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#### 我決定走一趟饒有意義的英國之旅。非常感恩的是:前任校長李石玉如女 士 ('72)、周小鳳副校長 ('82) 和謝淑珍老師分別由不同地方來英倫共聚。

#### 與 Miss Jenkins 相見歡

我們先拜訪於 1967 年至 1972 年在本校擔任校長的鄭美蓮女士 (Miss Evelyn Jenkins)。我的心情非常激動,因為探訪 Miss Jenkins 一直是我 上任校長以來的心願!她是倫敦傳道會派來女英華而唯一仍然在世的傳 教士校長!我們送上問候與祝福,並為她慶祝八十九歲生日。切蛋糕之 餘,卻不能忘記此一歷史時刻——英華三位校長難得同場,服務英華由 1967年到現時為止,橫跨超過五十年!尤其感恩的是 Miss Jenkins 健康 良好,我們一同分享舊日的時光。她看見自己年輕時的舊照,禁不住驚歎; 當看見新校舍的照片時,更是連聲驚呼,心情異常興奮。

今年七月是英華遷回羅便臣道校舍後的第一個暑假。當遷校事宜安頓後,

#### 向 Miss Silcocks 致敬

接著,一行四人訪尋前校長蕭覺真女士 (Miss Vera Silcocks) 的墓地,墓 園環境清幽寧靜。我們在墓園中植樹紀念,在撒骨灰處設置紀念牌。Miss

> Silcocks 在 1927 年開始服務英華,並於 1939 年獲委任為「代 校長」,戰後於 1947 年至 1967 年擔任校長。我們代表學 校和校友獻花、祈禱,向這位為香港的女子教育、為英

華女校奉獻一生的傳教士致以最崇高的敬意。

在訪尋墓地的過程中,由駕駛經驗豐富的石校長駕車,再 加上谷歌地圖的幫助,但我們仍然錯過了路口,需多次迴

轉拐彎才能到達目的地。其實人生路何嘗不是這樣!有了目標, 也不會一蹴即至,往往峰迴路轉,多拐彎路才得柳暗花明。因此,既有清 晰的目標,又能信靠天父導航,相信總會找到出路,達成所願。

#### 探訪 Mrs Mogford 及校友

此行,我們還探訪了 Mrs Mogford。她於 1977 年至 1979 年在本校任教 英文科,是一位深受同學愛戴的老師。最後,我們更聯絡了十多位在英國 倫敦的校友,不同年紀的英華女兒共聚一堂,但願能在英國成立校友會分 會,大家「身遠心莫離」!

校長 關翰章



(左起)謝淑珍老師、周小鳳副校長、關翰章校長 Mrs Mogford 及前校長李石玉如





## THE SEARCH FOR MISS SILCOCKS' RESTING PLACE

#### 15 years ago ...

In summer 2004, when the school was preparing to produce a DVD on Miss Silcocks (released in 2005), I visited the Archives of the former London Missionary Society at the School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London to look for information. With my family members working as a team, information regarding Miss Silcocks' applications and preparation for her mission to Hong Kong back in the 1920s was successfully traced. Based on the information, we went to her hometown in Trowbridge and visited the school and the church she attended. Yet, it was a pity that her final resting place could not be identified despite our arduous search of micro-film records in the local City Council. Due to the time constraint, this quest ended in suspense.

#### 15 years later ...

In 2019, thanks to the endeavor of some young alumnae and the advancement in internet search, Miss Silcocks' resting place

was finally located in a shrubbery in Somerset . All in Ying Wa are much thrilled!

I would like to thank the School for the invitation for me to join the homage team in honour of Miss Silcocks, a beckoning too meaningful to decline. While the United Kingdom was not originally on my travel itinerary this summer, everything has God's good timing and worked out very smoothly.



#### The quest is now a real find

On 1 August 2019, a nice sunny summer afternoon, we arrived at the peaceful garden of Haycombe Cemetery. With the direction of the office staff, it did not take us too long to locate the tree in memory of Miss Silcocks and her shrubbery. Every step towards the sites was accompanied by mixed feelings tumbling inside us. Finally, we were there!

The tree in memory of Miss Silcocks belongs to the family of 'birch' (in layman terms), which is said to have air-purifying functions, a meaningful match for the work of such a devoted missionary who embarked on her voyage of faith across the oceans nearly 100 years ago.

