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Seoul Halloween Crowd Crush X

October 2022

An official period of mourning from October 30 to November 5 was declared as a result of the Itaewon tragedy. ANZA halted all social media promotions and postponed the delivery of the monthly newsletter out of respect for those mourning. ANZA Korea President Sunny Myung shared her condolences: "On behalf of ANZA Korea, we are all deeply saddened by the heartbreaking incident in Itaewon on October 29. Our thoughts and prayers are with everyone who has been affected by this sorrowful tragedy.

We send our deepest condolences to the families who have lost their loved ones and wish for a full recovery for all those who were injured. We have been reaching out to the community to support and meaningfully engage with our members wherever possible. We hope this can help to bring us all together to overcome our grief and struggles during these challenging times. If you need any help or support, please do not hesitate to contact us. Pray for Itaewon. ANZA Korea stands as one with Korea."

October Event Highlight - Taste of Australia

On October 7, the Australian Chamber of Commerce in Korea hosted the widely celebrated Taste of Australia event at the Millennium Hotel Seoul with the support of ANZA Korea. The event was a huge success, with a great turnout and attendees enjoying themselves thoroughly. ANZA Korea and AustCham Korea worked together to raise 12,500,000 KRW through the charity raffle. Proceeds will be donated to worthy causes: Salvation Army's 'Wow! Hearing Gift Campaign' and Caritas Cheongju's 'Sacred Heart Rehabilitation Center for the Deaf'.

Taste of Australia featured classic Australian Darling Downs wagyu beef, lamb and seafood, paired carefully with a vast selection of premium wines, beers and Australian-inspired cocktails. Highlights included the Southside Parlor Aussie-themed cocktail bar, the oppourtunity to meet Koko the Koala from the Australian Embassy, and the Australian Made photo booth which was quite popular. We thank all who supported the event including the ANZA Korea team, some New Colombo Plan scholars who volunteered, and all those who attended. We also congratulate the AustCham Korea team on a highly successful event.





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Past Event Recap October Pink Coffee Morning

The ANZA Korea community came together at FourB cafe, Gwanghwamun, on October 18 to enjoy Australian-inspired coffee and bagels while learning about the pink ribbon campaign. The pink themed coffee morning was hosted to bring attention to breast cancer awareness month.

We thank everyone who attended and donated funds for breast cancer research by purchasing pink ribbon items from Estée Lauder Korea and hats from our friends at the American Women's Club!



On October 24, the walk was hosted at Haneul Park (World Cup Park). On October 26, the walk was at Seokchon Lake, Jamsil, followed by a dinner at Bonny's Pizza. Finally, on October 27, there was a walk at Dongdaemun, with tickets to the event selling out! The walk was followed by a "chimaek" – or chicken and beer – dinner.

The total amount of funds raised through these events were announced at the November Coffee Morning with ANZA, BASS and AWC on November 2 so keep reading to see the results!



Past Event Recap Walk For Hope Campaign

ANZA Korea teamed up with the British Association of Seoul (BASS) and the American Women's Club (AWC) in order to host a series of charity fundraising "Walk for Hope" events as part of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

Three separate "Walk For Hope" 5 kilometre walks were hosted, with members of the community banding together to fundraise through donations and purchases of pink ribbon items.

Photo credit: British Association of Seoul



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Past Event Recap ANZA, AMC & BASS Coffee Morning

ANZA Korea, AMC, and BASS hosted a joint coffee morning on November 2 to share breast cancer survivor stories and wrap up the October Breast Cancer Awareness month fundraising efforts. Collectively, around **1,700,000 KRW was raised**, with Joan Hoffman being presented the highest donation award. Thank you Joan Hoffman and all others who donated funds to support breast cancer research. We also thank Brera for providing us with a delicious lunch, over which we shared truly inspiring stories.

Additionally, attendees held a minute of silence for the victims of the recent Itaewon tragedy that has deeply impacted the local community. This moment provided an opportunity through which to reflect on how crisis and tragedy can bring together communities to foster healing in difficult times.







Support ANZA

<u>Visit our website to</u> <u>donate</u> ANZA Korea continues to work hard behind the scenes supporting our local charities. The last few years and adjusting to our new social norm has certainly been challenging for businesses, charities and our community. ANZA Korea remains committed to working with our charities as best we can. We are 100% a non-profit association so we welcome any donations from our community. If you would like to donate, please click on the link to our website. No amount is too small to help us achieve our mission.



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ANZA KOREA WELCOMES YOU!

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

ANZA Korea welcomes all nationalities to come join our community.

Yearly membership is KRW50,000 and begins from **01 August**.

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Cathay Pacific Flights

We are pleased to announce the enhanced flight schedule of dedicated ANZA sponsor Cathay Pacific Airlines, serviced by their state of art A350-1000 fleet.

Cathay Pacific operates in 4 cities (Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, and Perth) in Australia and 1 city (Auckland) in New Zealand. If you are planning to travel to Australia, <u>special fares</u> on Cathay Pacific are now available to book.

We wish all ANZA members safe and happy travels to and from Korea, Australia and New Zealand!

CATHAY PACIFIC

Destination	Incheon - Hong Kong	Hong Kong - Australia	Schedule
SYD	19:35- 22:40	23:55- 12:00+1	Every day (*except Tue, Thu)
MEL		00:25+1- 12:25	
BNE	15:00- 18:10	21:55- 08:30+1	Every Tue, Sun
PER		21:25- 05:05+1	Every Mon, Wed, Sun
AKL (New Zealand)		21:25- 13:25+1	Every Tue, Thu, Sat



2022 Year End Grand Hui (Kiwi Chamber)

November 23, 2022 Conrad Seoul

American Women's Club Charity Gala

November 26, 2022 Four Seasons Hotel Seoul

AustCham Korea Networking Night

November 30, 2022 @6:30pm Blacklist Bar & Restaurant, Itaewon

More exciting events to be announced soon - stay tuned!



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