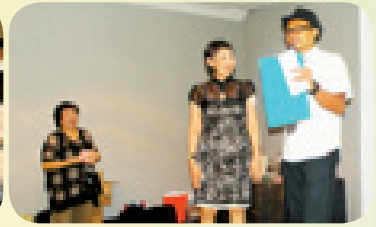


Volunteer Appreciation Hi-Tea

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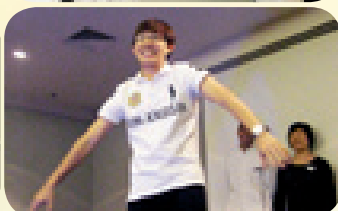


Some eager 80 volunteers for the Diabetic Society of Singapore gathered at Concorde Hotel on Saturday 7 January 2012 for a very special hi-tea held in their honour.

President Mr Yong Chiang Boon, in his welcome address, thanked all volunteers for being such a vital part of DSS, helping out at health screenings, public forums, WDD and other DSS outreach activities. He also encouraged each and every one of them to continue their good work with the society and to the community.



Arriving as early as 1.30pm, some of the guests even lent a hand to set things up; such was the spirit of volunteerism! Kicking off the celebration was our very own volunteer emcee, Amien. A recent volunteer himself, the Bachelor of Nursing undergraduate with a megawatt personality and smile teased and tickled the guests with his great sense of humour and led them in a series fun games and hilarious activities.



Combined with the sumptuous tea spread and attractive lucky draw prizes sponsored by Soyjoy, Prime and NTUC Supermarkets, the event scored an A+ for its entertainment quotient. DSS would like to express its appreciation to all the volunteers who have made it possible for the society to continue its mission to raise diabetes awareness and educate those with diabetes, their family members and the public. Through knowledge and discipline, the person with diabetes becomes better equipped to achieve a healthy and productive life. Till we meet again at the next outreach event!

