



## Rosyth School Alumni Association

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting 2019 of Rosyth School Alumni Association  
held on Saturday, **9th November 2019 at 12.00pm;**  
at Rosyth School - Ritz Room Level 3  
21 Serangoon North Avenue 4, S555855

### Present

#### Management Committee 2019/2020

President	-	Ms Leaw Wan Bee Janet
Vice President	-	Ms Foo Kai Lin
Vice President	-	Dr Tan Sok Chuen
Secretary	-	Ms Yap Tianyin Tracy
Assistant Secretary	-	Ms Tan Huamin Eunice
Treasurer	-	Mr Hu Jin Jie
Assistant Treasurer	-	Ms Li Qui Yang, Apple
Internal Auditor	-	Ms Kong Xin Yi Michelle
Legal Advisor		Mohan Das s/o Vijayaratham
Liaison Officer	-	Mr Shen Yicheng, Alson
Liaison Officer	-	Ms Leaw Wan Lay Wendy
IT Specialist	-	Mr Lian Weijie Anurax
Committee Member	-	Ms Ong Wee Kuan Adeline
Committee Member	-	Mr Lim Sze Thong Gary
Committee Member	-	Ms Long Shing Yuan June
Committee Member	-	Mr Ong Hai Tien
Committee Member	-	Dr Fong Chern Ying, Chrystal

#### Absent with Apologies

Internal Auditor	-	Mr Hardeep Singh
Committee Member	-	Dr Allagarsamy Karpagavalli

#### In attendance

Mdm Elis Tan	-	Principal, Rosyth School
Mr Chew Jing Wen	-	Vice Principal, Rosyth School

#### Life Members

Ang Kok Keong	20190500868
Balamurugan A Vellayappan	20160700503
Chrystal Fong Chern Ying	20171200658
Foo Kai Lin	20130700271

Foo Tee Kiat Kenneth	20150400387
Gen	20180700747
Gwee Li Ping	20150100365
Ho Kaiwei	20120700208
Ho Woon Yang	20140800339
Hu Jin Jie	20150600401
Jasmin Kaur	20170200557
Kee-Vin	20170400581
Keyi	20190100828
Kok Yik Siong	20170700614
Kong Xin Yi Michelle	20150100362
Kow Weijie, Kelvin	20170100554
Leaw Wan Bee Janet	20090100089
Leaw Wan Lay Wendy	20140100301
Leow Cheng Jie	20150800427
Leow Chun Wen Shawn	20180700758
Leow Yock Keng	20181100792
Li Qui Yang, Apple	20131000296
Lian Weijie Anurax	20130600256
Lim Sze Thong Gary	20120700217
Lim Yew Kia Jeffrey	20150100370
Long Shing Yuan	20120900221
Mohan Das s/o Vijayaratnam	20140800346
Neo Eek San	20151000443
Neo Eng Choon	20181200807
Ong Wee Kuan	20130800277
Ong Hai Tien	20150400392
Ong Wee Kuan	20130800277
Puay Hoon	20170300574
Shaun Ho Pan-Wei	20171200654
Shen Yicheng Alson	20170200560
Sherman Choo	20171000638
Shin Ee	20181100791
Tan Huamin Eunice	20140100306
Tan Kiak Yang, Mark	20130600263
Tan Shi Yu	20160700506
Tan Sok Chuen	20150700421
Thong Weien Joel	20190800915
Wai San	20180300692
Wanyi	20190600877
Wei Chean	20170600603
Yi Ching	20180400711
Yong Zhi Yong Derrick	20160600493
Yap Tianyin Tracy	20121000226
Zheng Huineng	20190900933

## **Quorum**

The Annual General Meeting was declared open by the President at 12.30pm upon satisfying the quorum which was deemed in accordance with Article 7.9 of the Constitution.

## **Address by the Principal – Elis Tan**

Mdm Tan was present and expressed her appreciation of the RSAA's efforts in bringing the alumni members together and contributing to the school's events.

She took the chance to introduce Mr Chew Jing Wen as the replacement for Mr Marvin Chan, the ex-Vice Principal who left us earlier this year for another role.

During her address, Mdm Tan reiterated the I-CARE values and school motto 'Ready to Serve' that characterised Rosythians and its Alumni members. She urged that RSAA members to work with the school to nurture Rosythians with the public spiritedness in using their talents and passion to uplift and serve the school and community at large.

