



Editor Words

Dear Members,

We are organizing a several activities such as Nansha Free Trade Port Terminal & Bonded Logistics Park Study Visit and Food, Wine & Beverages Logistics Course (Intake 2), Happy hour gathering, Questionnaire - Delivery of Cargo (Part2), several DG courses for your kind attention. Please see below to get more details of the events.

Enjoy reading!

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Upcoming Events

20120420 Nansha Free Trade Port Terminal & Bonded Logistics Park Study Visit

Please be informed that the captioned Nansha Free Trade Port Terminal & Bonded Logistics Park Study Visit will be held on 20 April 2012 (Friday) is now open for registration.

Nansha Free Trade Port locates in the center of Pearl River Delta, the 1st Free Trade Port in Guangdong Province since 2009. Nansha Free Trade Port is the highest order of free cargo flow and it consists of Port Terminal, Bonded Logistics Park and Export Processing Zone. In China's 12th Five Year Plan (2011-2015), Nansha will be facilitated as the key Shipping and Logistics Center in South China. Currently, there are over 40 international trade lines are connecting with Nansha Free Port. In order to increase the cargo handling capability, Phases III of Port terminal is now undertaking and national wide railway network will be connected to Nansha port direct in 2013. Nansha Bonded Logistics Park is not only serving the Import, Export, Re-export, U-turn and Customs Transfer for general goods and it is also serving as the regional hub of South China and South East Asia market for chemical industry. Moreover, the park could support wine and food logistics with temperature control facility and food processing center.

The study visit will let the guests to tour the Port and Bonded Logistics Park facilities, and meet with the enterprise and government official for better understanding of the Nansha Free Trade Port development and exploring business opportunities.

Date:	20 April 2012 (Friday)
Time:	8:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Fee:	HK\$350 per HKSTLA Corporate/FSTLA/MSTLA/ASTLA Members; HK\$450 per Non-members <i>(Includes coach, insurance & Lunch will be offered by GOCT)</i>
Max No. of participant:	45
Medium:	Cantonese and Mandarin
Enrolment Deadline:	10 April 2012

Programme:

- 8:15 a.m. Assemble at Huanggang
- 8:30 a.m. Depart from Huanggang
- 10:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Visit Nansha Free Trade Port Terminal
- 11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Presentation from Nansha Free Trade Administration Bureau

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12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Lunch at GOCT Restaurant
2:00 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Visit temperature control facility and food processing center
2:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Visit Enpro Supply Chain Management Company
4:15 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Departure back to Huanggang
6:30 p.m.	Dismiss at Huanggang

Enrolment & Enquiries

Please complete the reply slip below with cheque payment of HK\$350 / HK\$450 payable to “Hong Kong Sea Transport and Logistics Association Ltd” and return to HKSTLA Secretariat at Units 2205-7, 22/F., Paul Y. Centre, 51 Hung To Road, Kwun Tong, H.K. or Fee Transfer to Citic Bank International Ltd.: 694-2-45126600 (Please enclose the original payment slip by fax or e-mail). For enquiries, please contact the Secretariat at Tel: 2216 6878 or Email via renata@hkstla.org.

[20120319 HKSTLA's Happy Hour Gathering](#)

Please be reminded that the captioned "HKSTLA's Happy Hour Gathering" event which will be held on 19 March, the following please find the details.

Please feel free to forward this invitation to your colleagues, friends and to your business partners, with the aim of expanding network, finding new friends and members, sharing current issues, strengthening business relationships.

Date: 19 March 2012 (Monday)

Time: 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Venue: Phoenix Pub - Basement, 17-19 Prat Avenues, Tsim Sha Tsui, Kowloon.

鳳凰吧 - 九龍尖沙咀寶勒巷 17-19 號地庫全層(粵海酒店-對面)

Fee: HK \$160 per person (When admission, please contact pub receptionist to pay the fee & drop your name card at the front door counter.)

Inclusive: Unlimited FREE Drinks onboard incl. whisky, gin, beer, soft drinks, house red

You can choose to come at whatever time from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm. Interested parties are requested to fill in and return the attached Reply Form to us as soon as possible. For details, please refer to the attached sheets – 20120319_Happy_Hour_Gathering.pdf. For enquiries, please contact Ms. Renata Chan at 2216 6878.

[Questionnaire - Delivery of Cargo \(Part2\)](#)

We would like to invite your comments if it is worth exploring more cases conducted by our Hon legal advisor – Mr. Gary Yin, Partner, Clyde and Co. The followings are examples of claims and risks discussed at the recent luncheon on 21 February 2012.

