

NEWSLETTER

The Official Newsletter of Dream Compassioneers



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Dream Compassioneers

Dream Compassioneers is a joint-school international education and volunteering organisation. It aims to provide schoolchildren in poverty-stricken regions all over the world with daily necessities and opportunities for education, improving their lives in the long term. Dream Compassioneers is a registered charitable body. (IR File No. 91/17842) (Society Ref. No. 1963635)

VICE-PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear friends of Dream Compassioneers,

Hello everyone! This month has been full of activities, and we are delighted to share some good news with you!

In terms of services, in the new academic year, the service scheme for the hearing impaired students has officially launched. We will continue to send volunteers every Saturday to provide homework guidance and accompany the children on their learning journey.

In terms of advocacy, the 6th Dream Compassioneers Debate Competition Grand Final was successfully held. We thank all judges for their professional comments and all participating schools and students for their dedication. The competition aimed to deepen students' understanding of children's rights and services while fostering mutual learning and growth. We also invited Ms. Fanska Lee, an expressive arts therapist, as guest speaker for the 41st online seminar "Passion to Talk, Talk to Inspire," where she shared her transition from five years of teaching to expressive arts therapy, inspiring participants to reflect. Upcoming events include the 4th Hong Kong Student Service Leaders Award Ceremony and the 5th Opening Ceremony, where the top 50 shortlisted candidates of the 5th cohort will be announced. The 6th Annual General Meeting also concluded successfully; we thank "Dream Impact" for sponsoring the venue. The 6th Executive Committee reported on the year's achievements, the 7th Executive Committee was inaugurated, and the second round of subsidiary committee recruitment is now open. Interested students are welcome to join!

In terms of collaboration and exchange, our co-founder, Christie (Lai Cheuk Yiu), was honoured to be invited as the keynote speaker at the Hong Kong Baptist University Village CARE High Table Dinner on 22 September. Team representatives also visited the Caritas Hong Kong headquarters on 30 September to meet and exchange with Mr. Charlie Chan, discussing future directions for collaboration.

In terms of our service clubs, in addition to schools that have participated in the past, we are delighted to welcome this year the addition of SKH Bishop Mok Sau Tseng Secondary School, St. Catharine's School for Girls, King Ling College, and Shun Tak Fraternal Association Cheng Yu Tung Secondary School, further strengthening our network. We hope students from all schools will join hands and serve the community together.

Finally, we are delighted to announce the completion of Trabaek Community Dream Compassioneers Preschool in Cambodia, built with the local community. Donations from the Lunar New Year fair and other activities have provided nutritional lunches for about 150 children at Motherland Cambodia Centre. Thank you for helping us reach those in need far beyond Hong Kong.

Time has flown, and our sixth year has come to a successful close. We are deeply grateful for your support over the past year. We will continue to work hard, and we hope you will continue to walk alongside us.

Sincerely,
Miss Tam Hoi Lam
Vice President
The 6th Executive Committee of Dream Compassioneers
29th September 2026

OUR AIMS

1. This association aims to provide daily necessities and education opportunities for schoolchildren in poverty-stricken regions all over the world, improving their life in the long term.
2. This association strives to raise public awareness of the situation and needs of the poor in poverty-stricken regions, encouraging more capable individuals to lend a helping hand to those in need.
3. This association hopes to enrich the organizational and overseas-service-related experience of Hong Kong students. By widening their horizons, this association hopes to foster the all-round growth of students and to nurture future servant leaders.
4. This association embraces individuals of various religious backgrounds and political viewpoints, yet does not participate in any religious or political activities.



REPORT ON SEPTEMBER ACTIVITIES

6TH DREAM COMPASSIONEERS DEBATE COMPETITION



The Grand Final of the 6th Dream Compassion Debate Competition was successfully held on September 18, 2026. Participating teams engaged in insightful exchanges on the motion: "Facing child labor issues, developing countries should strictly prohibit / regulate and permit it."

The 6th Dream Compassion Debate Competition has come to a successful conclusion! We would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude to all participating schools and debaters for their enthusiastic involvement. From the preliminary rounds to the Grand Final, students engaged in deep deliberation and dialogue surrounding various advocacy initiatives and diverse debate topics. Throughout this competition, students not only demonstrated outstanding eloquence, but also gained a deeper understanding of issues regarding children's rights, poverty, and service, effectively putting the spirit of social advocacy into practice.

