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WELFARE SERVICES IN NEW TERRITORIES EXPANDING  
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WITH THE RAPID DEVELOPMENT OF THE NEW TERRITORIES, MANY WELFARE AGENCIES ARE EXPANDING THEIR SERVICES THERE, THE DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL WELFARE, MRS ANSON CHAN, SAID TODAY (SATURDAY).

OFFICIATING AT THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE KWONG FUK CHILDREN AND YOUTH CENTRE, SHE DESCRIBED IT AS +MOST TIMELY+ FOR THE HONG KONG CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES TO SET UP ITS FIRST CHILDREN AND YOUTH CENTRE IN TAI PO.

SHE NOTED THAT KWONG FUK ESTATE, TOGETHER WITH ITS NEIGHBOURING HOME OWNERSHIP SCHEME, HAD A POPULATION OF 34 000, HALF OF THEM YOUNG PEOPLE UNDER 24.

TO MEET THIS VERY REAL DEMAND, A SECOND CHILDREN AND YOUTH CENTRE FOR THE ESTATE WAS ALREADY BEING PLANNED, MRS CHAN SAID.

+YOUNG PEOPLE CAN MAKE USE OF THEIR LEISURE TIME TO PARTICIPATE IN THE VARIOUS MEANINGFUL ACTIVITIES ORGANISED BY THE CHILDREN AND YOUTH CENTRES, TO MAKE NEW FRIENDS AND TO DEVELOP A GOOD CHARACTER.

+AT THE SAME TIME, THROUGH PARTICIPATION IN THESE ACTIVITIES AND WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF SOCIAL WORKERS, THEY CAN DEVELOP NEW HOBBIES, THEIR LEADERSHIP QUALITIES AND LEARN TO CARE ABOUT THE COMMUNITY AND TO SERVE THE COMMUNITY,+ SHE SAID.

MRS CHAN SAID SHE WAS PLEASED TO SEE THE HONG KONG CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES DEVELOPING NEW APPROACHES TO MEET THE NEEDS OF THE YOUNG PEOPLE.

TWO OTHER CHILDREN AND YOUTH CENTRES BEING PLANNED BY THE AGENCY, ONE IN SHEUNG SHUI AND ANOTHER IN MA ON SHAN, ARE SCHEDULED FOR COMPLETION NEXT YEAR.

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MONG KOK BEGINS CIVIC EDUCATION DRIVE  
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THE MONG KOK DISTRICT CIVIC EDUCATION CAMPAIGN WILL BE LAUNCHED TOMORROW (SUNDAY) AT ANCHOR STREET PLAYGROUND, TAI KOK TSUI.

THE CAMPAIGN AIMS AT ENCOURAGING RESIDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN DEVELOPMENT OF DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION, AND TO BECOME ACQUAINTED WITH THE ROLE AND THE OPERATION OF THE MONG KOK DISTRICT BOARD.

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IT WILL ALSO HELP RESIDENTS UNDERSTAND THEIR CIVIC RIGHTS AND DUTIES, AS WELL AS THE JURISDICTION OF VARIOUS GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS WITH WHICH THEY COME INTO CONTACT.

OFFICIATING AT THE OPENING CEREMONY WILL BE TWO LEGISLATIVE COUNCILLORS, MRS RITA FAN AND MR JACKIE CHAN DISTRICT OFFICER, MRS BRENDA FUNG, AND DISTRICT BOARD CHAIRMAN, MR CHOW CHUN-FAI.

ELEVEN DISTRICT ORGANISATIONS AND A NUMBER OF GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS WILL PUT UP DISPLAY BOARDS TO EXPLAIN THEIR WORK. THE DEPARTMENTS ARE THE FIRE SERVICES, POLICE AND URBAN SERVICES. THE INDEPENDENT COMMISSION AGAINST CORRUPTION WILL ALSO EXPLAIN ITS WORK.

A VARIETY SHOW AND A CARNIVAL WILL BE HELD AFTER THE OPENING CEREMONY.

THE CAMPAIGN IS ORGANISED BY THE MONG KOK DISTRICT BOARD AND WILL CONTINUE UNTIL FEBRUARY.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE OPENING OF THE MONG KOK DISTRICT CIVIC EDUCATION CAMPAIGN TO BE HELD AT 1.30 PM TOMORROW IN THE ANCHOR STREET PLAYGROUND, TAI KOK TSUI.

