



President's Note – Cliff Li

Season's Greetings

The summer is almost over. Hope all of you have been enjoying this cool summer so far. On behalf of CCEA Board of Directors, I would like to pass our best wishes to you and your family members with health and wealth, and thank you all for your participation and support in CCEA activities in this year.

⇒ **RMHC/API Achiever Scholarship Program**

CCEAF has been a matching funds organization since 2004 to partner with Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC) scholarship program. The RMHC scholarship program provides a 1:1 match so that each \$500 partnership receives a \$1,000 scholarship. The program awards high school seniors who have at least one parent of Asian-Pacific heritage and who are eligible to attend an accredited two- or four-year college, university or vocational/technical school with a completed course of study. As a matching funds partner, CCEA provides this scholarship to high school seniors who have at least one parent enrolling in CCEA membership.

This year three (3) 2010 high school seniors, whose parents are the members of CCEA, received RMHC scholarship. They are **Larmon Luo** from Franklin High School, **Gary Duan** from Mira Loma High School, and **Kevin Qi** from Davis Senior High School. The RMHC scholarship award reception was held on June 12 (Saturday) outside of the State Capitol. More than 300 people attended the event. Among them were the award recipients, parents, matching funds partners, scholarship program sponsors, McDonald's owners, and special guests.

Please visit our website: www.cccea.org for the application process. Contact our board member Ms. **Jane Zhang** at: jane_zhang@dot.ca.gov for more information.

Past Events:

⇒ **Spring Picnic (4/25/10) and Summer Camp (7/16/10-7/18/10)**

Together with CCCS, CCEA organized the Spring picnic on 4/25/10 in South Land Park as one of our traditional semi-annual events, for CCEA/CCCS members and their families and friends. The BBQ

picnics were sponsored by CCEA and supported by all participating families while the families and children activities were sponsored and organized by CCCS. Over a hundred people participated in this event.

This year's summer camp was held at Long Ravine Resort from 7/16/10 to 7/18/10. Over 30 families joined this event, and it is believed to be the largest ever for the 14 years of CCCS/CCEA summer camp history. Participants enjoyed the swimming, water tuber and many other activities.

Upcoming Events:

⇒ **Fall Picnic is coming in October. Detailed time and location will be announced soon.**

⇒ **Chinese New Year Culture Association (CNYCA) 星光大道 singing competition (10/16/2010)**

The even will be held on at our CCCS site. You can find detailed information at <http://www.cnyca.net/index.html> CCEA is one of the seed organizations for CNYCA.

⇒ **China National Day Celebration (10/2/2010)**

Along with many other local organizations, CCEA will co-sponsor the 61th anniversary of the China National Day celebration banquet, organized by the China National Day Foundation (chaired by **Dongmin Luo**, a CCEA member).

As part of the celebration, CNDF will organize 2010 Sacramento Chinese table tennis tournament on **Sept. 25, 2010** held at our CCCS school site. For more information please check <http://chinanationalday.org/news.htm>. If you think you are a competitive player and would like to join our CCEA team, please contact our team Captain **Liu Yongxin** (yongxin_liu@dot.ca.gov).

The celebration banquet for the 61st national day anniversary is scheduled on **October 2, 2010** and the flyer is posted on <http://chinanationalday.org/index.htm>. The tickets will be on sale at CCCS school site on **9/11/10**, the school opening day. We will subsidize \$15 for current members for each seat.



WELCOME New CCEA Members

Four (4) more new members joined CCEA lately and they are: **Yunping Zhang** (张云平), **Jie Tang**, **Frank Lin** and **Frank Chen** (陈为无). Welcome! Our official number of CCEA members is over 100 now.