Class: 3A Name: Yu Wang Hei, Jimmy Topic: Inviting parents to join a walkathon Text Type: Letter of invitation

Dear Parents and Guardians,

On behalf of the Social Service Club, I am writing to invite you to join a walkathon to be held on the 25th of February to raise funds for Water for Life.

Established in 2004, Water for Life is a non-profit charity whose mission is to help people affected by droughts or living in arid areas. People in these areas have no access to clean water, which is a basic need for survival. Therefore, Water for Life solves this problem through different projects. For example, they have built more than 50,000 wells around the world, helping over 700,000 people. Since the charity is a non-profit organization, it needs money for its operations. Therefore, we are holding a walkathon in order to raise funds.

The walkathon will be held on the 25th of February and starts at 7:30 am. The starting point of the route is our school, situated on Pok Fu Lam Road. The total distance of the route is 15 km. During the journey, participants could enjoy some of the most beautiful areas of Hong Kong Island, including the Peak. Students and their parents, other members of the school, and the general public are all welcome to join the walkathon.

If you are going to join the walkathon, please pay attention to what you are advised to bring. First, since the route is 15 km long, the walk can be strenuous and you may become thirsty or hungry. Therefore, it is necessary for you to bring water and snacks. Please also remember to wear your HKSCCC T-shirt so that you can be recognized easily. The T-shirt is available for free to all participants upon registration.

So, why should you join this event? There are two benefits; you exercise by taking part in the walkathon and you can raise your children's awareness of charity work. Nowadays, people do not exercise because of their busy schedules. Therefore, it is a good chance for you to exercise during this walkathon. Exercising could improve both your physical and mental health. Also, joining the walkathon will raise your children's awareness of doing charity work. If you join the walkathon, you will be a role model for your children who will learn from you to contribute to society by doing charity work.

Please register now! In order to register, please go to our club's website: <u>www.hksssc.edu.hk</u> by the 9th of January. If you have any problems, you are welcome to visit our website and contact us by email.

Yours faithfully, Mia Chan Mia Chan Social Service Club Hong Kong School