

Director of Transport and Security Answers Residents' Concerns – by Joan Tsui

The Chinese University Women's Organization's February coffee morning was well attended, as CUWO members and campus residents turned up to hear what Philip Wong, Director of Transport and Security had to say.

While the atmosphere was congenial, with the usual coffee, biscuits and cakes, the issues discussed were controversial. Quite a few concerns were expressed over unauthorized parking on campus, particularly in the residential blocks. Residents complained that some cars are parked unlawfully at all times, sitting right on single or double yellow lines, on 'no parking' signs, blocking other residents' cars, as well as access for emergency vehicles. Attendees suggested signs be put up at the single yellow line, stating clearly the specific hours when cars can and cannot park.

The perpetual problem of inadequate parking spaces is unlikely to be resolved in the near future. The set up of residences on campus is designed to accommodate only one car per unit, yet (as residents pointed out) nearly half of the households own more than one car. Mr. Wong agreed to investigate this issue.

Concerns were also voiced about bad-mannered drivers, as well as careless pedestrians on campus. Wong reminded us that all routes on campus are private roads, bearing a speed limit of 50 km per hour. Security guards on campus can only mark down licenses and issue verbal warnings if drivers are caught speeding on campus routes. They have no judiciary power to summon people to court but can certainly act as civilian witnesses.

It was also suggested that road bumps should be put along the section of Campus Circuit Road leading to Shaw College. Cars tend to speed along that road where many residents jog and walk their dogs.

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Residents' Concerns Answered (cont)

Wong reiterated the University's strict regulation on the usage of school busses – only CU students and staff are entitled to board the busses free of charge. Other members on campus i.e. family members of CU staff and employees of the bank, bookshops, restaurants etc should board the fee-paying bus.

Noise level is another contentious issue in the campus neighbourhood. While excessively noisy neighbours can be reported to the police after 11:00pm; it is probably more effective if you can speak directly to them first.

Lastly, light shuttle buses will replace the present coach service running between the train station and the residences. It is hoped that by Easter, the campus environment and its roads can return to their former safe and peaceful state.

**** Further to the briefing session of the Temporary Traffic Arrangement of Campus Circuit, there will be a liaison group to follow up on the issues raised. The group will include representatives from all related departments/units related and the campus residential community. If you would like to have your voice heard, contact the Associate Pro-vice Chancellor, Prof Michael Hui, on Tel: (852) 2609-8565, Fax: (852) 2603-6975, Email: kmhui@baf.msmail.cuhk.edu.hk or write to: Room 418, Leung Kau Kui Building, CUHK**.**



Errata: the article "Slow drive on Campus Circuit Road" last month about the location of the affected area should read: will be constructed along Campus Circuit Road leading off to Shaw College

Campus Events and Notices



At the University Art Museum: Exhibition of *The Studio and the Altar: Daoist Art in China*

Date: 23 February to 11 May 2008 **Venue:** Gallery I, Art Museum, The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Museum Hours: 10am to 5pm daily, closed on public holidays

Art objects from the Han to the Qing dynasties, including Daoist artworks, scriptures and ritual manuscripts.

New Publication of Art Museum - *The Studio and the Altar: Daoist Art in China* (in Chinese and English)

Hardcover Edition, 234 pages; Price: HKD\$250 -

20% off during exhibition period

With full-color illustrations and detailed descriptions. Includes two scholarly research articles contributed by Prof. Lai Chi Tim, Director of the Centre for the Studies of Daoist Culture of the Chinese University of Hong Kong and Prof. Kristofer Schipper, Director of the International Sinological Institute of Fuzhou University.

Enquiries: 2609 7416 or 2696 1059; Website:
www.cuhk.edu.hk/ics/amm; www.cuhk.edu.hk/crs/dao

Chinese University Women's Organization Coffee Morning, Dumpling Making Demonstration and Lunch

Date and Time: Friday March 7th, from 10am (lunch from around 12 noon)

Venue: University Residence 14, Basement recreation Room

Cost: \$25 (CUWO members) \$35 (non-members)

Lily Meng will demonstrate the culinary art of dumpling making and participants will be able to have a go themselves. After the demonstration, lunch will include the home-made dumplings, complimentary dishes and Chinese tea.