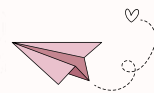
We express our sincere thanks to all our expert judges for taking time out of their busy schedules to adjudicate and provide valuable feedback, guiding the students as they learn and grow through competition. We are also deeply grateful to all participating schools, teacher advisors, and debaters for their active support and passionate dedication, which made this year's competition a resounding success.

While the 6th edition of the competition has drawn to a close, the spirit of service will continue! Thank you once again to everyone for your support and assistance. We look forward to reuniting at the next Dream Compassion Debate Competition to write the next chapter of critical thinking together!

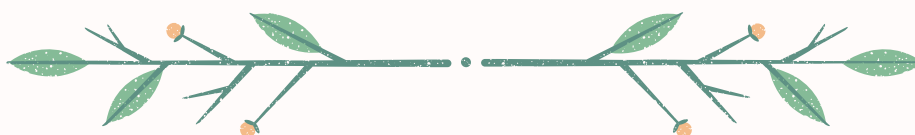


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SERVICING SCHEME FOR THE HEARING-IMPAIRED STUDENTS



This month, Dream Compassion started the service scheme for hearing-impaired students for the new academic year. In this new academic year's program, Dream Compassion will continue to dispatch volunteers on Saturdays to provide free tutoring for hearing-impaired children and engage in career experience and life planning with them, accompanying them as they explore their future direction. We hope everyone will continue to support the service scheme for hearing-impaired students this year, to serve children in need!



5TH HONG KONG STUDENT SERVICE LEADERS AWARD

The Hong Kong Student Service Leaders Award aims to nurture and recognise student leaders with outstanding performance in social service. This year, over 200 students participated, and we thank all schools for their enthusiastic support of the 5th cohort. After the preliminary selection, we will hold the 4th Award Ceremony cum 5th Opening Ceremony on October 3. The shortlisted Top 50 candidates for the 5th cohort will also be officially revealed. We greatly appreciate the students' passion for service and look forward to everyone growing through this programme and becoming better service leaders!





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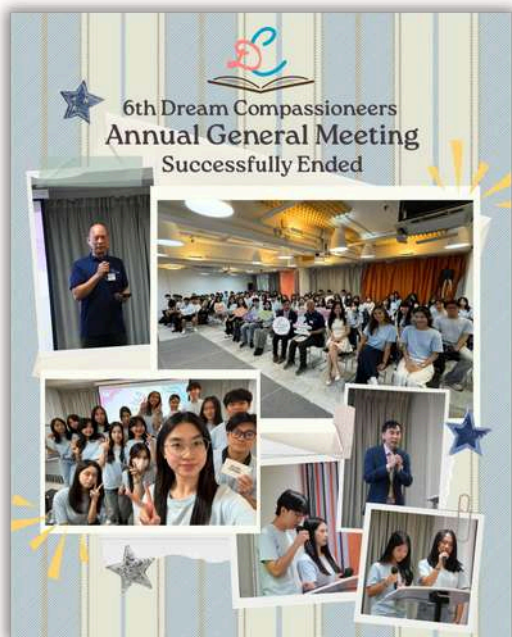


PASSION TO TALK, TALK TO INSPIRE

We are honored to have invited international volunteer Louie Chi Ka as the guest speaker for the 41st regular online seminar "Passion to Talk, Talk to Inspire". The theme was "Beyond the Blackboard: Embracing Expressive Arts Therapy to Transform Lives". The speaker shared her journey of transitioning from a primary school teacher of five years to a professional expressive arts therapist, and introduced various forms of expressive arts therapy. In addition, she talked about her personal experiences, such as going to Manila to volunteer and teach through art therapy, and her process of interactive teaching with visually impaired and ADHD students, which benefited us greatly. We sincerely thank the representative of the organization for her heartfelt sharing, and thank you all for your participation. Please stay tuned for the next seminar.



6TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



The 6th Annual General Meeting of Dream Compassion was successfully held on September 26, 2026, at Dream Impact. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Dream Impact for generously sponsoring the venue.

