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**Newsletter of the Vancouver-Singapore Club** 

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Singapore will host the world's first Youth Olympic Games on August 14, 2010. This is a rare opportunity for you to witness the games among the youths of the world. Start making your travel plans so that you can be in Singapore for the duration of the games from August 14-26, 2010. You had shown your pride for Canada during the VANOC 2009 Games. Now you can show your pride for Singapore in the SYOG 2010 Games. (For more information on the Youth Olympic Games, please visit the website at: www.singapore2010.sg).

#### SINGAPORE YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES OFFICIALS VISIT VANCOUVER



Officials from the Singapore Youth Olympic Games with members of the Club at the River Rock Buffet Restaurant, Richmond on February 9, 2010.

Singapore Youth Olympic Games Officials led by the Chief Executive Officer BG Kee-Nguan Goh and his team of 4 officials visited Vancouver from February 9-14, 2010 for a familiarisation tour of VANOC's events and facilities. During their visit, they met up with members of the Club to give an introduction to the Youth Olympic Games in Singapore. The officials and members had an enjoyable evening of "Buffet Dinner" at the River Rock Buffet Restaurant in Richmond.

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## President's Message

The 21st Annual General Meeting was successfully held on April 17, 2010. As a gradual rejuvenation, there is a small change in the set up of the Executive Committee. This bodes well for the Club.

The dedication and sacrifices made by the past Executive Committee Members were exemplary. I am confident that the new Executive Committee Members will continue to serve the club with the same zeal and dedication.

The introduction by Jim Foo at the Annual General Meeting for a "holding" company to own the clubhouse brought interesting responses from members. This is a first step for the Club towards owning its own clubhouse. In the coming months, discussions will be made by the Ex-co and they will permeate to the general members cumulating with the call for an Extra-ordinary General Meeting. Our Legal Advisor will be involved in guiding the Club through the legal aspect of this venture. I will urge all members to be ready for discussion and to support this venture wholeheartedly and monetarily. Members are welcome to submit their views and feedback to the Executive Committee for further discussion and evaluation.

Singapore will be hosting the first Youth Olympic Games in August. A delegation from the Singapore Youth Olympic Games Organising Committee (SYOGOC) visited Vancouver in February and the Club organised a meeting with the delegates at the River Rock Casino Buffet Restaurant in Richmond.

The Chinese New Year celebration was successfully organised at the end of January. The celebration brought together 300 members and friends at the Continental Seafood Restaurant to welcome the Tiger Year. Singapore Airlines continued its traditional support for the Club by donating an "economy return air-ticket" to Singapore. The ticket was good for travel from Vancouver to Singapore and return (via San Francisco). I wish to thank Singapore Airlines for going out of their way to support us. A fundraising was made for the victims of the Haiti Earthquake and the money collected was donated through the Canadian Red Cross.

The new Executive Committee will be settling down to organise the activities for the year. The regular events like Annual Picnic, Camping, Singapore National Day and Chinese New Year Celebration are the hall-mark of the Club and plans will be made to ensure that these events are well organised for the benefit of members. Other summer activities will be discussed and members will be informed when it is organised. If you have an event that you wish to introduce to the club, please let the undersigned know.

Participation in the activities of our fraternal organisations like: MSBCA, MABC, VMS etc. will continue on a "reciprocal" basis. Members who wish to join in these activities are kindly requested to contact the President or any of the Executive Committee members so that they can be up-dated whenever an event comes into view.

We continue our close association and support with the students from UBC and SFU. The Presidents of these student associations are invited to join in the Board meetings and bring back to their members, the activities that we plan.

Our condolences go to Executive Committee Member, Robert Chia in his recent bereavement on the death of his wife, Maggie and also to our Auditor, Harry Lim on the death of his father.

Please look out for the summer activities that we will be organising and do come along with your family to join us in the fun. May you all have an enjoyable summer!

