

會長報告

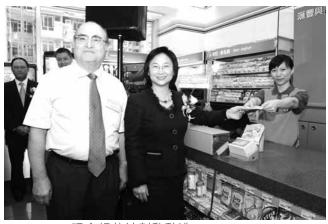
扶康會服務於今年踏入第三十一年。在社會各界人士、團體、服務使用者、家長及職員的支持下,我們去年成功舉辦多項三十週年慶祝活動,亦大力推動多項優化服務的計劃。本人代表扶康會感謝各界人士對本會服務及殘疾人士的關愛,支持我們致力服務殘疾人士及協助他們融入社會的信念。

本會於今年成立扶康助展基金,協助有財政困難的殘疾人士接受有需要的服務及參與社交康樂活動。基金旨在協助未能負擔本會服務或活動費用的殘疾人士,使他們不會因經濟困難而影響使用服務或參加活動的機會。我們很高興得到禤氏律師行贊助10萬元,另計劃向「攜手扶弱基金」申請按額資助。

近年商界積極參與社會服務,透過義工服務、捐款及共同推展協作計劃回 饋社會。本會亦努力與不同的商業機構及中小企建立夥伴關係,鼓勵更多機構 關懷殘疾人士。去年,本會成功提名23間商業機構、社團組織及商會獲頒贈 「商界展關懷」及「同心展關懷」標誌。我們感謝各機構在過去透過不同的方 式支持本會。各界的熱心參與有助擴闊殘疾人士的生活經驗,建立傷健共融的 社會。



■ 「香港最佳老友 | 運動電能烹飪比賽



■ 7-Eleven現金捐款計劃啟動禮

此外,我們積極提供更多便利的捐款途徑,方便社區人士捐款。本會於去年參與由滙豐銀行及7-Eleven合作推展的7-Eleven現金捐款計劃,讓社區人士可於全港任何一間7-Eleven捐款予本會。

為響應今年在北京舉辦的奧運會,我們將組織服務使用者及義工參與由扶康會及北京市殘疾人聯合會共同舉辦的「展風采・獻愛心」交流活動,以及觀賞北京傷殘人士奧運會賽事。另外,今屆的中華書法比賽亦以支持北京奧運為主題,我們會將得獎作品送交北京奧組委(殘奧會部),以示支持奧運會及殘奧會成功舉辦。

過去一年,本會繼續推動「香港最佳老友」運動的 發展,目前已有11間中學及大專院校成立「香港最佳老 友」分社。除了本會的智障人士參與外,我們很高興邀 得特殊學校及其他社會福利機構的智障人士加入成為分 社社員。同時,為推廣此運動,本會連續第四年舉辦「香 港最佳老友」運動電能烹飪比賽。是次活動共有60多隊 達200多位傷健人士參加,參加者來自不同的中學、特殊 學校及家長自助組織,並包括社區人士及本會最佳老友。 各參加者與智障的隊員合作無間,並且能夠在比賽中學 習到接納及欣賞智障人士,建立友誼。憑著他們的無限 創意及協作精神,不但煮出了很多具特色及美味的菜式, 他們投入的參與亦令到活動舉行得越來越成功。我們很 榮幸獲得中華電力有限公司連續四年協辦是項活動。並 且在香港廚師協會的支持下,我們今年更舉行記者招待 會暨立法會議員之傷健合作電能烹飪及復活蛋製作活動, 出席的立法會議員包括李華明議員、劉慧卿議員、馮檢 基議員、王國興議員、李永達議員、梁家傑議員、湯家 驊議員及中電集團公共事務總監劉玉燕女士。一眾嘉賓 以「蛋」為主題,與本會智障人士合作製作美食,並一 起設計復活蛋。我們亦感謝周中師傅、米雪小姐、香港 廚師協會委員梅納安先生及楊國基先生擔任決賽評判, 以及蔣雅文小姐、鍾舒漫小姐及吳浩康先生擔任大會表 演嘉賓。