We were honoured to welcome our Honorary Advisor, Mr. Tso Siu Man, former Principal of De La Salle Secondary School, N.T., and Mr. Chan Yik Yeung, Co-Founder of Dream Compassion, who attended and delivered inspiring addresses. We thank them for their steadfast support this year.

During the meeting, besides recognising the 6th Executive and Subsidiary Committee members, the Executive Committee reported on and summarised the year's service and advocacy results. Over the past year, we successfully launched more than 20 service projects. The event also featured a memorable inauguration ceremony for the 7th Executive Committee, symbolising a new milestone for the organisation.

We are immensely grateful for the continued trust and encouragement from all sectors of society. Looking ahead, we will stay true to our mission, striving to empower and assist underprivileged children in pursuit of their dreams!

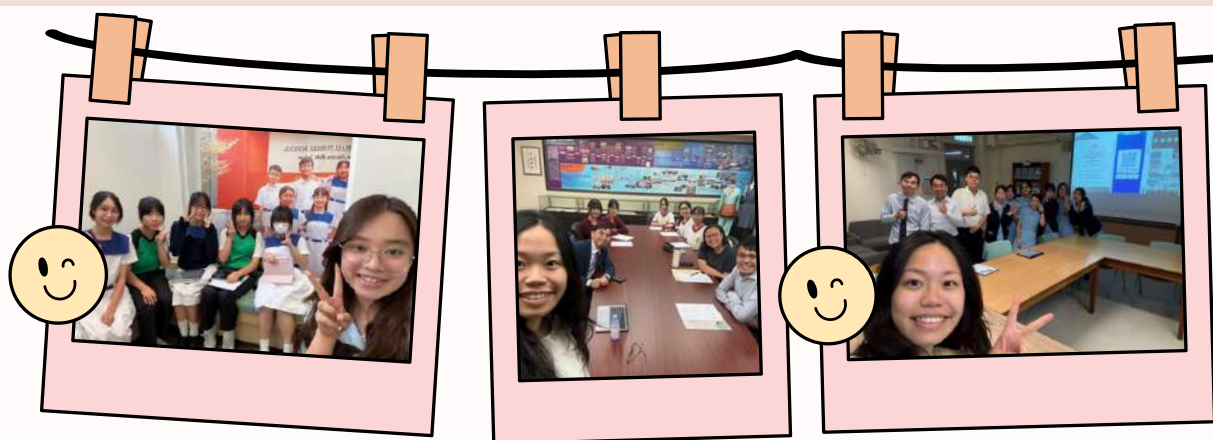


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DC SERVICE CLUBS IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS



Dream Compassioneers has been increasingly invited to establish service clubs in schools. Last year, participating schools included Bishop Hall Jubilee School, Yan Chai Hospital Law Chan Chor Si College, De La Salle Secondary School, N.T., and Lung Kong World Federation School Limited Lau Wong Fat Secondary School. This year, we are also delighted to welcome SKH Bishop Mok Sau Tseng Secondary School, St. Catharine's School for Girls, King Ling College, and Shun Tak Fraternal Association Cheng Yu Tung Secondary School, further strengthening our network. Our school service clubs have been meeting to discuss their annual service plans, working together to nurture more young service leaders. We look forward to joining hands with all schools to let the spirit of service take root and blossom on campus!