Michael Leong

#### Singapore Youth Olympic Games Officials Visit Vancouver

By Michael Leong

Vancouver was at the zenith in the preparation for the 2009 Winter Olympics when the Club received an email advising that a delegation from the Singapore Youth Olympic Games Organising Committee (SYOGOC) will be visiting Vancouver on a familiarisation tour of VANOC's facilities and events. In the course of their visit, the SYOGOC delegation would like to "informally" meet up with Singaporeans and friends of Singapore to make known the inauguration of the 1st Youth Olympic Games in Singapore.

The Executive Committee was thrilled to learn of this visit and went about to organise an event that would not cause an indent to the club's finance. After a brain-storming session at the Ex-co Meeting, it was decided that the Club would hold a "Buffet Dinner" at the River Rock Casino for the delegation and members. It will be a revenue-neutral event - this means that all participants will pay for the cost of their own dinner. The event will be held on Tuesday, February 9, 2010 from 5.00 p.m. to 9.00 p.m.

All members were informed of this event through emails and a publication in the Chinese New Year Dinner & Dance programme. Students from the UBC and SFU were informed through their Students' Associations in the universities.

With less than a month's notice, the overall response to this event was impressive. The informal speech by the Chief Executive Officer, B-G Kee-Nguan Goh drew many interesting questions about the Youth Olympic Games in Singapore. All the visiting officials received a souvenir book gift called: "The Treasures of the Olympic Winter Games" and a Certificate of Appreciation from the club.

The officials from Singapore were: Chief Executive Officer: B-G Kee-Nguan Goh

Marketing & Sponsorship: Ms Alice Tan
Protocol & International Relations: Mr Sajid Hanifa
Village Facilities Management: Mr Jason Wee
Publicity Manager: Ms Angela Lim

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#### **21st Annual General Meeting**

By Michael Leong

The 21st Annual General Meeting of the Club was held successfully on April 17, 2010 at the Bonsor Recreation Complex. Over 70 members turned up to elect the new Executive Committee for the year 2010/2011. The following members were elected as the new

Club officials: President: Michael Leong

Vice President: Shirley Wong
Hon. Secretary: Christine Yeoh
Committee Members: Robert Chia,
Jim Foo,

Ken Lau, Gary Lee, Michael Mok, Marjorie Wong

Marc Lim was appointed as the Internal Auditor for the year.

Jim Foo brought up the need for a Clubhouse as the Club is now the "face and soul" of Singapore after the withdrawal of the Singapore Consulate and SIA from Vancouver last year. His proposal is to set up a private company under the control of the Club and this company will raise funds and purchase the Clubhouse. After a lively discussion, Marc Lim proposed a general motion be passed by the members to allow the Ex-co to further explore this suggestion and to report back to the members. The Building Fund had a good start with a donation of \$100 from Sunshine Lim. At the end of the business, all members were invited to an array of Singapore food prepared by members of the Executive Committee. A big thank you to all the cooks for the preparation of a wonderful meal and Sunshine Mother for her donation of a prawn dish.

## Malaysia-Singapore Nite by UBC Students

By Michael Leong

Under the able leadership of Nur Syahidah binte Ismail, President of Singapore Students' Association and her team, the UBC-SSA presented an evening of songs, music and food in conjunction with the Malaysia Students' Association. The event held on March 31, 2010 was the highlight of the annual program presented by these two students' associations at UBC.

The Club is a regular sponsor at this event and Ex-co members attended at a special rate set by the students. There were authentic Malaysian and Singapore food that satisfied the most discerning eaters.

A big "kudo" to the students for organising this very interesting annual event and the Club is proud to continue sponsorship of events by UBC-SSA.

#### "Kawan-Kawan Nite" 2009

By Jim Foo

"A gathering where there are no strangers, only friends we have not met...."

The Vancouver Singapore Club successfully held its inaugural Kawan-Kawan Night on November 21, 2009 at the Willingdon Community Centre in Burnaby. It was attended by over 100 friends with an enthusiastic contingent from UBC Singapore Students Association. The friends came together for an evening of sumptuous food, dancing, meeting friends and lucky draws.