本會於2007年至2008年中旬舉辦的多項大型活動, 均得到各界人士的鼎力協助,活動包括友愛共融互動 SHOW、步行籌款、國際廚師日、第十屆運動會暨競技同樂日、康復中心十週年聚餐暨扶康會合作社開業禮、「傷健共融溢社群」義工嘉許禮暨屯元區復康巴士啟用禮、第四屆「互唱共融齊OK才藝大賽」、「愛心傳送七週年一扶康戲曲慈善夜」粵曲晚會等。我們亦深感榮幸及高興獲得多位知名人士蒞臨主禮,包括立法會議員陳偉業先生、社會福利署助理署長(康復及醫務社會服務) 袁鄺鏽儀女士、前社會福利署助理署長(康復及醫務社會服務) 袁剛鏞儀女士、前社會福利署助理署長(康復及醫務社會服務) 韓規先生、南區區議會主席馬月霞女士、社會福利署中西南及離島區福利專員郭志良先生、葵涌扶輪社社長張偉京先生等。

我們在此特別感謝支持本會年內舉辦多項新計劃及服務的機構及社會人士,包括社會福利署、凱瑟克基金、香港賽馬會慈善基金、獎券基金、利銘澤黃瑤璧慈善基金、Capital Lake Property Ltd、周問心堂基金有限公司、余兆麒醫療基金、伊利沙伯女皇弱智人士基金、永旺(香港)百貨有限公司、勞工及福利局、東亞銀行、香港美國婦女會、滙豐銀行慈善基金、Gap、第一太平戴維斯、的近律師行、職業安全健康局、Macquarie Goodman Asia Limited、砵砵子親子月刊及蔣子軒先生(小克)。其他協助本會推廣服務的機構包括蘋果日報、信報財經新聞、經濟日報、成報、TVB周刊、香港電台、亞洲電視、路迅通、港鐵公司、新傳媒、香港房屋協會、香港房屋委員會及各物業管理公司、公共交通運輸機構及其他選擇以無名氏方式作出支持的人,本會謹此致謝。

本人謹向董事局主席林振敏先生的英明領導致意,在董事局各委員攜手合作及專業指引下,加上眾委員會的努力,使本會能為殘疾人士提供優質服務。在此、李莎英博士主持的管理委員會、林振敏先生 SBS, QFSM, CPM主持的人力資源委員會、鄰麗華醫生主持的社區精神康復服務顧問委員會、朱慧心女士主持的自閉症人士服務顧問委員會、陳達文先生主持的建築拓展及維修委員會紹養之聖先生主持的服務推廣及公共關係委員會、陳建文先生主持的服務在委員會及扶康家庭管理委員會紹示先生主持的個案取錄審批委員會及扶康家庭管理委員會紹示先生主持的個案取錄審批委員會及扶康家庭管理委員會紹示先生主持的問案取錄審批委員會及扶康家庭管理委員會紹示先生主持的問案取錄審批委員會及扶康家庭管理委員會紹示先生主持的明務委員會、許盧萬珍女士主持的研究委員會、方叔華神父主持的交流計劃委員會,與及審計委員會各委員的努力。

最後,我感謝大家對扶康會的支持。

會長/王淦基



President's Repor-

With the generous support from different sectors of the society, organizations, service users, parents and staff, a series of commemorative programmes as well as quality enhancement projects were launched last year to celebrate the 30th anniversary of Fu Hong Society. Our service is now entering its 31st year and on behalf of Fu Hong Society, I would like to thank you all for your care and concern to persons with disabilities, and your unfailing support to our service and belief of helping them to integrate into the community.

The establishment of the "Fu Hong Development Fund for Persons with Disabilities" aims to help relieve the financial burdens of persons with disabilities that prevent them from using the services they need and participating in social and recreational programmes. We are grateful to the \$100,000 sponsorship from Huen & Partners Solicitors in this regard. Plans are also deliberated to apply for matching grants from the "Partnership Fund for the Disadvantaged".