1. Cargo Claims (e.g. Physical damage, mis-delivery, delay, non-delivery)
2. Business and trade risks (e.g. Outstanding freight, confiscated cargo)
3. Criminal sanctions (e.g. Customs related offences, breach of UN sanctions)

Please complete the questionnaire form and send back the form to us via fax 2793 0070 or email to info@hkstla.org.

Upcoming Training Courses

[Food, Wine and Beverages Logistics Course \(Intake 2\)](#)

Please be informed that the subject course (Intake 2) will be held on 26 & 27 March 2012. The course objective is an introduction of general concepts of food properties, handling requirements, storage temperature and conditions for foods and wines, concerns for good packaging, zero inventory operation and its importance for food distribution, and food laws in Hong Kong.

Duration: 2 sessions from 26 & 27 March 2012

Time: 7:00 p.m. - 9: 30 p.m.

Venue: Classroom 2 – 8/F., Chow Tai Fook Centre, 580A Nathan Road, Mongkok, Hong Kong. (Yau Ma Mei MTR Exit A2/Mongkok MTR Exit E2)

Tuition Fee: (Deadline: 21 March 2012)

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		Fee (HK\$)	After Partial Reimbursement/Subsidy (HK\$)
HKSTLA Member:		500/person	335/person
	Group discount price for 3 or more participants in the same company	450/person	285/person
Non-member:	Group discount price for 3 or more participants in the same company	550/person	385/person
		600/person	435/person

Transport Logistics Training Board (TLTB) of Vocational Training Council has agreed to subsidize \$165 to each participant who reaches an attendance rate over 100%. The application form for partial reimbursement and details will be sent to the student together with the student acceptance letter within 3 working days after the enrollment deadline. Reimbursement will be made within eight weeks after the end of the course via VTC-TLTB.

In-house Training Service

In-house training is a total solution to complement the existing training programmes of companies. All of the regular courses are available for in-house delivery.

Types of Courses for In-house Training

- Shipping Logistics and Practice
- Applications of Incoterms, L/C & UCP600 (Elementary Level)
- Applications of Incoterms, L/C & UCP600 (Advanced Level)
- Customs Restrictions on Logistics Functions
- China Warehouse and Distribution & Fulfillment
- Food, Wine and Beverages Logistics
- 5S for Logistics Industry
- Value added service in Logistics
- Marketing/Sales/Customer Services/CRM in Sea Transport and Logistics
- Information Technology in Logistics
- Briefing on RFID Development
- Dangerous Goods Regulations Awareness Training for Category 4 & 5 Personnel
- Initial Training in Dangerous Goods Regulations for Category 3 Personnel
- Recurrent Training in Dangerous Goods Regulations for Category 3 Personnel
- International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code IMDG Compliance Course
- Business Law
- Laws of Logistics and the future changes: An Update
- Liability issues in Transport and Logistics from Legal and insurance perspectives
- Navigating the Intellectual Capital of the Logistics Service Industry
- Supply Chain Management
- Green Supply Chain Management

To ensure the courses are current and relevant, instructors with relevant expertise and practical experience will be invited for course design and delivery. Being cost effective, company specific, convenient and flexible, in-house courses will definitely ensure that your staff will be well equipped with updated skills and knowledge to operate in this very competitive environment. To meet companies' specific requirements, our training experts are always available to design appropriate in-house courses. For inquiries, please contact Ms. Renata Chan at 2300 1685 or e-mail info@hkstla.org.

HKSTLA is organizing the following DG training courses in co-operation with Logistics Professional Consultancy Ltd. For all categories of personnel who has attended LPCL DG course, they will have unlimited post-course support from LPCL for any enquiry.

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[1. 0.5 day Dangerous Goods Regulations Awareness Training for Category 4 & 5 Personnel](#)

This course "Dangerous Goods Regulations Awareness Training for Category 4 & 5 Personnel (DGA)", co-organized by Hong Kong Sea Transport and Logistics Association (HKSTLA) and Logistics Professionals Consultancy Ltd. (LPCL), aims to provide participants have the basic knowledge on current regulation. How to identify the hidden hazard. Handling skills of dangerous goods in loading and storage. The emergency response procedures in accident / incident relates to dangerous goods. For details, please refer to the attachments - DGA_LPCL_Leaflet_revised070911.pdf. The course is still open for registration. Interested parties please complete the attached Enrolment Form and mail it back to us together with the cheque for the course fee. For the schedule of year 2012, please refer to the attachments – DGA_LPCL_Leaflet_170112.pdf.

