

The 9th China Charity Award - Most Influential Charity Project Award

At the 9th China Charity Award in 2015, Chi Heng Foundation received the "Most Influential Charity Project Award" from the Ministry of Civil Affairs of the People's Republic of China. The "China Charity Award" grants annual charity awards of the highest standard. It is the second time Chi Heng Foundation received such a high-ranking honor awarded by the authority. The first time was in 2005 when Mr. Chung To was elected as one of the "China Top Ten Inspiring People" by the China Charity Federation.



Hong Kong Community Volunteers 2015 (Corporate Member) The Highest Participation Award - GOLD AWARD

On 6th December, our Operations Director Mr. Leroy Lam joined the "International Volunteer Day Recognition 2015" held by the Agency for Volunteer Service in Hong Kong. Representing all volunteers of Chi Heng, Leroy received the "Hong Kong Community Volunteers 2015 (Corporate Member) Highest Participation Award - GOLD AWARD" on stage. Thanks to the strong support of our volunteers, we achieved a total of 15,500 servicing hours in 2014/15. We would like to sincerely thank all volunteers for their hard work and dedication to Chi Heng.



To Contribute Own Talents to Charity

On 11th December, Chi Heng's long term supporter Ms. Rosana Lok hosted a charity Cantonese Opera Gala named "The Legend of Purple Hairpin" at the Hong Kong Sunbeam Theatre, to celebrate her 50th birthday, with all proceeds of the event donated to Chi Heng. We sincerely thank Rosana for her strong support.



Books Charity Bazaar Benefits Chi Heng

We would like to thank SA Direct Limited for donating the sale proceeds of the first 2 days of their Charity Book Sale to Chi Heng to support the AIDS orphans in China. The Charity Book Sale was held from 3rd to 6th December at Quarry Bay, Hong Kong, with the support of Chi Heng volunteers. Together we nurture the reading habit of the kids and let them know the importance of sharing love.



St. Stephen's Christmas Fete

On 5th December, a group of Chi Heng volunteers in Hong Kong joined the St. Stephen's Christmas Fete organized by St. Stephen's Chapel. At the booth volunteers helped to promote Chi Heng to the public and brought a lot of fun to the children by hand painting. They not only raised funds for Chi Heng, but also let the kids feel the happiness of giving.



Hong Kong Annual Volunteer Dinner

December 5th is the International Volunteer Day. Chi Heng Hong Kong organized an Annual Volunteer Dinner on the same day in appreciation of the support and all the hard work that our volunteers have put into volunteering at Chi Heng this year. Besides updates on our work introduced by the Chi Heng team, representatives of volunteers also shared their experiences and feelings in organizing different kinds of charity activities. The table prizes and lucky draw brought much fun to our volunteers. We sincerely thank CirQ-Life for being the gift sponsor of the event.



"Eat for AIDS"

A fundraising event named "Eat for AIDS" was co-held by Chi Heng Zhengzhou and the Aimoli Western Restaurant in support of World AIDS Day on 1st December. It was a 4-day event, when Aimoli Western Restaurant donated 20% of the total revenue to Chi Heng Foundation. This was the first time for Chi Heng Zhengzhou to cooperate with the catering industry and we look forward to more collaboration in the future.



"Dine Out-Fight AIDS"

To commemorate World AIDS Day on 1st December, a fund raising event named "Dine Out-Fight AIDS" was organized by Chi Heng Hong Kong. The event was supported by 8 brands with 17 outlets throughout Hong Kong. Special menus were designed and meals were chosen at participating restaurants and some of the proceeds were donated to Chi Heng to support children impacted by AIDS in China. Participating merchants included Assaggio Trattoria Italiana, BIG FERNAND, Cuisine Cuisine, Gogyo, Queen's Kitchen, School Food, Tsui Hang Village and MiraSpa. We sincerely thank them for their generous support.



