

# A Celebration for Everyone!

*A spectacular series of events to honor the Club's Centennial*

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The American Club was founded on July 6, 1925 and has been “a home away from home” for the American community in Hong Kong ever since. Now, with the Club’s 100<sup>th</sup> birthday fast approaching, we want to continue gathering the community together to celebrate in style.

We kicked off celebrations at the 2024 Independence Day Party. Since then, we’ve been giving our regular events a Centennial edge. We’ve also held some dedicated Centennial activities and events, from the launch of the Country Club installation to Centennial-inspired scavenger hunts and murder mysteries, and the always-inspiring “Arc of Delights”. If you’ve missed some of the past events don’t sweat it, because we’ve got a thrilling, fun-packed calendar of events coming up! Join us to honor the history we’ve created and toast the community we’ve built.

On Tuesday, February 18, the Club’s Board of Governors and Committee Members gathered at the official residence of the U.S. Consul General for the Centennial Soirée. By special invitation of the Consul General, this one-off event celebrated the volunteerism of the Club’s leadership. Members enjoyed a Town Club culinary pop-up and a unique HKIS quartet under Hong Kong clear skies and twinkly garden lights.



*Learn about the Club's history at the installation exhibition at the Country Club.*



*Thank you for volunteering your time and contribution to the Club!*



*Find the arc, that's part of the delight!*



Event bookings available via the Club App: Events > Club Events.

**MAY**

**Saturday May 24:  
Memorial Day Fair with the  
American Club Foundation**

A community day at the Country Club to welcome the Club's pillars (including representatives from ACF, Hong Kong International School, American Women's Association, American Chamber of Commerce and the U.S. Consulate General), members and their friends. Come along to experience all the good things the Club has to offer and learn about the American Club Foundation initiatives, with the charities they support, including A Plastic Ocean Foundation, Splash Foundation, Changing Young Lives Foundation, Love 21 Foundation, Teens Key and InspiringHK Sports Foundation, at the Club.

This event will feature some out-of-the-box, cool activities and showcase fair food favorites. ACF's charitable partners will be hosting some educational and fun activities on the pool deck area and South Lawn.

The Fair is complimentary for members. All guests, including pillars and members' guests, will pay a guest fee of \$150 which will go as a contribution towards the ACF.

**Tuesday May 27:  
Fireside chat at the Clipper, with  
member and architect Moira Moser**

Ms. Moser will participate in the Centennial Speaker Series, with

a Q&A led by our Development Committee Chair and Board member, David Chang. Do you want to know why the Country Club is salmon pink? And how the site's trees had to be moved with a crane? Ms. Moser will reveal how our unique edifice was designed and built and share her personal passion for the project and, of course, the Club.



Ms. Moser breaking the ground at our Tai Tam campus on January 22, 1985.



## JUNE

**Saturday June 7:**

### **The Grand Greatest Gatsby**

A little party never hurt nobody. Join us at our once-in-our-lifetime blowout party, which will take place over both floors of the Town Club and the Exchange Square Rotunda. Themed around the decades and festooned with glamour, this party is set to feature emotive tunes, enticing drinks, exciting eats and enthralling entertainment. Dress to impress in 1920s black tie

(mandatory!) and enjoy a night of revelry and delight.

## JULY

**Wednesday July 2 to Sunday July 6:  
100 Hours to The American Club's  
100<sup>th</sup> Birthday!**

We'll kickstart the countdown at 4:30pm on Wednesday with fun activities on the South Lawn. Take hilarious snaps in the photo booth, feast on hot dogs, and search for treasures in our Take #2, Centennial Scavenger Hunt.

On **Thursday**, we'll re-run the Scavenger Hunt and host a Centennial-themed family quiz.

On **Friday**, join us for a Poolside Movie Marathon.

On **Saturday**, our regular Independence Day celebration will be sprinkled with some extra Centennial magic.

On **Sunday**, we'll be burying the Centennial Time Capsule, sharing a huge, delicious Centennial birthday



***Centennial Merchandise***

From May to July 2025, the Store will be stocked with Centennial merch, including hand-poured candles, baseball caps, tote bags, cups, water bottles, polo shirts and t-shirts. Don't leave it too late! Stop by and choose a souvenir to remember this special anniversary. The final offering will be an exciting commemorative publication that's coming in November, just in time for the holidays.

cake and wishing a very Happy Birthday to The American Club!

**Sunday July 6:  
Centennial Time Capsule**

The Centennial Time Capsule will be filled with items that members have shared to represent life at the Club and Hong Kong in 2025. Have a think about what the members of tomorrow may like to learn at the Club's 125<sup>th</sup> Birthday reveal on July 6, 2050. We will share updates on how you can contribute your ideas. The capsule

will be buried on the South Lawn at 8:30pm with a plaque to memorialize the event.

**NOVEMBER  
Commemorative Publication Launch**

Watch this space! In November, every member will receive a complimentary copy of a special, magazine-style publication that captures the Club's 100 year-long history and the Centennial year of celebrations. Our book will feature a beautiful cover illustration by

renowned Hong Kong artist who grow up at the Club as a junior member, Sophia Hotung. Additional copies will be available for holiday gifting in the Country Store.

**The Centennial Finale Film**

A visual treat that stars longstanding members and captures celebrations and everyday moments of joy from throughout our Centennial year. The closing scene will be filmed at the party on Sunday, July 6, when we wrap up the year of celebrations.