Through volunteer services, donations and collaborative programmes, the business sector has actively participated in social services that contributed a great deal to the society in recent years. It is also our hope to encourage more corporations to care for persons with disabilities through forging partnership with the business sector as well as small and medium enterprises. In the year that past, we have succeeded in nominating 23 commercial corporations, social organizations and chambers of commerce for the award of "Caring Company" and "Caring Organization" logo. We are also thankful to the different forms of support from various institutions whose enthusiasm has been helpful to broaden the life experience of persons with disabilities and the building of an inclusive society.

Apart from agency and organizational involvement, support from the general public to our service is also invaluable. As a result of our effort to increase accountability and transparency, we have joined the WiseGiving programme launched by the Hong Kong Council of Social Service last year, hoping to enhance people's understanding of the needs of persons with disabilities and how public donations are utilized. Moreover, attempts were made to provide more convenient channels to facilitate donation from the community. We have joined the "Cash Donation via 7-Eleven" programme, a collaborative effort between the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited (HSBC) and 7-Eleven which enabled the public to channel their donation to our service at any of the 7-Eleven outlets throughout Hong Kong.

To show our support to the Beijing Olympics, our service users and volunteers will join the "Showing Spirits, Giving Love" Exchange Programme, jointly organized by Fu Hong Society and Beijing Disabled Persons' Federation. Moreover, we will also attend the events of the Beijing 2008 Paralympic Games as audience, as well as adopt the Beijing Olympics as this year's theme for the Chinese Calligraphy Competition. All the winning entries will be given to The Beijing Organizing Committee for the Games of the XXIX Olympic (Paralympic Games Department) as our gifts to hail the success of the Olympic and Paralympic Games.

"Best Buddies Hong Kong" Movement remained our focus of development in the year under review. Currently, there are 11 secondary schools and tertiary institutions that have set up "Best Buddies Hong Kong" Chapters. Apart from our service users, we are delighted to have persons with mental handicap from special schools and social service agencies that became members of the Chapters. Moreover, the 4th "Best Buddies Hong Kong" Movement Electric Cooking Competition took place as part of our continued effort to promote the Movement. More than 60 teams comprising a total of 200 contestants with or without mental handicap were attracted to the event. Coming from different secondary schools, special schools, parent

self-help groups, general public and best buddies from our Society, the contestants were able to maintain close cooperation among themselves, and learning how to accept and appreciate persons with mental handicap and be friends with them. Not only did their creativity and collaboration result in gourmet dishes, their devotion to participate also brought increasing success to the event. We are also grateful to the CLP Power Hong Kong Ltd. for their continuous support to the Competition in the past four years.

With support from The Hong Kong Chefs Association and presence of Legislative Council members including Hon. Fred Li Wah-ming, Hon Emily Lau Wai-hing, J.P., Hon. Frederick Fung Kin-kee, S.B.S., J.P., Hon. Wong Kwok-hing, M.H., Hon. Lee Wing-tat, J.P., Hon. Alan Leong Kah-kit, S.C., Hon. Ronny Tong Ka-wah, S.C., and Ms. Jane Lau, Director - Group Public Affairs of CLP Power Hong Kong Ltd., a Press Conference cum Electric Cooking and Easter Egg Decoration Activity were held this year. Using "egg" as the theme, our guests joined hands with our service users to prepare tasty dishes and produce original Easter egg designs. We are also thankful to Mr. Chow Chung, Ms. Michelle Yim, as well as Mr. Andreas Muller and Mr. Billy Yeung, who are Committee Members of The Hong Kong Chefs Association, served as judges for the Competition Final, and Ms. Mandy Chiang, Ms. Sherman Chung and Mr. Deep Ng as performing guests.

