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Led by Hope and Loving Legacy, In Gratitude for Your Support

Recently, Po Leung Kuk was honoured with the 20th Compassion Award presented by the HK & Macau Taiwanese Charity Fund Limited, becoming one of the first local charitable organisations to receive this prestigious accolade. When I represented Po Leung Kuk at the award ceremony, holding the trophy and receiving applause, I reflected on how this recognition truly belongs to everyone. The Kuk’s ability to provide heartfelt service to the Hong Kong community for 147 years, while continuing to innovate and care for our beneficiaries amidst various challenges, is all thanks to your support. This includes the trust of our stakeholders and the dedicated efforts of our professional team at Po Leung Kuk.

The work carried out this quarter clearly showcase the trust and support from our partners and benevolent donors. Whether it is the generous parties who donated funds and supplies to Po Leung Kuk in response to the recent fire incident in Tai Po, the Government department that entrusted us to operate the V Mart, one of the 9 major tourist hotspots, the collaborations we signed to provide more opportunities for our students to attend “double first-class” universities in Mainland China, or the numerous celebrities who assisted in promoting our services—your support enables Po Leung Kuk to continuously optimise its services and stay attuned to the needs of our beneficiaries.

I would also like to extend my heartfelt thanks to all the dedicated colleagues at Po Leung Kuk. Whether organising large fundraising events or providing frontline services to those in need, your unwavering commitment, regardless of the task at hand, fills me with gratitude and admiration. I remember after the Tai Po fire, frontline colleagues eagerly volunteered to assist, and one principal even stayed overnight at schools to manage emergency funds prepared for the affected residents.

As I recall these moments and look at the Compassion Award in front of me, I feel an immense sense of pride for the Po Leung Kuk team. It is thanks to all of you that Po Leung Kuk embodies the spirit of “Inspired by Creativity and Integrity, Led by Hope and Loving Legacy”.

To all our partners, donors, and colleagues, you are truly deserving of a resounding Well Done!

Amanda Ho

Amanda T.W.HO, JP
Chairman of Po Leung Kuk

Latest News

Walking Together in Love – Comprehensive Support for Residents of Wang Fuk Court, Tai Po

The unexpected fire devastated the residents of Wang Fuk Court, Tai Po, leaving them to cope with the loss of loved ones and their homes. In response, Po Leung Kuk immediately allocated resources to implement a series of support measures, working hand in hand with donors and corporate partners to help the affected residents during this challenging time.

After the incident, the Po Leung Kuk Charity Fund for the Disadvantaged promptly provided financial assistance to the families of the deceased and those who were injured. Each family of a deceased victim received HK$30,000, while each injured individual was given HK$10,000. Following this, Po Leung Kuk established the “Po Leung Kuk Charity Fund for the Disadvantaged – Designated Account for Supporting Residents Affected by the Wang Fuk Court Fire”, bringing together donations and supplies from various donors and launching multiple immediate support measures. Among these, each household in Wang Fuk Court received a cash “emergency relief fund” of HK$15,000, while the Kuk’s Lee Shau Kee Youth Oasis and elder care service and rehabilitation units provided urgent accommodation support for the residents.

Everyday essentials are also crucial for the residents. The Kuk received generous donations from compassionate corporates to supply residents with necessities, including laptops, tablets, warm clothing, towels, hygiene products, and more. Additionally, the Kuk’s 3 kindergartens-cum-nurseries located in Tai Po or Sha Tin offered temporary care for young children. Our Chinese Medicine Mobile Clinics provided free Chinese medicine treatment programmes and distributed supplies to Wang Fuk Court residents, while professional lawyers offered free legal consultation services.

When one faces difficulty, many come together to lend support; while fire may be merciless, human kindness prevails. Po Leung Kuk will continue to be attentive to the needs of Wang Fuk Court residents, providing appropriate support.

Acknowledgements to Major Donors

Po Leung Kuk Awarded the 20th Compassion Award

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This year, Po Leung Kuk was honoured with the 20th Compassion Award presented by the HK & Macau Taiwanese Charity Fund Limited in recognition of the Kuk's contributions to charitable services. Among the 2 awardees in Hong Kong, Po Leung Kuk is proud to be one of the first local charitable organisations to receive this honour.

Ms Amanda T W HO, JP, Chairman of Po Leung Kuk, represented the Kuk at the award ceremony to accept the prize. She expressed her gratitude for the recognition from the organisers and hopes that Po Leung Kuk will continue to walk alongside various stakeholders to support those in need within the community.

We invite you to watch the **service introduction video** produced by the organiser.

Po Leung Kuk Holds 2025–26 Board of Directors Chinese New Year Gathering

As the new year begins, bringing fresh beginnings, Po Leung Kuk embraced its long-standing tradition by hosting a Chinese New Year Gathering. Chairman Amanda T W HO, JP, recently led board members and management in wishing the community a prosperous and stable year ahead for Hong Kong, as well as continued steady development for Po Leung Kuk's charitable endeavours. Students from Po Leung Kuk Chan Seng Yee Kindergarten donned festive attire to perform at the event, creating a lively and joyous atmosphere. Following the gathering, representatives from the Kuk visited residential home to distribute sweets, ensuring that the children in residence could also share in the festive joy and blessings of the season.

