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SPECIAL CAR NOS FETCH OVER \$446 000
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THIRTY-FOUR SPECIAL VEHICLE REGISTRATION NUMBERS WERE SOLD BY AUCTION THIS MORNING FOR A TOTAL OF \$446 200 WHICH WILL GO INTO THE GOVERNMENT LOTTERIES FUND FOR CHARITY PURPOSES.

THE AUCTION, HELD IN THE LECTURE HALL OF THE CITY HALL, SAW REGISTRATION NUMBER CH 1 FETCH THE HIGHEST PRICE OF \$88 000.

ANOTHER NUMBER CH 88 WAS SOLD AT THE SECOND HIGHEST PRICE OF \$40 000 WHILE THE LOWEST PRICE WAS \$1 000 FOR CE 9995, CE 3900, CE 9616, AY 1132, CE 3280, CF 632, CE 4200, CF 1081, CF 2238, CF 635 AND CF 283.

THE OTHER SPECIAL REGISTRATION NUMBERS WERE SOLD AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

HK 6328	\$7 000	CC 300	\$11 500	CH 8888	\$36 000
CF 911	\$1 200	CC 898	\$25 000	CG 55	\$36 000
CE 3218	\$2 600	AK 316	\$1 700	CH 3388	\$26 000
AS 15	\$10 000	CG 2	\$32 000	BM 323	\$16 000
CF 3399	\$16 000	CH 3	\$31 000	CF 1789	\$1 900
CC 222	\$30 000	CD 6060	\$7 000	CF 987	\$1 800
XX 564	\$3 500	CF 933	\$3 000	CF 148	\$8 000

THE NUMBERS AUCTIONED WILL BE ASSIGNED ONLY TO VEHICLES REGISTERED IN THE NAME OF THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS WITHIN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS.

TODAY'S SALE, THE 56TH ORGANISED BY THE TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT SINCE MAY 1973, BROUGHT THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF MONEY FOR CHARITY REALISED TO \$13 953 532.

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CHINESE-STYLE PAVILION OPENS AT SHAM TSENG

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A CHINESE-STYLE PAVILION AT SHAM TSENG IN THE NEW TERRITORIES, WHICH HAS BEEN BUILT TO PROVIDE LOCAL VILLAGERS AND VISITORS A PLACE TO REST AND SHELTER FROM THE WEATHER, WAS OFFICIALLY OPENED TODAY.

THE PAVILION HAS BEEN BUILT BY TRAINEES OF THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY TRAINING CENTRE WITH MATERIAL PROVIDED BY TSUEN WAN DISTRICT OFFICE. MORE THAN 300 STUDENTS HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN THE WORK SINCE IT STARTED IN EARLY MARCH. COST WAS \$45 000.

CUTTING A RIBBON TO OPEN THE PAVILION, DISTRICT OFFICER TSUEN WAN, MR H.T. LUI, COMMENDED THE TRAINEES FOR THEIR +GOOD WORK+. HE SAID EVERYTHING, FROM SITE-FORMATION TO THE FINISHING TOUCHES, HAD BEEN DONE BY THE YOUNG MEN. +AND IT HAS BEEN SO PROFESSIONALLY DONE,+ HE ADDED.

OCCUPYING AN AREA OF 36 SQUARE METRES NEAR TUEN MUN HIGHWAY, THE PAVILION HAS BEEN BUILT IN TRADITIONAL CHINESE STYLE WITH GLAZED RAILINGS AND A PAGODA ROOF. IT IS FURNISHED WITH A CERAMIC TABLE AND CHAIRS.

AT ITS ENTRANCE IS A PLAQUE PRESENTED BY TOWN MANAGER TSUEN WAN, DR JAMES HAYES, AND A COUPLET COMPOSED BY MR LUI, COMMENDING THE PANORAMIC VIEW FROM THE PAVILION.

ALSO OFFICIATING AT THE OPENING CEREMONY WERE THE CHAIRMAN OF THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY TRAINING AUTHORITY, MR GEOFFREY YEH, AND THE CHAIRMAN OF TSUEN WAN RURAL COMMITTEE, MR CHAN LAU-FONG.

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THREE NT PUBLIC LIBRARIES OPEN ON MONDAY

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THE PUBLIC LIBRARIES IN KWAI CHUNG, TUEN MUN AND TAI PO WILL REMAIN OPEN TO THE PUBLIC ON MONDAY (AUGUST 25), A PUBLIC HOLIDAY.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE NEW TERRITORIES SERVICES DEPARTMENT SAID THE OPENING HOURS OF THESE LIBRARIES ON MONDAY WOULD BE 9 AM TO 1 PM.