The Singapore cuisine consists of Hainanese Chicken Rice (authentic), Fried Prawn Noodles (professional Sifu method), Yang Chow Fried Rice (Homemade specialty), Tofu Goreng (mouth watering), Curry with Singapore Fish ball (Singapore Style), Pulot Hitam (Sweet and Yummy) and Ubi Kayu (Tapioca Cake). There were plenty of food to go around and some to spare.

After dinner, the friends stayed awhile to learn and to watch the line-dancing instruction by Hon. Secretary Christine Yeoh. And they stayed some more to win draw prizes, some of which were surprises.. you know what I mean if you were there. The fundraising realized a contribution of \$117, and the evening netted a profit of \$52.00 and lots of friendship. The club gained 3 new members as well.

A good time was had by one and all. It had to end early as the hall was closing for the night. Some members asked that the club hold another one in the spring!

#### **Club's Objectives**

- ♦ 1. To provide opportunities for members of all races to meet socially and organize cultural, recreational, social and business activities.
- ♦ 2. To serve as an informal source of information and advise newly-arrived and arriving Singaporeans on the conduct of business, working and living in Canada.
- ♦ 3. To organize formal and informal meetings and exchange views with Singaporeans and eminent Singaporeans visiting Vancouver on subject of general interest.
- ♦ 4. To carry out such other activities which promote the general welfare and interest of the members and the Club.

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#### **Chinese New Year Dinner & Dance**

By Michael Leong

This year, the Club celebrated the Chinese New Year on January 30. The date selected was a fortnight early because we want as many club members as possible to enjoy the celebration with us before they go home to Singapore for further celebration there.

The evening started with the arrival and the registration of guests. Our experienced reception team of Alin Kasenda, Christine Yeoh and Shirley Wong made the onerous work-load of clearing 300 guests, swiftly and orderly.

President Michael Leong welcomed the VIP guests of MLA Douglas Horne and Mrs Larissa Horne, SIA Mr Hao Yu Dai, VP Northwest USA, UOB Mr George Lim, GM Canada and fraternal associations of: MSBCA President Violet Chan, MABC President Gina Hansen, VMS VP John Ho and VSFFS President Albert Lee.

The prizes for the evening were well set with many gifts of good value. All guests had a chance to win the eighteen prizes drawn on their admission tickets. Members who attended were given tickets for the "general" membership draw and separate tickets if they are "Life" members. The highlight of the draws was the Raffle Promotion draw to help the victims of the Haiti Earthquake. A portion of the collection for the draw was donated for this purpose. Julliette collected donations from all the guests at every table and she helped to raise over \$250 for the fund - thank you Julliette for your kind effort. All monies raised and received were donated through the Canadian Red Cross where the Canadian Government pitched in "dollar-for-dollar" in contributions for the Haiti Relief Fund.

Singapore Airlines continued to be the main sponsor for the Raffle Draw. The first prize was an economy return air-ticket from Vancouver to Singapore (via San Francisco) and return. A big "Thank You" to Singapore Airlines and the special effort by Mr Michael Wright to pay for the sectors: Vancouver-San Francisco-Vancouver for the winner of the ticket. The prize was won by Mrs Rose Cheng.

Two special guests made a sterling performance on the Chinese Zithers. Livia Gho of UBC and Fizianna Kwan each played two Chinese songs to the momentous applause from the guests. Cecilia Chung made an appearance as guest singer that evening.

The Emcees for the event were Tim Chandra of UBC and Nadia Kasenda. A special thanks to them for their splendid job in guiding the guests through the programme for the night.

The "Live" band from the Continental Restaurant performed to the dancing delight of the guests. It was an evening that all will remember as a "good" clock-work of professional performance by the Executive Committee and the Emcees. A heartfelt "thank you" go to Robert Chia for his tireless effort in securing all the advertisements in the programme and to all our "dedicated" sponsors for their kind donations.

#### Chinese New Year "Lo-Hei" Celebration

By Michael Leong

Singaporeans and Malaysians of Chinese descent enjoyed celebrating Chinese New Year for "business prosperity" with a "Raw Fish" dish on the auspicious 7<sup>th</sup> day of the Lunar Calendar. This tradition has been passed on for many generations of Chinese in Singapore and Malaysia. The Club up-held this tradition by organising an event called "Lo-Hei" for its members and friends.

