

INNER WHEEL DISTRICT 330 INNER WHEEL CLUB OF SINGAPORE WEST

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August - October NEWS LETTER

District Matters

- 1. Our club has nominated Dr Lucy Ooi of IWC Singapore East to be the next National representative. She has consented.
- 2. Datin Pearl Jai Mohan, District Extension Chairman of District 330 is seeking funds to purchase bicycles for the children living in the remote part of Borneo to cycle to school.

The Committee agreed to give RM350 towards the project.

Under the name 'Inner Wheel Whispering Hope' project, PDNR Datin Pearl and friends made donations including pencil cases to the Bario Primary School.

The children need more clothes and perhaps special tuition to help them improve their lessons.

The Penan pre-schoolers take an hour to walk to and fro from school. Datin pearl and friends are thinking of more ways to help them.

3. Next District AGM will be held in Kuala Lumpur in March 2013.

Local IWC Matters

- 1. Lucia has written to Lee Foundation seeking funding for Toy Library for children with special needs at AWWA Resource Centre.
- 2. The '*Macaroon Demonstration*' will be on the 8th of November at 10am. It will be held at Genevieve Grosliere's residence at 47 Goodman Road. The fee is \$50 per head. Each member is encouraged to bring at least a guest to make up for the number of 20 pax.

- 3. This year's Christmas get-together will be held on 16 December. Joanna has kindly consented to host this X-mas potluck party. Members are to inform Lucy Bay on the dishes they are contributing.
- 4. Last year, our club organized a Christmas party for the children of Sun Dac Centre for the Disabled. Lucia suggested we bring Christmas Joy to them again this year. The Committee agreed wholeheartedly.

Ruth has generously donated \$1000 dollars for the Party.

Gek has confirmed the party on Saturday, 8 December with Sun Dac.

- 5. Ms Esther Wenger, formerly from IWC Club Zurcher Oberland, Switzerland, will be joining our club. Lucia has written to President Elisabeth Hirzel for permission for her to join which she had agreed.
- 6. We teamed up with the two Inner Wheel Clubs on 21 October to help raise funds for the Red Cross Society.

Our stall sold fish balls, 'maruku', samosa, soon kueh etc. Business was brisk.

Various organizations, including embassies of some countries, were there selling things ranging from food, drinks, mee-siam and bread to handicrafts. There were entertainments featuring dancing and singing too.

A heavy downpour in the late morning did not deter the crowd from coming; even President Tony Tan was present to show support.



Beautiful Miss Malaysia came in a cheongsam too.



Gek and Phyllis at the fair:





Lucy Bay and grandson Lucas were happy to help:

President Vinita and Smits from IWC Singapore East and Singapore:



Lucia Goh President