



La Salle College Old Boys' Association Newsletter

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New President's Words

Dear Fellow Lasallians,
It has been a year of fulfillment, gratification and fun. I love every moment of being able to serve the Association as a Committee Member in 2003-04.

The rescheduled AGM 2004 on Friday 23rd July, 2004 went smoothly despite the sudden visit of Tropical Cyclone a week earlier. I am honored to be your new President and be able to serve the Old Boys community with the help of a highly motivated committee.

I have to say that being the President of LSCOBA is an honorable and awesome task.

I am slightly relieved when I read about a story in Ronald Reagan's nomination speech in 1986. He learned about some new duties of a president from the first-graders of Corpus Christi School in Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. Little Leah Kline was asked by her teacher to describe the duties as a President. She said: "The President goes to meetings. He helps the animals. The President gets frustrated. He talks to other Presidents."

I believe that the most important part of my job is to unite all members under the vision of St. John Baptist de La Salle and to safeguard our heritage founded by our pioneers and the Christian Brothers through the years. One starting point is to know you better and I will try to reach you through various channels including the Class Coordinators. Our Committee wasted no time and we had our first formal meeting immediately after the AGM dinner. In early September, we had our 2nd meeting to roll out our plans for the year.

Our Committee has decided to work along four major domains:

- Alumni Development**
- Communication**
- Financial Health**
- Support the Alma Mater**

This year, each Committee Member was assigned to a major task and also be held accountable.

Subcommittees and Conveners:

- Alumni Subcommittee - Louis Law (1970)
- Communication Subcommittee - Paul Wong (1976)
- Heritage Subcommittee - Peter Kam (1977)
- Sports Subcommittee - Herman Bo (1989)
- Recreation Subcommittee - Willie Wong (1984)
- Finance Subcommittee - Henry Chan (1970)
- Student Affairs Subcommittee - K.F. Chan (1980)

Special Task Groups and Person-In-Charge

- School Liaison and Advice - Peter Chiu (1962)
- Credit Card - Roger Lee (1985)
- Membership Database - Stephen Cheung (1987)
- Newsletter - Clement Chan (1987)
- Souvenirs and Welfare - Henry Nip (1988)
- Young Member Section - Derek Lin (2001)

In August 2004 our Association hosted the 2nd Christian Brothers' Cup and our brilliant all-star team captured the Lasallian Cup that was won by Wah Yan (Kowloon) last year. There will be more exciting programs coming along such as the fun filled sports, Christmas Ball, Spring dinner, movie night, BBQ, e-mail domain, membership updates, credit card launching and student related activities. Keep a close watch for future announcements via the newsletter and web broadcasting.

You may have known by now that Bro.Thomas and I attended the very first Presidents' Summit in Toronto and also visited the various chapters in North America. I would like to thank New York, Toronto, Edmonton and Vancouver for their kindness and friendship during my visit.

The year 2004 marks the 65th anniversary of LSCOBA. Many may believe that all difficulties have been resolved and that all horizons have been explored. I have to tell you that we are going to face a lot of challenges ahead and that not all battles have been won.

Do I have the time to manage all that? Are we up to the task? Are we equal to the challenge?

I do not know. What I am sure is that this sail is not going to be smooth and easy. I can only follow my own heart and leave the rest to God.

Let the Spirit of La Salle reign.

Let us build a stronger fraternity and march forward with our united strength.

Let us build a global alliance to face this New Frontier with faith and zeal.

In your hands, loyal members of the Association, more than in mine, will rest the final success or failure of our quest.

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"Let us all be united"

Yours in De La Salle,
Dr. Bernard Kong (1976)
President
LSCOBA 2004-05



Kong Ming Hei

Annual General Meeting 2004

The Annual General Meeting 2004 of La Salle College Old Boys' Association Ltd. was held at 7:30pm, Friday, July 23, 2004, at La Salle College. It was attended by 74 members and Honorable Patrons, Bro. Patrick & Bro. Alphonsus. The Returning Officer, Dr. Robert Yuen (71) presided the Meeting.

The President's Report and the Financial Report & Statement of Accounts were presented and accepted.

As there was only one candidate for each Office Bearer post and 12 candidates for the 12 Committee Member posts, Dr. Yuen declared that all candidates were elected ipso facto. The Committee of the Association 2004-05 is shown on the right.

