

# Good Hope School Past Students Association Limited (“PSA Limited”)

## **2014 -2015 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT**

1. This is the second AGM since the incorporation of GHSPSA Ltd. (“GHSPSA” or “PSA”) in November 2013. The winding down of the old PSA has been completed and the first Executive Committee has been elected in the first AGM. This report covers the financial year of the PSA from 1 April, 2014 to 31 March, 2015.
2. During this period, the PSA organized a celebration dinner for Sr Mary Olga Lam to mark her Golden Jubilee on 21 November, 2014 at The Millions, the Hong Kong Jockey Club Happy Valley Racecourse. Around 240 past students, current and past teachers, school staff and MIC Sisters celebrated Sr Mary’s 50 years of service to God. A fund-raising event was held together with an auction during the dinner to raise funds for the Sr MIC Sisters who have devoted their working lives in Hong Kong. A total of HK\$1,394,542 was raised.
3. The PSA continued to organize annual events for students to help them with their career choices, interview skills and experience what it is like to be in a work environment:

### 3.1. Mentorship Program:

This is the third year and 79 F.5 and F.6 students joined the mentorship program. The mentors who are professionals in their careers met with their mentees face-to-face to give advice on career choices and personal lives. Feedback from students shows that they find the program helpful. Our thanks to Eva Wong for leading this program for the third year.

### 3.2. Interview Skills Workshop:

To help F.6 students with university entrance interviews, the PSA organized a mock interview session for 80 F.6 students. A past student, Grace Siu, who works at the University of Science and Technology, conducted an interview skills workshop and she was joined by 15 past students to conduct mock interviews with the F.6 students. Ten recent graduates recruited by Jenny Liu, 2009 graduate and Exco member, shared university life and experiences with the F.6 sisters. Our thanks to Exco Member Winnie Ho and Jenny Liu for taking the lead in organizing this program and the past students for volunteering their time.

### 3.3. Alumni Sharing:

About 200 F.4 students learned about different careers from 14 past students. They were able to ask more questions from the past students when they broke into group sessions. Our thanks to Winnie Ho and Eva Wong for organizing this program with the school's careers team.

### 3.4. Work Place Experience:

In conjunction with the PTA, 163 F.5 students were placed in 43 companies for two to four days from end of June to early July 2015. The students were able to gain valuable experience in communicating and co-operating with different people in a workplace. Our thanks to Eva Wong for recruiting the placements and coordinating with the school.

### 4. GHS 60th Anniversary Events:

Exco Members felt very proud of the school's achievements and being invited to participate in the various 60th Anniversary programs. As part of our contribution to celebrate love, hope, joy and thanksgiving, the PSA has decided to organize a community and charity event with F5 students to raise the community service spirit of students as well as letting them organize games for young children on a date selected for January 2016. There will also be a Homecoming Event in November 2015 to raise funds for supporting the community event.

### 5. The PSA wishes to thank the School Supervisor and Principals of GHS Primary and Secondary Schools as well as the teachers and staff for supporting us in our programs.

Executive Committee

Good Hope School Past Students Association Ltd.

29<sup>th</sup> September, 2015