Photo: The Queen's Kitchen organized a weeklong series of "Dine Out-Fight AIDS" Charity Parties and invited our chairperson Mr. Chung To and our operations director Mr. Leroy Lam to participate in 2 of them. They introduced Chi Heng and shared their volunteering experiences to the guests.

School Activities

On December 1st, Chi Heng Kunming took part in the "Take Action to Fight Against AIDS" cum "Exploring Their Inner World" art exhibition held by Kunming Youth Volunteers Association of Yunnan University. Through the paintings drawn by our sponsored students, we wish to raise public awareness of the growth environment and physical and mental development of AIDS orphans.



On December 1st, Chi Heng Beijing took part in the publicity event named "Move forward for AIDS" co-held by Renmin University, Youth Volunteers Association of Beijing Normal University, Beijing Foreign Studies University, Peking University, Beijing Foreign Economic and Trade University. The paintings drawn by our sponsored students were exhibited and condoms were distributed in Beijing Normal University to raise awareness of AIDS prevention among the university students.



On Christmas Eve, with the help of 10 high-school volunteers, a mini charity sale of "auspicious apple", a unique culture of Chinese in celebrating Christmas, was held jointly by Chi Heng Zhengzhou and 10 high schools in Zhengzhou. It was a good start for organizing fund-raising events with schools in Zhengzhou.

2nd Chinese Youth AIDS Prevention and Education Forum

Chi Heng Beijing was invited to attend the "2nd Chinese Youth AIDS Prevention and Education Forum" with over 80 other guests, held at the Hall of the Political Consultative Conference. Participants shared our experiences on youth AIDS prevention and education in China. Chi Heng has been working on AIDS prevention and education in China for over 10 years, including AIDS education among the youth.



SCB "Train-The-Trainer" Talk

Chi Heng Beijing joined the "Train-The-Trainer" (TTT) seminar organized by Standard Chartered Bank Beijing branch and shared knowledge about HIV to more than 30 SCB colleagues. TTT is a global social caring program initiated by Standard Chartered Bank. This year they join force with Chi Heng to fight against AIDS/HIV.



Winter Camp

From December 4th to 6th, 24 Chi Heng sponsored primary students from Henan Province went to Beijing for a three-day Winter Camp. They visited Tsinghua University, Museum Palace, Beijing Science and Technology Museum and the office of supporting company Hogan Lovells. Through the activities and interactions with supporters, our students were inspired and widened their horizons.



From December 25th to 27th, 20 sponsored students from primary and secondary schools participated in the 3rd Children Winter Camp themed "Meet Chi Heng & Find Love" organized by Chi Heng Zhengzhou. They visited Coca Cola Co., Ltd, Zhengzhou Normal College, Zhengzhou Science and Technology Museum and Zhengzhou Radio. They also took part in outdoor activities and made DIY handicrafts. Through the activities, they not only gained more knowledge and a wider horizon, but also experienced the feeling of being cared and loved through interactions with the volunteers.



Winter Material Distribution

New batches of support materials have been distributed to the families that are most unfortunate or financially challenged in Yunnan, Henan and Anhui provinces. The materials include rice, noodles and quilts. We hope to bring warmth to them before the New Year.



Students' Gathering

In mid-December, Chi Heng Lincang held the "Happy Weekend Journey" activity for 27 primary students. At the same time, they organized the "Ride for AIDS" event for 13 senior secondary and vocational students. Different activities targeting different age groups can help increase their sense of belonging.



From December 19th to 20th, Chi Heng Fuyang held the "Spending Christmas Time Together" gathering to enrich students' extracurricular activities. A total of 26 students took part in the gathering to experience some brand new activities they had never tried before. Through these experiences, we hope to arouse their curiosity and motivation to work hard, and to spend a pleasant and meaningful Christmas together.



In mid-December, Chi Heng Zhumadian held a Christmas-themed activity for 42 sponsored secondary students and 17 vocational students. The activities included etiquette training, briefing of Chi Heng vocational training program, team building games and outdoor activities to enhance the students' social and independent skills, while learning to appreciate and share happiness with others.



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