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ANTI-NARCOTICS MESSAGE IN TELEMATCH GAMES  
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THE ACTION COMMITTEE AGAINST NARCOTICS (ACAN) WILL JOIN THE MONGKOK DISTRICT BOARD AND MONGKOK DISTRICT FIGHT CRIME COMMITTEE TO LAUNCH A CAMPAIGN IN MONGKOK TO DRIVE HOME THE ANTI-NARCOTICS MESSAGE.

THE CAMPAIGN, IN THE FORM OF TELEMATCH GAMES, WILL BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 2 AT THE MONGKOK STADIUM, FLOWER MARKET ROAD, FROM 12.30 PM TO 5 PM.

IT IS AIMED AT ENCOURAGING YOUNG PEOPLE TO TAKE UP HEALTHY PURSUITS AND STAY AWAY FROM DRUGS.

THERE WILL BE 12 PARTICIPATING TEAMS COMPETING IN A SERIES OF GAMES SPECIALLY DESIGNED WITH AN ANTI-NARCOTICS THEME.

PARTICIPATING TEAMS, EACH COMPRISING 20 MEMBERS, WILL BE DIVIDED INTO A JUNIOR SECTION, MADE UP OF SIX TEAMS FROM SECONDARY SCHOOLS AND YOUTH GROUPS, AND A SENIOR SECTION OF SIX TEAMS FROM LOCAL COMMUNITIES AND COMMERCIAL ENTERPRISES.

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HIGHLIGHT WILL BE A TELEMATCH GAME IN WHICH POPULAR ARTISTES FROM THE FOUR BROADCASTING CORPORATIONS WILL TAKE PART. TELEVISION BROADCASTS LIMITED, ASIA TELEVISION BROADCASTING LIMITED, HONG KONG COMMERCIAL BROADCASTING COMPANY LIMITED AND RADIO TELEVISION HONG KONG WILL BE SENDING TEAMS TO VIE FOR THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

FREE ADMISSION TICKETS TO THE EVENT ARE AVAILABLE FROM MONDAY (OCTOBER 20) AT THE MONGKOK DISTRICT OFFICE, TUNG PING BUILDING, 157 PRINCE EDWARD ROAD WEST, KOWLOON.

MEMBERS OF PUBLIC CAN CALL THE MONGKOK DISTRICT OFFICE ON 3-802251 EXT. 241 FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

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SEMINAR ON FOOD HYGIENE FOR TEACHERS  
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MORE THAN 100 SECONDARY SCHOOL TEACHERS TODAY (SATURDAY) ATTENDED A SEMINAR AT THE GRANTHAM COLLEGE OF EDUCATION ON FOOD HYGIENE TO LEARN THE CAUSES AND PREVENTION OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASES.

JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE SOCIAL STUDIES AND HEALTH EDUCATION SECTION OF THE ADVISORY INSPECTORATE OF THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT AND THE HEALTH EDUCATION UNIT OF THE MUNICIPAL SERVICES BRANCH, THE SEMINAR WAS THE FIRST IN A SERIES OF THREE. TWO OTHER SEMINARS FOR PRIMARY TEACHERS WILL BE HELD LATER THIS MONTH.

THE SEMINARS ARE AIMED AT FAMILIARISING TEACHERS WITH WAYS OF EDUCATING PUPILS IN THE PREVENTION OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASES AND THE IMPORTANCE OF NOT PATRONISING ILLEGAL FOOD HAWKERS.

TALKS WERE GIVEN BY DR CHAN WAI-MAN OF THE CENTRAL HEALTH EDUCATION UNIT OF THE MEDICAL AND HEALTH DEPARTMENT, MR WONG LUP-GAY OF THE HEALTH EDUCATION UNIT OF THE MUNICIPAL SERVICES BRANCH, AND MR LAI KWOK-TUNG OF THE REGIONAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

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COMMITTEE TO DISCUSS SCHOOL ALLOCATION SYSTEM  
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THE SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE OF THE TUEN MUN DISTRICT BOARD WILL MEET ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 20) TO DISCUSS NEW MEASURES PROPOSED BY THE EDUCATION DEPARTMENT FOR ALLOCATING SECONDARY SCHOOL PLACES.

