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Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital

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OSC Month and HKSH Christmas Party 2018 in Benefit of Operation Santa Claus Set a New Fundraising Record of Over HK\$1.25 Million

(11 February 2019 – Hong Kong) Marking the 10th consecutive year of support for Operation Santa Claus (OSC) jointly organised by South China Morning Post (SCMP) and Radio Television Hong Kong (RTHK) in 2018, HKSH Village Volunteers achieved a new record of over HK\$1.25 million donation together with the dollar-for-dollar matching from Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital (the Hospital). All donations will go to 13 beneficiaries in support of wide-ranging projects of four domains: Children and Youth, Community, Physical and Mental Disabilities, and Medical.

“The annual OSC Christmas Party pulls together colleagues from all departments in support of charity,” said Dr. Walton LI, Medical Superintendent of the Hospital. “We get together, hoping to spread some love, care and joy in the festive season.”

Christmas came early for charity with the ‘OSC month - Let’s Move for Charity’ activity, colleagues were invited to submit videos featuring a minute of “Exercise for Charity” or other light exercise to raise fund for OSC. “In the OSC month we encouraged colleagues to exercise anywhere, at any time by devoting just 1 minute for the betterment of their body-mind well-being, making simple moves to support charity and the thoughts that count,” commented Dr. Joseph CHAN, Deputy Medical Superintendent of the Hospital and Chief Volunteer of HKSH Village Volunteers. The activity recorded over 800 participations, many departments designed dance steps to show off their creativity and good vibes.

As one of the major highlights of HKSH Christmas Party, the annual ‘Super Chef with Love’ activity invited doctors to swap their gowns into aprons for charity. Dr. Walton LI, Dr. CHOW Shew Ping, Deputy Medical Superintendent of the Hospital, Ms. Manbo MAN, Director of Nursing Services of the Hospital, Dr. Ava KWONG and Dr. WAN Chun Wai took part in the tortilla wrap cooking contest raising a record breaking of donation. Dr. KWONG won the top fund raising award and was named “No. 1 Super Chef in Love” while Dr. WAN also received tremendous support and set a new donation record. The most creative and best taste award went to Ms. Man with her most outstanding tortilla wrap.

Other event highlights include “Let’s Move for Charity Marathon”, “Charity Egg Roll Eating Competition”, game booths and charity sales at the HKSH Christmas Party. All the activities were well supported by our passionate staff, showcasing the Trust and Teamwork of the 3T spirit of HKSH.

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About Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital

Hong Kong Sanatorium & Hospital is one of the leading private hospitals in Hong Kong. With the motto "Quality in Service Excellence in Care", the Hospital is committed to serving the public as well as promoting medical education and research.

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1. The kick-off ceremony was officiated by the HKSH Management Committee and representatives of OSC organisers.



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2. (From left, front row) Super Chefs Ms. Manbo MAN, Director of Nursing Services of the Hospital, Dr. CHOW Shew Ping, Deputy Medical Superintendent of the Hospital, Dr. Walton LI, Medical Superintendent of the Hospital, Dr. Ava KWONG and Dr. WAN Chun Wai showed off their tortilla wraps with Dr. Joseph Chan, Deputy Medical Superintendent of the Hospital and Chief Volunteer of HKSH Village Volunteers. The cooking contest raised a record breaking amount of donations for OSC.



3. "Let's Move for Charity Marathon" at the HKSH Christmas Party invited colleagues to complete a 180 minutes relay of Light Exercise as the good-hearted answer to the call for charity.



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