[2. 5 days Initial Training in Dangerous Goods Regulations for Category 3 Personnel](#)

This course "Initial Training in Dangerous Goods Regulations for Category 3 Personnel (DGI)", co-organized by Hong Kong Sea Transport and Logistics Association (HKSTLA) and Logistics Professionals Consultancy Ltd. (LPCL), aims to provide participants have the necessary skills to accept, handle and process shipments containing dangerous goods and are able to correctly apply all the provisions of the current edition of the mandatory IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations (DGR). For details, please refer to the attachments - DGI_LPCL_Leaflet_revised070911.pdf. The course is still open for registration. Interested parties please complete the attached Enrolment Form and mail it back to us together with the cheque for the course fee. For the schedule of year 2012, please refer to the attachments – DGI_LPCL_Leaflet_170112.pdf.

[3. 3 days Recurrent Training in Dangerous Goods Regulations for Category 3 Personnel](#)

This course "Recurrent Training in Dangerous Goods Regulations for Category 3 Personnel (DGR)", co-organized by Hong Kong Sea Transport and Logistics Association (HKSTLA) and Logistics Professionals Consultancy Ltd. (LPCL), aims to provide participants whom has been certified to handle Dangerous Goods and received their last training within 24 months interval. To ensure current DG certificate holders are updated with the latest changes, amendments and requirements of ICAO, IATA and HK CAD. A fresher programme to facilitate current DG certificate holders to apply the DGR proficiently. For details, please refer to the attachments - DGR_LPCL_Leaflet_revised070911.pdf. The course is still open for registration. Interested parties please complete the attached Enrolment Form and mail it back to us together with the cheque for the course fee. For the schedule of year 2012, please refer to the attachments – DGR_LPCL_Leaflet_170112.pdf.

[4. 1 day Regulated Agent Security](#)

This course "Regulated Agent Security (RAS)", co-organized by Hong Kong Sea Transport and Logistics Association (HKSTLA) and Logistics Professionals Consultancy Ltd. (LPCL), aims to provide participants whom has been certified to handle Dangerous Goods and received their last training within 24 months interval. To understand the background of RAR and the requirements of the Regima and RA Security, to understand the regulations and practices of cargo security, to understand the updated guidelines of Annex 17 regarding air cargo security, To acquire the basic knowledge on Known Cargo and Unknown Cargo and related security measures, procedures for acceptance, process and storage, to understand the requirements of known consignor and unknown consignor, to understand the requirements of Inter-RA operation and handling procedures, to be able to prepare and maintain the records and documents according to the requirements amendments and requirements of ICAO, IATA and HK CAD. A fresher programme to facilitate current DG certificate holders to apply the DGR proficiently. For details, please refer to the attachments - DGR_LPCL_Leaflet_revised070911.pdf. The course is open for registration. Interested parties please complete the attached Enrolment Form and mail it back to us together with the cheque for the course fee. For the schedule of year 2012, please refer to the attachments – RAS_LPCL_Leaflet_170112.pdf.

HKSTLA is organizing the following DG training courses in co-operation with Skysafe International Consultant Ltd.

[5. 3 days International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code IMDG Compliance Course](#)

This an in-depth initial training course provides seafarers with the opportunity to become familiar with the rules governing the carriage of dangerous goods (or HazMat) in particular with the most recent edition of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods (IMDG) Code. For details, please refer to the attachments - IMDG_SkySafe_Leaflet_revised170112.pdf. The course is open for registration. Interested parties please complete the attached Enrolment Form and mail it back to us together with the cheque for the course fee.

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Industry News & Events

[Briefing on the Hong Kong Authorized Economic Operator \(HK AEO\) Programme](#)

Date: 27 March 2012

Time: 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

Venue: Conference Room 1008, 10/F., Customs Headquarters Building, 222 Java Road, North Point, Hong Kong.

Advocated by the World Customs Organization, the AEO Programme is a voluntary certification regime devised for securing and facilitating global trade. Application is open to all business stakeholders involved in the global supply chain. Companies accredited with AEO status not only will enjoy designated Customs facilitation for their shipments, but also help enhance their corporate images which, in turn, may assist them in attracting more business opportunities. As a key player in the global supply chain, the Customs and Excise Department will formally launch the AEO Programme in April 2012 with a view to further enhancing trade security and facilitation. Please complete the attached enrollment form at Annex @ and return it to them by fax or email on or before 20 March. For enquiry, please contact Ms. Oliza Kan at 3759 2163.