AT THE MEETING, COMMITTEE MEMBERS WILL ALSO CONSIDER REPORTS BY THE COMMITTEE'S WORKING GROUPS ON CIVIC EDUCATION AND ON SERVICES PROVIDED FOR MENTALLY RETARDED PEOPLE.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE TUEN MUN DISTRICT BOARD'S SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING TO BEGIN AT 2.30 PM ON MONDAY IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM OF THE DISTRICT BOARD SECRETARIAT ON THE THIRD FLOOR, TUEN MUN GOVERNMENT OFFICES BUILDING, 1 TUEN HI ROAD, TUEN MUN.

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ELDERLY URGED TO BE ON ALERT FOR IMPOSTORS

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THE SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT TODAY (SATURDAY) URGED ELDERLY PEOPLE AND THEIR FAMILIES, ESPECIALLY RECIPIENTS OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE, TO BE ON GUARD AGAINST PERSONS FALSELY CLAIMING TO BE STAFF OF THE DEPARTMENT.

THE APPEAL FOLLOWS SEVERAL CASES OF DECEPTION THAT HAVE OCCURRED IN WONG TAI SIN AND SHAM SHUI PO RECENTLY.

A DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN POINTED OUT THAT RECIPIENTS SHOULD ESTABLISH THE IDENTITY OF THE VISITOR BEFORE LETTING THE PERSON IN. SHOULD THERE BE ANY DOUBT, THEY CAN CALL THE DISTRICT'S FIELD UNIT OR CONTACT THE DEPARTMENT'S HOTLINE -- 3-432255 -- IMMEDIATELY.

THE SPOKESMAN REITERATED THAT UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD THE RECIPIENTS HAND OVER CASH TO ANY VISITORS CLAIMING TO BE SOCIAL WELFARE DEPARTMENT STAFF. SERVICES OFFERED BY THE SWD ARE FREE, + THE SPOKESMAN STRESSED.

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YAU MA TEI ACTIVITY CENTRE TO OPEN TOMORROW  
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A NEW ACTIVITY CENTRE OPERATED BY THE YAU MA TEI AND TSIM SHA TSUI CULTURE AND ARTS ASSOCIATION WILL BE OFFICIALLY OPENED BY LADY AKERS-JONES TOMORROW (SUNDAY).

THE CENTRE, AT 33 SALISBURY ROAD, OFFERS VARIOUS ARTS AND CULTURAL COURSES AND ACTIVITIES FOR RESIDENTS.

AFTER THE OPENING, LADY AKERS-JONES WILL WATCH A PERFORMANCE BY THE ASSOCIATION'S CHOIR, DANCE AND DRAMA GROUPS.

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NOTE TO EDITORS:

YOU ARE INVITED TO COVER THE OPENING CEREMONY OF THE ACTIVITY CENTRE TO BE HELD AT 2.15 PM TOMORROW AT 33 SALISBURY ROAD (OPPOSITE THE CULTURAL COMPLEX CONSTRUCTION SITE).

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SOUTHERN DISTRICT TO HOLD SINGING CONTEST

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MUSIC LOVERS IN SOUTHERN DISTRICT ARE BEING INVITED TO TAKE PART IN THE DISTRICT'S FIRST SINGING COMPETITION. IT IS OPEN TO PEOPLE AGED BETWEEN 15 AND 35 AND THE DEADLINE FOR ENTRY IS OCTOBER 27.

THE COMPETITION IS SPONSORED BY THE DISTRICT BOARD AND JOINTLY ORGANISED BY THE DISTRICT'S ARTS AND CULTURE ASSOCIATION, MUSIC OFFICE AND THE URBAN COUNCIL TO COINCIDE WITH THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT FESTIVAL.

+THE FINALS WILL BE HELD ON DECEMBER 6 AS ONE OF THE FESTIVAL'S COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT PROGRAMMES,+ A SOUTHERN DISTRICT OFFICE SPOKESMAN SAID.

ENTRY FORMS CAN BE OBTAINED AT THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OFFICE AND SUB-OFFICES IN ABERDEEN CENTRE, WAH FU AND STANLEY, THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT ARTS AND CULTURE ASSOCIATION IN LEI CHAK HOUSE, AP LEI CHAU ESTATE, AND THE AP LEI CHAU COMMUNITY HALL.

THE COMPETITION IS DIVIDED INTO GROUP AND SOLO SECTIONS. COMPETITORS CAN CHOOSE THEIR OWN SONGS, WHICH CAN BE POP, FOLK OR CLASSICAL.

