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Officials & Committee Members for 2008

The Officials and Committee Members of the Society for year 2008 have been elected at the Annual General Meeting, which was held on 24 November 2007. Dr. Margie Chen and Mr. Paul Cheung will continue to serve as the President and Vice-President of the Society.

President	Dr. Margie Chen
Vice-President	Mr. Paul Cheung
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Ex-Official Members	Messrs. Lee CM, Lai Keun-wai, Lee Kwan-wing & Dr. Chan Lung-sang

Report on Visit to Shenzhen Paleontological Museum on 28th October 2007

About twenty GSHK members, led by Messrs CM Lee and TC Lung, visited the Shenzhen Paleontological Museum (深圳古生物博物館) on 28 October 2007. The Museum is located at the FairyLake Botanical Garden of Shenzhen. It contains more than 10,000 pieces of fossils, and has a garden of 800 pieces of petrified woods.

Mr. CM Lee, with his expertise and knowledge in paleontology, introduced various types of fossils to the participants, and explained the geological implications. Our members were interested in many of the specimens, and particularly amazed at the vast amount of dinosaur fossils exhibited in the Museum.



For those who missed the group visit organized by the Society, the following information may be useful for your own trip to the Museum later.

Shenzhen Paleontological Museum (Entrance Fee RMB20)
 Inside Shenzhen FairyLake Botanical Garden Luo Hu District
 Mon to Fri 9:00-17:00, Sat to Sun 9:00-18:00
 羅湖區仙湖植物園內 (¥20)
 週一至週五 9:00-17:00, 週六至週日 9:00-18:00

A New Look of the Society's Website

Some of you may be aware of the new design of the Society's website. Thanks Felix and Lung for their hard work.



The structure of Society's website has been greatly improved and renewed. It now contains the latest announcement of the Society's activities and events. Geological links related to Hong Kong geology are added for easy access. All the previous Newsletters and Journals can be found and downloaded from the website. Most importantly, the website will be updated regularly in the future. Please visit the website and give us your comments or suggestions for further improvement.

Coming Events

- Geological Excursions*
- 27.01.2008** Kum Yum shan, Kardoorie Farm 嘉道理農場觀音山 (Leader: Mr. CM Lee; Deadline for registration: 23.01.2008)
- 27.04.2008** Cape D'Aguiar 鶴咀
- 21-24.03.2008** The Philippines 菲律賓
- 10-28.08.2008** Northern Xinjiang 北疆 (Further details to be announced.)

Editor's Words

If you have any interesting geological articles and photos to share, please contact the Editorial Board via the Society's email. Please note that the Editorial Board reserves the right to reject, revise and change text editorially.

Hong Kong Geologist The Journal of the Geological Society of Hong Kong Call for Contributions

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