[Crime Information to Container Transportation Associations](#)

Since June last year, Hong Kong Island Regional Headquarters received a total of 6 reports of Stealing/Deceivingly obtaining containers, involving money over HK\$2,100,000.

Generally, the new customers sent e-mail or phoned to the transportation companies to place an order for services. After the containers were collected, the customers were missing and the containers were nowhere to be found.

We now invite you to disseminate the news about the modus operandi of the culprits and remind your members to be alerted when being contacted by new customers. They should check the identity of the new customers and their companies and always remember that information received through e-mail, fax or phone a call is not reliable. When feeling dubious, arrange a meeting with the customers and sign documents in confirmation.

For enquiry, please call Hong Kong Island Regional Crime Prevention Office on 2860 7894. All Container Transportation Associations are encouraged to furnish us with crime information so as to help us fight crime and make Hong Kong continue to be one of the safest cities in the world.

[強積金供款最高有關入息水平修訂為 25,000 元 2012 年 6 月 1 日起生效](#)

強制性公積金(強積金)強制性供款的最高有關入息水平修訂已獲立法會通過。新修訂的最高有關入息水平為每月 25,000 元, 於 2012 年 6 月 1 日起生效, 而參加行業計劃的臨時僱員的最高有關入息水平亦修訂為每日 830 元。為配合新修訂的最高有關入息水平實施, 僱主於生效日期前須更新強積金強制性供款的行政安排, 包括計算供款的程式/系統, 確保在 2012 年 6 月 1 日或其後開始的供款期, 按新水平計算及作出供款。有關新修訂生效後的強積金供款安排, 請參閱隨函附上的單張。如有任何疑問, 可瀏覽積金局網頁 www.mpfa.org.hk, 或致電積金局熱線 2918 0102, 亦可向所屬強積金受託人查詢。

[Practical Guidelines and on Eliminating Age Discrimination in Employment](#)

The Government has published a “Practical Guidelines for Employers on Eliminating Age Discrimination in Employment”, which is available free-of-charge at job centers and the workplace consultation promotion division of the labour department or the labour department homepage: <http://www.labour.gov.hk>.

[最新一期 \(第 613 期\) 《駐粵辦通訊》](#)

(一) 經貿快訊 -

1. 《關於加快轉變外貿發展方式的指導意見》

商務部、發展和改革委員會、財政部、人民銀行、海關總署、稅務總局、質量監督檢驗檢疫總局、銀監會、保監會、外匯管理局於 2012 年 2 月 17 日發布上述《意見》。主要內容包括：推動來料加工企業轉型，引導加工貿易由東部沿海地區向中西部地區有序轉移，嚴格控制高污染、高耗能行業開展加工貿易等。

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2. 《關於開展 2012 年外商投資企業聯合年檢工作的通知》

商務部、財政部、稅務總局、工商行政管理總局、統計局和外匯管理局於 2012 年 2 月 29 日發布上述《通知》。當中指出，2012 年 3 月 1 日至 6 月 30 日為外商投資企業聯合年檢辦公時間。

3. 《企業安全生產費用提取和使用管理辦法》

財政部、安全監管總局於 2012 年 2 月 14 日發布上述《辦法》，自公布之日起施行。在境內直接從事建設工程施工、危險品生產與儲存、交通運輸、冶金、機械製造等企業以及其他經濟組織適用《辦法》。

4. 《全國人民代表大會常務委員會關於修改〈中華人民共和國清潔生產促進法〉的決定》

全國人民代表大會於 2012 年 2 月 29 日公布上述《決定》，自 2012 年 7 月 1 日起施行。主要修改內容包括：使用有毒、有害原料進行生產或者在生產中排放有毒、有害物質的企業，應當實施強制性清潔生產審核等。

5. 歐盟對中國的有機塗層鋼板發起反補貼調查

歐委會於 2012 年 2 月 22 日宣布對中國出口至歐的有機塗層鋼板發起反補貼調查。

廣東

6. 《廣東省人民代表大會常務委員會關於修改〈廣東省社會養老保險條例〉等七項法規中有關行政強制條款的決定》

廣東省人民代表大會於 2012 年 1 月 9 日公布上述《決定》，自公布之日起施行。當中對《廣東省社會養老保險條例》第三十五條“單位未按時足額繳納養老保險費的”情形如何處理作出修改。

