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General Information from the Editor

Good news to our Chinese Community!

If you have any language problem with the police or have difficulty in contacting the police, you can now contact Miss Helen Zhang who is a newly appointed Chinese Police Officer in Cambridge. Her Mobile #07710995014 or e-mail : helen.zhang@cambs.pnn.police.uk. Please remember, reporting to the police is your duty if anything unusual happens in our community.

Our elementary English class has started on 09/09/08, every Tuesday from 9:30am to 11:30am in our centre but there's still a few vacant places available to join in this class before 26/09/08, so please hurry and call our centre for booking in this class or you can contact Miss Wang Ying at 07796196162. Qualified applicant should be above 18years old, Chinese and the entire course will be free of charge up to December while new class will resume in January for the continuation of such course. Life in UK class will also be started in due course on every Friday 9am to 12nn and £15.00 will be charged for every 30 hours session. We are also planning for the opening of Mandarin Class if the number of applicants reaches our minimum requirement.

Our Tai-chi and lion dance course will be held on every Sunday from 2:00 pm to 3:00pm, if you are interested, please call our centre and make booking for such courses. A £2.00 fees will be charged on a per session basis.

All members who has booked or reserved in any of our activities must pay for the fees required in each specific event unless three days notice is given to the centre for cancellation.

Activities Held

1. On 27/07/08, our centre was invited by ASCOT to attend to the ASCOT Hong Kong Horse Racing. A group of members from our Centre spent a pleasant afternoon together with the performance of traditional Chinese dancing by our dancing group.

2. On 20/07/08 , a group of members mostly the older people joined in the B B Q Celebration held by Wing Yip Food Ltd in London. On the same day, many members took this opportunity to shop in the newly built supermarket of Wing Yip Food Ltd.
3. Our Centre was invited to perform traditional lion dance in the AGM OF COPE in Guildhall on 21/07/08.
4. On 10/08/08, Beijing Olympic 2008 Celebration was successfully held in the centre with the great support from the members of our community centre. We would like to take this opportunity to thank the following donors who had contributed food in the BBQ : Mr & Mrs Wan Wing, Mr & Mrs W.T.Wong, Cook For You and those volunteer workers Mr & Mrs Cheung Kam Chi, Mr Ke, Mr Lam Tak Keung who had contributed their precious time in this event.
5. On 17/08/08 our Centre hired a 59 seater coach for one day tour to Southend-On-Sea. Together with the older people and family of our members, all of them enjoyed a great afternoon and everyone are looking forward to joining again in this event if opportunity arises.
6. On 21/08/08, 20 older people joined in the meeting with the Housing Association and Flagship Housing Group to discuss about the facilities which will be provided in the future new Simons House. During the meeting, it was agreed that the centre will pay a visit to Melbourn old people homes on 18/09/08 at 10am followed by a light lunch in our centre.
7. Birthday celebration for the older people was held in the centre on 31/07/08 and 28/08/08 respectively followed by a buffet lunch and raffle draw donated by the centre. The event started at 12:30pm and ended happily in late afternoon.
8. Our centre was invited to perform in the Dragon Boat Festival and Cherry Hinton Festival which was held on 06/09/08. Our Lion Dance and traditional Chinese Dancing Group attracted hundreds of audiences with joy and happiness inside the arena.

Future Activities

1. Our Centre cordially invites the pleasure of our members and non-members in our Mid-Autumn (Lantern) Festival Celebration which will be held on 21/09/08 (Sunday)

Venue	:	Cambridge Chinese Community Centre Citylife House, Sturton Street, Cambridge, CB1 2QF
Time	:	21 st September, 2008, 2pm – 5pm
Programme	:	Chinese Acrobatic Show performed by Eastern Arts Group

Lion & Unicorn Dance
Tai-chi Kung Fu Demonstration
Chinese Traditional Dance
Solo & Group Singing
Light Refreshment
Lucky Draw donated by business
Community

Entrance Fee : Free (Member) , £2.00 (Non-Member)

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Due to limited space, please reserve your seat before 5pm 19th September, 2008. It will be served on a first come first serve basis and we look forward to seeing you in this spectacular event.

2. On 23/10/08 2pm there will be a second meeting with the Housing Association for further discussion on the new Simons House project. All Members are welcomed to join in this meeting especially the older people who intend to apply for such housing unit.