

Cathy Yu – Pride of Workmanship – 4 July 2022

I would like to introduce, Cathy Yu.

Cathy is a General Psychologist in her working life providing; individuals, couples and family consulting and I imagine Cathy is very busy in the current environment - but Girl Guiding is her Passion in life and that shone through when she spoke to the Rotary Club at one of our recent meetings.

Cathy lives in the Cherrybrook area and enjoys the flexibility of her life/work here and the activities that Girl Guiding gives her to be out in the public.

As a child in Hong Kong, Cathy was a Brownie from the age of five, and then when she came to Australia, she discovered the Girl Guiding movement here and has now been with the Cherrybrook Guides for 6-7 years.

Cathy joined Cherrybrook district as a Junior Guide Leader during the time she was a Corrective Services Officer. Cathy was then promoted into the position of District Leader/Manager when the position came available.

She has held this role since and been a fantastic leader of adults in the district, supporting the Girls and Leaders at fundraising events and arranging for grants to enable the Guides to upgrade the flooring in the hall and then to redo the kitchen area. Cathy has been an absolutely fantastic support and friend to all the Guide Leaders. Cathy attends camps and events for all the units and if available will help out taking unit meetings if the Guide Leaders are short staffed or unavailable.

Cathy is what the Girl Guide movement is all about, encouraging the girls to excel in whatever they decide, supporting the Leaders, going out into the community, and selling Guides and our district.

When you talk to Cathy, she just exuberates Girl Guides and Cathy exemplifies what “Pride of Workmanship” is all about.

Congratulations Cathy.