7. 《關於貫徹落實促進小額貸款公司平穩較快發展意見的通知》

廣東省人民政府金融工作辦公室、省工商行政管理局於 2012 年 1 月 18 日發布上述《通知》。當中包括調整資本金上限限額和單一投資者持股比例、适度放寬業務經營範圍等意見。

8. 《深圳市金融業發展“十二五”規劃》

深圳市人民政府辦公廳於 2011 年 12 月 29 日發布上述《規劃》。主要內容包括：爭取率先在前海開展深港銀行跨境人民幣貸款、同業轉貸款和外商以人民幣直接投資試點等。

9. 《東莞市鼓勵產業轉移補助暫行辦法》

東莞市人民政府於 2011 年 12 月 29 日發布上述《辦法》，自公布之日起施行，有效期至 2013 年 12 月 31 日止。當中指出，企業轉移到東莞（韶關）產業轉移工業園、東莞（惠州）產業轉移工業園（莞韶、莞惠轉移園），按規定給予一次性補助等。

海南

10. 《海南省促進高新技術產業發展若干規定》

海南省人民政府於 2012 年 1 月 13 日印發上述《規定》，自公布之日起施行。主要內容包括：設立高新技術產業發展專項資金，對經認定的高新技術企業、企業自主創新年獲發明專利等情形給予獎勵等。

(二) 經貿數據

(三) 經貿活動推介

(四) 經貿活動一覽表

(五) 其它資訊

如欲瞭解上述內容的詳情，請稍後點擊以下連結以閱讀《通訊》的全文：

<http://www.gdeto.gov.hk/tc/newsletter/docs/120302.doc>。

[最新一期（第 612 期）《駐粵辦通訊》](#)

(一) 經貿快訊 -

1. 《國務院關於西部大開發“十二五”規劃的批復》

國務院於 2012 年 2 月 13 日發布上述文件，批復《西部大開發“十二五”規劃》，當中對“十二五”時期西部地區開發格局進行了統籌規劃。

廣東

2. 廣東《關於支持中小微企業融資的若干意見》

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廣東省人民政府於 2012 年 2 月 13 日發布上述《意見》。主要內容包括：支持各銀行業金融機構，增設分支機構；支持港資銀行在省內開設異地支行等。

3. 《中共廣東省委辦公廳 廣東省人民政府轉發〈省人力資源社會保障廳、省總工會、省企業聯合會、省工商聯關於深入推進我省企業工資集體協商工作的指導意見〉的通知》

廣東省委、省政府於 2012 年 1 月 18 日印發上述《通知》。主要內容包括：把建立職工工資正常調整機制作為當前工資集體協商的重點內容，提高企業工會特別是非公有制企業工會的組建率等。

4. 《深圳市信息化發展“十二五”規劃》

深圳市人民政府辦公廳於 2011 年 12 月 23 日印發上述《規劃》。主要內容包括：推進前海深港現代服務業合作區等新型功能區通信管網布局，支持前海深港現代服務業合作區建設物聯網應用示範區等。

5. 《深圳經濟特區環境噪聲污染防治條例》

上述修訂後的《條例》於 2012 年 2 月 16 日公布，自 2012 年 3 月 1 日起施行。主要修改內容包括：工業企業應當在可能產生環境噪聲的設備投入使用三個月前，向環保部門申報產生環境噪聲的設備的種類、數量等情況，並提供環境噪聲污染防治的技術資料等。

(二) 經貿數據

(三) 經貿活動推介

(四) 經貿活動一覽表

(五) 其它資訊

如欲瞭解上述內容的詳情，請稍後點擊以下連結以閱讀《通訊》的全文：

<http://www.gdeto.gov.hk/tc/newsletter/docs/120224.doc>。

[最新一期的\(第 61 期\)《香港特區政府駐上海經濟貿易辦事處通訊》](#)

(一) 經貿快訊

安徽省：

2011 年皖江示範區建設情況

2011 年安徽省經濟運行情況

外來投資入皖強勁增長

安徽省免征和取消 25 項行政事業性收費

湖北省：

湖北省 GDP 總量居全國第 10 位 增速全國第七

湖北省擴大開放工作會議

湖北省商務工作座談會

江蘇省：

江蘇省政府關於進一步穩定外貿增長促進外經貿轉型升級的意見

江蘇省國家質檢中心數量位列全國第一

關檢共推江蘇省外貿通關便利化

上海市：

2011 年上海進出口首破 8,000 億美元 繼續位列全國首位

央行上海總部發佈 30 條舉措支持上海實體經濟

上海試點開展服務業綜合改革

上海:改革後稅負加重企業可由財政直補

2012 年上海商務領域將重點推進擴大開放等五方面工作

浙江省：

寧波港集裝箱吞吐量居世界港口前六位

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<http://www.cdeto.gov.hk/doct/communications.html>

Welcome to HKSTLA Membership

We are pleased to welcome the following new members who were admitted to the membership of HKSTLA in February 2012.

