

Light aircraft accident

A spokesman for the Civil Aviation Department (CAD) said a Zlin Z42 aircraft of the Hong Kong Aviation Club (registration number: B- LUK) was involved in an accident this afternoon (June 24) which resulted in a person being injured and admitted to hospital.

"The CAD's Air Traffic Control Tower received a report from the Fire Services Department at around 4.38pm that a light aircraft was involved in an accident. The CAD immediately initiated the emergency alerting procedure and notified relevant parties to standby in the vicinity. B-LUK was subsequently found in the bushes at Ma Shi Chau, Tai Po. According to preliminary inspection, wings and fuselage of the aircraft were damaged. The pilot was sent to the Prince of Wales Hospital for medical treatment in conscious state. The accident did not cause any injury or damage to any persons or properties on the ground," the spokesman said.

The CAD is investigating and following up on the case with the Hong Kong Aviation Club.

CE to visit Beijing

After concluding her visit to Europe, the Chief Executive, Mrs Carrie Lam, will depart for Beijing direct and arrive in the city on June 26. During the stay in Beijing, she will report to the Vice Premier of the State Council, Mr Han Zheng, the views and suggestions of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and different sectors of the community on matters relating to the development plan for the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Bay Area. The Secretary for Constitutional and Mainland Affairs, Mr Patrick Nip, and the Director of the Chief Executive's Office, Mr Chan Kwok-ki, will join the visit.

Mrs Lam will return to Hong Kong in the early hours on June 27. During her absence, the Chief Secretary for Administration, Mr Matthew Cheung Kin-chung, will be the Acting Chief Executive.

Task Force on Land Supply to hold

second public forum

The Task Force on Land Supply will hold the second public forum (New Territories East) to gauge public views on land supply options. Details and enrolment arrangements are as follows:

Date: July 7 (Saturday)

Time: 2pm to 5pm

Venue: Tai Po Community Centre

(2 Heung Sze Wui Street, Tai Po, New Territories)

The forum will be conducted in Cantonese. Simultaneous interpretation in English will be available. Interested members of the public may register from tomorrow (June 25) at 9am by using the following methods:

(i) Online: www.landforhongkong.hk/en/participation/engage_act.php;

(ii) Email/fax: Download the registration form from the above website for return via email (pflandforhongkong.hk@a-world.com.hk) or fax (2865 2559); or

(iii) Telephone: 2114 4972 (9am to 5pm).

Registration will close on June 29 (Friday) at 5pm. In view of the limited seating capacity at the venue, only one seat can be reserved for each registration, and requests will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis.

In addition, the dates and venues of the roving exhibitions to be held by the Task Force from June 27 to July 29 are as follows. The exhibition period is 11am to 8pm.

| Date | Venue |
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| — | — |
| June 27 to 29 | Cheung Sha Wan Government Offices (Exhibition period is 10am to 7pm) |
| June 30 to July 2 | Hoi Fu Shopping Centre, Mong Kok |
| July 6 to 8 | Tuen Mun Cultural Square |
| July 6 to 8 | Homantin Plaza |
| July 13 to 15 | Wo Che Plaza, Sha Tin |
| July 13 to 15 | Domain, Yau Tong |
| July 20 to 22 | Fu Tung Plaza, Tung Chung |
| July 23 to 25 | Times Square, Causeway Bay |
| July 27 to 29 | Cityplaza |
| July 27 to 29 | Belvedere Square, Tsuen Wan |

Enrolment arrangements and other details of the remaining two public forums, and the details of roving exhibitions from August to September, will

be announced in due course.

For enquiries, please contact the Public Engagement Director for the Task Force by telephone at 2114 4972 (9am to 5pm from Monday to Friday (except public holidays)) or email pflandforhongkong.hk@a-world.com.hk.

Mui Wo Swimming Pool temporarily closed

Attention TV/radio announcers:

Please broadcast the following as soon as possible and repeat it at regular intervals:

Here is an item of interest to swimmers.

The Leisure and Cultural Services Department announced today (June 24) that Mui Wo Swimming Pool in Islands District has been temporarily closed for cleaning and superchlorination following the discovery of a small amount of vomit in the pool.

It will be reopened at 5.15pm today.

The department appeals to swimmers to be considerate and to keep the swimming pools clean. They are advised not to swim after a full meal and should use the toilet facilities if necessary before swimming.

SHA to attend launch ceremony of youth event in Shenzhen

The Secretary for Home Affairs, Mr Lau Kong-wah, will depart for Shenzhen at around noon tomorrow (June 25) to attend the launch ceremony of a tour on national development strategies and opportunities for Hong Kong youths. He will also visit a youth entrepreneurship base in Shenzhen.

Mr Lau will return to Hong Kong in the evening on the same day.