noted in Pauline Ong, Steve Ng & Leslie charming friends) enticed our customers with excellent homemade cookies. In consistent with the Rotary Family concept, the Rotary spouses and children of Rotarians actively participated in the charity food sales.



‘As the community service director, I salute to you all for your generous unselfish support that have made my duty an easy one indeed’, said PP Patrick Yu. Special thanks to the followings: PE Aw Tai Hui, Delvin, daughter Samantha & son Khai Shin; Pauline Ong & daughter Michelle; President Sylvester, First Lady Agnes, son Joshua & daughter Joanne; Wilford Teo; Chai Ko Jee; Steve Ng, son Tony & his 2 charming friends; Leslie Phua & spouse Siew Fung; Joyce Lim Kiyui; Frankie Yang; Andre & Norzan; Lim Keng Yaw; Cecil Yong & son Siaw San; PP Patrick Yu & spouse Judy, daughters Karen, Hilda & son Aaron; This round we missed Chieng Lee Ching & family, K.C. Wong & family, Sim Cho Phong & family, Kho Ping & family because they are all away having "a break" at Langkawi while Augustine & family having their holiday in Canada.

Total proceeds from the sales of nasi lemak amounted to RM684.00 and in addition, we also helped in the sales of RM1,500.00 worth oftickets.

‘My family wish all of you A Merry X'mas & Happy New Year’, said PP Patrick Yu.



Member ID numbers can be located in a variety of ways

The [Member Access](#) (<https://riweb.rotaryintl.org/>) section of the Rotary Web site, formerly known as the Rotary Business Portal, is a wonderful tool for club members and officers to conduct business online. From making contributions to The Rotary Foundation to allowing club officers to update membership details, Rotarians can take care of business at their convenience.

To take advantage of this feature, however, you must first register using your district, club, and member ID numbers. Your club president or secretary can provide you with this information, which they can find in the semi-annual report. You can also request your ID numbers by contacting the Department of Data Services at data@rotaryintl.org. In addition, subscribers to The Rotarian or Rotary World can find their member ID on the mailing label. It is the first eight digits directly above your name. Answers to this and many other Member Access questions can be found on the Frequently Asked Questions link of the section. Simply click on the question mark and information regarding registration, access issues, and updating club and membership data is provided. For your information, our club ID is 24232 and our District is 3310.

GOVERNOR'S NEWSLETTER

The November Governor's Newsletter is ready for your viewing online. The URL is www.d3310.rotary.com.my/newsletter.htm. The newsletter has been sent for printing but it will take quite sometime for the hard copies to arrive at your door. All previous months' newsletters are also available online.

From the office of District Governor

WHAT'S ON- IN THE ROTARY CALENDAR?

	WHAT	WHERE	WHEN	CONTACT
1	Annual General Meeting (AGM)	Crowne Plaza Riverside Hotel	20 Dec'03	Rtn. Frankie Ong
2	1 st Rotaract & Interact Conference	Suntec City Convention Hall, Singapore	9-11 Jan'04	PP. Bobby Chai
3	Golf Fellowship at District Conference	Laguna National Golf Club, Singapore	8 Jan'04 12.30pm	Rtn. Thomas Ngu
4	District 3310 Conference	Suntec City Convention Hall, Singapore	10-11 Jan'04	Rtn. Thomas Ngu
5	14 th District Assembly (Hosted by R.C. of Melaka)	Melaka	April 2004	Rtn. Thomas Ngu
6	International Avoidable Blindness Conference (Hosted by R.C. Singapore East)	Suntec City, Convention Hall, Singapore	1-2 May'04	PP. Polycarp Teo Sebom
7	2004 Rotary International Convention	Osaka, Japan	23-26 May 2004	PP. Polycarp Teo Sebom
8	2005 Rotary International Convention	Chicago, Illinois, USA	19-22 June 2005	TBA
9	2005 Rotary International Convention	Copenhagen, Denmark & Malmo, Sweden	11-14 June 2006	TBA

Notes: Events printed in italic bold are new events which have just been included in this issue. TBA= To Be Announced.

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