EXCHANGE WITH CARITAS

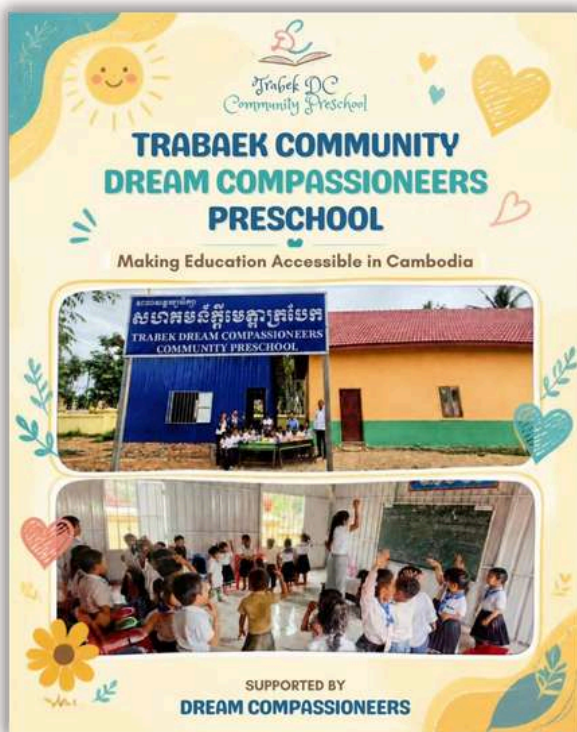
Representatives from Dream Compassioneers recently visited the Caritas Headquarters on 30 September to meet and exchange ideas with Mr Charlie Chan, Service Head of the Youth & Community Service cum Community Development Service in Caritas, Social Worker Mr. Man and Miss Lai. Caritas has long been dedicated to serving young people and communities in Hong Kong, promoting holistic development and social care, a mission that resonates deeply with our own. The meeting provided us with a deeper understanding of Caritas' work, and both sides engaged in positive discussions on future collaboration. We look forward to joining hands to bring meaningful change to more youth and children in need!





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DREAM COMPASSIONEERS CAMBODIA PRESCHOOL



In the Kampong Leng District, of Kampong Chhnang Province, Cambodia, many children previously lacked access to early education due to a shortage of basic educational facilities. To provide local young children with a better learning environment, we are beyond thrilled to share the completion of our preschool project!

In partnership with local community leaders, the Trabaek Community Dream Compassion Preschool was built to provide underprivileged young children with access to early childhood education, health resources, and a nurturing environment.

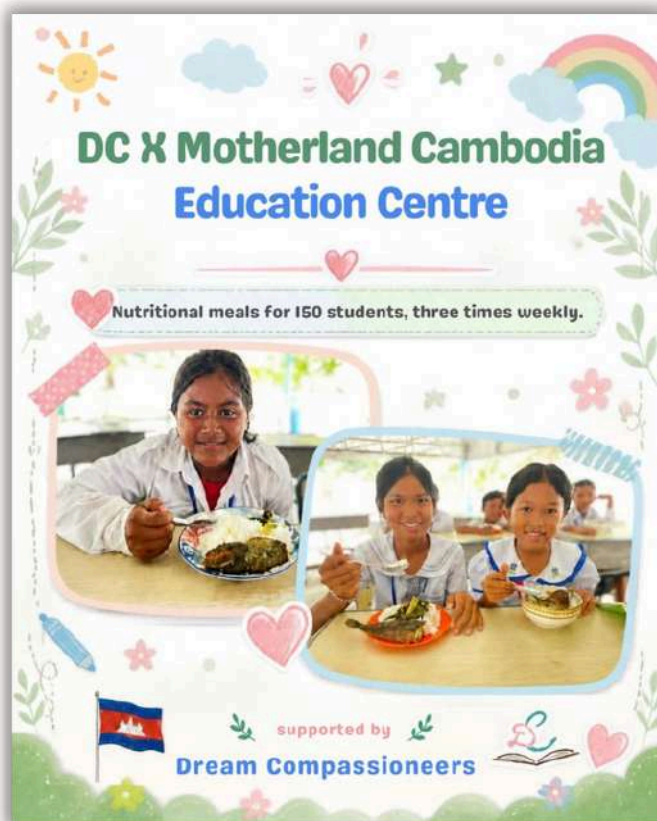
A huge thank you to our incredible donors, volunteers, and partners for making this dream a reality. Your support turns compassion into sustainable, long-term impact on the ground. Stay tuned as we share more updates from our classrooms in Cambodia!

Location: Trabaek Community, Kampong Leng District, Kampong Chhnang Province, Cambodia



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CAMBODIA NUTRITIONAL LUNCH SUPPORT



Turning your kindness into warm, daily meals for children. To everyone who stopped by our Lunar New Year stalls or supported our fundraising events—your generosity is now directly reaching students in Cambodia!

Thanks to your continuous support, Dream Compassion is now funding nutritious lunches for around 150 students at Motherland Cambodia Centre (@motherlandcambodiamlc) 3 times a week. Proper nutrition helps these children stay healthy, focus in school, and grow with confidence. Every plate of food carries warmth and care sent directly from Hong Kong.

