

Appeal for information on missing woman in Hung Hom (with photo)

Police today (June 15) appealed to the public for information on a woman who went missing in Hung Hom.

Leung Tsui-ling, aged 48, went missing after she left her residence on Ha Heung Road on June 13 afternoon. Her family made a report to Police yesterday (June 14).

She is about 1.6 metres tall, 40 kilograms in weight and of thin build. She has a pointed face with yellow complexion and short black hair. She was last seen wearing a light-coloured short-sleeved T-shirt, black trousers, black sport shoes and carrying a dark-coloured waist bag.

Anyone who knows the whereabouts of the missing woman or may have seen her is urged to contact the Regional Missing Persons Unit of Kowloon West on 3661 8036 or 9020 6542 or email to rmpu-kw@police.gov.hk, or contact any police station



Hong Kong Police's National Security Department charges a woman with "doing

an act or acts with seditious intention”

Â Â Â Â Â The National Security Department of the Hong Kong Police Force (NSD) arrested a 23-year-old woman in Sau Mau Ping on March 8. Investigation revealed that the arrested woman was suspected of publishing seditious posts and photos on her social media platform for multiple times, including content which provoked hatred towards the Central People’s Government or the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region and incited Hong Kong independence.

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Â Â Â Â Â After seeking legal advice from the Department of Justice, NSD officially laid charge against the woman with one count of “doing an act or acts with seditious intention” today (June 15), for contravening Section 10(1)(a) of the Crimes Ordinance (Cap. 200).

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Â Â Â Â Â The case will be mentioned at the West Kowloon Magistrates’ Courts tomorrow morning (June 16).

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Â Â Â Â Â Police remind members of the public that “doing an act or acts with seditious intention” is a serious crime. Offenders shall be liable upon conviction to imprisonment for two years on first conviction. Members of the public are urged not to defy the law.

Flag-lowering ceremony cancelled

Owing to the thunderstorm warning, the flag-lowering ceremony to be conducted at Golden Bauhinia Square, Wan Chai at 6pm today (June 15) has been cancelled.

SCST meets with representatives of cultural and tourism authorities from Mainland provinces and cities (with

photos)

The Secretary for Culture, Sports and Tourism, Mr Kevin Yeung, today (June 15) met with leaders of cultural and tourism authorities from various Mainland provinces, cities and autonomous regions, who visited Hong Kong to join the International Travel Expo in Hong Kong, to exchange views on enhancing collaboration between Hong Kong and the Mainland on cultural and tourism fronts. Inspector at Level 2 of the Department of Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan Affairs of the Ministry of Culture and Tourism of the People's Republic of China Ms Cui Suxiang and the Director of the Asia Tourism Exchange Center, Mr Zhang Dong, were also present.

Mr Yeung said, "The country attaches great importance to the high-quality development of tourism, with the major direction of enhancing the country's economic structure, promoting Chinese culture and realising the principle of 'shaping tourism with cultural activities and promoting culture through tourism' via the development of tourism. We look forward to joining hands with cultural and tourism authorities on the Mainland in taking forward the exchanges and collaboration, demonstrating our country's cultural soft power as well as the appeal of Chinese civilisation, and telling the good stories of China and Hong Kong."

Hong Kong is positioned as an East-meets-West centre for international cultural exchange under the National 14th Five-Year Plan. The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region strives to strengthen cultural exchanges and co-operation with the Mainland and overseas bodies. The Government has allocated resources to further collaborate with governments and cultural organisations on the Mainland and overseas, with a view to better promoting Chinese culture to the world.

Hong Kong has been promoting exchanges and collaboration with the Mainland in tourism and various areas of arts and culture. The 37th International Travel Expo commences today, bringing together leaders of cultural and tourism authorities from various provinces, cities and autonomous regions. Those who joined the meeting included representatives of the cultural and tourism authorities from Hebei Province, Liaoning Province, Jiangxi Province, Hubei Province, Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region, Sichuan Province and Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region.



[CHP investigates outbreak of acute gastroenteritis at kindergarten in Wong Tai Sin](#)

The Centre for Health Protection (CHP) of the Department of Health (DH) is today (June 15) investigating an outbreak of acute gastroenteritis (AGE) at a kindergarten in Wong Tai Sin, and hence reminded the public and management of institutions to maintain personal and environmental hygiene against AGE.

The outbreak involves 30 pupils, comprising 19 boys and 11 girls aged 4 to 6. They developed vomiting, diarrhoea and fever since June 9. Twenty-one of the affected pupils sought medical attention, and two required hospitalisation. All patients are in stable condition.

An epidemiological investigation revealed that there were students in the outbreak who vomited at the school. Other students developed gastrointestinal symptoms in subsequent days. The CHP considers that the outbreak has a higher chance of person-to-person transmission or environmental contamination, while the chance of involving food poisoning is relatively low.

Officers of the CHP have conducted a site visit and provided health advice to the staff of the kindergarten concerning proper and thorough disinfection, proper disposal of vomitus, and personal and environmental hygiene. The kindergarten has been put under medical surveillance.

Investigations are ongoing.

A spokesman for the CHP reminded that alcohol-based handrub should not substitute hand hygiene with liquid soap and water, as alcohol does not effectively kill some viruses frequently causing AGE, e.g. norovirus. Members of the public are advised to take heed of the following preventive measures against gastroenteritis:

- Ensure proper personal hygiene;
- Wash hands thoroughly before handling food and eating, after using the toilet or after changing diapers;
- Wear gloves when disposing of vomitus or faecal matter, and wash hands afterwards;
- Clean and disinfect contaminated areas or items promptly and thoroughly with diluted household bleach (by adding one part of bleach containing 5.25 per cent sodium hypochlorite to 49 parts of water). Wash hands thoroughly afterwards;
- Maintain good indoor ventilation;
- Pay attention to food hygiene;
- Use separate utensils to handle raw and cooked food;
- Avoid food that is not thoroughly cooked;
- Drink boiled water; and
- Do not patronise unlicensed food premises or food stalls.

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The public may visit the CHP's website (www.chp.gov.hk) or call the DH's Health Education Infoline (2833 0111) for more information.