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## **“A Cut Above the Rest”**

### **Kim Robinson and Ana R. support HKAH’s Talent Show in aid of HKAHF**

*Caring for patients with love*

Hong Kong, XX Aug 2018 – Hong Kong Adventist Hospital (HKAH) and Hong Kong Adventist Hospital Foundation (HKAHF) are delighted to announce a press conference for a fundraising event titled “Adventist’s Got Talent”. The press conference will be held on September 6, 2018 at Hong Kong Adventist Hospital Stubbs Road campus.

With the success of the Women of Hope (WOH) annual luncheon earlier in May, which raised over HK\$5.3 million, we are hopeful that “Adventist’s Got Talent”, to be held on December 2, 2018 at Hong Kong Adventist Hospital (Tsuen Wan), will have similar success.

“Adventist’s Got Talent” aims to raise much-needed donations for the Medical Fund (Tsuen Wan) in order to support patients who lack access to financial means and medical care. All proceeds from this event will be directed to both medical cases such as Cardiac, Oncology, and Orthopedics, and charity programs. The charity programs, including the Diagnostic Imaging Charity Program, are for beneficiaries who are plagued by chronic illness, suffering, and uncertainty, and are designed to restore hope, joy, and quality of life to them. One of HKAHF’s beneficiaries, Ms. Huang Yi Yan, a Stage 4 Lung Cancer patient whose targeted Therapy treatment is being supported by the HKAHF, will be in attendance at the press conference on September 6.

During the “Adventist’s Got Talent” on December 2, a special hair shaving ceremony will be conducted along with voluntary performances to raise awareness for these cancer patients. To shed some light on the reasoning for hosting the hair shaving ceremony, such an act is arranged as a visible and tangible show of solidarity with cancer patients. Held by one of the main advocates of HKAHF, Mr. Kim Robinson, this ceremony also has deeply personal connotations for the prestigious hair maestro as his mother passed away due to cancer. Next, with regards to the voluntary performances, interested participants are welcome to join the Talent show individually or in teams to perform acts such as singing etc.

The press conference will be attended by the following:

- Mr. Alex Lan, President and CEO of HKAH,
- Prof. Alice T.H.W. Chiu, B.B.S., J.P., Chairman, Board of Governors (Tsuen Wan), HKAHF,
- Dr. Chan Lung Wai, Co-chairman of Medical Fund (Tsuen Wan), HKAHF,
- Ms. Jo Soo-Tang, Chairman of Board of Governors (Stubbs Road), HKAHF,
- Mr. Wong Wai Kit, member of Board of Governors (Tsuen Wan), HKAHF and Vice Chairman of Tsuen Wan District Council,

Also lending their support at the press conference are long-term HKAHF ambassadors, Mr. Kim Robinson and Ms. Ana R, who have been a staunch presence during HKAHF fundraising events and WOH Awards Fundraisers. Ms. Huang will round off this panel.

This event is part of HKAH's health mission to serve the community by offering personalized medical services that combines attention to care, commitment to excellence, and dedication to whole-person healing. In order to assist and support financially disadvantaged people in need of medical treatment in Hong Kong, Mainland China, Nepal, Thailand and others, HKAH established the Hong Kong Adventist Hospital Foundation (HKAHF) in 1999. Serving on the Board of Governors are Prof. Alice Chiu (Tsuen Wan) and Ms. Jo Soo-Tang (Stubbs Road). Through charity outreach programs and the support of compassionate donors, doctors, and medical staff, HKAHF extends a message of hope, love, and transformative differences in the lives of hundreds of underprivileged children, adults, and elderly every year.

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**Press Conference Details:**

Date: 6<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Time: 11:30am – 1:30pm

Location: Hong Kong Adventist Hospital Stubbs Road Canopy

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