#### **Known unto God**

15 years ago, while my family members and I were ploughing through the cemetery in Trowbridge to no avail, unknowingly mistaking it as the burial place of Miss Silcocks, I was struck by a genuine but heart-wrenching remark of my daughter, Sarah ('00 S3), "As Miss Silcocks was single, her tomb might have been neglected and perhaps fallen beyond repair with words engraved unrecognizable". Yet, immediately God comforted me with the thought, "Even though she might not be known unto men, she is definitely known unto God".

Now, with plaques and a tree dedicated in Miss Silcocks' loving memory, this heavenly inspiration still plucks my heartstrings. In front of the shrubbery, with the blooming flowers and lush green grass in sight, I couldn't hold my tears witnessing the nurture of the unidentifiable ashes. Nothing physical can confine the eternity of Miss Silcocks' ministry and God's kingdom.

Lee Shek Yuk Yu Ruth ('72) Principal (2001-2015)



#### 英倫留學路

#### 探索求知

在倫敦大學學院(UCL)修讀一年制碩士課程,課程內容和教學方式與想像中頗有不同,各科期末作業和畢業論文的馬拉松,是動力和耐力的考驗,但我依然努力當試不同方法,一一克服難題,對這兒活躍、開放的學術氣氛,課堂活動,元化,來自世界各地的師生踴躍交流,充滿互動。

#### 共融理念

特別欣賞UCL校方的共融理念,學校為殘疾學生提供靈活的支援,並不視為「特殊照顧」(special accommodation),而視作「合理調適」(reasonable adjustments),務求給予每個學生足夠的機會發揮潛能、參與校園生活。不但學生可以隨時向師長求助,老師和相關教職員更會主動約見學生,了解我們

在學業和生活上的情況和需要,商討應 對辦法,從提供點字教材和課堂錄影、 安排課堂助教、延長功課時限,乃至調 整考核模式…坐言起行,樂於試驗任何 可行的方案,讓學生得到更適切的個人 化支援。這樣,從照顧個別差異出發, 撇開成見,而非要求所有學生迎合一個 「主流」,持續雙向溝通、各方互相協 調、不斷靈活調節,這是真正的融合教 育的根基。近日碩士課程的老師對我 說,其實教導有特殊需要的學生,學校 各個層面的團隊也在學習。為更充分準 備迎接日後的特殊需要學生,我就讀的 學部今年開始,所有教材會上載到大學 內聯網,供同學隨時翻查,又透過制定 指引和舉辦教師培訓,有系統地改善教 材的設計,尤其增加圖片說明、使用無 障礙檔案格式等,幫助有不同需要的學 生都能順暢、有效地使用教學資源。這 個小小改變,其實是大大一步,照顧特 殊學生的同時,全體學生都受惠;更重 要的是,本著開放接納的胸襟,洞察問 題,迅速主動以行動回應,用實質行動 締造改變,正是融合教育、共融社會的 成功要領。

#### 文化交流

很感恩認識了幾位好朋友,他們會主動帶我參加同學聚會、體驗當地生活風情,說古道今,文化交流就在談笑間。在倫敦,有古色古香的建築,不同文化 背景的人,熱愛自己的文化,同時也欣賞、尊重彼此不同的價值信念和生活方 式,和睦共處,文化交匯融合,城市風情變得更多元、更繽紛。

#### 英華情緣

我要特別感謝石校長細心關照,事前為 我走訪聯繫在倫敦的英華校友,介紹我 和媽媽認識大師姐Christina Wei ('93), 為我們的異鄉生活送上家的溫暖。 Christina非常熱情親切,帶我們外出吃 飯、逛街,又激我們到家裡作客,後來 師姐Sarah Lee ('00 S3) 到訪倫敦,在緊 密的行程中特意抽空與我們共進晚餐, 三位不同年代的校友聚首一堂\*,談起來 卻很投入,是我們共同的英華情緣,讓 我們感到家人般親切,聽師姐分享成長 經歷和對求學、事業的見解,介紹英國 的風土人情,我每每大開眼界,獲益良 多。「身遠心莫離」,母校培養出的感 恩念舊、謙卑關懷,凝聚一代又一代英 華師友,我們會薪火相傳!

