

Constitution and Basic Law Parent-child Workshop to be held this Saturday and Sunday

The Constitution and Basic Law Parent-child Workshop organised by the Constitutional and Mainland Affairs Bureau will be held this Saturday and Sunday (March 16 and 17) at the ground floor atrium of Amoy Plaza Phase One, 77 Ngau Tau Kok Road, Kowloon Bay.

Apart from colourful exhibition panels, interesting handicraft workshops and interactive story-telling sessions will be available for children to gain a better understanding of the Constitution and the Basic Law.

The workshops and story-telling sessions will be conducted in Cantonese and will take place from 11am to 7pm. Children aged 6 to 12 and their parents are welcome. While admission is free, seats are limited and allocated on a first-come, first-served basis.

For event details, please visit www.basiclawevent.com.

Yau Tsim Mong District Council by-election poll cards sent to electors

The Registration and Electoral Office (REO) has mailed poll cards to around 7 300 registered electors of the Tai Nan Constituency to remind them to vote in the Yau Tsim Mong District Council by-election on March 24 (Sunday).

"Electors of the Tai Nan Constituency can log in to the Online Voter Information Enquiry System (www.voterinfo.gov.hk) if they have not yet received their poll cards to check whether they are registered electors of the constituency and their designated polling station. They can also call the election hotline 2891 1001 for enquiries," a spokesman for the REO said today (March 14).

"Electors are advised to read carefully the address of the designated polling station on their poll cards indicating where they should cast their votes," he said.

Together with the poll cards, the REO has sent to every elector of the Tai Nan Constituency a map showing the location of the designated polling station, a Guide on Voting Procedure, an Introduction to Candidates and a

leaflet from the Independent Commission Against Corruption on clean elections.

One polling station will be open to electors from 7.30am to 10.30pm on the polling day. It is located at Fresh Fish Traders' School, 33 Sycamore Street, Tai Kok Tsui, Kowloon.

If any electors of the Tai Nan Constituency who are remanded or detained by law enforcement agencies other than the Correctional Services Department (CSD) on the polling day wish to vote in this by-election, they will be arranged to cast their votes at the dedicated polling station located at Cheung Sha Wan Police Station, 880 Lai Chi Kok Road, Kowloon. The polling hours will be from 7.30am to 10.30pm.

Should there be any electors of the Tai Nan Constituency imprisoned or remanded in the CSD's custody on the polling day, arrangements will be made for them to vote at dedicated polling stations set up at their respective penal institutions. For security reasons, polling hours for the dedicated polling stations at penal institutions will be from 9am to 4pm.

The voting procedure for electors and the venue setup at the dedicated polling stations will be basically the same as those of the ordinary polling stations.

The two candidates contesting this by-election are Lee Kwok Kuen (No. 1) and Li Sze Man (No. 2).

Sir Robert Ho Tung Fund allocates grants to 183 charitable projects

The Sir Robert Ho Tung Charitable Fund allocated \$13 million to 183 charitable projects in the areas of medicine and health, rehabilitation, social welfare, education and community service in the 2018 allocation.

A spokesman for the Fund's Allocation Committee said today (March 14), "The Fund's donation enables over 100 organisations to enhance their services, which will benefit a large number of people, especially the underprivileged."

Major grants included:

- * \$2,170,900 for the Tung Wah Group of Hospitals to purchase medical and rehabilitation equipment and to organise education camps for children with special needs;
- * \$873,640 for Queen Elizabeth Hospital to acquire medical equipment;

- * \$809,980 for the Hong Kong Tuberculosis, Chest and Heart Diseases Association to acquire medical equipment for Grantham Hospital and Ruttonjee and Tang Shiu Kin Hospitals³₄
- * \$752,000 for Hong Kong St John Ambulance to purchase equipment and provide first aid training for the general public;
- * \$526,560 for the Po Leung Kuk to acquire rehabilitation equipment and organise programmes for children with special needs;
- * \$372,600 for Prince of Wales Hospital to acquire medical equipment;
- * \$280,300 for the Pentecostal Church of Hong Kong to purchase equipment for its elderly centres;
- * \$266,313 for the Hong Kong Society for the Protection of Children to purchase furniture and equipment for its nursery schools and child care centres³₄
- * \$243,400 for the Evangelical Lutheran Church Social Service – Hong Kong to purchase furniture and equipment;
- * \$230,500 for the Hong Kong Young Women's Christian Association to purchase rehabilitation equipment and organise training exercise for the frail elderly;
- * \$225,000 for United Christian Hospital to acquire medical equipment; and
- * \$216,500 for Pamela Youde Nethersole Eastern Hospital to acquire medical equipment.

The Sir Robert Ho Tung Charitable Fund, one of the major trust funds in Hong Kong, was set up in 1956 with a bequest of \$500,000 by the late Sir Robert Ho Tung. It is now managed by HSBC Trustee (Hong Kong) Limited.

EPD convictions in February

Fifty-six convictions were recorded in February 2019 for breaches of legislation enforced by the Environmental Protection Department (EPD).

Six of the convictions were under the Air Pollution Control Ordinance, three were under the Environmental Impact Assessment Ordinance, 15 were under the Noise Control Ordinance, one was under the Ozone Layer Protection Ordinance, one was under the Public Cleansing and Prevention of Nuisances Regulation, one was under the Product Eco-responsibility Ordinance, 26 were under the Waste Disposal Ordinance, and three were under the Water Pollution Control Ordinance.

The heaviest fine in February was \$50,000, assessed against a company which imported controlled waste without a permit.

Suspicious mobile application related to Bank of Singapore Limited

The following is issued on behalf of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority:

The Hong Kong Monetary Authority (HKMA) wishes to alert members of the public to a press release issued by Bank of Singapore Limited on suspicious mobile application (App), which has been reported to the HKMA. Hyperlink to the press release is available on the [HKMA website](#) for ease of reference by members of the public.

Anyone who has provided his or her personal information to the App concerned or has conducted any financial transactions through the App should contact the bank concerned using the contact information provided in the press release, and report to the Police or contact the Cyber Security and Technology Crime Bureau of the Hong Kong Police Force at 2860 5012.