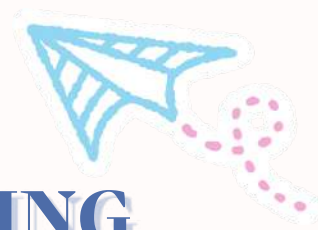
Thank you so much to everyone who supported us. You are truly making a real difference in these children's lives every single day!





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HKBU VILLAGE CARE HIGHTABLE DINNER SHARING



On September 22, Dream Compassioneers Co-founder Christie (Lai Cheuk Yiu) was honored to be invited as the keynote speaker at the Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU) Village CARE High Table Dinner!

With Village CARE's core value rooted in community service leadership, the evening gathered around 150 participants, including non-local and international undergraduates from diverse backgrounds. Christie shared DC's journey and global initiatives, inspiring students to broaden their global perspectives and dedicate their passion to driving meaningful social change.

Our DC team members, such as Ice, Nicole, Charlene and Sandy —also served as Table Hosts for the night, engaging in insightful conversations and connecting with students from diverse backgrounds!

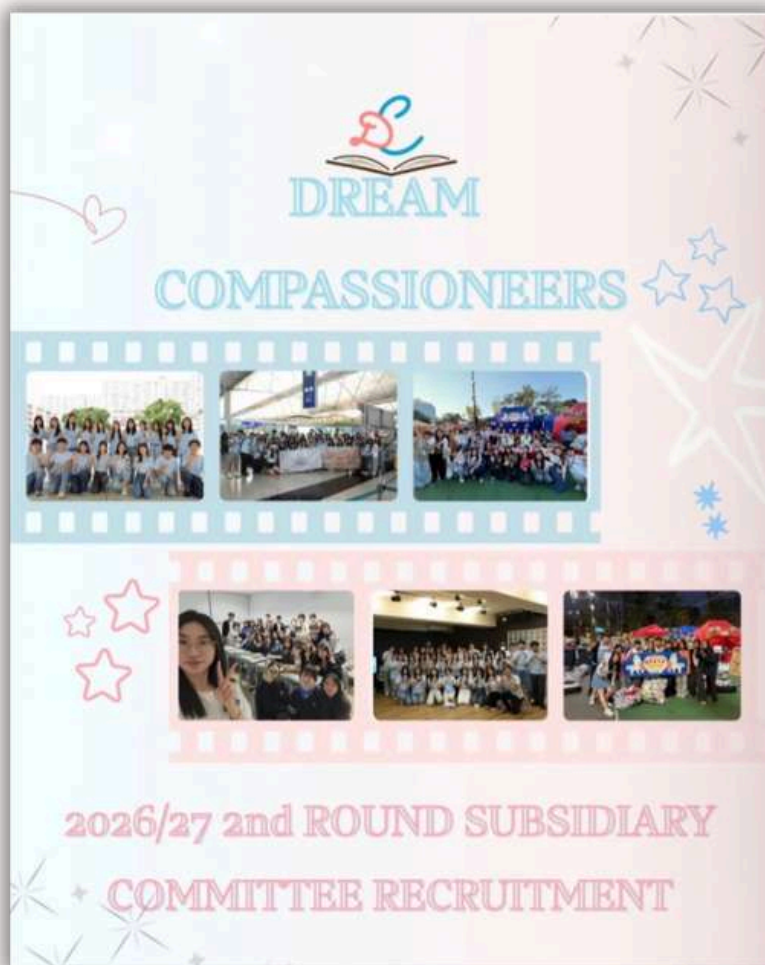
A heartfelt thank you to HKBU Village CARE for the warm invitation. We look forward to empowering more future youth leaders together!

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7TH EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND RECRUITMENT OF SUBSIDIARY COMMITTEE MEMBERS



The 7th Executive Committee of Dream Compassion was officially inaugurated during our Annual General Meeting this month. In the upcoming academic year, the new committee will remain steadfast in its commitment to promoting child welfare, expanding our service scope, and driving advocacy projects to gather broader community support.

The second round recruitment of subsidiary committee members has successfully concluded. We sincerely thank everyone for their enthusiastic participation, and look forward to working hand in hand to create more possibilities for children. Should you have any inquiries, please reach us at info@dreamcompassioners.com.



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