



"Friends of the Observatory" 20th Anniversary

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Established in 1996, "Friends of the Observatory" aims to enhance communication between the Observatory and the public for a better understanding of the work of the Observatory. Over the past two decades, many have joined our activities, and the number of members has increased from several hundreds initially to over 10,000 at present. Voluntary docents of the "Friends of the Observatory" offer assistance in greeting more than 2,500 visitors to the Observatory every year, playing an important role in the "Guided Tour of the Hong Kong Observatory".

Thanks to popular public support, "Friends of the Observatory" continues to grow. The Observatory appreciates the support from all of you, and for staying with us, come rain or shine!



Inauguration ceremony of "Friends of the Observatory"



Voluntary from "Friends of the Observatory" participated in the Volunteer Movement of the Social Welfare Department in 2001

"Friends of the Observatory" activity in 2000 - Meteorological Camp



Thanks for your dedication to the Observatory and interest in our work over the past 20 years. Your support enables us to grow continuously!

— SHUN Chi-ming,
Director of the Hong Kong Observatory

Through communication and interactions, we have built up deep friendships. I wish the "Friends of the Observatory" prosperity and continued success!

— LAM Chiu-ying,
ex-Director of the Hong Kong Observatory

Over the past 20 years, the Friends' enthusiasm and dedication have been an encouragement to and source of positive energy for the staff of the Hong Kong Observatory!

— LEE Boon-ying,
ex-Director of the Hong Kong Observatory

Core members of the "Friends of the Observatory" demonstrate their cooperation and team spirit. Wishing the "Friends of the Observatory" tremendous success and long-lasting friendship among its members!

— LEUNG Wing-mo,
ex-Assistant Director of the Observatory