#### 尋找方向

走出校園,投身職場,須要更努力尋找 方向,須要更大勇氣去作出新的嘗試。 然而,我明白人生是充滿變數的,有變 化,才有機會進步。多年來師長春風化 雨、身邊無數愛我的人無限支持,我切 盼能將所學付諸實踐,在工作上學以致 用,將大家對我的愛化為新的力量,照 亮更多人的生命。

#### 曾芷君 ('13)

(\*詳見校友會通訊海外版2018年10月號第 12至13頁 http://www.ywgsaa.org.hk/ sites/default/files/newsletter\_overseas/ OAN\_1810.pdf)

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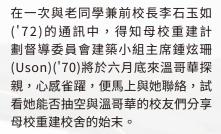
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#### 校園重建過程分享

#### - 謝謝Uson



很感謝Uson在溫哥華逗留短短三天中,也非常樂意與我們共聚分享。我們與她雖是首次會面,但並無任何隔膜,且一見如故,因為我們都是「英華一家人」。

Uson 很風趣健談,她透過簡報表詳 盡介紹及解釋新校舍。大家可以看到 每一個角落的設計,不單是注重實 用,也兼顧美感和與周邊的和諧。我 們得知箇中種種困難與挑戰,感到神 賜予母校的恩典與帶領,使用不同的 人,在各崗位上發揮最有效、最高 的潛力;處處都見精心巧妙的安排。 設計中看到當下的實用好處,又能預 留供未來發展需要的空間,真是嘆為 觀止。從整個過程中看到各方的群策 群力,師生間之鞠躬盡瘁,實在難能 可貴。

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在整個聚會中,出席的校友們得以重溫當年在校的點滴,心中都泛起對母校的思念。我們希望能在明年三月學校的120週年校慶與新校舍的正式開幕禮舉行時,回校一起共慶主恩。

惟願我英華,勿徒崇外貌!

惟願我英華,承先繼後,作育更多 英才,服務人羣!

願英華兒女,發揮基督的香氣,輝耀 於山丘!

楊淩偉思 ('72)



▲ From left to right: Emily Mo ('95), Yolanda Shin ('77), Lydia Ling('61), Miss Yau Ping Wai ('59) and Uson Chung ('70)



▲ Group photo



▲ Presentation of Thank-you gift to Uson

## Presentation on the New Campus by Uson Chung

On July 6, 2019, a sunny Saturday, a group of over 35 Ying Wa girls and guests gathered together in Gibson Centre in Markham to attend a presentation given by Uson Chung ('70). Uson is the Chairperson of the Building Subcommittee of the School Redevelopment Steering Committee.

We are so honoured to have Uson spending two hours with us during her visit to Toronto from Hong Kong. She did an amazing presentation on the development of our school campus and its buildings throughout our history with a lot of interesting facts, which brought back many fond memories. Uson's knowledge and explanation of all the design concepts and challenges during the construction

process of the new campus was an eye opener for all of us.

**Toronto** 

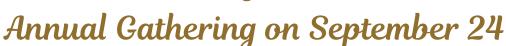
We are so grateful for the chance to meet Uson and attend her sharing. Some of us may not have a chance to visit the new campus, but through the presentation, we can feel the pride and joy of being part of the whole redevelopment project.

Congratulations on the moving back to the new campus, which is outstandingly beautiful and looks like a piece of art work. At the same time, it efficiently provides better learning environment for the younger generations to come.

Yolanda Shin ('77)







We had a wonderful gathering on September 24, 2019 with 7 tables and a total of 71 attendees. It was definitely an honour to have Mrs Katherine Chau ('53), our former Principal (1972-2001), visiting from Hong Kong and attending the dinner. Former teachers of Ying Wa, Miss Winnie Yau ('59), Mrs Allie Ho and Miss Lily Chow, together with Mr Yeung Po-kwan, former Principal of Ying Wa College, and 5 Ying Wa boys joined us this year as well.

During dinner we celebrated the reunion of classes of '54, '59, '69, '79 and '89. The highlight of the evening was watching the video from Mr Francis Kwan Hon-

cheung, our Principal. All of us were so excited to learn the latest update on the new campus. Special thanks went to the husband of Eva Yung ('03) who saved the day with his audio and video support.

We would also like to express our sincerest thanks to Emily Mo ('95) who donated souvenirs to all those who joined this dinner, and all the other alumnae who donated gifts for the raffle draw. We had a good sale and generated Can \$710, which will go into the reserve to support our school's 120th anniversary next year!

