



DAILY INFORMATION BULLETIN

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STUDENTS URGED TO CHOOSE AND PLAN CAREER EARLY
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THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR LABOUR, MR. LAO MOU-CHI, TODAY URGED HONG KONG STUDENTS TO BEGIN CHOOSING AND PLANNING THEIR CAREERS AT AN EARLY STAGE, EVEN PERHAPS WHILE AT SCHOOL.

+SOME OF YOU MAY THINK IT IS A LITTLE EARLY TO TALK ABOUT THE CHOICE OF CAREERS BECAUSE YOU MAY NOT FEEL THE NEED AND PRESSURE TO MAKE A DECISION YET.

+THE CHOICE OF A CAREER IS PROBABLY ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT DECISIONS IN YOUR LIVES AND IT SHOULD ONLY BE TAKEN AFTER CONSIDERABLE THOUGHT. SO THE MORE TIME YOU DEVOTE TO THINKING AND PLANNING IT THE BETTER.+

MR. LAO WAS SPEAKING WHILE OFFICIALLY OPENING A ONE-DAY CAREERS SEMINAR AT THE FUNG KAI PUBLIC SCHOOL IN SHEUNG SHUI.

MORE THAN 600 SENIOR STUDENTS FROM SEVERAL DISTRICTS IN THE NEW TERRITORIES TOOK PART IN THE SEMINAR ORGANISED BY THE LABOUR DEPARTMENT'S YOUTH EMPLOYMENT ADVISORY SERVICE.

THE SEMINAR COMPRISED TALKS BY GUEST SPEAKERS ON JOB OPPORTUNITIES, CONDITIONS OF WORK, ENTRY QUALIFICATIONS AND PROSPECTS IN THE CIVIL SERVICE, BANKING AND SOCIAL WORK, AND ON THE VARIOUS COURSES OFFERED BY THE HONG KONG POLYTECHNIC.

THERE WERE ALSO FILM SHOWS ON NURSING AND APPRENTICESHIP, GIVING STUDENTS A CLEARER PICTURE OF THE WORK AND TRAINING IN THESE FIELDS.

IN HIS SPEECH, MR. LAO ADVISED STUDENTS TO TAKE A LONG-TERM VIEW IN CHOOSING A CAREER, EVEN THOUGH IN THE PRESENT ECONOMIC CONDITIONS IT MAY SEEM FATIGOUS TO TALK ABOUT CAREERS WHEN JOBS THEMSELVES WERE HARD TO COME BY.

HE SAID: +IF YOU FIND A JOB THAT SUITS YOUR PERSONALITY, ABILITY AND INTERESTS, YOU WILL ENJOY WORKING, ATTAIN JOB SATISFACTION AND HEAD TOWARDS A BRIGHT FUTURE.

+BUT SHOULD YOU ACCEPT THE FIRST JOB THAT COMES YOUR WAY WITHOUT CAREFUL CONSIDERATION, DISCONTENT AND FRUSTRATION MAY RESULT AND THIS WILL LEAD YOU NOWHERE.+

AS A SUPPLEMENT TO THE SEMINAR, THE YEAS IS ALSO STAGING A FOUR-DAY MINI-CAREERS EXHIBITION AT THE FUNG KAI SCHOOL ON BOARD A SPECIALLY DESIGNED MOBILE EXHIBITION VAN BEGINNING TODAY.

THE EXHIBITION FEATURES DISPLAY MATERIALS, PHOTOGRAPHS AND CHARTS ON VARIOUS JOBS IN THE INDUSTRIAL, COMMERCIAL AND SERVICES SECTORS. THERE IS ALSO A REGULAR SLIDE SHOW WITH SOUND COMMENTARY ON DIFFERENT APPRENTICESHIP SCHEMES.

IT OPENS DAILY FROM 10 A.M. TO 6 P.M. FOR STUDENTS AND YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE NEW TERRITORIES.

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PROJECT TO HELP YOUNG SCHOOL DROP-OUTS

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A SPECIAL PROJECT HAS BEEN LAUNCHED IN WONG TAI SIN DISTRICT TO HELP MEET THE NEEDS OF YOUNG SCHOOL DROP-OUTS IN THE AREA.

THE AIM IS TO LOCATE CHILDREN BETWEEN 12 AND 13 YEARS OLD WHO ARE NEITHER IN SCHOOL NOR WORKING AND ENCOURAGE THEM TO DEVELOP THEIR NATURAL SKILLS AND TO HELP THEM MAKE BETTER USE OF THEIR LEISURE TIME BY TAKING PART IN ORGANISED EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES.

SO FAR, 221 CHILDREN HAVE BEEN LOCATED WITH THE HELP OF SCHOOLS, MUTUAL AID COMMITTEES, KAIFONGS AND VOLUNTARY AGENCIES.

THE PROJECT IS RUN BY A SPECIAL DISTRICT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE, CHAIRED BY THE WONG TAI SIN DISTRICT OFFICER, AND INCLUDES THE DISTRICT'S COMMUNITY AND YOUTH OFFICER, THE SPORTS AND RECREATION OFFICER, AND REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ARMY AND THE HOUSING AND EDUCATION DEPARTMENTS.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE COMMITTEE EXPLAINED THAT ONCE A CHILD HAD BEEN LOCATED A PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORKER WOULD CONTACT THE CHILD AND HIS PARENTS TO EXPLAIN THE AIM OF THE PROJECT AND ENCOURAGE THE CHILD TO PARTICIPATE.

