

Islands District Council
Community Affairs, Culture and Recreation Committee (CACRC)

Report of the CACRC Meeting held on 14 September 2015

Question on the Progress of Establishing Special School and District Support Centre for Persons with Disabilities in Tung Chung

Members gave suggestions to the Education Bureau and the Social Welfare Department (SWD) on the establishment of special school and district support centre for persons with disabilities respectively.

Question on the Relocation of Hong Kong Jockey Club's Off-course Betting Centre in Tung Chung

2. Members noted the progress of the matter.

Question on Excessive Lead Content in Drinking Water

3. Water Supplies Department advised the latest requirement for water tests and the application for water supply.

Question on Emergency Placement for Elderly and Planning of Elderly Services

4. Members enquired about the implementation timetable and details of elderly services of SWD.

Introduction on Lunar New Year Fair 2016 in Islands District

5. Members gave suggestions to the Food and Environmental Hygiene Department on the standard size of dry goods stalls.

Recreation and Sports Activities organized by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department in Islands District from April to June 2016

6. Members gave support in principle for the recreational and sports activities to be held by Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD) in Islands District from April to June 2016.

Report on Anti-Corruption Projects in Islands District

7. Members noted the progress of anti-corruption projects launched in Islands District and proposed arrangements for promotion of these projects in Discovery Bay.

Reports by Working Groups

(iii) International Day of Disabled Persons Working Group

8. Members noted the progress of various activities of International Day of Disabled Persons.

(i) Vetting Group

9. The Vetting Group processed 31 funding applications at the meeting in July for Community Involvement Projects to be held from November to December 2015. The proposal had been submitted to and endorsed by the Committee in form of circulation paper.

10. The Vetting Group also processed 43 funding applications in September for Community Involvement Projects to be held from January to March 2016. The proposal would be submitted to the Committee in form of circulation paper and the new term District Council for consideration.

(ii) CACRC Working Group

11. Members noted the progress of the Islands District Cantonese Opera 2015, the Islands District Women's Development Program 2015 and that of the Islands District Cultural Festival.

Reports on the work of the Leisure and Cultural Services Department in Islands District

12. Members noted the progress of the recreational, sports and cultural activities, as well as that in the promotion of public library activities of the LCSD in the Islands District.

Other Business

13. Members noted the enquiry made on an activity of Islands Cultural Festival and the handling of CACRC working group.

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