The "Lo-Hei" was held at the Bonsor Recreation Complex, Burnaby on Friday, February 26, 2010. The main event for the evening was the "Yu-Sheng" or "Raw-Fish" Salad in which all participants use their chopsticks to stir and lift high the salad and raw fish as a symbol of rising prosperity for the year.

Besides the Raw-fish salad, there were also Chicken Rice, Beef Rendang with bread, Vegetable with Oyster Sauce, dessert of Green

Beans, coffee and tea to wash all these lovely food down. At \$10 per member, this was a special price to benefit all participating members.

The evening programme included: karaoke singing, auction of the "Good-Luck" Raw Fish Salad and Lucky Draw prizes for the guests. Our special thanks go to Mr & Mrs Alvin Tay of Kopitiam Canada Holdings Inc. for donating some prizes for the Lucky Draw.

Over 80 members and friends gathered for this traditional celebration and they all had a good time stirring up the prosperity "Raw Fish".

A few new members joined the Club that evening to enjoy the fellowship and tradition together.





**Host with VIP Guests** (I-r) Julliette & Michael Leong with MLA Douglas Horne and Larissa Horne.

**Recognition of Service** 

Mr James Reynolds (r)receiving his Certificate of

Recognition as the Legal Advisor of the Club.



Seated I-r: Shirley Wong, M. Leong and Christine Yeoh Standing I-r: Robert Chia, Jim Foo and Alin Kasenda.



**Recognition of Performance** Ms Livia Gho receiving recognition for her performance on the Chinese Zither.



**Repertoire of Chinese New Year Songs Recognition of Performance** Ms Cecilia Chung (centre) receiving her (I-r) Wilson Wong, Ken Lau, Pat Leong, Queenie recognition for her singing performance. Kwan, Anita Foo, Shirley Wong and Jim Foo.



With VIP Guest (I-r) Shirley Wong, Julliette, Alin Kasenda, C-G Mohd Hassan Bal of Malaysia and M Leong.



**New Consul-General of Indonesia** (I-r) Michael Leong, Con-Gen Bambang Hiendrasto and Jim Foo.

#### Sprott-Shaw "Class Act" Gala Evening



Consul Hares Lisot (right) of Malaysia with Julliette & Michael Leong at the Gala Event.



Julliette & Michael Leong with Mr Dean Duperron (2nd from right), President of Sprott-Shaw Community College and friends.



Three Lovely Princess! The three lovely daughters of Julie Soh-Chaki.



Auction of the Raw Fish Salad Dish The highest bidder for the auction of the "Yu-Sheng" Dish went to Steven & Evelyn Chia.



Winner of the Lucky Draw Mr Alvin Tay (centre) presenting the prize to Vikey Chan.



The "Lo-Hei" in Progress

Members enjoying the tradional "Lo-Hei" of

Yu-Sheng or Raw Fish Salad.

Ted Yeoh (2nd from left) receiving his prize.



**More Lucky Draw Winners** Susan Koh (centre) receiving her prize.

#### **21st Annual General Meeting**



It's Serious Business at the AGM! Members listening intently to the proceedings.



Here's the fun part! Members savouring the delightful food.

#### **Kawan-Kawan Nite**



Thank you to all the cooks and helpers! Food at the Club's events is generous and ranks among the best in value.



**VIP With Students** Mr Richard Lee MLA-Burnaby North with students from UBC



**Welcome - Fraternal Organisation** Mr & Mrs Johnson Tsang (centre), President of the Tung Khoon Association.



Playing the Chinese Zither! Livia Gho expertly played a few songs to the delight of the crowd.

#### Malaysia-Singapore Nite at UBC



**Ex-co Members among the VIP Guests** (I-r) Jim/Anita Foo, Susie So, Robert Chia and Michael/Julliette Leong.



**Guitarist in Action!** Nur Syahidah binte Ismail, President of SSA-UBC, displaying her skill at the guitar.

#### **Southeast Asia Community Leaders Gathering**

By Michael Leong

On the initiative of Ms Liza Wajong, Chairman of the Board of the Indonesian Association of BC (Permai-BC), Southeast Asia Community Leaders were invited to the Indonesian Consulate-General Office on the evening of March 5, 2010 to explore the possibility of future co-operation in organising sports and social events together.