OTHER PUBLIC LIBRARIES IN TSUEN WAN, YUEN LONG, SHEUNG SHUI, SHA TIN, CHEUNG CHAU AND TAI O WILL BE CLOSED.

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DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS AT KAU WAH KENG

THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT IS INVITING TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A TWIN BOX CULVERT IN KAU WAH KENG, LAI CHI KOK, TO SERVE EXISTING AND FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AREA.

THE CULVERT WILL ALSO ALLEVIATE OCCASIONAL FLOODING IN THE LOWER KAU WAH KENG VALLEY.

A SPOKESMAN FOR THE PWD'S HIGHWAYS OFFICE SAID THE CULVERT WOULD BE 260 METRES LONG AND WOULD REPLACE THE EXISTING STREAM COURSE WHICH PASSES THROUGH LAI CHI KOK AMUSEMENT PARK.

+A 210 METRE FOOTPATH WILL BE CONSTRUCTED ABOVE THE CULVERT TO PROVIDE PEDESTRIAN ACCESS TO DEVELOPMENT AREAS NEARBY,+ HE ADDED.

WORK IS EXPECTED TO START IN NOVEMBER AND TAKE ABOUT 18 MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

THE WORKS HAVE BEEN DESIGNED AND CONSTRUCTION WILL BE SUPERVISED BY THE HIGHWAYS (KOWLOON) DIVISION ON BEHALF OF THE TSUEN WAN NEW TOWN DEVELOPMENT OFFICE.

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GREAT GEORGE ST TO BE REPAVED

A SECTION OF THE CARRIAGEWAY IN GREAT GEORGE STREET, CAUSEWAY BAY, BETWEEN PATERSON STREET AND GLOUCESTER ROAD WILL SHORTLY BE RECONSTRUCTED.

TENDERS FOR THE WORK ARE BEING INVITED BY THE HIGHWAYS OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WORK ON THE PROJECT WILL START LATE NEXT MONTH AND TAKE ABOUT FOUR MONTHS TO COMPLETE.

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FIRING PRACTICE REMINDER

FIRING PRACTICE WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE HA TSUEN-CASTLE PEAK RANGE FROM TUESDAY TO FRIDAY (AUGUST 26-29) NEXT WEEK BETWEEN 8 AM AND 11 PM DAILY.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ARE WARNED NOT TO ENTER THE AREA WHEN RED FLAGS ARE FLYING DURING PRACTICE TIMES.

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TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS

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CLOUDVIEW ROAD BETWEEN HOUSE NO 11 AND ITS JUNCTION WITH TIN HAU TEMPLE ROAD WILL BE REROUTED ONEWAY NORTHBOUND FROM 10 AM ON TUESDAY (AUGUST 26).

THE ARRANGEMENT, TO ENABLE MAIN LAYING WORK TO BE CARRIED OUT IN THE AREA, WILL LAST ABOUT THREE WEEKS. TRAFFIC ALONG TIN HAU TEMPLE ROAD WILL BE PROHIBITED FROM TURNING INTO THIS SECTION OF THE ROAD.

IN SHAU KEI WAN, ALSO FROM 10 AM ON TUESDAY, THE ROAD JUNCTION BETWEEN ALDRICH STREET AND FACTORY STREET WILL BE RE-OPENED TO TRAFFIC.

TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP AT THESE PLACES TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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SHUN YIP STREET RE-ROUTED

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SHUN YIP STREET IN KWUN TONG WILL BE RE-ROUTED ONE-WAY NORTHEAST BOUND FROM 10 AM ON TUESDAY (AUGUST 26) TO FACILITATE DRAINAGE WORKS.

TRAFFIC SIGNS WILL BE SET UP TO GUIDE MOTORISTS.

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SALT WATER SUPPLY CUT

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SALT WATER SUPPLY TO TSUEN WAN AND KWAI CHUNG WILL BE TURNED OFF FROM 10 AM ON MONDAY (AUGUST 25) TO 12 NOON THE FOLLOWING DAY.

THE WATER SUPPLIES DEPARTMENT WILL REPAIR A MAIN LEAK AT KWOK SHUI ROAD WITHIN THIS PERIOD.

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