

# BCIO

BRIDGE CLUB INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION

## BC PRESIDENTS SHARING MEETING REPORT

JANUARY 16, 2021



## Date

The BC Presidents Sharing meeting was held on January 16, 2021 at 12:00- 13:00 JST.

## Agenda

BCIO management team prepared an agenda prior to the meeting which was as follows:

- Review on activities and goals of Presidents sharing meeting held on October 2020
- Information on PA program 2021 and Smile Support Project
- Breakout room session
- Sharing time
- BRIDGE CLUB Goals and Evaluation point

## Participants

The BC Presidents Sharing Meeting was attended by 50 BC Presidents/ members.

## Program details

### Review on activities and goals

Erin, BCIO Assistant Manager, warmly welcomed all the participants. She quickly reviewed the previous meetings goals and asked participants to raise their hands if their BCs completed all the three goals. It was good to see most of the BCs actively completed all the three goals. All of the participants were motivated to join and publicize the BCIO common activity. Erin also asked everyone to promote the Smile support project, a fund-raising project developed by APCC.



**We are the BRIDGE**

*Who completed their 3 goals? They were to:*

- Promote Link by Link
- Promote the Smile Support Project
- Promote the Smile Streaming Concert

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## Information on PA program 2021 and Smile Support Project

Karuna, BCIO Secretary, shared details about the 2021 PA program application information. Due to Covid-19, 2020 PAs could not come to Fukuoka so APCC/BCIO management team has decided to re-invite those PAs in this year, if they meet the criteria set by BCIO. 2020 PAs were happy to hear this information. The PA application dates and announcement procedure was briefly explained.



In September 2020, APCC has started Smile support project. She expressed gratitude to those BCs who already donated and started collecting funds for APCC and requested everyone continue to promote and join the Smile support project.

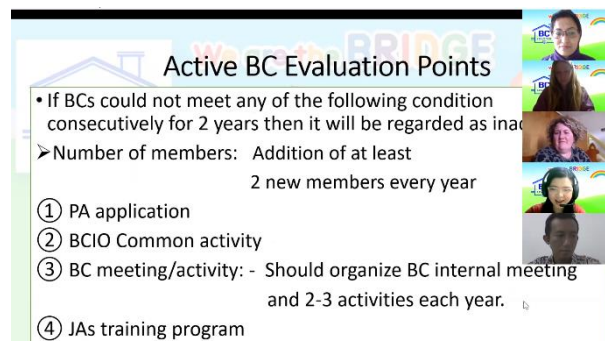
### Breakout room session:

Participants were randomly divided into 6 different groups where they discussed BC activity ideas to promote the Smile support project. All participants were encouraged to communicate to each other and share their ideas to promote smile support project. Then each group shared their ideas.

After presentation from each group, Arief, BCIO General Manger, thanked everyone for their generous support in APCC Smile Streaming Concert held on December 2020, he showed few clips of special version of 'We are the BRIDGE' song created for concert. He also asked everyone to cooperate and support the Smile support project.

### BRIDGE CLUB Goals and Evaluation points

Yamin, BCIO Assistant Manager, reminded all participants of the Active BC evaluation points. Every year in March, the BCIO management team will evaluate BCs according to their involvement and internal activities. If BCs do not meet the mentioned condition consecutively for 2 years then it will be regarded as inactive.



## Outcomes of BC Presidents sharing meeting

The participated BC Presidents decided three goals until the next BC Presidents sharing meeting.

### 1. Promote the common activity 'Link by Link'

Presidents will encourage their BC members to join this common activity and share their stories to BCIO. All submitted stories will be published in Link by Link blog. CA OMOIYARI points will be given to the participants who wrote an article regarding their meeting and submitted to the BCIO. Link by Link blog: <https://linkbylink.home.blog/>

### 2. Promote Smile Support Project

Smile support project is an online donation platform to receive financial contribution to APCC from all around the world. All BCs will promote Smile support project and appeal for donation in their BC families and big companies of their countries.

Smile support project details: <https://www.apcc.gr.jp/cms/smile-support-project>

### 3. Smile Support Fundraiser

We received many good ideas for fundraisers for the Smile Support Project. The Idea BCIO Management decided on was for each BC to produce and sell Smile Support Project Merchandise. The steps to complete this task are;

1 - BCIO to run a competition for any APCC participant to design a printable picture that is fun and represents the Smile Support Project.

2 - For each BC to design, produce and sell merchandise.

3 - For 100% of profits to be donated to the Smile Support Project.

Participated Members Name list

BC Name	Participant Name
Atlanta	Nithya Guthikonda
	Jamie Marlowe
	Debra Owen
Australia	Eliza Kate Raphael Dalton
Bangladesh	Arpon Antu
	Afsana Rokaiya Lima
Bhutan	Tshering Peldoen
	Thinley Namgay
Cambodia	Soem Sovandara
Cook Islands	Mareta Katu
Hawaii	Tierra Rika Nakamura
	Garrett Cho
Hong Kong	Lo Chung Hin
	Jayden
India	Ameya Chandak
	Nishant
Indonesia	Emma Taher
	Reza Aditya Purnama
Ipoh	Asyur AnwarBin Mustapha
	Nurul Aqilah Bustaman
Japan	Hayato Kawaguchi
	Haruka Namiki
Laos	Phiengfar Praseuth
	Aphivat Hansana

BC Name	Participant Name
Malaysia	Kim Lee Tze Hui
	Nurainaa Kabilmiharbi
Maldives	Mahid
	Abdulla Shiyaahu
Myanmar	Tsu Yamin
	Khin Yati Win
Nepal	Garima Khakurel
	Pragya Bomjan
New Zealand	Deejay Keenan
	Matthew Oxenham
Oakland	Brittany Nakamura
Pakistan	Fatima Tuz Zehra
	Saman Zahid Khokar
PapuaNew Guniea	Carol Lessi
Philippines	Julian Angelo Garcia
	Raia Alexis Gallardo
Singapore	Dinah Nazeem
Sri Lanka	Sanuja Kalhan Edirisinghe
	ThilunikaShehani Karunasekara
Solomon Islands	William Sanga
Taiwan	Szu Pin Huang
	Elvira Lee
Vietnam	Quynh Nguyen Truc
	Tuan Nhat Nguyen

### BC Work Group Coordinators

<b>Country</b>	<b>Name</b>
Bangladesh	Abdullah Al Zahid
India	Aman Paul Singh

### BCIO Head Office Members 2020

<b>Country</b>	<b>Name</b>
Nepal	Garima Khakurel
Pakistan	Muhammad Moiz Ashraf Qazi

### BC Presidents Sharing Meeting Organizing Team

<b>Country</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Designation</b>
Indonesia	Arief Adinoto	BCIO General Manager
Australia	Erin Maitland	BCIO Assistant Manager
India	Nidhi Parekh	BCIO Assistant Manager
Myanmar	Tsu Yamin	BCIO Assistant Manager
Nepal	Karuna Shrestha	APCC Coordinator/BCIO Secretary