From: channaihim [mailto:channaihim@yahoo.com.hk] Sent: Sunday, May 06, 2018 4:03 AM To: Bosco Ho (SFXBOYS/NCE68/SMCCC/WJC) Subject: 回覆: NCE68+50 Grand Reunion Party - Side Trip - Cruise !

Dear Bosco, and fellow '68 ' Northcotians,

Thanks God for letting us having studied in the one and only Northcote College of Education.

Being a Christian, I would not support any fabulous celebration. A simple get together meal is more appropriate. \Box

A good Christian should live a simple life, helping others more and spread Christianity. □ I have mentioned earlier that our class can do some other meaningful deeds, like helping 高考生In China to study U as government assistance is not easily available, from my 15 years experience in this field. Helping these students will brighten our life and following Christ's footpath.

You mention a good fellow spares US\$7000 to promote the celebeation, I salute his intention but if these dollars plus many more to come CAN be hot charcoal in the winter days of needy students.

In any way, thanks Bosco, for ur enthusiasm. $\Box \Box$

If u can pass this message to our fellow students, who must have a grown a Big Kind heart after graduating in NCE in 1968.

Chan naihim, Eddie 5.5.18

從我的 Samsung Galaxy 智能手機發送。

------ 原始訊息 ------由: "Bosco Ho (SFXBOYS/NCE68/SMCCC/WJC)" <bosco@bosco1.com> 日期: 18/5/2 15:46 (GMT+08:00) 收件人: "Bosco Ho (Webmaster)" <bosco@bosco1.com> 主題: NCE68+50 Grand Reunion Party - Side Trip - Cruise !

Calling All NCE68 Alumni!

Finally our Golden Anniversary Celebration is beginning to take shape and gather momentum.

An overseas caravan* is forming and will be traveling home to join the locals to celebrate like never before!

Imagine if we miss this golden opportunity, the next big celebration will be 2068 – most of us will be 120 years old !?

Here's what we plan to do:

- A) Grand Reunion Party (tbd Nov. 5 Nov. 8, 2018) plus additional events, to be organized by the Homecoming Committee headed by our forever Student President Daisy Lam. Some good news here an anonymous member has already pledged HK\$7,000+ to help setting up the Party! She/he encourages other alumni to make every effort to participate and show some enthusiasm!
- B) Side Trip Australia Highlights: a 7 Day or 9 Day or Customized tour (Melbourne, Sydney, Great Barrier Reef ...) (Nov. 9 – Nov. 17, 2018) - A taste of Dow Under in the company of your most trusted friends.
- C) Cruise Scenic 7-day Sydney-Tasmania cruise (Nov. 18 Nov. 24, 2018) Just relax, party, no cleaning up, no worries!

Realize please that no one journey would be a perfect fit for everyone. Some of you may have "been there, done that!", or you may have been secure in your comfort zone for too long, this sojourn will be unique and once-in-a-lifetime experience. You can pay for any trip, anywhere but you cannot pick a better kind of fellow travelers!

Please let us know ASAP if you plan to attend any part(s) of/the whole program, even if you are just 'thinking about it', or 'remotely interested', or 'impossible! at this time'. Once you let your imagination run wild visualizing what can happen in this epic journey together, you will never let it slip by !!! Just say Yes!

And ... once you have accepted the challenge to make it happen, your life will become more focused. You will avoid any unnecessary risks, watch every careful step ... to make sure you keep a healthy body to move along with the group.

For those interested:

Please contact: Homecoming - Daisy Lam (<u>lammaysum@yahoo.com.hk</u>) or Side Trip & Cruise - John Bosco (<u>bosco@bosco1.com</u>) (650) 759-7050 for short text or Whatsapp.

<u>Cruise website</u>, only US\$100 deposit is required to book, fully refundable until Sep. 4, 2018, when full amount is due. We have already booked as a NCE68 group (Group id=TC3) 4 cabins; if we book one more cabin through our designated Cruise Adviser, everyone in the group will get onboard credits reward, plus re-fare (update our fare) if a better deal comes up.

By the way, our alumni in Vancouver held their Regional Celebration on March 22, 2018, had a healthy turnout and lots of fun interacting. View <u>photo album</u>.

Let's us also try our very best to initiate some sort of reunion activity in our own region or locally, so many more alumni can come together and renew our friendship.

John Bosco Ho,

NCE68 Webmaster, with

*Caravan members: including, but not limited to the current committed members: Leonor, Barbara, John Bosco (and Carmen), Polly, Phyllis, Antonia, Anne ...

p.s. Attachment 1: Updated NCE68 Member List (added new member Victor Lui Kui-Yuen, music, New York, NY, USA). <u>Member List in the cloud</u>

Attachment 2: A book worth reading, recommended to me by Theresa Lui, about NCE alumna whose life experience is so contemporary and extraordinary.