2014

OCCSC Annual Fundraising Gala
渥太華華人社區中心週年籌款晚宴

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Tuesday, December 2, 十二月二日（周二）
6:00 p.m. — 9:30 p.m.
Oriental Chu Shing Restaurant
東 方 明 珠 城 酒 家
691 Somerset St. W, Ottawa

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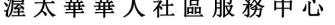$40 tax receipt
will be provided
提供四十元捐款收據

Ticket Info/售票信息
381 Kent Street, suite 4003
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♥ *Join us today to help integrate newcomers successfully into Canadian society.* 讓我們同心協助新移民成功融入加拿大社會 ♥
♥ Lucky Draws ♥ Silent Auction ♥ Chinese Banquet ♥ Cultural Performances ♥ 抽獎活動 ♥ 無聲拍賣 ♥ 中華美食 ♥ 文藝表演

Dear Friends of OCCSC,

Please join us at our annual OCCSC Fundraising Gala on Tuesday, December 2nd, 2013, 6:00pm - 9:30pm at the Oriental Chu Shing Restaurant (691 Somerset Street West in Chinatown)! This event is both a fundraiser for OCCSC and a celebration of achievements made possible through support from caring members like you.

Join over 300 community members, corporate leaders as well as our clients and volunteers! Spend an evening mingling with guests, be recognized as business leaders, build business relationships, contribute to a worthy cause and enjoy an entertaining cultural evening. It will be a great night out featuring a 10 course authentic Chinese dinner, exciting cultural performances, a great selection of items in our silent auction and our signature lucky draw. Tickets are now available at $70 per person, $700 per table – you will receive a tax receipt of $40 per person.

We are so proud of what we accomplish every year despite funding cuts. Here is a brief summary of how the OCCSC helps newcomers successfully integrate into our Ottawa community last year:
- 1,559 newcomers were served and 1387 first time to use our services
- 432 group activities at various Ottawa Resource Centre locations.
- 639 children were cared for through our child-minding services.
- 898 new clients received assistance from In-TAC - our Employment Services Division
- 156 gained employment and/or professional job placements.
- 196 hiring partners and over 300 small and medium-sized businesses supported In-TAC initiatives.
- 898 clients received language support through our 16 Language Training classes.
- 210 volunteers contributed 8,290 hours of much appreciated assistance to the community.

The programs supported by the funds raised through the Gala and other OCCSC events are directed towards helping new immigrants integrate economically and socially into Canadian society -- to offer new members in our community, hope, optimism … and a sense of opportunity. With continuing government funding cut-backs your support is now even more important than ever!

How can you get involved?

Cash Donation	Cash, cheque or credit card. Donations exceeding $20 will be issued a tax receipt. Cheques payable to: "Ottawa Chinese Community Service Centre". For credit card payment, please contact Fiona Zhu at **613-235-4875 ext 123.**
Gift Donation	Your name or company listed in our gala program insert lists. Suggested donation items include: cultural items, artwork, travel/tour tickets, sports and entertainment tickets, spa and gift coupons, restaurant certificates, gift baskets etc. (*Submit items by Nov 22, 2014*)
Dinner Tickets	Dinner tickets are **$70** per person, $40 tax receipt for donation will be provided. **$700 per table (seats for 10)**, please contact Mimi Siu at **613-235-4875 x 161**
Corporate Sponsorship	Businesses are encouraged to sponsor the Gala by contacting our Volunteer Coordinator, Doreen Ju at 613-235-4875 x144 or doreen.ju@occsc.org

On behalf of the thousands of new Canadians that have benefited or will benefit from OCCSC programs and the volunteers and administrators of OCCSC, we invite you to join us in celebrating another great year of success. It takes a community to do what we do and we hope to celebrate with you … because "Stronger, Together"!

I look forward to seeing you at our Fundraising Gala.

Sharon Kan
Executive Director
Ottawa Chinese Community Service Centre