



## **FACT SHEET**

The Lunar New Year Hong Bao Presentation Luncheon 2007 is an annual event organised by the **Singapore Maritime Officers' Union (SMOU)** and managed by **Wavelink Event Management**. The event, part of the Lunar New Year festivities organised by SMOU, celebrates the Lunar New Year with members of the maritime community and the elderly residents from various community service organisations and senior SMOU members.

- The Lunar New Year Hong Bao Presentation Luncheon 2007 has been an annual SMOU event since its original inception in 1992.
- This is the 15<sup>th</sup> consecutive year for the event.
- The Guest of Honour at the Lunar New Year Luncheon is Ms Grace Fu, Minister of State for National Development and SMOU Advisor.
- A total of approximately 320 red packets will be distributed at the Luncheon amounting to more than S\$11,000.
- By the end of the Lunar New Year festivities, a total of more than 500 red packets will be distributed, through a series of SMOU events, amounting to more than S\$20,000
- Since the commencement of the SMOU community outreach program in 1987, SMOU has contributed more than S\$2.1 million dollars through various charity projects over the years.

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- The attendance for the Lunar New Year Luncheon 2007 is approximately 700.
- There will be approximately 100 elderly citizens and volunteers present from the NTUC Eldercare
- There are more than 230 senior citizen SMOU members present at the event.

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