Dr. Yuen officially thanked Mr. Tommy Chiu (65) for his faithful and committed service as the Executive Secretary of the Association in the past years.

All businesses were conducted and the meeting was adjourned at 8:15pm.

By Dr. Robert Yuen (71)
 Returning Officer
 LSCOPA AGM 2004

LSCOPA Committee 2004-05

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| President: | Dr. Bernard Kong (76) |
| Vice President: | Mr. Lawrence Ng (77) |
| Hon. Secretary: | Dr. Constantine Au (87) |
| Hon. Treasurer: | Mr. Henry Chan (70) |
| Immediate Past President: | Dr. Robert Yuen (71) |
| Committee Members: | Mr. Herman Bo (89) |
| | Mr. Clement Chan (87) |
| | Mr. Chan Kwong Fat (80) |
| | Mr. Stephen Cheung (87) |
| | Mr. Peter Chiu (62) |
| | Mr. Peter Kam (77) |
| | Dr. Louis Law (70) |
| | Mr. Roger Lee (85) |
| | Mr. Derek Lin (01) |
| | Mr. Henry Nip (88) |
| | Mr. Paul Wong (76) |
| | Mr. Willie Wong (84) |

Here are the new faces in the Committee this year:



Willie Wong (1984)

Willie Wong is a Mission Critical IT Consultant and the Class Coordinator of Year 1984. Willie left La Salle College after F.7 and obtained a degree in the University of Wollongong, Australia.

Willie represented La Salle in the inter-school track and field events for six years in the 80s, and now enjoys golfing and Sunday soccer with his mates. In the past years, Willie has been actively assisting in the Career Week for LSC current students, La Salle Primary School Commemorative Publication, the Sports Sub-Committee of LSCOPA and the Re-development project of the LSCOPA web site. In this term, Willie will lead the Recreation Sub-committee and focus on members' recreational activities.



Derek Lin (2001)

Derek Lin graduated from La Salle College in 2003. During his LSC days, he was a member of the athletics and basketball team, a committee member of New Comers' Day 2001 and Civic Education Team Student Leader. Apart from the school, he contributes in different kinds of social services.

He was the deputy head of Joint School Volunteers Association and Human Resources Head of an environmental protection organization- "Vert". Full of enthusiasm, he is looking forward to contribute to LSCOPA.



Peter Chiu (1962)

Peter Chiu has been Vice Principal of La Salle for more than 10 years, PIC of School Pastoral Council, Secretary of LSC School Management Board, Director of La Salle Foundation, Chairman of La Salle IT Management Board, Chairman of Association of Hong Kong Career Master and Guidance Master for 5 years" wants to serve as a bridge between the school and LSCOPA. Favourite Song: You Raise Me Up



Herman Bo (1989)

Herman Bo is an 89 graduate; being an average student in his LSC years, he was not actively involved in school activities. It was soccer which brought him back to the La Salle community when he returned to

HK after spending his college years in Canada. He was well known for contributing his soccer preview & summary on the chatboard and this is the eighth year his team plays in the soccer league. Herman was a Soccer Sub-Committee member in 02/03 and was the deputy convener of soccer league last year. He now heads the Sports Sub-Committee and is looking forward to an eventful year.



Roger Lee (1985)

Roger Lee was a member of athletic, basketball and cross-country school teams during his days in LSC. Since he has been working in the credit card industry for over 10 years, he will continue to work, as the

Convener of Credit Card Task Force, on the affinity credit card project aiming at bringing new source of revenue to the school attributed to card spending and old boys' support.

FUND RAISING CAMPAIGN FOR LA SALLE

The School Improvement Programme (SIP) for La Salle College is in full swing. By May 2005, a new extension of over 20,000 sq ft of usable area will be completed. The government funds the bulk of the \$50 million project, but the school has to pay for about \$5 million worth of non-subservent facilities. The school has asked the La Salle Foundation to spearhead a fund raising campaign for this. Our Newsletter Reporter asked Mr. Nicholas Ng (65), Chairman of the Foundation, about his plan.

Reporter: What are the extra facilities that La Salle has to pay for?

Ng : These include extra activity rooms, air conditioning not covered by government and new computer facilities.

Reporter: Can you tell us something about the La Salle Foundation?

Ng: The La Salle Foundation is part of the La Salle Family. It provides a source of funding of last resort to support La Salle College and La Salle Primary School in their needs, particularly for the improvement and maintenance of school facilities not subservent by the government.