Yolanda Shin ('77)

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#### 恩典之路 一美國之行

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#### 舊病復發

熟悉我的英華校友,皆知我去年乳癌復發,今次除要切除腫瘤之外,更要化療, 感恩一切順利,神的恩典夠我用。

十一年前(2008年)的第一次,只是零期,切除腫瘤,電療了30次,再加上年輕力壯,孩子還小,休息數月後,便隨即投入工作。一直忙於生活,未有對神的恩典,稍加留意,更遑論感恩呢!

#### 小兒子的大學路

時光匆匆,晃眼十載,兩兒都到入大學的年紀!小的還算能照顧自己,入讀英國愛丁堡大學!因家庭出現問題,遲了一年入大學。幸好他天資聰穎,無需我掛心。成績雖非名列前茅,但還懂為自己打算,在校內參加各項活動如體育活動及在校工作等,既充實,又賺取到生活費。天天和我通訊,乖仔一名。感恩!

#### 大兒子的尋醫路

大兒子 Tony 本是個運動尖子,在棒球場上馳騁,前途光明。可惜深受腰傷困擾,七年來一直躺在床上,直至2017年12月動了第三次手術,成功下床,可以離開長期為伴的房間。不過隨之而要解決便是"TMJ Problem"(咬合、顎骨問題)。腰及顎骨問題,一直令他出現了各種各樣的痛症、便秘、失眠等。一個

促成我此次美國之行,一切皆因大兒子 對熱愛生命的堅持,失去多年的青春, 他仍有巨大無比的生命力去繼續前行。 相信比起一些因小事而犧牲的年青人, 我更要向他學習。我的癌症復發,小事 一宗。感恩!

因他從未到過美國,而這次是尋醫,所以大費周章去準備一切。從申請簽證,以至向美國醫生預約見面等,足有一年。在過程中我又要治療癌症,加上後續療程,好不容易。當中得到我英華學生的探望、照顧和為我一家祈禱,總算平安渡過,在此要多謝 Janet Lai, Amy Yan, May Won, Lolita, Bonnie, Winnie Lam, Annie Au, Natalie Tsang 及葉潁欣等及您您。,記念著我的需要和支持我。感恩!

帶着 Tony 飛往三藩市,再飛往阿肯色 州作檢查和治療下顎和調整牙齒,已經 很倦,跟着還要在佛羅里達州作進一步 檢查及確定日後的跟進工作。然後飛回 三藩市休息及觀察進度情況,辛苦在所 難免。我因身體較弱,在旅途中感染了 風寒,重感冒,和因酒店床太輭觸及腰 患,舉步為艱。這一切都未有阻礙 Tony 求醫的信心,加上小兒子 Rocky 也從英國飛美渡假,順道幫忙,減低我人生路不熟的憂慮。醫療安排,尚算順利。感恩!

#### 三藩市的午餐聚會

在三藩市休息期間,又得到Winnie Lam的幫忙,聯絡上何黃佩姸老師,得以促成今日在半島明珠酒家舉行的英華舊生午餐聚會。在離開英華30年來,第一次在海外聚首一堂,無論舊雨新知,彼此閑話家常,無分你我,互相關心。感恩!

#### 「在患難中也是歡歡喜喜的; 因為知道患難生忍耐」(羅馬書5:3)

最後,我想帶出的是,無論前路多難,亦有未知之數,偶有失意、沮喪、哭,也要記得神的同在和支持,倚靠神的帶領,一步一步走,聖靈同在。衛怕風浪多高,仍有倚靠。等待仍然是痛苦的,Tony的前路就交給祢,有祢在旁,一切都變得平安,心境平和,無太大起跌,仰望神的恩典,數算所有,縱然苦,也欣然渡過,一切感恩!

