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Chinese University 30th Anniversary Celebrations Kick Off with Walkathon to Fight Cancer

The Chinese University of Hong Kong is to hold a walkathon on Sunday (January 17) to launch a year of activities celebrating its 30th Anniversary.

The walkathon is being organized to raise funds for the Hong Kong Cancer Institute of the Chinese University. Funds raised will help ensure that the Institute will have the most effective diagnostic and treatment facilities for cancer in Asia, so that more lives can be saved in the future.

Senior government officials and community leaders, including Secretary for Education and Manpower, Mr John Chan Cho-chak; Secretary for Health and Welfare, Mrs Elizabeth Wong Chien Chi-lien; Chairman of the Hong Kong Cancer Institute, Prof. G H Choa and Legislative Councillor, Mrs Peggy Lam, are expected to turn out to support the charity event. The All Stars Football Team will also join the walk.

The Vice-Chancellor of Chinese University, Prof Charles K Kao, will lead over 2,000 of the University's students, staff members, alumni and their families in this event to demonstrate the University's concern for the community.

Starting at 9:00 am at the University's Lingman Stadium and ending at the Shatin Central Park, the walk is expected to take about 1 hour 45 minutes.

All are welcome to join this anti-cancer walkathon. Sponsor forms can be obtained from the Information Office of the Chinese University and the 19 district offices or on the spot on walkathon day. For more information, please contact Mr Paul Chung of the University's Information Office at 6097177.

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