New Corporate Member : A & G Logistics Ltd
Mr. Alan Leung – Managing Director

New Member (FSTLA) : Mr. Leung Wai-Keung, Alan
New Member (FSTLA) : Mr. Lee Po Cheung, Patrick
New Member (MSTLA) : Mr. Mak Ho-Man, Alfred

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Review of Last Activities

[Review & Photos of Special Luncheon: Delivery of Cargo – Do you know your risks and responsibilities? held on 21 February](#)

The special luncheon was joined by 47 participants.

We have taken a few photos and posted them on our HKSTLA website. Please visit our website (<http://www.hkstla.org/>) and select Gallery --> 20120221 Special Luncheon: Delivery of Cargo – Do you know your risks and responsibilities? (You can use the "slideshow" function key to view these photos one by one.)



[Review & Photos of 18th Annual Dinner Party](#)

The 18th Annual Dinner Party was held on 5 March 2012. Over 154 guests & members enjoyed the lucky draw and delicious foods in this party. A special thank you again to the sponsors, an exclusive performers and volunteers.

We have taken a few photos and posted them on our HKSTLA website. Please visit our website (<http://www.hkstla.org/>) and select Gallery --> 20120305 18th Annual Dinner Party or you may click the following direct link to sight these photos:

<https://sites.google.com/a/hkstla.org/www2/gallery/gallery6-1> (You can use the "slideshow" function key to view these photos one by one.)



[Status of Soccer Shipping League Cup 2011-2012](#)

If you are interested to watch the football match, please pay attention to the following “Playing Schedule in March” table. **** PLAYING SCHEDULE IN MARCH (REVISED4)****

DATE	TIME (P.M.)	FOOTBALL TEAM	IN CHARGE	VENUE
13/03/2012	22:00 - 23:00	B VS C	HKSTLA	Tsz Wan Shan Estate Central Playground
20/03/2012	22:00 - 23:00	D VS E	HKSTLA	Tsz Wan Shan Estate Central Playground

Welfare Information

↳ **FREE Football Pitch Permit** –We have the following March football pitch permit can share to you free of charge. The details of football pitch & district can be found as below.

Date	Time	Hard-surface Pitch	District	Reserved
07/03/2012	21:00 - 22:00	Hiu Ming Street Playground	Kwun Tong	
07/03/2012	22:00 - 23:00	Hiu Ming Street Playground		
15/03/2012	21:00 - 22:00	Hiu Ming Street Playground		
15/03/2012	22:00 - 23:00	Hiu Ming Street Playground		
22/03/2012	21:00 - 22:00	Hiu Ming Street Playground		
22/03/2012	22:00 - 23:00	Hiu Ming Street Playground		
30/03/2012	20:00 - 21:00	Lower Ngau Tau Kok Estate Playground No. 8		

All applicants allocated on first-come-first-served basis. If any member would like to use the such Free Football pitches, please contact the HKSTLA Secretariat at 2300 1685 for further arrangement.

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- ↵ **FREE Recruitment Page** – Please be reminded that the Association takes great pleasure in inviting all members to post your job advertisements on this website www.hkstla.org free of charge. There is an on-line career advertisement board where job seekers likely and frequently visit to seek for career opportunities especially in the shipping and logistics fields. If any member have interests to post any job advertisements on the Association's website, please fill in the form and send back to us by email to info@hkstla.org.

- ↵ **Special Individual Membership Offers from HKSTLA** - Please be informed that the special offer to join our Individual Members has been extended until 30 June 2012. Applicants who submit an application postmarked on or before 30 June 2012, will receive a special offer consisting of significantly reduced Entrance fees. For details, please refer to the attached sheets – Application Form_revised16 Jan2012.pdf.

New application (discount valid until 30 June 2012):

- \$1,500 for Fellow member "FSTLA" (Entrance fee waiver)
- \$1,000 for Member "MSTLA" (Entrance fee waiver)
- \$500 for Associate member "ASTLA" (Entrance fee waiver)
- \$500 for Graduate member "GSTLA" (Entrance fee waiver)
- \$300 for Studying member (Entrance fee waiver)