Service Highlights

V Mart Opens at Victoria Park: Weekend Themed Markets

V Mart , one of the 9 major tourist hotspot projects co-organised by Po Leung Kuk and Leisure and Cultural Services Department, officially opened on 10 January. We were honoured to have Mr Raistlin LAU Chun, JP, Under Secretary for Culture, Sports and Tourism, Ms Manda CHAN Wing-man, JP, Director of Leisure & Cultural Services, and Ms Amanda T W HO, JP, Chairman of Po Leung Kuk, as the esteemed guests of the opening ceremony. We were also pleased to welcome the Hon Mr Stanley NG Chau-pei, GBS, JP, Executive Council Member, Legislative Council Member, and Advisor of Po Leung Kuk, in support of the event.

V Mart will feature various themed markets every weekend and on public holidays, showcasing 30 stalls offering creative handmade goods and delicious food, along with unique photo spots, workshops, and performances, hoping to attract more local residents and visitors in the year ahead.

Family Crisis Support Services Promotion: “Care Companion” Ms Mandy LAM Suk-man Engages in Conversation with Beneficiaries

During this quarter, Po Leung Kuk conducted a series of promotional activities for Family Crisis Support Services, inviting the artiste Ms Mandy LAM Suk-man to serve as the “Care Companion”. In a promotional event, Ms Mandy LAM engaged in a heartfelt conversation with a beneficiary named Moon (pseudonym). Moon shared her experience of staying at the Po Leung Kuk Refuge Centres for Women after suffering domestic violence from her husband. She reflected, “When I first came to Po Leung Kuk, I encountered a group of kind and professional people who supported me like family. Although I was very scared, their encouragement comforted me; this place felt like my home”. Today, Moon has become a volunteer with Po Leung Kuk, using her own journey to inspire other women in similar situations to bravely confront their family crises.

Po Leung Kuk “Igniting Artistic Creativity: Shanghai & Hong Kong in Unity” Shanghai Exchange and Study Tour

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上海交流考察團

Ms Amanda T W HO, JP, Chairman of Po Leung Kuk, alongside board members, led over 140 principals, teachers, and students from 17 affiliated secondary schools on a 5-day, 4-night Shanghai Exchange and Study Tour. The exchange group focused on themes of “Art and Culture” and “Career Planning”, visiting local landmarks and institutions, including the No.3 Experimental School Affiliated to Shanghai Normal University, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, and Fudan University. They also toured the headquarters of Trip.com Group, further broadening students’ horizons. The principals also held discussions with the representatives from Xuhui Education Bureau and local universities to explore the direction of educational development.

Po Leung Kuk Child Sponsors’ Day

This year’s Po Leung Kuk Child Sponsors’ Day was held at the Po Leung Kuk headquarters. The event featured Ms Wendy CHAU Fung-mui, Assistant Director (Family & Child Welfare) for Social Welfare, as the guest of honour, and saw delightful performances by children in residence, expressing their gratitude to the sponsoring donors for their support.

Celebrating its 65th year, the “Child Sponsorship Programme” continues to thrive. At the ceremony, Ms Amanda T W HO, JP, Chairman of Po Leung Kuk, expressed her thanks to the HKSAR government and all donors for their trust and support, which enables the programme to be implemented and expanded. She also encouraged more kind-hearted individuals to join the “Child Sponsorship Programme” and become Trusted Companions for children.

Support Us

Po Leung Kuk Cup 2026: Advancing with Integrity for 147 Years

The annual Po Leung Kuk Cup was recently held at Sha Tin Racecourse, themed “Inspired by Creativity and Integrity, Galloping Ahead”, bringing together the power of goodwill from various sectors to raise funds for over 300 of our service units, supporting grassroots and vulnerable communities.

The event enjoyed robust support from businesses and donors, creating a lively atmosphere. Mr Arnaldo Y H HO, Vice-Chairman of Po Leung Kuk, entered his horse “VIVA FIRECRACKER” into the race, adding excitement to the occasion. This year’s event introduced innovative features, including the inaugural “Visionary Award” and “Compassion Award” for charity. Guests participated by donating to guess the winning horse, enjoying thrilling races while contributing to a worthy cause.

Po Leung Kuk Annual Charity Ball

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Earlier, the Po Leung Kuk Annual Charity Ball was held at the Grand Ballroom of Grand Hyatt Hong Kong. We were honoured to have the Hon Paul LAM Ting-kwok, GBS, SC, JP, Secretary for Justice, as the guest of honour.