Advance notice – CUWO's April Coffee Morning will be held on **April 11th** in the **Basement Recreation Room, Residence 14 from 10 30am**. There is no charge and all are welcome (Note the date change due to Ching Ming)

For enquiries about these and any other CUWO matter, please call Scarlet on 9407 5292 or email: scarlet529@gmail.com

University Health Centre Health Education Information

Take notice of these two campaigns and look after your health. **Hepatitis and Cervical Cancer** are both potentially fatal and can both be prevented.

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注射疫苗 + 定期檢查

Cervical Cancer Prevention - Vaccination + Regular Check

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健康講座 Health Talk

題目 Topic:

1. 子宮頸癌的預防及疫苗

Cervical Cancer Prevention and Vaccines

日期 Date: 27/2/2008 (星期三 Wed)

2. 子宮頸細胞檢查 Pap Smear

日期 Date: 25/3/2008 (星期二 Tue)

時間 Time: 1:00-2:00pm

地點 Venue:

蒙民偉樓7樓一號演講室
LT1, 7/F Mong Man Wai Building

網上報名 Registration:
<http://pccr.cpe.cuhk.edu.hk/personnel/ormag/crlist.asp>

展覽會 Exhibition

日期 Date: 25/2 - 7/3/2008

地點 Venue:

科學館廣場 Science Centre Plaza

日期 Date: 3 - 7/3/2008

地點 Venue:

文化廣場 Cultural Square

注射日期 Vaccination Date

第一針 1st Dose: 5-7 /3/2008

第二針 2nd Dose: 9-11 /4/2008

第三針 3rd Dose: 17-19 /9/2008

時間 Time: 9:00am - 5:30pm

地點 Venue:

大學保健處一樓
1/F University Health Centre

查詢電話 Enquire Tel: 2609 6428

網址 Web Site: <http://www.cuhk.edu.hk/uhs/mfiv>

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Hepatitis Awareness Campaign

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(25 - 29/2/2008)

The CUHK's Hepatitis Awareness and Vaccination campaign began in February and continues into March. To make arrangements for Blood Testing and vaccination, call UHC on 2609 6422

每針 per dose		疫苗注射 VACCINATION	
甲型肝炎：只需兩針 Hepatitis A: 2 dose regimen	\$230	日期 Date:	6 - 7 / 3 / 2008 (第一針 1st Dose)
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			18 - 19 / 9 / 2008 (第三針 3rd Dose)
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Children's Page

Easter Colouring Competition

Take a look at the next and you will see a cute, Easter Picture to colour in. (Just copy and print). When you've finished your art work, send it to CCN, c/o Mrs. Ngan, residence 4, flat 3B, CUHK.



And don't forget to include your Name, Age and Phone number so we can let you know if you won a prize!

A concert for kids of all ages –



Come and have a fun evening of fabulous songs with Kassia Youth Choir, the teenage branch of the Katterwall singing company. Under the guidance of conductor Matthew Hale, the girls have been learning some of the greatest Diva repertoire from many different genres including Classical and of course Pop! Get ready for lots of singing, dancing and lots of Diva attitude! Experience Divaness in Mandarin, English and Italian!

The show will include hits from such dynamic divas as **Britney Spears, Dusty Springfield, Kelly Clarkson, Tina Turner, Irene Cara** and include: *I Say a Little Prayer; You Don't Own Me; Behind These Hazel Eyes; Baby One More Time; Nella Fantasia*. And by popular request Kassia Youth Choir will also be reprising their own version of **What a Feeling** from the movie *Flashdance* which was featured in their 2007 concert *A Night at the Movies*.

