

MASC QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

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President's Message

**APRIL 2013 – JUNE 2013** 

Dear Members,

This is to announce that an Annual General Meeting (AGM), in conjunction with the Lantern Festival will be held on Saturday, September 21. During the AGM, we will have an election for the Board of Directors. Please mark this date on your calendar and start thinking of whom you want to elect to serve on the Board. We urge all members to be present in this upcoming event as your attendance is important to form a quorum.

MASC's transition from the usual spring picnic to dinner/karaoke and small scale dancing event work out very well.

The event took place on Saturday, April 20 at Coconut Bay Thai restaurant in Rowland Heights. We had our own private room that accommodates up to 40 people and still have enough room to dance to the rock and roll music. This close setting provided our members and guests a wonderful opportunity to get to know each other better. It was indeed an enjoyable event.

Our Business network/dine out event was held on Saturday, May 18 at Yazmin Malaysian Restaurant. The turnout was good. The owner of restaurant, Margaret Lee, gave us a good price for the delicious six (6) course dinner. Thank you, Margaret, for your continued support. The main speaker was Sony Tan, President of Diamond Wealth Strategies. He provided us with valuable information on how to invest for retirement and the various options one can get from the new type of life insurance. If you need further information on his topic, please visit our website at <u>www.mascusa.com</u> and click on Platinum sponsor to find Sony Tan's contact information.

Save the day for the spectacular upcoming event Merdeka/Malaysia Independence Day party on Saturday, August 24 to be held at the same location the Garvey Community Center in Rosemead. The traditional costume contest was well received for the past few years so we will do a repeat of this fun event. Those who missed out last year will now have the opportunity to showcase your pretty costume and win fabulous prizes. So, guys & gals hurry and get your best traditional outfit ready.

We are looking for volunteers to help at the Merdeka party. Please call my cell 714-883-3237 or email me at <u>mimi@mascusa.com</u> if you are interested. Any help you can render before or after the party will be greatly appreciated.

Mimi Lioe

#### Makan/karaoke/Dance

The event was held on Saturday, April 20 at Coconut Bay Thai restaurant in Rowland Heights. The restaurant provided us with a private room for our party. Also, there were plenty room for us to dance to the rock and roll music. We all enjoyed this setting as it provided our members and guests a wonderful opportunity to walk around and carried on with their conversations. All attendees sure had an enjoyable event.





















## **Potluck Dinner**

A potluck dinner was held in Pek Ean's home on Saturday, June 8. There were more than twenty people with two families joining the event for the first time. The first was Peter and his family, and the second was Emily with her son. As we all expected, members brought in their favorite dishes and shared it with other members. All enjoyed the food and spent a wonderful evening together.















Members are also able to view additional photos uploaded by our webmaster Ping Lew on our official website's photo gallery.

# Upcoming Events in the Third Quarter, 2013

July 4......Hollywood Bowl/Firework & Concert August 24.....Merdeka Party September 21.....Annual General Meeting (AGM)/Election/Lantern Festival

### WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

Marcus Heng Leong Lee (Sharen Ting, spouse) Peter Ng (Angela Foo, spouse)

## **Board of Directors**

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