

Marina Club

遊艇會



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As we could have imagined, most boating activities in Hong Kong have been affected by the financial slowdown. But I remain very optimistic of a quick recovery. First, we have a very strong offering with our facilities, services and friendly and knowledgeable staff. Second, our members are committed, experienced and of the top calibre. Finally, as we look around, the economy has passed the worst and is slowly picking up speed. Things are definitely on the upturn.

Very strong evidence of this is the Marina membership drive, which had another successful year with the entire quota of surrender and re-issue membership transactions completed for 2008/2009. These are results that we are not only proud of, but offer signs for optimism for the future.

In another good sign, we have been extremely

busy throughout the year with the ongoing docking maintenance programme. We looked at different docking materials to find the best options. Two trial units of recycled wood and fibreglass pontoon piers have been installed and are being assessed. We are confident that we can find the optimal mix soon, and further enhance our already stellar offerings.

In other news, we have also completed a number of initiatives, including remedial works for the breakwater that had been damaged in recent typhoons; renovation of the dry stack building; and the sourcing of a multi-function workboat, which will soon be ready for operational use. These are wonderful milestones and more signs that the Club is home to one of the best marinas in the region. I hope we will keep raising the standards and become better with each year, being one of the best marinas in the region.

如預期，本港大部分遊艇活動均受到了經濟放緩的影響，不過本人對於經濟的復原相當樂觀。首先，本會擁有完善的設施及服務，友好及經驗豐富的員工。其次，我們的會員出類拔萃，且對本會充滿熱誠。最後，根據觀察所得，最壞的經濟境況已過去，市道逐漸復甦，有著好轉的趨勢。

最佳例證可見於遊艇會會籍的需求量，本會於2008/2009年度便再次成功將所有贖回及重新發行會籍配額完成，如此佳績不但讓我們自豪，同時亦足以證明前景樂觀。

年內我們忙於進行船塢保養計劃。為求獲得最佳選

擇，我們分別研究不同船塢材料，並安裝了兩個以再生木材及纖維玻璃建造的浮橋碼頭作為試驗，現正進行評估。我們深信不久便能找得最佳物料組合，以進一步提升本會的優質設施。

與此同時，我們亦完成了多項維修及翻新工程，包括加固因受颱風影響而損毀的防波堤、翻新陸上快艇存放區，以及採購了快將啟用的多功能工作船 (multi-function workboat)。正因為我們不斷完善我們的設施，使我們有能力成為本區最佳遊艇會之一。本人希望大家能繼續堅持提升水平及追求進步，使本會成為本區最佳遊艇會。