

HONG KONG UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO

# NEWSLETTER

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## Annual General Meeting 2005 & Bowling Karaoke Night

| Date:  | July 10th (Sunday)  |                                  |  |
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| Time:  | 4:30 p.m. Bowling and mahjong game                            |                                  |  |
|  | 6:00 p.m. A.G.M.  | 6:30 p.m. Reception              |  |
|  | 7:30 p.m. Dinner  | 9:30 p.m. Line Dance and Karaoke |  |
| Venue:   | Club 300 Bowl, 146 Old Kennedy Road, Unit 6, Markham L3R 0L5  |                                  |  |
|  | Telephone 905.477.0894  | elephone 905.477.0894            |  |
| Cost:  | \$30 per adult, \$20 per child under 12. Add \$5 for bowling. |                                  |  |
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Come celebrate the 20th anniversary of Hong Kong University Alumni Association in Ontario!

New board of directors for 2005 – 2006 will be elected at the A.G.M. All alumni and members are welcome to attend, to share your experience and to voice your opinion.

We promise to make the evening fun for your whole family – bowling, mahjong game, karaoke and line dancing. Don't miss out on this popular event as it fills up quickly. Hope to see you all there! Notice of Annual General Meeting is on page two.

## An Enhanced Web Site

We have given our web site a brand new look! Please check out <u>www.hku.hk/hkuaaont</u>. It is loaded with photos, rich in content and enhanced in functionality. The profiles of our three advisors, Mrs. Irene Chu, Mrs. Peggy Sum and Mr. Bassanio So, have also been posted in the web site. Profiles of Irene Chu and Bassanio So were published in the past issues of newsletters, Peggy Sum's profile is included in this issue on page four.

## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Hong Kong University Alumni Association of Ontario will be held on Sunday, the 10th day of July, 2005 at 6:00 p.m. at Club 300 Bowl at 146 Old Kennedy Road, Unit 6, Markham, Ontario L3R 0L5, with the following business to be transacted:-

- 1. To receive and consider the Annual Report 2004 -2005;
- 2. To receive and consider the Treasurer's Report;
- 3. To elect directors or members of the Executive Committee of the Association for the year 2005/2006; and
- 4. To transact any other business.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that any regular member in good standing shall be entitled to nominate another regular member in good standing to the Executive Committee and to be elected to the Executive Committee and to cast vote. Any such nomination should be faxed to the Association at (905) 475-2494.

Lily Lee, Secretary BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HONG KONG UNIVERSITY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO June 8th, 2005

## Join the HKU Family!

Refer your HKU graduate friends or family members to the association. For \$20 a year or \$80 for 5 years, your membership will entitle you to email and printed newsletters, to join all activities organized by the association and to enjoy numerous membership benefits. Please visit our web site at <u>www.hku.hk/hkuaaont</u> to download registration form or email our Membership Director, K.F. Siu at <u>ksiu@sympatico.ca</u>

### Spring Dinner 2005

Spring Dinner was held at Times Square Dynasty Restaurant in Richmond Hill on February 27th. Around 100 alumni, students and friends participated in this celebration of Chinese tradition. The warmth of getting together was well blended with the excitement of lucky draw and knowledge shared by our speakers.

Dr. Bill Stephens, Deputy Director, and Dr. Albert Yeung, Instructor Research and Evaluation, of Ontario Police College were invited as our guest speakers. It was an informative presentation on police training, changing demographics in GTA and the opportunities of a career in policing for visible minorities.

Sylvia Kim and Dianne Oliphant, exchange students to Hong Kong and OCDA representatives gave short speeches on their experiences. HKU mentees also reminded us of those good old days with the university cheers.



Dennis Au-yeung, Bill Stephens and Albert Yeung, from left to right.

### News from Hong Kong University

Our Alma Mater has received a pledge of HK\$ 1 billion dollars (US\$ 128 million dollars) from Li Ka Shing Foundation for the development of the university. The benefaction will help develope the role of HKU as a key player of China's economic growth and its global dealings.

#### A Profile of Mrs. Peggy Sum



As the first Chinese woman serving one of the most senior positions at Canada's top banking institution, Peggy has served the Association for over 10 years, first as Director and currently as Advisor.

Peggy has spent 25 years on her career with Bank of Montreal and became Senior Vice President, Asian Markets in 2000. Prior to this, she had worked with Bausch & Lomb in Canada, John D. Hutchison and some internationally renowned advertising agencies in Hong Kong.

Peggy has a passion for public service. She was a Trustee for Orthopaedic & Arthritic Hospital, Co-Chair for Yee Hong Capital Campaign Corporate Division and served on the Advisory Boards of a number of Asian community organizations. Currently she is a Trustee in the Duke of Edinburgh's Award Young Canadians Challenge Ontario Council.

Peggy is married with two children, Karen and Adrienne. Her husband, Bob, is also an active member of the Association.



Winning team from York University and adjudicators from our Board of Directors, Sally Chan and Augustine Chan.

### **Ontario Inter-Collegiate Chinese Debate Alliance (OCDA)**

HKUAAO has been a proud sponsor of the OCDA competition. This year, twenty-four teams were drawn from seven universities across Ontario and final competition was held on March 6th, 2005. The winner is York University in Toronto.