Initiated by several Past Presidents of the La Salle College Old Boys Association, the Foundation was incorporated with charitable status in 1992. Management of the Foundation is vested in a Board of Directors elected annually. Mr. Michael Sze (64) was the first chairman and I took over from him in 1997.

Over the years, the Foundation has contributed more than \$20 million towards the repair and replacement of school facilities. These include the large scale renovation of La Salle College in 1993-95, the replacement of the astro-turf sports field of the College in 1997, the installation of air-conditioning in the old La Salle Primary in 1995, and the recent redevelopment of La Salle Primary School.

The Foundation mounts fund raising campaigns every now and then to top up its reserves in order to meet anticipated as well as unexpected funding commitments. For instance, its current

reserves of \$10 million is not even sufficient for the replacement of the sports field which has a life span of only 10-12 years. The SIP commitments came up two years ago and we have deferred the fund raising campaign until now. This is because we have been focusing on the redevelopment of La Salle Primary School, which required extra funding of more than \$40 million to cover the non-standard facilities.

Reporter: So how are you going to raise funds for the SIP?

Ng: We set ourselves a target of \$5 million. As in the past, we need the generous support of all members of the La Salle Family - old boys, parents, students and friends of La Salle. We will approach them for direct appeal. We will invite sponsorship for the 30 or so rooms in the new extension. We will, together with the OBA and the PTA, organise fund raising events. We are now working out our campaign plan and will publicise it very soon.

Reporter: What is School Facilities Sponsorship Scheme?

Ng: Under this scheme, any donor who contributes a specified amount will be given special commemoration for the chosen school facility. We adopted such a scheme in our previous fund raising campaigns and it was very popular. It is also a very meaningful way of showing our gratitude towards our Alma Mater, as one can make the donation in memory of a particular La Salle Brother or a teacher. The sponsorship can be made by an individual or a class of La Salle Boys.

Reporter: So when are you going to launch the campaign?

Ng: We hope to launch the campaign in November 2004. So look out for the news on the La Salle College website (www.lasalle.edu.hk) and the OBA website (www.lscoba.com). We need ALL your support. Remember, La Salle is our school and we want it to remain a top school in Hong Kong and our boys to have the best facilities. Your generous support will ensure that.

Reporter: I am sure the Old Boys will not miss this opportunity to help La Salle!

2004 Annual Christmas Ball



I am pleased to announce that the LSCOBA will be hosting the 2004 Annual Christmas Ball on December 3rd, 2004 (Friday) at the Hong Kong Convention & Exhibition Centre (HKCEC).

Besides the top class gourmet and vintages, which are all inclusive, you will live experience the home-grown Lasallian bands from the 60's and distinguished Lasallian musicians rocking the stage, bringing you back to your golden days in our Alma Mater.

No matter if you are a veteran ball-goer or a first-timer, this is the event you should not miss. We guarantee you will enjoy this fun-filled and glamorous annual event.

Table of 10 pax @ HK\$7,400
Couple tickets for 2 pax @ HK\$1,500
Individual ticket @ HK\$780

Early bird subscription, on or before November 3, 2004, will enjoy a 5% discount.

Book early to avoid disappointment and secure yourself a good table. For booking, please download the Reply Slip from www.lscoba.com and return it to us with a payment cheque ASAP by mail. For inquires and subscription, please email: xmasball2004@lscoba.com or call Ms. Fanny Leung at 2336-2985 at office hours.

Indulge yourself in the alluring evening with your loved ones and buddies!

By Willie Wong (84)
2004 Annual Christmas Ball Chairman

From *Maple Leaf* With Unity

The Tournament Event was officially opened with the Presidents' Summit Meeting held on the Friday evening, July 30th at the Sheraton Parkway Hotel. Bro. Thomas, Presidents of the Hong Kong Old Boys' Association and all six North American Chapters gathered with some of their Chapters' Officers to discuss the ideals and direction of our Alma Mater. With Dobbin Lo (70) and K.B. Ng (76) as the moderators, about twenty other old boys attended the Summit as floor participants.