Details

Date: Wed 5th March 2008 Time: 8pm
Venue: Fringe Studio, HK Fringe Club
Tickets: \$160 (adult), \$130 (Fringe club members), \$120 (student/senior/disabled). Tickets available from all HK Ticketing outlets, incl. Tom Lee Music stores Tel: 31 288 288 Internet booking: www.hkticketing.com
Programme enquiry: 2575 3931 / info@katterwall.com

EASTER COLOURING COMPETITION



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Arts Calendar - Charlotte Weiss

The Hong Kong Arts Festival is ongoing (see last month's *CCN* for more details) and there are a few shows with tickets still available (check at URBTIX for up-to-the-minute availability):

Eddie Palmieri: Afro-Caribbean Jazz Sextet, 13-14 March, at the Cultural Centre's Concert Hall

Compagnie Marie Chouinard, Ode to Joy L.I.V.E., 14-15 March, at the APA's Lyric Theatre

Hungarian Concerto: Hommage à Béla Bartók presented by the Hungarian State Folk Ensemble. An extra matinee show will take place on 16 March, (3:00pm), at the Cultural Centre's Grand Theatre

The 32nd Hong Kong International Film Festival 17.3 ~ 6.4.2008

In addition to the regular line-up of events below, another major festival begins on the 17th of March and runs until 6 April, **the 32nd HK International Film Festival**. I'm always ready for the long Easter break and the film festival --with film catalogue in hand, it's fun to run all over Hong Kong trying to see as many movies as possible. Pick up the catalogue of listings at URBTIX and spend a few minutes browsing or go to www.hkiff.org.hk. The festival is held in various venues including the Cultural Centre, City Hall, Langham Place, and the Hong Kong Science Museum in TST (my favourite film festival spot). You will find films from around the world as well as locally-produced classics and global award-winning productions. You can spend a long time browsing the catalogue's various listings -- I always love the categories of "Global Vision", "Auteurs", and "Humanitarian Awards for Documentaries". I'm sure you'll find your own favourites too and become a die-hard film-fest fan.

ON CAMPUS: (at Lee Hysan Concert Hall - 8:00)

•26 March

Gustavo Romero Piano Recital (in a Beethoven sonata cycle)



AT SHATIN TOWN HALL:

•9 March (7:30pm)

Bach's St. Matthew's Passion, Hong Kong Chamber Choir

•14-16 March (8:00pm) with matinee on 16 March (3:00pm)

Family Fiesta: Pinocchio's Family, Shu Ning Presentation Unit

•28 & 29 March (8:00pm) with matinees on 29 & 30 March (3:00pm)

All Classical, All Tchaikovsky, Hong Kong Ballet

•4 April (3:00pm and 8:00pm)

Symphonic Magic, Henry Shek, Conductor, Hong Kong Philharmonic Orchestra (Looks like loads of fun for the kids and features 2 dancers "who may invite you to perform on stage with the HK Phil"!)

AT OTHER VENUES:

•1 March

The Rite of Spring, Hong Kong Philharmonic Orchestra in collaboration with the Academy of Performing Arts Orchestra at Cultural Centre Concert Hall



•21-22 March

Let's Face the Music & Dance, Hong Kong Philharmonic Orchestra at Cultural Centre Concert Hall

(Note: features Broadway singers and dancers in a tribute to Fred and Ginger with music of Irving Berlin, Cole Porter & George Gershwin)

•27 March

Great Violin Concertos, Antal Szalai plays Tchaikovsky, Hong Kong Sinfonietta at City Hall Concert Hall

•29 March

The Dream of the Red Mansions with Wu Bixia, Soprano, Hong Kong Chinese Orchestra at Cultural Centre Concert Hall

(Note: Wu Bixia's voice was described by the Spanish press as "the sound from heaven" -- this concert features music taken from a popular TV drama based on the famous Chinese novel, *The Dream of the Red Mansions*)

AT THE APA (Wan Chai -- HK

Ticketing: 31-288-288):



•13-15 March (7:30pm)

A Puccini Double Bill: Gianni Schicchi & Suor Angelica, presented by the APA's symphonic orchestra and choir (in Italian with English/Chinese surtitles) at the Academy Drama Theatre

