

**2005-2006 - RI President Carl-Wilhelm Stenhammar**  
**- RI Theme “Service Above Self”**  
**- District Governor - Dr Ken Khoo Boo Khean**  
**- Club President Tai Chin Peow**

23 members attended the 71<sup>st</sup> District Assembly held in Genting Highlands in May 2005 and 20 members attended the District Conference held in Crowne Plaza Mutiara in Dec/Jan 2006. We participated in the RI President Elect Bill Boyd’s visit Intercity Meeting on 6 August, 2005 and the Intercity Meeting held on 7<sup>th</sup> Dec 2005 with 35 other clubs, the Crime Prevention Anti Bully Campaign, the Rotary Foundation and Membership Development Seminar and many others. We sponsored 21 Interactors for the 37<sup>th</sup> District Conference, 8 Rotaractors for the District Rotaract Assembly, 10 Rotaractors for the District Rotaract Conference and 2 youths for RYLA. In addition many Pudu Rotarians served in the District.

We qualified to be a 100% EREY Club and won the following **District Awards**:

- a) Presidential Citation RY2005/06
- b) Best Bulletin for Large Club Category
- c) 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Attendance Award
- d) Outstanding Vocational Service Award
- e) Best Community Service Award

In **Club Service**, we had a golf fellowship, Anniversary celebration, spouses' night, DG's visit and a 100%ers' dinner. Our weekly attendance was over 90%. We had 5 inductions viz Honorary Member HE Patricio Torres, the Ambassador of the Republic of Chile, Rtn Alan Yee, Rtn Stanley Lim, Rtn Mok Sin and Rtn Roy Sreenivasan. We continued to have good programmes speakers; our projects received good publicity in the press, TV and radio. Our Raffles weekly draw was a great success and we held 5 firesides.

In **Vocational Service**, we held a successful Employer- Employee Luncheon with 52 employees participating. The monthly meetings were held in various Rotarians' work place in order to get to know them better. We also conducted a vocational visit to the Fraser & Neave factory at Shah Alam and helped young people upgrade their skills by carrying the project "Vocational Upgrading at Perkobp" whereby the Club donated advanced models of laundry machines to Perkobp and also provided the trainees with more sophisticated training in the vocation

In **Community Service**, we had an excellent project in "Rotary We Care" that involved underprivileged youth and the orang asli. We used 10 4 x 4 vehicles to ferry 20 underprivileged children buddying with 10 Interactors, 10 Rotaractors, 10 Orang Asli children and 10 Rotarian children to a campsite at Sungkai, Perak for a two day retreat of education, interaction and fun. We continued to give our annual scholarships under the PRCCF Scholarships & Grants programme to 151 secondary school students and 7 university undergraduates worth RM60,000. The Club also secured a donation of RM20,000 from the Hongkong Bank which was donated to a programme to host 500 underprivileged children during the 71<sup>st</sup> District 3300 Rotary Conference. We also continued to support the Jenjarom Old Folks Home and made our bi-annual trips there with gifts and donations. Funds were raised for the Haemodialysis Centers at Raub and Shah Alam with PP Choo Jee Sam playing pivotal role and PP Rosemarie Wee organised a special dinner entitled "Voice of Romance: Meet Patrizio Buanne" at the Shangri-la Hotel to raised funds. We were also active to promote Environment protection measures and had a project with 100 Interactors making a visit to the Bukit Badong Water Treatment Processing Plant at Ijok, Kuala Selangor.

In **International Service**. Ms Joanne Lee, our International Youth Exchange student returned home from her stint from Russia in June. We also hosted International Youth Exchange student Andrey Vasilyev from Russian, Ambassadorial Scholar, Ms Olivia Turley and the GSE Team 9450 from Western Australia. We also had a project entitled "Getting to know the Malaysian way of life" where we hosted 7 youths from the RC Mandaluyung. The Club supported the Rotary Foundation by becoming a 100% EREY Club with contributions amounting to USD6,200. We held a joint World Understanding Lunch with the RC Melawati and RC Titiwangsa where many prominent personalities were present including the Ambassador of China, HE Wang Chungui. The big event for International Service was the project 4 x 4 Charity Rallyton Extraordinaire which also doubled as a fund raising project. PP Dato Muslim was the Chef de Mission to 14 4 x 4 vehicles travelling across 17 countries. The group besides spreading the works of Rotary was also hosted by 12 local Rotary Clubs in London. This project was flagged off by the Minister of Tourism Datuk Seri Dr Leo Toyad amidst great publicity in the press. The RC Koshigaya South,

Japan invited the Club to participate in the “Koshigaya International School Children Art Exhibition“ and the Club sent 30 pieces of children’s art. The Club raised RM8,150 to contribute to the “Pakistan Earthquake Disaster Fund” started by the District and another RM60,000 to help out the “Yogyakarta Earthquake Disaster”. We continued to keep in constant touch with our sister clubs and participated in two WCS projects with them.

**Service to New Generations** also had a busy year with the mega project “Empowering our youths towards Nation Building” as its main project. In the project 400 youths participated in a leadership training seminar at the Dusun Eco Resort. We had the usual 29<sup>th</sup> ILTS, Rotarian-Teacher Advisers’ Hi-Tea and sent 21 Interactors to attend the 37<sup>th</sup> District Interact Conference. We held a successful joint project “Say No to Drugs” with the Rotaract Club of Pudu and this project was well covered in the press, radio and TV.

The Club had an eventful year and did exceptionally well in its **Fund Raising** effort as it netted RM650,000 in various projects ie “September Tale: Teresa Teng, Her Life, Her Song”, “Charity Rallyton Extraordinaire 2005”, “Voice of Romance: Meet Patrizio Buanne” and grants from the Ministry of Youth and Sports. .

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