The Soccer Tournament games were almost rained out on Saturday, July 31st. The rain started on Friday night and did not want to give way to our soccer games Saturday morning. All the participating teams from various Chapters arrived punctually at the L'amoreaux Sports Complex longing to wet their soccer boots, but the soccer pitches were just too soggy and the park officials requested us to cancel our games for that day. Everybody standing in the parking lot under the drizzle was disappointed upon hearing the news. Fortunately, with God's blessing, we turned to the contingency plan and relocated everybody to another soccer facility in town and the games were started as scheduled.

The Saturday evening Firework/BBQ picnic at the Cedarbrae Golf & Country Club was well attended with an unexpected number of approximately 150. The lawn patio was filled with fellow Old Boys and their family members chatting away. After a modest serving of BBQ food and

drinks the night was wrapped up with a spectacular firework display to honour our retiring Principi, Bro. Thomas. Even though the night was still young and in light of the early morning soccer games the following day we called it a day at 10pm.

The final games of the Tournament were completed on Sunday Morning, August 1st and what a beautiful summer day it was. All four teams strived to better themselves on the field with all their might and will. The games were enjoyed not just by the players on the field, but also the spectators sitting in the open stands. The champions, the first runners up, the second runners up and the third runners up were determined around noon, however the results were not really important. We huddled together and sang our School Song while having our mega group photographs taken. Bro. Thomas led us in gigantic cheers to finish it off before we departed from the Sports Complex looking forward to the Reunion Dinner in the evening.

About 250 Old Boys and their families packed the Deluxe Chinese Cuisine Restaurant. The School Song was led by the Honorary President of the Toronto Chapter, Peter Leung (52) to open the evening. Dr. Michael Yuen (74) and

Charles Li (74) were the Masters of Ceremony. Bro. Thomas was asked to give a brief update of our Alma Mater. Prizes for the Tournament were given out. Each Chapter was given a few minutes to go up the stage to do a song. Special groups of Old Boys also took turns to go up to show their gratitude to Brother Thomas. Most of us tended to ignore what was coming out from the kitchen from the fifth dish on, and the atmosphere became so Lasallian it even turned heads in the restaurant. The evening peaked into a climax when Brother Thomas led us with a farewell song, the last song of the night. Seeing fellow Old Boys jumping up and down with their families in the restaurant like young children really made me think about the true meaning behind the Soccer Tournament. What a great excuse for us to get together to celebrate, to mingle, to cherish, to reminisce, to bond, and last, but not least, to remember the Old Boys, the Brother teachers and principals before and during our days in La Salle College. If not for them we would not be who we are today.

By Alexander Cheung (82)



Presidents' Summit Meeting -30th July, 2004



The host proudly sing the "Mighty, Mighty!"



The Champion Team raise the trophies - the Toronto Chapter



We Strike back!

The Christian Brothers' Cup 2004 was held on 15th and 22nd August. Same as last year, the alumni of Chan Sui Ki, St. Joseph's, Chong Gene Hang and De La Salle were invited to participate in this tournament together with Wan Yan (Kowloon) as the title defender.

With the support of various OB League teams, we formed a strong team consisted of 27 players graduated from 1975 to 2000. The OBA team won all the matches in Group B and faced CGH, the top-listed team of Group A to fight for the Lasallian Cup. The final match was full of drama, excitement and a strong sense of brotherhood. We scored two beautiful goals by Ng Chi Ho (1989) shortly after Mark Huang (1985) performed a superb save in the first few minutes of the match. In the early part of the 2nd half, our defender, Ip Kin Sing (1984) advanced our lead to 3-0. We conceded 1 goal later but got another magnificent goal by Eric Chow (2000) to extend the lead to 4-1. When we were beginning to celebrate our seemingly sure victory and made substitution in several positions, CGH scored 2 quick goals within 3 minutes. Before the referee sounded the final whistle, we needed to move all our best players back on the field in the last 5 nerve wrecking minutes. End up; we got the Lasallian Cup back by 4-3.

In addition, the individual skill contests were launched in this tournament to add fun and excitement. Eric Chow (2000), the Winner of the Shooting Contest and was also the 2nd Runner-

up of the Dribbling Contest; and Alex Law (1990), has got the best results in the Heats but eventually received the 2nd Runner-up of the Juggling Contest. Lam Kun Lei of CGH has performed his all-round soccer abilities by being the winner of Juggling and Dribbling Contests and the 1st Runner-up of Shooting Contest.