At the start of the evening, Community Leaders were introduced to the new Consul-General of Indonesia, Excellency Bambang Hiendrasto who extended a warm welcome all the guests. An introduction to the purpose of the evening gathering was given by the Consul-General of Malaysia, Excellency Mohd Hassan Bal.

All leaders of the Southeast Asia Community were given a chance to speak and to express their views. After the speeches, the UBC Choir led by Livia Gho made a special guest appearance to the delight of all the leaders and friends.

An inviting spread of fried rice noodles, curry beef rendang and a plethora of desserts were treated to all the guests. It was an interesting evening of discussion and exchange of views among the leaders and friends. A special "thank you" to the Indonesian Consul-General, Malaysian Consul-General, Thai Consul-General and Permai BC for organising this interesting evening for the Southeast Asia Community Leaders and friends.

#### Sprott-Shaw "Class Act Canada" Gala Evening

By Michael Leong

Mr Dean Duperron, Philanthropist and President of Sprott-Shaw Community College invited VSC President Michael Leong and Julliette to attend the Scholarship Award at the Renaissance Hotel on April 7, 2010. The college awarded scholarships of over \$1 million to deserving students around the world to study in Canada. The 10 recipents of the Scholarship had their goals and dreams fulfilled through the philanthropic vision and kindness of Mr Dean Duperron.

The evening's Gala event started with a Reception and Grand Buffet for guests. Members of the Diplomatic Corp and leaders of Community organisations in Vancouver were present to interact and net work among themselves. The Awards Ceremony was preceded by a "Lion Dance", Filipino Bamboo Dance and demonstration of "hip-hop" dances by students. At the end of the programme, guests were again invited to continue savouring the Grand Buffet. This came as a complete surprise and delight to all guests. It was an honour to receive the invitation from Mr Dean Duperron to this event.



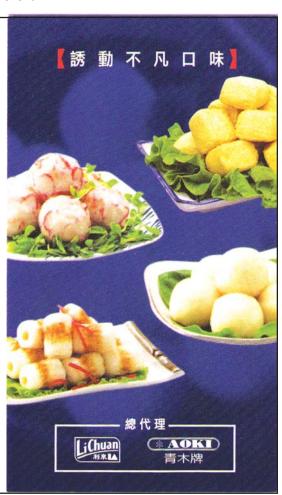
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#### **INGREDIENTS**

For Stock:

Chopped garlic 25 g Prawn heads 2 kg Pork bones 2 Water 500 ml

To cook the noodles:

Cooking oil 100 ml

Chopped garlic 25 g

Yellow noodles 500g (scalded)

Thick rice noodles 300 g (scalded)

Egg 1

Scallion 30 g

Prawns 1 kg (peeled and boiled keep prawn heads for the stock) Squids 1 kg (cut into rings and boiled) Pork belly 500 g (slice into small strips) Bean sprouts 300 g



Fried Hokkien Mee

#### Method:

- 1. Heat wok. Add garlic and fry till brown.
- 2. Add prawn heads and fry till fragrant
- 3. Add water and pork bones and simmer for 45 mins. Transfer the stock to a pot to be used later when frying the noodles.
- 4. Heat wok. Add garlic and fry till brown.
- 5. Add noodles and fry for 5 to 10 mins.
- 6. Push the noodles to one side of the wok, break the egg into the wok and add remaining ingredients. Stir-fry noodles and ingredients quickly.
- 7. Add the stock, simmer for 5 mins and it is ready to serve.

#### **OBITUARY - MRS MAGGIE CHIA**



Maggie Chia

The late Mrs Maggie Chia passed away on March 7, 2010 and left behind loving husband Robert Chia and daughter Rachel Chia. A private funeral was held on March 10, 2010.

The family emigrated from Singapore to Vancouver on March 20, 1982. Maggie was a bank officer with the OCBC Bank in Singapore. Her last job was with the computer company PMC Sierra in Burnaby.