PROGRAMMES ORGANISED FOR THESE CHILDREN FOLLOW THE 'LEARN AS YOU PLAY' CONCEPT AND ARE GEARED TOWARDS SELF-DEVELOPMENT THROUGH PARTICIPATION IN GROUP ACTIVITIES.

THESE INCLUDE VISITS TO FACTORIES, OUTINGS, SPORTS TRAINING COURSES, GROUP COUNSELLING, AND SPECIAL COURSES IN WOODWORK, TAILORING AND ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES.

EFFORTS ARE ALSO MADE TO PLACE CHILDREN OF GOOD ACADEMIC STANDARD IN GOVERNMENT EVENING SCHOOLS, TECHNICAL SCHOOLS AND PRE-TECHNICAL CLASSES.

A SIMILAR PROJECT WAS CARRIED OUT IN THE DISTRICT LAST YEAR WITH SOME 240 CHILDREN TAKING PART.

THE SPOKESMAN URGED RESIDENTS IN THE DISTRICT TO HELP THE COMMITTEE LOCATE MORE OF THESE CHILDREN SO THAT THEY COULD JOIN THE PROGRAMMES.

RESIDENTS MAY CONTACT THE WONG TAI SIN CITY DISTRICT OFFICE LOCATED AT PARIS BUILDING, KING FUK STREET, SAN PO KONG (TEL: 3-222261) OR THE CDO SUB-OFFICE AT BLOCK 3, TSE WAN SHAN ESTATE (TEL: 3-241872).

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FIRE PREVENTION EXHIBITION OPENS ON THURSDAY
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NOTE TO EDITORS:

A FIRE PREVENTION EXHIBITION, THE FIRST OF ITS KIND IN HONG KONG, WILL BE OPENED BY THE DIRECTOR OF FIRE SERVICES, MR. F.M. WATSON, AT THE OCEAN TERMINAL ON THURSDAY (NOVEMBER 13) AT 3.30 P.M.

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO COVER THE CEREMONY. PRESS REPRESENTATIVES SHOULD MEET MR. DONALD STRANGE, FIRE SERVICES DEPARTMENT PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICER AT THE OCEAN TERMINAL EXHIBITION HALL AT 3.15 P.M.

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED AFTER THE OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY.

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WATER CUTS

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A NUMBER OF PREMISES IN TSIM SHA TSUI WILL BE WITHOUT WATER BETWEEN 1 A.M. AND 6 A.M. ON THURSDAY (NOVEMBER 13) WHEN A TEST FOR LEAKAGE WILL BE CONDUCTED IN THE AREA.

AFFECTED WILL BE PREMISES BOUNDED BY NATHAN ROAD, PEKING ROAD, CANTON ROAD AND SALISBURY ROAD.

WATER SUPPLY TO A NUMBER OF PREMISES IN NGAU CHI WAN WILL ALSO BE INTERRUPTED BETWEEN 10 A.M. AND 4 P.M. ON FRIDAY (NOVEMBER 14) TO FACILITATE A FRESH WATER MAINS CONNECTION.

ALL PREMISES ALONG CLEAR WATER BAY ROAD, BETWEEN PIK UK PRISON AND BAYSIDE VILLA, WILL BE AFFECTED INCLUDING THOSE ALONG HANG HAU ROAD, SILVER STRAND BEACH ROAD AND WO KAR ROAD, SAI KUNG.

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4,000 GET NEW FLATS IN TSUEN WAN

More than 800 families from two licensed areas in Cheung Sha Wan will be moving to new Housing Authority flats in Tsuen Wan this month.

These families, totalling nearly 4,000 people, are from Cheung Sha Wan Area A and C licensed areas. They are being accommodated in new flats in Lei Muk Shue Estate, where another six blocks have been completed recently.

"Tenants from these two areas are being moved into public housing in the normal course of the Authority's turnover programme of licensed areas," a spokesman for the Housing Department said.

These 800-odd families will be enjoying a complete change of living environment. Where previously they lived in wooden huts, sharing communal toilet facilities and obtaining their water supply from public stand pipes, they will now live in self-contained flats.

The Housing Department is planning to redevelop Area A into a new style licensed area with part-built structures, metered electricity and individual water supply. It will house about 1,000 people.

The Area C site will be handed back to Crown Land and Survey Office.

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長沙灣兩安置區 八百餘戶居民 遷入梨木樹邨

長沙灣兩個安置區的八百餘戶居民，於本月內將遷入房屋委員會轄下的一個公共屋邨，居住環境因此大為改善。

該等家庭全部人數近四千名，他們是長沙灣安置區「A」區及「C」區的居民，將遷往葵涌梨木樹邨的新居，最近該屋邨又有六座大廈落成。

房屋署發言人說：「以上兩個安置區的住客，是循房屋委員會收回安置區再用計劃的遷移居民通常過程，遷入公共房屋居住。」

該八百多個住戶的居住環境將完全改變，他們由使用公共廁所及水喉的住所，遷至新建成的獨立性居住單位。

梨木樹邨全部入伙後，居民將達五萬人。邨內的附屬設備，包括商業中心、新型市場、福利大堂、日間托兒所、小學及幼稚園。

用作康樂場地的曠地超過四英畝，並有停車位百餘個。

房屋署現正計劃將長沙灣安置區「A」區重建為新型安置區，區內將有半建成的房屋，及電力供應與個別供水設備。將來約可居住一千人。

至於「C」區的地址，將交回工務司署地政測量處。