The evening was filled with a rich programme, including performances from Midlife, Sing & Shine! volunteer ambassadors Albert CHAU, Kevin LIU, Jackie LEE and Stacey LONG, who sang classic songs and shared their inspiring stories of courage while chasing their dreams. There was also a charity singing segment and an auction. Singer Stephy TANG generously donated her hand-painted artwork, “The Winter Night in Finland”, raising HK$200,000 for Po Leung Kuk, spreading love through love. All proceeds will be allocated to the expansion of Po Leung Kuk’s various services.

Po Leung Kuk Charity Walk: SNOOPY New Year Walk

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The Po Leung Kuk Charity Walk took place successfully on 7 February, with the theme “SNOOPY New Year Walk”. The event welcomed esteemed guests including Mr Benson KWOK Joon-fung, IDSM, Director of Immigration, Mr CHAN Tsz-tat, CDSM, Commissioner of Customs & Excise, Mr Johnson CHAN Joon-sun, PDSM, PMSM, Deputy Commissioner of Police (Management), Mr HO Kwok-man, Assistant Commissioner for Correctional Services (Human Resource), Mr CHEU Yu-kok, FSMSM, Assistant Director for Fire Services (Corporate Strategy), Mr Mark CHENG Yik-man, Assistant District Officer (Sha Tin) and Ms Amanda T W HO, JP, Chairman of Po Leung Kuk who officiated the opening ceremony. Several units from the Kuk also presented wonderful performances during the event.
The Charity Walk attracted nearly 12,000 participants, starting at Sha Tin Racecourse and walking along Shing Mun River to the finishing point at Sha Tin Park. The atmosphere was vibrant and lively, with many participants donning limited-edition Snoopy souvenirs, filling the air with joy along the route.

Support the Po Leung Kuk Charity Walk

Po Leung Kuk CNY TV Show

The Po Leung Kuk CNY TV Show aired on the evening of 17 February (the first day of Chinese New Year) on TVB Jade, offering New Year blessings to the entire community while raising funds for over 300 service units of the Kuk, benefiting grassroots and vulnerable groups.

We were honoured to have the Hon Alice MAK Mei-kuen, SBS, JP, Secretary for Home and Youth Affairs, as our guest of honour. The programme featured inspiring stories from our service recipients, alongside entertaining singing performances and charity games, promoting the Kuk's diverse services.

Aligned with our annual theme "Inspired by Creativity and Integrity, Led by Hope and Loving Legacy", we called upon generous donors from all sectors to continue supporting the Po Leung Kuk's charitable work. Donors are welcome to contribute red packets to Po Leung Kuk, so that more beneficiaries can receive timely and appropriate assistance.

For donations of HK$ 500 or above, you will receive a gift from PLK's social enterprise "Artsy ONE" from now until 16 March 2026. These gifts are made by people with disabilities. Distribution is on a first-come, first-served basis.

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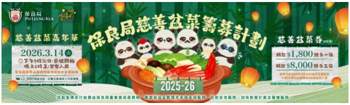
Po Leung Kuk Charity Poon Choi Fundraising Programme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The Poon Choi Feast & Carnival will take place on 14 March (Saturday) at Tsz Wan Shan School Village. Centred on the theme of "Inclusion", it will feature various distinctive stalls, photo booths, and exciting performances. Generous donors will enjoy this special dish with family, friends, and colleagues in a joyful setting. Po Leung Kuk has been closely monitoring the situation of residents affected by the Tai Po fire and standing alongside the families impacted. For this event, affected households were also specially invited to take part free of charge, to share in good food and warmth.

In addition, this year's Po Leung Kuk Charity Poon Choi Fundraising Campaign likewise encourages donors to contribute, sending care and blessings to those in need. All proceeds will fund Po Leung Kuk's various services, including elderly and healthcare support, benefiting individuals with swallowing difficulties and the elderly, allowing them to enjoy "comfort food that they can eat".

Support the Charity Poon Choi Fundraising Programme

Corporate Collaboration

Po Leung Kuk x CITIC Securities International Trust "Empathy & Togetherness" Youth Mental Health Programme

We would like to extend our heartfelt thanks to CITIC Securities International Trust for their generous donation of over HK$650,000, supporting the Youth Community Arts Centre under the Youth Affairs Department of Po Leung Kuk. This funding will help launch the 1-year “Empathy & Togetherness” Youth Mental Health Programme, which will benefit about 1,200 individuals. The programme features a unique “Mental Health Short Film Competition”, encouraging young people to express their understanding of mental health through creative short films. The award ceremony and community exhibition took place successfully on 10 January at Central Market, showcasing the achievements of the programme over the year and recognising the active participation of our young mental health ambassadors.

About Po Leung Kuk

Founded in 1878, Po Leung Kuk walks with generations of Hong Kong people in different time and now becomes one of the largest charity organisations in Hong Kong. Currently, the Kuk has more than 300 units strategically located in Hong Kong and provides multi-faceted services in education, social welfare, youth, recreation, culture and integrated health care. We attend to more than 2,700,000 visits for services per year in the past 3 years.

If you do not wish to further receive any promotion materials, please email to media@poleungkuk.org.hk and indicate your request on the email subject. We would process your case once received your request.

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