



Moving Poetry 2002



“Moving Poetry”, a highlighted programme of the University’s 90th Anniversary celebrations, is a pioneering project in Hong Kong which showcases the creativity and talent of young people and enriches the city’s cultural life. It is presented for the second year by the English Department.

Following the creative writing workshops for 200 primary and secondary students from 23 schools, and the “Train-the-trainers” workshop for school teachers, a “Moving Poetry” Carnival was held in July to feature the talented young poets. They were

joined by special guests Dr Rosanna Wong 王葛鳴, Chairman of the Education Commission; Mr Michael Tien 田北辰, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Language Education and Research; Professor Ian Davies, Vice-Chancellor; and Artistic Directors of the project, Dr Elaine Ho and Dr Page Richards, in a recital of their poems on “Hong Kong” at the Rayson Huang Theatre.

This year’s programme is funded by the University Grants Committee while last year’s was supported by the Language Fund.



Hey, look at our poems and creative drawings on our T-shirts that get "Moving"!



Creative writing workshops were held with a group of foremost poets for 200 students from primary 4 to secondary 3.



A poetry collection of the students' poems will be published by the HKU Press in December.



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