Last but not least, the organizing committee would like to thank the coach, Mr. T.P. Cheung, the School, the Brothers, the spectators, the participating teams and the helpers for their assistance and support.

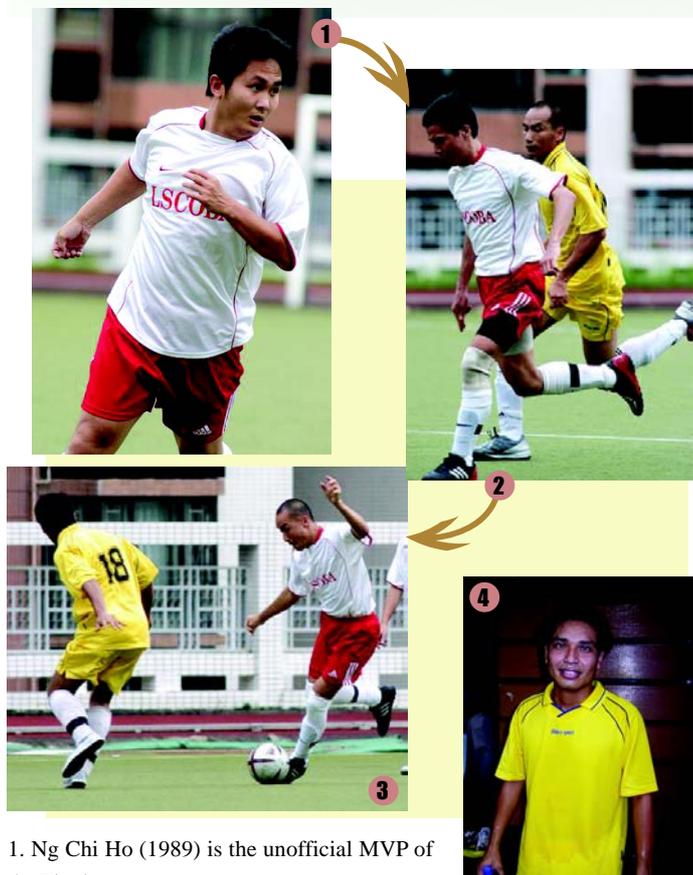
Details and photos can be viewed at <http://www.lscoba.com/sports/soccer/christianbro/2004/schedules.html> and <http://www.lscoba.com/photoalbum/LSCOBA/Sports>.

Winners of the individual and team competitions are as follows:

- Best Juggler: Lam Kun Lei (CGH) with 111 times
- Best Dribbler: Lam Kun Lei (CGH) with the fastest time as 18.55 seconds
- Best Shooter: Eric Chow (2000) with 3 goals in 17.08 seconds

- Lasallian Cup : LSC
- Brotherhood Cup : WYK
- Unity Cup : CSK
- Lasallian Shield : CGH
- Brotherhood Shield : SJC
- Unity Shield : DLS

By Henry Nip (88)



1. Ng Chi Ho (1989) is the unofficial MVP of the Final.
2. Ip Kin Sing (1984) heads 1 goal too.
3. Gerald Ma (1985) defends brilliantly.
4. Our teacher, Mr. Cheung Chi Hung scores 1 goal for CGH.



5. Mr. T.P. Cheung cares our team wholeheartedly.
6. Nicholas Ng (1965) presents the Lasallian Cup.
7. Eric Chow (2000) receives the Best Shooter Award from Dr. Paul Lau (1968).
8. Brotherhood after the Final!

Review of LSC Performance 2003-04

For 72 years, Lasallians never settle for less and we keep on performing remarkably in studies, sports and cultural activities. Here is a recap of some major achievements:

Results of Academic Achievements 2003-04:

Badminton Team Captain, Alfred Lau (7A) scored 3A's in HKAL.

Class of 2004 scored 375A's in HKCEE. Lam Sheung Heng (5C) scored 10 A's, Cheng Tsz Chung (5C) scored 9A's and 3 students scored 8A's among 280 students.

Dominic Ho (6B) was awarded as one of Heng Sang Scholars in July, 2004 and his scholarship supports him to study economics at University of Chicago.

Results of Sports Achievements 2003-04:

I. The 2nd BOCHK Bauhinia Bowl Champion (Boys' School Section) - 289pt (a record) and the 23rd time (a record) including the former Omega Rose Bowl.