賴玉蘭 書於2019年1月26日 三藩市

(編者註:本通訊 2016 年曾訪問賴老師,詳 見 http://www.ywgsaa.org.hk/sites/default/ files/newsletter/1610.pdf。)





筆者移居加拿大多倫多許多年,於2019年8月與親友 往美國加州旅遊,順道探訪三藩市灣區的同學,並 與當地的英華師友小聚。下文是她分享這次愉快旅 程的點滴。

### 喜相逢

轉眼間,我畢業離校已逾四十載,而移居加拿大多倫多,也近三十年。 多年來,每年的假期,多用在回港探親,近年才有一些旅遊觀光的 旅行。

今年八月,有機會與丈夫及三位朋友,一行五人,往美國加州旅遊及探訪數位長者,順道與生活在三藩市灣區的兩位同屆S班同學一聚。Frances Wong Suen黃輝靈及Monica Yeung Arima楊慧萍自畢業後不久,便往美國升學,我與她們已經失去聯絡四十年了,直至數年前,才有機會再聯繫上,皆因現代科技之進步,及同屆同學的努力。今次得到楊慧萍同學的接待及充當導遊,帶我和友人,遊玩了不少地方,例如史丹褔大學、著名公司發蹟地及原住處(Silicon Valley birthplace Hewlett Packard Garage, Professorville historic district, Steve Jobs and Mark Zuckerberg residences)、著名建築師 Pedro De Lemos historic house、Filoli花園、Palo Alto藝術中心、Elizabeth Gamble Garden、Allied Arts Guild等等。

起初的計劃,只是與這兩位同學觀光同遊,沒想到竟然有機會與何黃佩 妍老師及數位校友相聚並共進午膳。能夠在外地,與老師、師姐、師妹 互相認識、歡聚暢談,實在令我喜出望外。

這次的旅程,令我感受到大家都在實踐校歌的「身遠心莫離」,雖然身在異鄉,而且部分人是第一次相識,但是都以母校為榮,面對諸位老師 及校友,像自己的親姊妹一樣,而且臨別依依,盼望能夠不久再見。

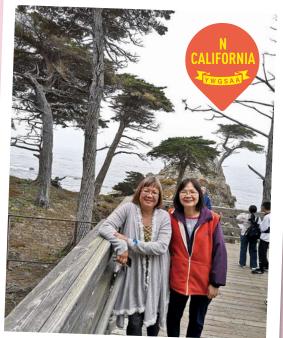
另一件令我覺得興奮的事,是我和朋友一共五人,住在楊慧萍同學家中,而到旅程的最後一天,意外地發現,楊慧萍的嫂嫂是我一位朋友的中學同學,真奇妙!盼望大家可以到訪三藩市、多倫多、甚至世界各地,將許多的英華兒女團結起來!

勞美宜 ('75)



▲ 從左至右:李少琼Amina ('74)、Penelope ('88)、Susan Jong 張徐少紅 ('60)、Mrs Phyllis Pui Yin Ho 何黃佩妍老師、Monica Yeung Arima 楊慧萍 ('75)、Frances Wong Suen 黃輝靈 ('75)、 Livia Lo 勞美宜 ('75)

\*於8月14日午膳於半島明珠酒家



▲ @Pebble Beach 從左至右:楊慧萍 ('75)、勞美宜 ('75)



▲ 在楊慧萍 ('75) 的有機農場,摘取有機豆。 從左至右:勞美宜 ('75)、黃輝靈 ('75)



▲ @Stanford University 從左至右:黃輝靈 ('75)、楊慧萍 ('75)、勞美宜 ('75)



▲ @藝術中心 (Palo Alto Art Centre)



#### - March 2, 2019 -

CALIFORNI*A* 

Ying Wa Alumnae Association LA chapter luncheon was attended by Rebecca & Raymond Che, Emme & Eric Li, Melinda & Po Louie, Alice & Sikee Louie, Sharon & Edwin Shum, Sara Martinson & Lai Ping Yuen. Anthony and Wing Tsang joined us for the group photo. We were saddened by the passing away of Mr Ho (Rosanna Ho's father). Several alumnae attended the funeral service which was officiated by Rev Tsang.

Mr Ho had attended our alumnae luncheons from the time we started several years ago. He was kind enough to make reservation for us at this busy restaurant every time. We will all miss him and will mail a sympathy card to Rosanna Ho. At the luncheon, we had nice chats on food, health and travel, and ended with fixing a date in June for our next reunion.