From 2007 to mid-2008, a series of mass programmes were launched with unstinting support from different sectors of society, these included Inclusion Art Show, Charity Walkathon, the International Chefs Day, the 10th Sports Day cum Carnival, the 10th Rehabilitation Centre Anniversary Luncheon cum Opening Ceremony of Fu Hong Society Cooperative Store, "Social Integration in the Community" Volunteers Recognition cum Launching of Rehab Bus for Tuen Mum and Yuen Long Region, the 4th Karaoke "Social Inclusion Singing Contest", and the 7th Anniversary of Serving Love and Care — FHS Charity Operatic Songs Concert. We were also honoured to have prominent figures to be our officiating guests, they were Hon. Rita Fan, G.B.S., J.P.,



■ Press Conference cum Electric Cooking and Easter Egg Decoration Activity

President of the Legislative Council; Hon. Selina Chow, G.B.S., J.P. and Hon. Mr. Chan Wai-yip, Legislative Council members, Mrs. Cecilia Yuen, Assistant Director of Social Welfare Department (Rehabilitation and Medical Social Service), Mr. Sit Tung, former Assistant Director of Social Welfare Department (Rehabilitation and Medical Social Service), Ms. Mar Yuet-har, Chairman of Southern District Council, Mr Kok Che-leung, District Social Welfare Officer (Central Western /Southern /Islands), and Mr. Ronald Cheung, President of Rotary Club of Kwai Chung.

We are also grateful to many organizations and individuals whom supported our service, programmes and new initiatives in the past year. These include the Social Welfare Department, Keswick Foundation, The Hong Kong Jockey Club Charities Trust, Lotteries Fund, Drs. Richard Charles and Esther Yewpick Lee Charitable Foundation, Capital Lake Property Ltd., Chow Mun Sum Tong Foundation Limited, S K Yee Medical Foundation, Queen Elizabeth Foundation for the Mentally Handicapped, AEON Stores (Hong Kong) Co., Limited, Labour and Welfare Bureau, Bank of East Asia, The American Women's Association of Hong Kong Ltd., The Hongkong Bank Foundation, Gap, Savills (Hong Kong) Limited, Deacons, Occupational Safety and Health Council, Macquarie Goodman Asia Limited, BuBuG Family Monthly and Mr. Chiang Chi Hin (Siu Hak). We are also grateful to all other public agencies and companies that have helped promote our services included Apple Daily, Hong Kong Economic Journal, Hong Kong Economic Times, Sing Pao Daily News, TVB Weekly, Radio Television Hong Kong, ATV, Roadshow, The MTR Corporation, New Media Group, Hong Kong Housing Society, Hong Kong Housing Authority, properties management companies, transport companies and many others who preferred to remain anonymous.

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my heartfelt gratitude to Mr. Anthony C.M. Lam, S.B.S., Q.F.S.M., C.P.M. Chairman of the Council, for his excellent leadership. With cooperation and professional guidance from the Council members and team effort from the Service and Business Development Committee chaired by Mr. Simon P.H. Li, M.B.E., J.P., the Management Committee chaired by Dr. Eria Li, the Human Resources Committee chaired by Mr. Anthony C.M. Lam, S.B.S., Q.F.S.M., C.P.M., the Advisory Committee on Community Psychiatric Services chaired by Dr. Dunn Lai Wah, the Advisory Committee on Services for Persons with Autism chaired by Mr. Betty W.S. Chu, the Building Development and Maintenance Committee chaired by Mr. Pele T.M. Chan, the Marketing and Public Relations Committee chaired by Mr. Joseph Salaroli, M.H., the Admission Board and Casa Famiglia Management Committee chaired by Mr. Stephen S.Y. Chan, the Tender Board chaired by Mr. Arthur Garcia, C.B.E., J.P., the Investment Committee chaired by Mr. Simon F.S. Li, LL.D., G.B.M., the Finance Committee chaired by Mr Alex H.M. Yip, the Research Committee chaired by Mrs. Jenny M.C. Hui, the Exchange Programme Committee chaired by

Fr. Bonzi, as well as members of the Audit Committee, we are able to continue our provision of quality services to persons with disabilities.

Thank you once again for all your support to Fu Hong Society.

Simon K.K. Wong

President



■ International Chefs Day