ENQUIRIES ABOUT THE COMPETITION CAN BE MADE TO THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OFFICE ON 5-540271.

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## QUEEN'S VISIT STAMPS ON SALE TUESDAY \* \* \* \* \*

ON THE FIRST DAY OF THE ROYAL VISIT TO HONG KONG, OCTOBER 21, THE POST OFFICE WILL BE SELLING FIVE SPECIAL STAMPS, FIRST ISSUED ON APRIL 21 THIS YEAR IN HONOUR OF THE QUEEN'S 60TH BRITHDAY.

THE STAMPS ARE INTENDED FOR THE FIRST DAY COVERS COMMEMORATING THE QUEEN'S VISIT WHICH HAVE BEEN ON SALE AT ALL POST OFFICES SINCE OCTOBER 8. A SPECIAL DATE STAMP WILL BE USED ON THE COVERS AND STAMPS.

FOR THE CONVENIENCE OF CUSTOMERS, COVERS WITH A SET OF STAMPS ATTACHED AND CANCELLED WITH THE SPECIAL DATESTAMP WILL BE ON SALE AT \$11 EACH AT THE GENERAL POST OFFICE, BEACONSFIELD HOUSE, TSIM SHA TSUI AND KOWLOON POST OFFICES.

ALSO ON OCTOBER 21 A NEW AND ATTRACTIVE STAMP PACK CONTAINING THE QUEEN'S BRITHDAY STAMPS AND A SET ON THE LIFE AND TIMES OF THE QUEEN MOTHER WILL BE ON SALE AT \$20 EACH.

THEY WILL BE AVAILABLE AT PHILATELIC COUNTERS AT THE GENERAL POST OFFICE, BEACONSFIELD HOUSE, TSIM SHA TSUI, GRANVILLE ROAD AND AIRPORT POST OFFICES.

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## TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE ROYAL VISIT \* \* \*

TRAFFIC THROUGHOUT THE TERRITORY WILL BE AFFECTED NEXT WEEK DURING THE ROYAL VISIT AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC HAVE BEEN ADVISED TO MAKE FULL USE OF PUBLIC TRANSPORT WHEREVER POSSIBLE.

FROM MIDNIGHT ON MONDAY (OCTOBER 20) TO NOON ON TUESDAY (OCTOBER 21), A NUMBER OF ROAD SECTIONS IN CENTRAL WILL BE CLOSED AND TRAFFIC DIVERSIONS IMPLEMENTED IN PREPARATION FOR THE ARRIVAL OF THE QUEEN AND THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH AND DURING THE ROYAL COUPLE'S WALK FROM CITY HALL TO THE HONG KONG BANK.

/PARKING SPACES .....

PARKING SPACES ON JACKSON ROAD, HARBOUR ROAD, THE KENNEDY ROAD CAR PARK UNDER COTTON TREE DRIVE AND ON THE SLIP ROAD BETWEEN UPPER AND LOWER ALBERT ROADS WILL BE SUSPENDED AT CERTAIN TIMES DURING THE VISIT.

ON TUESDAY MORNING, A NUMBER OF FERRY ROUTES, INCLUDING TWO STAR FERRY AND 15 HONG KONG AND YAUMATI FERRY ROUTES, WILL BE SUSPENDED FROM 8.50 AM TO 9.50 AM WHEN HMY BRITANNIA SAILS FROM LEI YUE MUN GAP TO CENTRAL.

ALSO ON TUESDAY NIGHT, VARIOUS ROAD SECTIONS IN TSIM SHA TSUI WILL BE CLOSED WHEN THE QUEEN AND THE DUKE WILL BE ATTENDING THE YOUTH SPECTACULAR AT THE HONG KONG COLISEUM.

ROAD CLOSURES AND TRAFFIC CONGESTION ARE ALSO EXPECTED ON WEDNESDAY (OCTOBER 22) IN KOWLOON AND SHA TIN WHEN THE QUEEN WILL BE VISITING THE LUNG HANG ESTATE, NEW TOWN PLAZA, SHA TIN RECREATION GROUND AND THE ROYAL HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

MOTORISTS AND THE PUBLIC ARE ADVISED TO LISTEN TO RADIO TRAFFIC BULLETINS ON TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS DURING THE THREE-DAY VISIT FROM OCTOBER 21 TO 23.