

## **2026 Lunar New Year Dinner – Event Summary**

The 2026 Lunar New Year Dinner was held at Golden Dragon Palace, bringing together members, families, and distinguished guests for an evening of celebration and community connection. Preparations commenced from 5:30pm, with venue setup, decorations, banners, raffle arrangements, and PA facilities coordinated by the committee and volunteers.

Guests, members, and VIPs were welcomed from 6:30pm. The formal program began at 7:00pm with opening remarks delivered by Patrick Leung, followed by an Acknowledgement of Country. The evening was honoured by the presence of numerous community, business, and cultural leaders, including representatives from Taiwanese, and local community organisations, professional associations, and long-standing members of the Hong Kong Club Victoria.

The Club President, Michael Tse, delivered the President's address, followed by a speech from Mr. Li Chang-Zhi of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Melbourne. A traditional roasted piglet cutting ceremony took place before dinner was served at 7:30pm.

During the dinner, the committee conducted table toasts, joined by VIP guests. A special cultural highlight of the evening was the introduction of Ms. Irene Liu, a highly experienced Chinese calligraphy and art practitioner, who was accompanied by her family. Ms. Liu performed live calligraphy, with her festive works distributed as raffle prizes.

The evening concluded with raffle draws conducted with guest participation. The event wrapped up at 10:30 pm, with clean-up completed by 11:00pm.

The dinner was a successful celebration of Lunar New Year, fostering cultural appreciation, community spirit, and meaningful connections among members and guests.

Patrick Leung

## 維省香港會農曆新年聚餐

維省香港會為慶祝馬年的蒞臨，于 2026 年 2 月 25 日年初九在金龍宮酒樓舉行聚餐，讓各會員、家屬、客人、貴賓們聚首一堂，歡渡佳節。各負責的委員和義工們從下午 5:30 分開始準備，包括場地佈置、餐桌擺設、抽獎安排、音響設置和測試等等。

貴賓、客人和會員們自下午 6:30 分陸續抵達，受到會長謝國良、秘書許雷麗君及委員們的熱烈歡迎。當晚的程序在 Patrick Leung 的開場白下，于 7:00 分正式開始。

社團領袖、商界精英、多元文化代表的出席為聚餐活動增光不淺，特別是駐墨爾本台北經濟文化辦事處的代表，以及多位資深會員等。

會長謝國良致歡迎辭後，駐墨爾本台北經濟文化辦事處李長治秘書也發表講話。傳統的切燒豬儀式後，美味的佳餚于 7:30 分開始奉上。

晚餐中，各委員聯同貴賓們續一向每桌的嘉賓、會員們祝酒。

聚餐的最大文化特點是：介紹書法家 Irene Liu，她的家人也陪同出席。Irene Liu 還即席揮毫，並送出作品給大會抽獎。

多位貴賓送出禮物抽獎，得獎的都非常開心。抽獎環節在晚上 10:30 分完滿結束，各委員和義工們再次整理場地到 11 時才完成。

總而言之，慶祝馬年的聚餐是成功的，培養了文化欣賞，帶出社團精神，更增強了會員和客人的聯結。

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