

# CHINATOWN COMMUNITY CHILDREN'S CENTER UPDATE

## SUMMER '07



### CONGRATULATIONS, CCCC GRADUATES!

CCCC proudly celebrated its graduating class with a formal ceremony at the San Francisco Zoo on Thursday, June 7th.

Students and their families enjoyed a sunny, activity-packed day that included a tour of the zoo and an educational presentation by zoo staff. Each child received a souvenir zoo key, which allowed them to listen to multilingual recordings during the tour.

The graduation ceremony itself was held in the San Francisco Zoo's Great Hall -- the historic site was the ideal location. San Francisco Zoo CEO Manuel Mollinedo and former San Francisco Police Chief Fred Lau joined to deliver their regards.

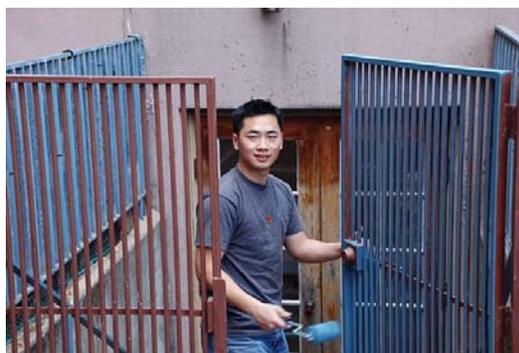


CCCC's Class of 2007

Parents mentioned that the graduation helped to emphasize the importance of educational achievement in their children's lives, in addition to being a fun and memorable day for the whole family. A special thanks to the San Francisco Zoo CEO and Director Mollinedo, City and County of San Francisco Administrator Edwin Lee, Sydney Leung and Mark Barrenechea -- and to volunteer project manager Washington Wong in particular -- for making this wonderful event possible!

### CCCC COURTSIDE MAKEOVER, COURTESY OF MORGAN STANLEY

A team of Morgan Stanley corporate volunteers, led by Western Region SVP Ken Tse, joined CCCC board members Lock Kwan and Mervyn Han, and CCCC Executive Director Lawland Long, for a productive afternoon refurbishing CCCC's outdoor courtyard on Saturday, June 9th.



Morgan Stanley's volunteer team brings new life to CCCC's courtyard

The courtyard is the gem of CCCC's childcare center, providing much-needed recreational space for our students. Chinatown is one of San Francisco's most densely populated neighborhoods, and is dominated by commercial areas, which results in limited park and recreation facilities. The volunteer team planted the courtyard garden, repainted railings and re-finished the wooden play structure. Morgan Stanley generously contributed the materials and supplies for the renovation project.

The volunteers will return in late July to complete the renovations -- that's another busy Saturday!

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