Mdm Tan also informed the RSAA members that in 2020, Rosyth School would have 9 Primary One classes instead of 10. She explained that every year, MOE would review the overall distribution of primary one classes across the primary schools in Singapore by considering factors such as the P1 children population that year, the infrastructure capacity of the schools, the spread of primary schools in the neighbourhood etc.

## **Address by the Vice Principal – Mr Chew Jing Wen**

Mr Chew shared some upcoming and current events that the school has in motion and cite them as examples on how RSAA members can help enrich the learning path for their children.

## **Rosythians Ready to Serve**

2019 Lee Kuan Yew All Round Excellence Award – An award for past students that our Rosythians have received, who have gone beyond academic excellence and put in efforts to contribute towards the community.

Bringing Arts to the community – Performances that our students have participated in including PassionArts@The Heartlands and Band Fiesta@Gardens by the Bay

Uplifting Spirits – Events catered to caring for seniors and youths.

Encouraging Hearts - through the school ARTS@SKHcampus, where a college was created to be put up on the corridor walls of the Sengkang General Hospital.

RSAA Colours award and Service award – given each year to outstanding Rosythians, Colour Awards are presented to P6 students who performed very well in both academic and non-

academic spheres, and the Colours Awards are given to ex-students who returned to serve in the CCAs in their Alma Matar, Rosyth School, to mentor the junior students. Mr Chew thanked RSAA for their strong support for these 2 awards.

Role Modelling Passion in Service – Mr Chew mentioned RSAA brought back the joy of playing during 2019 Curriculum Day with the contribution of game and claw machines. He also cited the 2019 P6 Graduation gift - a graduation bear with their graduation photo – as another example of RSAA giving back and expressed his thanks.

### **Nurturing Passion through Partnership**

Passion-based learning – using passion board within the school for students to sign up their own interest for self-exploration and he emphasized on how we can work closely together to develop the programmes further.

Curriculum time – through period Phi planned through the year, the students were able to explore different types of learnings and deepen their choice of interest.

Other ways include Cross CCA programme, Programmes at Markerspace, Jakarta Immersion Programme and Values In Action (VIA)

He mentioned that 80% of the programmes were non-academic and so far more than 500 students have benefitted from them.

He appealed to the RSAA that if anyone has an area of passion or expertise, please feel free to approach or volunteer. He hoped to pass on your expertise to the students through these programmes. He then shared the list of up-coming events during the year for reference.

27 Mar

Speech and Prize Giving Ceremony

(Afternote: The event is cancelled due to the COVID-19 situation. Student prize winners will be recognised at other school-based events when mass assembly resumes later.)

2- 16 Jul

Cross-CCA programme

Term 4

Passion-based learning

8 Oct

Curriculum Experience

17 Nov

P6 Graduation Day

## **Address by the Alumni President – Ms Leaw Wan Bee Janet**

Ms Leaw did a brief run through of agenda for the day and introduction of the current RSAA members. Members who attended the AGM were also encouraged to do self-introductions. She mentioned that we will be doing a re-election of the Management Committee in 2020 and rallied for volunteers apply for the positions.

## **Treasurer's Report for Financial Year**

The RSAA Treasurer, Mr Hu Jin Jie shared the Financial Report for the year ending 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018. Notable expenditures from the RSAA fund in contribution to the school were:

- Teachers' Day gifts
- Children's Day event
- RSAA Awards
- Graduation Gifts for P6

The motion was supported by Ms Jasmin Kaur and seconded by Mr Ivan Ng

## **Confirmation of Minutes of Last AGM**

The Secretary, Ms Tracy Yap, presented the minutes of the last Annual General Meeting held on 10<sup>th</sup> November 2018 and having posted online, was confirmed unanimously. The motion was supported by Mr Kenneth Foo and seconded by Mr Shaun Ho.

## **P1 Enrolment Updates**

A reminder that the membership confirmation note and Rosyth School Report Book or PSLE Certificate are essential items to bring for P1 enrolment. Ms Leaw also elaborated more on the helpful tips prior to attending the enrolment exercise:

- Have the documents ready as registration is only one day
- Look out for MOE website updates in case of process changes

Mr Anurax Lian, our IT specialist also walked through the steps on how to check and print your membership status on our website. As this is based on the latest contact details provided or submitted to the RSAA, he mentioned the importance of keeping those details up to date. Members can use the Contact Us form online to update their records.

## **Any Other Business**

As no other matters were raised, the meeting ended at 2.00pm. The members stayed back to slot class photographs into the graduation teddy bears the RSAA bought for graduating P6 students as a team activity.

**Tracy Yap**

Secretary

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