She had travelled widely in America with her family and they had also gone on numerous cruises. The family toured Europe in late 2008 and had great fun together.

She was sociable and had an out-going personality. She attended many of the Club's events. She was liked by those who knew her and now she had gone to heaven to be with the Lord.

She was married for 41 years and will be greatly missed by husband Robert and daughter Rachel. The family would like to thank friends and relatives for the numerous phone calls and cards of condolences during this bereavement.

#### SINGAPORE NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATION

Presenting:

#### **National Day Dinner & Dance**

Date: Friday, August 13, 2010 Time: 6.00 p.m. to 1.00 a.m.

Venue: Continental Seafood Restaurant

Unit 150, 11700 Cambie Road, Richmond, B.C. V6X 1L5.

Tel: 604-278-6331

Food: 10 course Chinese Dinner Banquet

Dance: "Live" Band for Dancing Prizes: Lots of Prizes to be won

For more information, please contact: Michael Leong - Tel: 604-942-6966

To advertise in Program, please contact: Robert Chia - Tel: 604-931-3020

Please mark your calendar for this important date!

#### 會長的話

第 21 屆週年大會在 2010 年 4 月 17 日於 Bonsor 社區中心順利舉行,超過 60 名會員參加。並選出了 2010 至 2011 年度的理事會,新一屆的理事會成員畧有變動,部份委員辭任,由新力軍補入。這顯示出本會的良好及正常的交替,當選新一屆的理事會成員茲列如下:

會長: Michael Leong 副會長: Shirley Wong 秘書: Christine Yeoh

理事: Robert Chia, Jim Foo, Ken Lau, Gary Lee, Michael Mok, Marjorie Wong

Marc Lim 被委任為內部審計員。

- 1. 去屆理事會各成員本著奉獻無私的精神爲會務作出貢獻,稱得上是我們的模範。相信新一屆的理事會成員定必繼續 秉承這個優良傳統,努力爲本會工作。
- 2. 去屆司庫 Jim Foo 在週年大會上提出本會可以"控股"公司擁有自己的會所,帶來許多會員熱烈的反應。這是本會首次構思擁有自己的會所。在今後幾個月裡面,理事會將加緊爲此事商議及探討,並會透過召開非經常性會員大會去討論這個議案的可行性。屆時我們的法律顧問將會解釋通過這方案的法律風險。而我將敦促所有會員就此議案進行討論,並研究如何全力籌組資金。
- 3. 今年8月新加坡將舉辦首屆青年奧運會。新加坡青年奧運會組織委員會(SYOGOC)派出一個代表團在2月份訪問溫哥華,該青年奧運會代表團一行人將在溫哥華多奧期間訪問及參觀溫哥華奧組委的設施和活動。在這行程中,SYOG官員電郵本會希望能非官方式與本地的新加坡人和他們的朋友接觸,讓他們知悉第一屆青少年奧運會今年8月在新加坡舉行。本會應該團的要求安排青年奧運會代表團與參與者於2010年2月9日星期二,下午5時至晚上9時在河石賭場餐廳以自助晚餐形式共進晚餐。席上該團行政總裁吳作棟就在新加坡舉行青少年奧運會,帶來了無數有趣的問題,使在座人仕有更多了解。座談會上所有來訪的官員都收到本會送贈的紀念刊"多奧珍藏 The Treasures of the Olympic Winter Games" "和本會的感謝狀。

來自新加坡的官員有:行政總裁: B-G Kee-Nguan Goh

市場推廣及贊助: Ms. Alice Tan 議定書及國際公關: Sajid Hanifa 奧運村設施管理: Mr. Jason Wee 宣傳經理: Ms. Angela Lim