Melinda Louie ('65)



#### Front row (left to right):

Sikee Louie (Alice Cheng's husband), Rebecca Tam ('63), Lai Ping Yuen ('62), Sara Wai Chung Chan ('62), Sharon Yung ('69), Alice Cheng ('67), Melinda Fong ('65), Emme Wong ('65)

#### Back row (left to right):

Eric Li (husband of Emme), Po Louie (husband of Melinda), Raymond Che (husband of Rebecca), Anthony Tsang (husband of Wing), Wing Yee Chan ('62), Edwin Shum (husband of Sharon)

#### - June 22, 2019 -

We had another luncheon gathering in June. Lai Ping Yuen ('62) moved recently to a senior home and enjoyed living there. She also introduced us to senior living facilities which were interesting to most of us. Jenny Fong Lew ('67) is temporarily living in Bakersfield while her home is being remodeled. Again, we had nice chats on food, health and travel!

Melinda Louie ('65)

#### -九月十四日中秋節追月慶祝-

今年中秋節是在新曆九月十三日,我們南加州英華女校校友 會,適逢在九月十四日舉行秋季午餐聚會,便來個「中秋節 追月慶祝」,我的教會教友的食品公司有製造迷你月餅,故每人 取得一個來應節!

今年出席聚會達15人,我們除了有美食佳餚外,更有彼此的 暢談問候,交換近況:

- 黃漪湄 (Emme)('65) 搬了家,故今年便沒有她舊家園栽的 大桔了。
- 周瑩 (Hebe)('89) 本來會出席這聚餐,但因她的媽媽剛做完 手術,忙著為她煮飯,不能來了!
- 也有住得較遠的校友特別買點心外賣回家和家人分享,因他 們飲茶吃點心機會較少!
- 我在八月底和丈夫去了離羅省較遠的退休人仕社區 Laguna Woods Village 探望教友,順道探望曾希慈 (Ruth)('66)註-及 其夫婿,希望他們日後可以參加我們的校友會活動哩!

我們下次的聚會是於十二月八日(星期日),參加羅省六校註二的 聖誕聯歡晚會,慶祝主基督降生的大喜日子!以馬內利!

陳穎儀 (Wing)('62)





▲ 迷你月餅,人人有份 ▲ 左起:曾希慈 ('66)、陳穎儀 ('62)



註一: 曾希慈的母親郭月容女士也是英華校友, 並在母校 校務處任職達40年之久。

**註二:** 洛杉磯六間基督教學府,每年都聯合舉辦聖誕聯歡 慶祝會。六校包括培正、培英、培道、真光、嶺南





## A New Initiative in Boston, USA

It was back in 2006 that I left Ying Wa for my undergraduate studies at the Peking University, Beijing. After spending four years in Beijing, I came to Boston, USA in 2010 for graduate school at the Boston University. Looking back, it has been 13 years since I left my alma mater, but the Ying Wa spirit that was deeply engraved in my heart has always been guiding me through no matter where I go.

Currently, I serve as the Project Manager for the Asian Cultural Center in Boston, promoting Sino - US cultural exchanges through organizing arts programs. I also serve as the Asia Consultant for the Veritas Forum, a faith-based organization that engages college campuses across the US and abroad in dialogues to pursue Truth together.

#### To serve, and not to be served

Over the past nine years in Boston, I am grateful for the opportunity to not only meet other Ying Wa alumnae residing in the New England area but also to serve Christ and the community together with them. In 2017, I went on a week-long Boston Local Mission Trip with Helen Choi ('60) and Emily Ho ('67). Together we spread the Gospel and reached out to those in need.

Humming the most cherished line in our school song—"Though we are far, our hearts will never leave" (身遠心莫離), I am very excited to learn about our Alumnae Association's new initiative in setting up an overseas chapter in the New England area (New York? East Coast?) in the USA. I am humbled by the opportunity to serve this new chapter, and I am looking forward to reuniting Ying Wa alumnae from the region. I am sure that the strong connections we are going to build will not only allow us to contribute to the future development of our alma mater from abroad, but also to create a Ying Wa community that we can all call "Home".

I sincerely invite anyone who is interested in joining the *New England Chapter* now being planned to get in touch with me via the Alumnae Association: alumnae@ywgs.edu.hk.

