



# The Queen's College Parents-Teachers' Association

## Annual Report 2019-2020

**The Queen's College Parents-Teachers' Association (QCPTA) was established in 1989 and is in its 31<sup>st</sup> session during year 2019-2020. QCPTA organizes a variety of events every year to foster the linkage between the school and families of QC boys. In addition, the events of QCPTA help connect parents and teachers and enhance their relationship.**

2019-2020 is a challenging year. Due to the social situation and COVID-19 pandemic, the “Blood Donation Day” and “Company Visits and BBQ Fun Day” organized on 11 December 2019 and 8 February 2020 respectively were cancelled. To consider public health and keep social distancing, “Annual Open Days” of the school, “Annual Dinner”, “Information Day for S3 Parents and Students”, “Appreciation Party for Parent Volunteers” and “Second-hand Book Sale and Uniform Donation” were also cancelled. In addition, some activities of QCPTA were also postponed to the second term of this academic year. Nevertheless, as the bridge between the school and parents, QCPTA provided the support and facilitated more communications among them during this difficult time.

Moreover, with the good collaboration of our executive committee members and the devoted support from the school and our fellow members, the events and activities were organized in the first term. Below are the highlights.

## Annual General Meeting

The 31<sup>st</sup> Annual General Meeting of QCPTA was held at the school hall on 24 October 2019 with approximately 100 participants. Six parents were confirmed by participated members to join the Executive Committee with six incumbent parents and seven teachers. Meanwhile, Mr. Tam King Tong and Mr. Kwong Wing Ho Ringo continues to serve as our Honorary Auditor and Honorary Legal Advisor for QCPTA respectively.

The First Executive Committee Meeting of Session 2019-2020 was held immediately after the Annual General Meeting to elect the post bearers. Dr. Leung Wai Man Wanthy was elected to be the Chairperson of Session 2019-2020. The composition of the Executive Committee 2019-2020 is as follows:

	Parents	Teachers
Chairperson	Dr. Leung Wai Man Wanthy	
Vice-chairperson	Mr. Leung Wai Chung Vincent	Ms. Leung Yvetta Ruth
Secretary	Ms. Sin Oi Ling Mandy	Ms. Mui Sze Wan
Treasurer	Ms. Choy Soo Mee Josephine	Mr. Law Chi Keung
Committee Members	Mr. Yiu Kwok Hung Kenneth	Mr. Wong Kwok Keung
	Mr. Lai Wai Lun Alan	Ms. Ling Yuen Ting
	Mr. Choy Chong Ki Victor	Ms. Chan Ying Ping
	Ms. Pang Yin Fan Alice	Ms. Lee Wing Chi
	Ms. Chau Mei Ling Yvonne	
	Mr. Chan Sam Ping Edward	
	Mr. Lam Wai Lam William	
	Mr. Tong Kin Keung Alex	





## Parent Volunteers Appointment Ceremony and Tea Gathering

Since our various events require manpower support, we invite our parents to join our team of volunteers to help our work. We successfully recruited 216 parent volunteers for school year 2019-2020. To strengthen the partnership among our parents who volunteer to support us, QCPTA organized the “Kick-off Ceremony and Tea Gathering” on 11 December 2019. Around 90 parents and teachers attended the ceremony. The Appointment Ceremony was kick-offed by our Chairperson, Dr. Leung Wai Man Wanthy, and all participants took photos with all our committee members. Valuable opinions and comments were collected from parent volunteers during group discussions and were implemented in later activities.



## Company Visits and BBQ Fun Day

To enjoy a break before starting the second term, QCPTA organized the “Company Visits and BBQ Fun Day” on 8 February 2020 to bring Queen’s College together to meet and have fun. Participants would visit three technology companies in Cyberport and enjoy a barbecue and activities in Hong Kong PHAB Association Jockey Club PHAB Camp originally. However, the event was cancelled due to the spread of COVID-19.

## Overseas Study Online Talk

For our students who consider studying abroad, QCPTA co-organized a “Overseas Study Online Talk” with the Career and Life Planning Team of the School on 11 July 2020 which included universities information of the United Kingdom and the United States of America. We also invited our current S6 student and parent to share their experience. This event was the first online activity of QCPTA. The feedback was overwhelming. More than 200 parents and students joined this event.



## **Teachers' Day**

To pay tribute to the Principal, teachers and staff of the School for their selfless dedication, we presented our gratitude to them on 7 October, 2020 for Teachers' Day 2020.



## **Donation for Publication of The Yellow Dragon**

To continue supporting the publication of The Yellow Dragon, QCPTA sponsored and the generous sponsorships were received from parents for the 115<sup>th</sup> volume of The Yellow Dragon.

## **Newsletters and Website**

Our newsletters are good containing news concerning of the activities of QCPTA. The 81<sup>st</sup> and 82<sup>nd</sup> issues of our newsletter were published in March and October 2020 respectively. The newsletters designed by the Editorial Board were posted on the QCPTA website. Moreover, the website design and development project was started to modernize our website this year.

## **Appreciation for Parent Volunteers**

An “Appreciation Party for Parent Volunteers” on 20 June 2020 was cancelled due to the pandemic. However, to appreciate the contributions and efforts made by parent volunteers, QCPTA presented electronic copies of Certificate of Appreciation to our parent volunteers.

## **Parent Education Programme**

To provide a platform where parents can interactively learn from each other, a new Parent Education Programme was organized to be held from May to September 2020. The programme includes focus groups, workshops, talks and sharing sessions by professionals, parents and QC old boys in order to strengthen the parenting skills and help parents nurture their children in a supportive home environment. However, due to the spread of the epidemic, the programme was suspended.

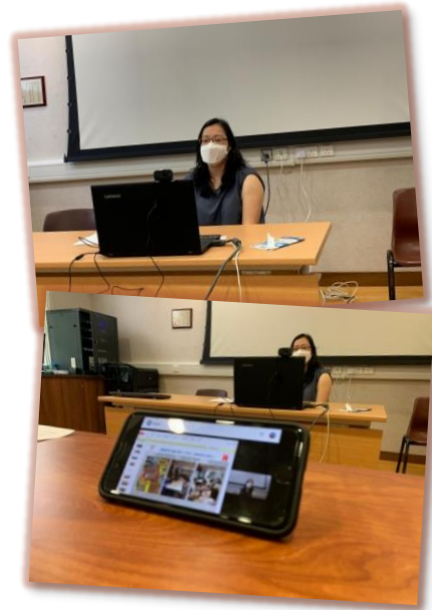
## **Social Service Team**

To increase opportunities to serve the society and enhance the enthusiasm for participating in social affairs, QCPTA established the Social Service Team to provide participating parents and their families with a platform and opportunity to serve the society and improve themselves. We contacted some local social service organizations to explore the opportunities to better serve our community.

## **Other Activities**

QCPTA also worked close with the school to provide sharing sessions including “Briefing for Parents of New S1 Students”, as well as sharing with parents in “S1 Registration and New Members Recruitment”. We could not have had such a success without the tremendous support from the school and our fellow members.





Briefing for Parents of New S1 Students



S1 Registration and New Members Recruitment