

## Kick-Off Ceremony for *The Nature Education Program for the Intellectually-disabled Children*

The Kick-off Ceremony for the project was held at the Mai Po Nature Reserve on March 28, 2007 and was attended by about 100 people, including **Ms. Nora Wong**, JP, General Secretary of HCA, **Mr. Markus Shaw**, Chairman of WWF Hong Kong, **Dr. Lew Young**, Mai Po Reserve Manager of WWF Hong Kong, **Ms. Josephine Wong**, Visitor Marketing Manager of WWF Hong Kong, **Ms. Christina Tsang** of Hong Chi Association, District 3450 **DG Tony Wong**, District 3450 Area 5 **AG Jason Chan**, District 3450 Area 5 **DAG Roger Lee**, **President Francis Chan** of the Rotary Club of City Northwest Hong Kong, **President Louis Kwok** of the Rotary Club of Mid-Level, Rotarians, Rtnnes, Rotaractors, principals, teachers, students, guests and representatives from the media such as NOW TV, Metro Radio, and the Hong Kong Economic Times.



**Left to Right:** Rtnne. Karen Au, President Bertha Chan of the Rotaract Club of Hong Kong Island West, PP Lawrence Chan, Rtn. Francis Pan, DAG Roger Lee, AG Jason Chan, President Francis Chan, President Louis Kwok, District 3450 DG Tony Wong, President Allen Au, Principal Christina Tsang of HCA, PP Steve Lau, IPP Allan Aw, PE Tony Yue, VP Jeff Ng and Rtn. Edward Chow.



President Allen Au and his Rtnne. Karen Au together with Ms. Nora Wong and students of the Hong Chi Winifred Mary Cheung Morninghope School.



President Allen Au gave a brief introduction about the Nature Education Program for the Intellectually-disabled Children and about the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island West.



DG Tony Wong gave an introduction about Rotary International and how the project typifies the ideals of Rotary.



Mr. Markus Shaw of WWF Hong Kong talked about how intellectually-disabled children could learn about nature and wildlife of the beautiful Mai Po Nature Reserve.



Ms. Nora Wong of HCA talked about how this project could inspire the community at large to understand and accept people with intellectual disability.



President Allen Au presented a souvenir to Ms. Nora Wong in appreciation of HCA's participation in the project.



President Allen Au presented a souvenir to Mr. Markus Shaw in appreciation of WWF's participation in the project.



President Allen Au presented a souvenir to a representative of the Hong Kong Bird Watching Society in recognition of their participation in the project.



Ms. Nora Wong and a student from the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island West Hong Chi Morninghope School presented a painting to President Allen Au.



Ms. Nora Wong and a student from the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island West Hong Chi Morninghope School presented a painting to DG Tony Wong.



Ms. Nora Wong and a student from the Rotary Club of Hong Kong Island West Hong Chi Morninghope School presented a painting to Mr. Markus Shaw.



DG Tony Wong, Ms. Nora Wong, Mr. Markus Shaw and President Allen Au were the officiating guests of the Kick-off Ceremony for the project.



DG Tony Wong, Ms. Nora Wong, Mr. Markus Shaw and President Allen Au and the students of the Hong Chi Winifred Mary Cheung Morninghope School celebrated the successful conclusion of the Kick-off Ceremony of the project.



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DG Tony Wong together with Rotarians, Rtnee., Rotaractors and Dr. Lew Young, Mai Po Reserve Manager of WWF Hong Kong in front of the Rotary Centennial Institute of Wetland Studies.