

2014 冬季簡訊



親愛的會員，

很快又一年了。在聯誼中心的聚會是和往常一樣忙碌。

我們其中一位會員 Eva 安排了一個工作坊，教授女士自製首飾。我們亦於夏天舉行太極班。而每月的 Bingo 賓果遊戲亦很受會員歡迎，尤其是曾經得獎的會員。再者，各位會員亦非常期待愉快的生日會，與一眾壽星子女一起慶祝，分享喜悅。

不同的團體亦曾到訪，為我們舉辦過為數不少的講座。包括由 AgeUK 舉辦的講座，啟發了各位會員清楚自己應有的福利。而且 AgeUK 亦免費向有需要的會員提供建議。另外，移民局亦為我們舉辦講座，介紹自願回流計劃。此計劃專為非法入境及過期居留人仕而設，相信各位會員已經清楚明白講座的信息。

本委員會致力維持逢周三的聚會能友善的接待新舊會員。提供充足的食物，卡拉 OK 娛樂。本會現時有 170 位會員。我們應該做對一些事情所以幾乎每週都有新的成員加入。

早前來自華人教會的年輕人與我們融洽相處。他們的到來，讓我們獲益良多。

於本年，我們亦到訪了不少地方。包括科茨沃爾德，朗利特野生動物園以及康沃爾郡。更有不少會員參觀了法爾茅斯市長辦公室。

今年八月，我們慶祝本會最資深會員李耀林先生(又名林叔)的 90 歲生日。

今年的聖誕派對將會於 2014 年 12 月 17 日(星期三)舉行，我們期待各位會員出席是次活動。

我們將於 2015 年 2 月 22 日(星期日)再次於 West Quay 購物中心慶祝中國新年。其他資料會於稍後公佈。我們需要進行籌款支付有關活動費用，希望各位會員能多多支持。

來年，我們亦會為各位會員舉辦不同類型的活動，包括為司機而設的道路使用者守則，高速公路圖示課程和一般英語會話班。當然，各位會員亦可向我們提出建議，我們一定予以認真考慮。

2015 年會員續期時間將至，各位可以£10 來換領新的會員證。有少數商舖會提供折扣優惠，有 9 折或 85 折給予有效持卡人。

各位請留意，由來年(2015 年)一月起，我們將會編纂數據庫。若各位會員未能更新會籍，將不會接收到華人會資訊。

本人欲藉此機會，祝大家在未來寒冷的月份保重。注意保暖，保持快樂。

主席
韓乃仁

News Letter Winter 2014,

Dear Members,

What a year we are having so far! The Drop-In is as busy as ever.

Our member Eva arranged a workshop to teach the ladies to make beautiful jewelry. The monthly game of Bingo has proved popular especially for those who win the little prizes. Likewise, everyone seems to look forward to Birthday Club, which is such a happy time of celebration with delicious cake and cards for the Birthday boys and girls.

We have had a couple of very interesting talks from outside organizations, like the Age UK who enlightened the members of what benefits are available for them. And also from the Immigration Officers who explained about the voluntary self-repatriation scheme for those staying in UK illegally.

The Committee continues to work hard to ensure the Wednesday Drop-In session is enjoyable with good food, karaoke and a friendly reception for all new and existing members. Our membership is 170 to-date. We must be doing something right to have new members joining almost every week.

The young people from the Chinese Church are mixing well with the more mature members and we are all benefiting from their presence.

We have travelled widely this year with trips to the Cotswolds, a Family day out to Longleat Safari Park, and a short break in Cornwall. Many members have even visited the Mayor's office in Falmouth.

We will be having our Christmas party on Wednesday 17th December. Make sure you put this date in your diary.

Regarding CNY 2015. West Quay Shopping Centre has again granted us the free use of their centre to stage our big CNY celebration. It is on Sunday 22nd February 2015. More details will be given out as and when we have them.

2015 Membership renewal is due soon. You can pay your £10 fee and receive the new membership card at the Drop In. Don't forget, there are a few local businesses who are now giving us 10 or 15% discount when you produce your valid membership card.

Please note, we will be compiling a new database for next year. If your name is not on it, you will not receive text messages or any other correspondence from January.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all well in the coming cold months. Keep warm and stay happy.

Joe Hon (The Chair)



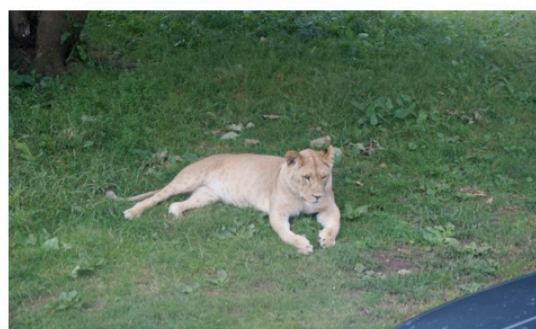
Cotswold 今年三月一日遊



Cotswold 今年五月二日遊



八月林叔慶祝九十大壽生日會



六月Longleat 野生動物園



十月Cornwall 三日遊