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New Chef -



By the time you read this article, the SCR Clubhouse will have already revised its menu. Joan Tsui, along with Scarlet Suen and Connie Carmichael, had the opportunity to try out recommended dishes from the new chef, George Chor: this is her report:

Seared goose liver is an appetizer you should not miss. Indeed it is pricy (at more than HKD120 per dish of two palm-size goose livers), yet its unique creamy and succulent texture wrapped in crispy skin makes it all worthwhile. George confided that the secret is to fry the livers straight from the freezer, skipping the defrosting procedure all together. The apples in the caramel sauce help to melt and disintegrate fats of the liver. Interestingly enough, the other appetizer, home made



“goose” liver terrine is made from chicken livers. George says the smooth consistency of chicken liver blends much better than goose with egg yolk, anchovy, capers and olive oil.

Another note-worthy appetizer is the salmon gravlax. While it is standard practice to have the Norwegian salmon marinated overnight with sea salt, I was taken aback to learn that the fish is then soaked in milk for four hours. George added that this is necessary to cleanse the salty taste, making the fish more chewy and elastic to the palate.

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- New Ideas

- by Joan Tsui

What I enjoyed most was the grilled, boneless short rib. Tender yet rich in beef flavour, the red meat is a fine cut between rib bones. George revealed that the dish should be set aside and left to settle for ten minutes or so before serving, because fibers in the meat remain active even after cooking has been completed, making it tough if eaten right away.

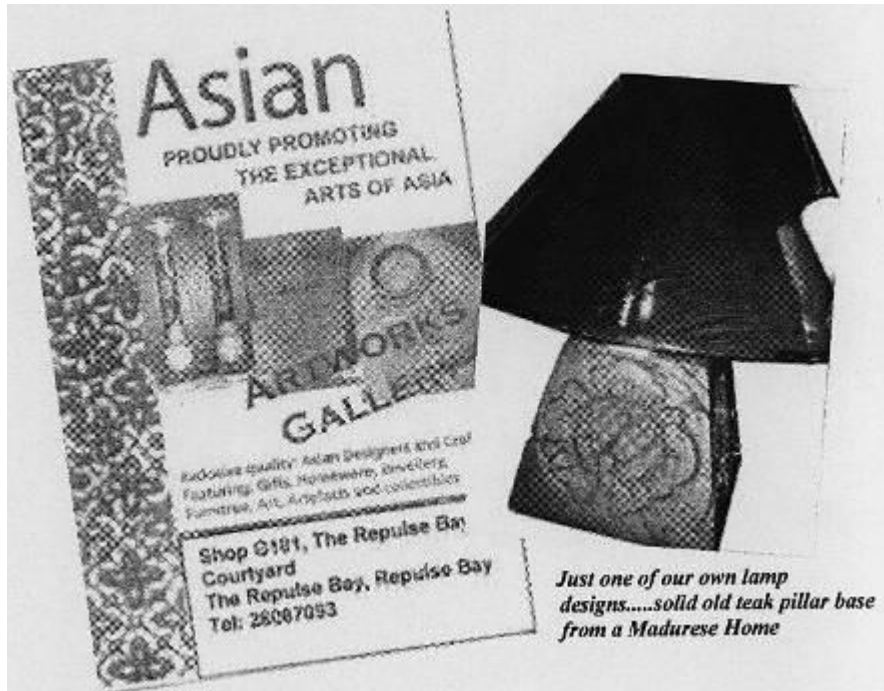


As a new chef on campus, George brings along more than 25 years of experience in Western cuisine, mostly from private clubs such as the Hong Kong Cricket Club, HK Yacht Club... etc. He added that working for clubs has trained him to become creative, both in terms of taste and aesthetics. George heads a team of 6 deputy chefs in the Staff common Room Club (SCR) – each taking care of his own area of specialty, such as desserts, Thai cuisine, appetizers etc. He assured me that standard items will remain on the menu, and his recommendations are in addition to the à La Carte dishes.

SCR Club Business hours : Monday to Sunday from 12:00 - 21:30
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Note: Photographs of George's special dishes will be displayed in the web edition

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