- 4. 本年1月底本會在烈治文幸運大海鮮酒樓成功舉辦了迎虎年農曆新年的慶祝活動,此項活動共有300多名會員和親友參加。新加坡航空公司一如以往繼續支持本會,送出一張來回新加坡經濟客位機票。從溫哥華到新加坡,途經舊金山。我一再感謝新加坡航空公司以此方式支持我們。
- 5. 新任的理事會成員會將於月內展開首次會議,並組織新一年的活動。一般來說本會常有的活動包括:野餐、露營、慶祝新加坡國慶晚宴〈這是本會年度的重要項目〉等等,我們會確保這些活動能順利舉行。至於有關其他暑期活動,理事會細加研究,待決定日期地點後會通知各位。如果會員有好的提議,可與本會作出提議,理事會會詳加研究。
- 6. 會員參與本會的所有活動,仍然基於人人平等的原則。會員如欲參加,請與會長或各理事聯絡,我們會歡迎各位會員的參與和各種寶貴意見。
- 7. 本會將繼續支持卑詩大學和西門菲沙大學的學生會,及保持密切聯繫。兩個學生會的會長會被邀請參與我們的理事 會會議,並可將本會的活動訊息帶給兩個學生會的同學。
- 8. 此外,我們就理事 Robert Chia,最近他的妻子 Maggie 的離逝予以深切的慰問。而亦對本會的核數師 Harry Lim,他的父親去世深感惋惜。

請留意本會的暑期活動,我們會爲你組織更多活動讓您與您的家人一起到來亨受我們的歡樂。願大家有一個愉快的夏天!"

(Translated through the kind courtesy of Mr Ken Lau)

#### Calling all Singaporeans, ex-Singaporeans, Canadians & Friends of Singapore

The Club needs you to build up its membership base.

Come and join us now and be a proud member of the Singapore Community in Vancouver.

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#### **WELCOME NEW MEMBERS**

We are pleased to welcome the following new members:

#### **General Members**

- 1. CHENG, Rose/Eddy
- 2. CHENG, Teck Khoon/Jesley Kum
- 3. FONG, Kingsley/Kittie
- 4. HEN, May
- 5. KAN, Hoi Ming/Xiong Bin

- 6. LAU, Eileen/James
- 7. LEE, Gary/Soh-Pek Hooi
- 8. LEONG, Cecile
- 9. ROTH, David

- 10. RYTTERSGAARD, David/Susan
- 11. SAJNANI, Rakhee
- 12. TAY, Alvin/Joyce Tan
- 13. YAP, Angeline

#### **Student Members**

1. TAN, Eugene



#### Vancouver Singapore Club,

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Membership Application Form

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#### New Executive Committee for 2010/2011



The newly elected Executive Committee with the Internal Auditor and Legal Advisor at the 21st AGM (I-r) Jim Foo, Marjorie Wong, Marc Lim (Auditor), Michael Mok, Michael Leong (President), James Reynolds (Legal Advisor), Shirley Wong (Vice President), Robert Chia, Christine Yeoh (Hon. Secretary) and Ken Lau.

#### Chinese New Year Dinner & Dance



Lucky Winner of SIA Ticket

Mrs Rose Cheng (centre) receiving her SIA
ticket from Mr Hoa-Yu Dai of SIA (right)
and Mr Michael Leong, President (left).



The Executive Committee with VIPs

(I-r) Front Row: Alin Kasenda, Larissa Horne, Douglas Horne MLA, Michael Leong, Julliette Yeoh,
Hoa-Yu Dai (SIA), Shirley Wong, Cynthia Lim and George Lim (UOB).

Back Row: Jim Foo, Christine Yeoh, James Reynolds, Agnes Loh, Michael Mok, Ken Lau,
Michael Wraight (SIA), Manohar Nagiah and Robert Chia.

#### **Meeting the Singapore Youth Olympic Games Delegation**



The Club's Executives with Members of the Delegation

(I-r) Jason Wee (SYOGOC Delegate), Jim Foo (Hon. Treasurer), Sajid Hanifa (SYOGOC Delegate), James Reynolds (Legal Advisor), Henry Seetoh (Ex-co Member), Alin Kasenda (Ex-co Member), Robert Chia (Ex-co Member), Julliette Yeoh, Michael Leong (President), Michael Mok (Ex-co Member), B-G Goh Kee Nguan (SYOGOC Delegate Leader), Angela Lim (SYOGOC Delegate) and Alice Tan (SYOGOC Delegate).