

Make the most of every learning opportunity- Speech Day 2017

Rosaryhill School (Secondary Section) Speech Day 2017 was held on 27 May 2017. An audience of about 400 parents, staff, guests and Secondary 6 graduates gathered in the Bernard Charnwut Chan Hall to witness and take part in this delightful and memorable event. This year we were especially honoured to have Dr. Leung Wing-nin, Deputy Director of PolyU Hong Kong Community College, to be our guest of honour and to address our graduates.

After the school song, the director of the Department of Religion, Father Perez, led the prayer. Our ceremony then began with our Father Supervisor, Father Vincent Sanchez's address. He emphasized that life is about love and work; caring and nourishing. Students should learn to give and receive care as well as nourishment. They should also try their best to help, serve, create and contribute to the wellbeing of others in order to have a life of joy and happiness. Even though lives might be filled with deception, toil and broken dreams, they should still stay cheerful and strive to be happy.

Following the address of our Father Supervisor, our guest of honour, Dr. Leung Wing-nin gave a heart-provoking and inspiring speech to our graduates. He shared about the ways to make the most of every learning opportunity to help ourselves become a responsible person in family and society lie in the three 'Is'. The first 'I'--- Industrialization. As we are living in a globalized world, we have to seize every opportunity to develop a broader world view through different means, such as joining exchange programmes and other internationalized programmes. Since these experiences enable us to acquire knowledge beyond textbooks and cause huge impact on us by giving us new insights and perspectives to see the world. Besides, students should spend time joining extra-curricular activities which help with their holistic development. The second 'I' is 'Inclusiveness'. As we are living in a globalized world, we should engage ourselves in more social, cultural and voluntary service in order to integrate our ability to them as well as helping our society to build trust and respect. They enable us to open up ourselves and respect the diversities and differences among one another. Most importantly, he advised students to possess 'integrity', the core component of living a happy and fulfilling life is 'integrity' as it is the foundation for the development of other essential personal attributes and values including critical thinking and team spirit. At the end of his speech, he encouraged students to make the most of every learning opportunity to help others and to become a responsible person in family and society with the three 'Is' he mentioned.

The day was embellished with the impressive and meaningful award-winning musical performance, Love in Wan Chai, by English Drama Club. After the ceremony, refreshments were served.

成就未來給自己開拓更多學習機會

玫瑰崗學校周年畢業典禮 梁博士寄意深遠

玫瑰崗學校(中學部)周年畢業典禮已於五月二十七日(星期六)上午十一時三十分至一時在學校禮堂舉行。這是玫瑰崗學校(中學部)一年一度的盛事。今年，該校邀得香港專上學院副院長梁永年博士蒞臨致辭及頒獎。與會之嘉賓、畢業同學之親友、家長教師會主席和幹事，以及各方好友，歡聚一堂，共同見證老師、同學多年來教與學的成果。

典禮在當日上午十一時三十分開始，待主禮嘉賓進場後，先由該校宗教部主管白以遜神父帶領祈禱，接著由校監沈卓時神父致辭。沈神父指出中學生畢業離校，並不代表學習生涯的終結；反之卻是另一新階段的進升。他盼望畢業同學奮勇向前，不要忘記校訓－信守真理的真諦，發揮天主賦予的潛能，實踐夢想。沈神父亦寄語同學人生除了工作外，還要有愛，一份對己對人的關懷與愛護。人與人相處有了這份愛，喜樂自會在生命中出現。當我們生活遇上掙扎不安時，也要持守內心的平靜。縱使人世充滿險惡與困苦，美好的世界仍會存在。校監演講過後，接著由主禮嘉賓香港專上學院副院長梁永年博士致辭勉勵一眾畢業生。

演辭中，梁博士期望同學在畢業後要抓緊學習機會，讓自己成為一個有責任感的人，對家庭對社會盡責。他提出三個重要的發展方向，勉勵眾畢業生。首先是爭取任何一個讓自己擴闊眼界的學習機會。面對世界全球化的趨勢，單靠書本上所獲的知識實為不足，他鼓勵同學將來可參加交換生等計劃，到外地領受新思維，開拓新視野。其次，做人處事要懷有一夥包容的心。現今世代，科技資訊發達，將人與人、國與國的距離拉近，他鼓勵年青人多參予社會、文化等不同種類的義工服務，關愛他人，服務社群，共同建立一個互信、互敬的美好社會。最後，梁博士鼓勵同學盡力保守一夥正直無私的心，因為這是個人類良好德行修養的重要元素，也是人類美好生活的基礎。

接著，就是簡單而隆重的頒獎禮，主禮嘉賓頒發畢業證書及獎項予在學業或課外活動有傑出表現的學生。頒獎完畢，與會者一同欣賞了該校英語話劇的表演。精彩豐富的表演，充份展現該校學生的演藝才華，叫人印象難忘！

隨著主禮隊伍的退席，本年度的周年畢業典禮在一片愉快的氣氛中宣告圓滿結束。