II. Overall Champions in badminton (Grand Slam), beach volleyball, cross-country, football, squash and table-tennis.

III. Six athletes were awarded as Bauhinia Bowl Outstanding Athletes 2003-04:

Sandro Bassetto (6C) - athletics; Hui Wai Ho (6A) - badminton; Ricco Chan (5G) - cross-country; Darren Yan (5G) - football;

Fung Tsz Cheong (4E) - squash; Jason Lam (7D) - volleyball.

IV. Promotion to Division 1 in 2004-05 - handball team (achieved Overall 2nd in Div.2)

Results of the 55th Hong Kong Schools Speech Festival:

Overall Champions in Plain Public Speaking, Chinese Prose Speaking and Putonghua Prose Speaking. In addition, our boys were champions in other 13 categories.

Results of the 40th Hong Kong Schools Dance Festival:

Modern Dance - Champion (2-in-a-row)

Results of the 56th Hong Kong Schools Music Festival:

Group Results:

Chinese Orchestra (15-30 members) - Champion (the song: 南疆舞曲) HKCEE 43A's boys with Bro. Thomas- 11th August, 2004

Chinese Ensemble (5-14 members) - 2nd

Chinese Ensemble (2-4 members) - 3rd

Treble Choir - 3rd



Lin Kin Kwan (6A) lifts the BOCHK Bauhinia Bowl-29th June, 2004.

Individual Results:

Trumpet Solo - Secondary- Intermediate	Wu Hin Yam Zenith (3F)	Champion
Treble Voice - Boys only - Age 12 and under	Tang Man Lok Louie (1E)	Champion
Piano Solo - Grade 6	Wong Hoi Tung Dominic (1E)	Champion
Violin solo - Grade 6	Chu Wai Lok (1B)	Champion
Di - Intermediate 笛 - 中級組	Yip Ka Wai (1B)	Champion
Piano Solo - Grade 8	Ng Siu Ming (4G)	Champion
箏 - 初級組	Wong Chi Kin Kenneth (2G)	Champion
Violin Duet - Junior	Chan Chi Kit (1E)	Champion
	Pang Kit Him (1D)	Champion
Piano Solo - Grade Eight	Ng Siu Ming (4G)	Champion

Down Memory Lane ...

In the hope of reflecting and recording the tradition and virtues of our Alma Mater with a view to set a standard for the La Salle Spirit, a new Heritage Room is proposed to be established. A space in the school has been allocated for the purpose.

If you do find something that recounts or something you suspect might recount the history of La Salle College, please consider donating it to the OBA. They may be items such as :

- photographs of the campus, old buildings and friends of years ago;
- records and documents relating to aspects of the history of the old building, Perth Street etc,
- dated school announcements and publicity materials, such as concert posters, variety show, school ball tickets, pamphlets and booklets on sports, social and academic events;
- old manuscripts and letters from Brothers and teachers of La Salle;

- awards, plaques, certificates, uniforms from the past, etc.

Obviously these items are of immense value and interest to you personally. At the same time, they are also of great value and interest to all your friends and the students who, in due course, will be able to see them in the Heritage Room.



To contribute to the OBA, or for further enquiries, please contact Peter Kam (77), Convener of the Heritage Sub-Committee (Tel : 9456 8047; Fax 2536 8019) or Fanny Leung (Tel : 2336 2985; e-mail : secretary@lscoba.com)

Email Forwarding & Membership Update

On behalf of the LSCOBA Committee and the Communication Subcommittee, I would like to officially announce the launch of the long expected Email Forwarding Service, which is free to all the registered members of HK LSCOBA.

I know you have been anxiously, and yet patiently, waiting for this service and I do owe everybody an apology for the delay. I guess I have to borrow a popular expression back in the old days, 'Better late than never'.

Comes with the Email Forwarding Service is our project of Membership Updating. The purpose of this project is to straighten up our Association's membership database, which has been in use for years but without much revamping. As a healthy association, it is of utmost importance for us to keep

an accurate database so to keep effective communication with our members.

We urge you to act now and spend a few minutes to fill up the Membership Update Form enclosed with this Newsletter, also available for download at <http://www.lscoba.com/lscd/emailfwd>. To register for the Email Forwarding Service, please fill in Part III of the Form and return it to LSCOBA by fax or mail. As an alternative, online updating is also available as from October 1, 2004, at our "www.lscoba.com" website.

Thank you for your kind cooperation.