Liu Oi Sze, Alice 廖藹斯 ('05)



▲ With husband (Timothy Suen) at the Museum of the Bible, Washington D.C. (2018)



▲ Boston Local Mission Trip (2017), from left: Helen Choi, Alice Liu, Emily Ho

#### Alice's academic path:

Ying Wa Girls' School (F.1 - F.6, 2000 - 2006)

- · Member of the Student Choir,
- · Member of the Prefect Board

Peking University, Beijing, China (2006 - 2010)

· Bachelor of Law in International Politics

Boston University, MA, USA (2010 - 2012)

· Master of Science in Arts Administration



## Gathering on 4 April 2019

Autumn in Sydney! At last it is not 38 degrees Celsius! It should be a nice time to do a seaside walk. However, dark clouds and wet weather forecast made us change the plan to a lunch get-together. There were nine of us, YW girls of graduation years ranging from '62 to '89. No generation gap, however.

Weather was fine after the lunch. Five of us went for a stroll along a river in the Blaxland Riverside Park, followed by drinks at Dooleys Waterview Club. A very pleasant afternoon indeed!

Mimi Lam Chun Ping 林進平 ('67)



▲ Lunch Get-together



By the Riverside



▲ Afternoon Tea

## Legal Talk on 24 July 2019



Solicitor Karen Tam 譚玉蘭 ('77) presented a 1-hour legal talk at the Eastwood Chinese Senior Citizens Club in late July. Content included Power of Attorney, Legal Guardians and Last Will. She had kindly invited YW alumnae, families & friends to attend, and several alumnae turned up.

Esther Cheang 譚煥嫻 ('67)



Attentive audience!

(3rd from right)

## Gathering on 21 September 2019

On 21 September while visiting Sydney, I shared a very enjoyable Yum Cha lunch with eight Ying Wa alumnae at the Greenwood Chinese Restaurant (翠湖海鮮酒家). Even though we graduated in different years, we were well connected by the Ying Wa spirit. Not only did we enjoy the various dim sums, we valued our conversation even more - talking points included our school days, former teachers, politics (except the most sensitive bits!) and family.

After lunch, we went for a pleasant walk in Wendy's Secret Garden and along the Lavender Bay. A memorable day captured in several photos.

Many thanks to Ellen Yuen for organising this gathering and thanks to Mimi, Angela, Pearl, Anastasia, Stella and Esther for coming such a long way and with many public transport delays/changes. Your friendship is very much appreciated.

So Shuk Sze 蘇淑施 ('58), Victoria, Australia









# 1959 REUNION FWGSAA YING WA GIRLS' SCHOOL

▲ 參觀新校舍



▲ 畢業60周年慶祝聚餐



▲ 澳門之旅



▲ 攝於羅便臣道校舍六樓正門

## 1959年中五畢業同學慶祝 畢業60周年重聚



參與今年聚會的同學連同其夫婿 (見括號內所示)包括:林可趣、林麗冰 (Steve)、林麗娟、梁振鴻、蕭柔妙 (Matthew)、唐婉馨、黃秀芳、邱秉維 (Wilson)、楊子彥 (Martin);其中不少是專程自澳、美、加等地回港的。

#### 精彩活動計有:

#### 4月9日

#### 下午3:00 參觀母校:

喜獲關翰章校長介紹新校舍,原來美麗的外觀線條裡 蘊藏著豐富的意義,設備方面也比以前完善,願師妹 們能心存感恩,好好使用及享受!

#### 下午6:00 晚餐 (陽明山莊 Garden Terrace):

出席嘉賓有李清詞牧師、周馬佩堅校長和關校長(李石玉如校長因事未能出席)。席上播放數十年來收集的珍貴照片,讓眾同學緬懷一番,深深感受到在校時的歡樂年日,及離校後的心靈維繫,友誼永固!

#### 4月10日

#### 澳門一天遊:

幸得校友會主席徐慧珊 ('90) 擔任領隊及導遊,安排周到,讓我們飽覽港珠澳大橋、走訪倫敦傳道會首位來華傳教士馬禮遜牧師及其家人的墓園、並於四、五小時內光顧了四間食肆,「試食」當地特色食品(這群長者的胃口可不錯啊!),當然也少不了購買手信,滿載而歸。

#### 4月13日

#### 上午11:45 告別午餐(太古廣場):

期待someday, somewhere再聚!

#### 下午3:00 祈禱會(母校蕭覺真堂):

與近千校友、家長、教職員(退休及現任)、校董們「同來感恩」,為著過去感謝上帝,為到將來更要信靠祂的憐憫!

9月24至26日在加拿大多倫多市還有另一次慶祝重聚 ——身遠心莫離!

林麗冰 ('59)

