



Dear Friend:

I need your help.

We are looking for prizes for our Rotary club's annual charity raffle and I wonder if you would consider making a donation of a prize? Let me tell you what we do with the monies raised from our annual raffle.

The **Rotary Club of Hong Kong South** (<http://www.rchks.org/>) (RCHKS) has been doing good in the world for over 43 years now. We are a group of business and professional people who help to improve the lives of people in need Hong Kong, China and beyond, with a focus on Youth and the Elderly. Some of our important work includes:

Hong Kong

This year, we've provided funds for projects organized by:

- Salvation Army's Youth at Risk program,
- the Aplichau Kaifong Primary School,
- Aberdeen Kaifong Association,
- MindHK,
- Youth Diabetes Action,
- Kelly Support Group,
- An Interact School's Dragon Boat team,
- A charity fashion show by the Hong Kong International School



Mainland China

A signature program, which we began more than 20 years ago, is **The Leprosy Project** (<http://www.theleprosyproject.org/>). Our aim is to provide a healthy and economically stable life for people afflicted by Leprosy and their families. Leprosy is curable, but the stigma of this ancient disease carries on into the modern era.

We supported the creation of a leprosy health service in Sichuan where the scheme has now expanded to cover 500 Persons Affected by Leprosy and 2,500 villagers who live around them. We also supported the implementation of a large water project for the villages of Butuo and Jinyang, where some of the land has not been cultivable for over 20 years, thereby enabling villagers to feed themselves and produce a surplus for resale.



International

- We've provided funding for a Rotary club in Thailand for their Safe House Project as well as a well water project organized by another Thai Rotary club.
- Globally, **Rotary International** (<https://www.rotary.org/>) is well known for its fight in global polio eradication via our **End Polio Now** (<https://www.endpolio.org/>) campaign

Can you help us? We appreciate any gift which can be raffled. Ideally, it should have a retail value of at least HK\$2,000.

Yours in Rotary

- For more information about the Rotary Club of Hong Kong South:
<http://www.rchks.org> (<http://www.rchks.org>)

- For more information about Rotary International: <http://www.rotary.org>
(<https://www.rotary.org/>)
- For more information about The Rotary Foundation:
<https://www.rotary.org/en/about-rotary/rotary-foundation>
(<https://www.rotary.org/en/about-rotary/rotary-foundation>)
- For more information about The Leprosy Project:
<http://www.theleprosyproject.org/> (<http://www.theleprosyproject.org/>)
- For more information about the End Polio Now campaign:
<http://www.endpolio.org/> (<http://www.endpolio.org/>)