Paul Wong (76)

Convenor

Communication Subcommittee

Announcement

HONOUR LIST JULY 2004

I. Mr. SZE Cho-cheung, Michael JP (1964) is awarded the GBS (Grand Bauhinia Star) in recognition of his significant contribution to the promotion of trade for Hong Kong. Notable among his contributions are his excellent performance during his past tenure as the Executive Director of the Hong Kong Trade Development Council, his outstanding achievements in promoting the image of Hong Kong worldwide, and his distinguished track record of community services.

II. Dr. WONG Chi-ho, Jimmy (1979) is awarded the BBS (Bronze Bauhinia Star) for his valuable contribution to charity and community service in Hong Kong, particularly for his work as Chairman of the Po Leung Kuk.

III. Mr. NG Sau-kei, Wilfred (1981) is awarded the MH (Medal of Honour) for his outstanding and dedicated community service in Sha Tin District. He is also the current President of Handball Association of Hong Kong, China.

IV. Dr. Choi Kin, Gabriel (1965) and Dr. Louis SHIH (1969) were elected as President and Vice-President of Hong Kong Medical Association in July respectively.

Prof. LAU S.S. Patrick SBS, JP (1961) has won a seat in Legislative Council Election on 12th September, 2004 through Architectural, Surveying and Planning functional constituency.

Obituary

WONG, Wai Hung Jimmy (1984) passed away on 12th August, 2004 in Toronto, Canada. He is survived by his wife and 3 children.

Michael DINGA (1978) passed away on 7th September, 2004 in Hong Kong. A memorial mass was held on 18th September, 2004 in LSC.

Credit Card Announcement

You will soon be able to make a closer tie to the Alma Mater with your daily life. LSCOBA is on the verge of launching an affinity card with a card issuing bank for the Old Boys. Apart from a series of card benefits jointly offered by the bank and OBA, a portion of the card spending generated by the affinity card program will be donated to support the school's activities. Meanwhile, we are soliciting some merchant offers to enhance the program platform and if you have any referral, please email to rlee@visa.com.

By Roger Lee (1985)



Trailwalker News

La Salle Old Boys will compete in the Oxfam Trailwalker 2004 in November 5th-7th in 2 teams - team 434 (the Lasallian) and team 493 (LSCOBA).

To support this meaningful event, your sponsorship definitely plays a key role to our success. Your donations can be made through the LSCOBA account in HSBC (Account number: 001-6-184376). Please send an email to (yipeddie@yahoo.com) about your kind contributions. All the money collected will be sent to Oxfam. The participants will cover their own expenses.

By Eddie Yip (1980)

What Happened...



Mr. K.F. Chan (80) presents a Class Coordinators' photo to retired Mr. Yik Kwan (62) - 20th August, 2004



LSCOBA presents a 1930s LSC photo to Bro. Thomas together with Past Presidents, Mr. Hilton Cheong - Leen and Mr. Maximo Cheng - 20th August, 2004



Dr. Bernard Kong (76) presents a Chinese calligraphy to Bro. Thomas - 20th August, 2004



A Young Members Section Dinner is held on 5th June, 2004



Class of 1974 enjoy their 30th Anniversary Dinner at Hong Kong Bankers' Club, Central - 2nd July, 2004



Devoted Old Boys serve on the New Comers' Day - 14th August, 2004



Mr. Tommy Chiu (65) retires as the Executive Secretary of LSCOBA after more than 20 years of service.



Mr. Wong Yen Kit is the new LSC Vice-Principal (Academic) since 2004-05



Seven Old Boys participate in the Annual Swimming Gala - 23rd September, 2004



Mr. Henry Shek conducts our School Orchestra at the Summer Concert - 8th July, 2004



Sandro Bassetto (6C) plays "Jesus" in "Godspell" - 8th July, 2004



The "Godspell" cast give a big hand to Bro. Thomas - 8th July, 2004

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- Co-ordinator: Mr. Clement Chan (1987)
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- Mr. Larry Lee (1996)
- Mr. Derek Lin (2001)



(From left to right) China's hurdles king, Liu Xiang meets our hurdler, Sin Yung Tak and sprinter, Lee Kin Piu (both F.6) - 8th September, 2004



Dr. Kenneth Kam (92) - official photographer of a sportswear sponsored ascending competition outside Pacific Place on 20th August, 2004