

Leader's Leader

20-21 Outstanding Leadership Awardee

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The burning sun has been shooting out dazzling flames, there is a single wobbling boat in the endless ocean. After experiencing violent waves and thunders for days, everyone on the boat is desperately yearning for the arrival of an oasis. At this moment, all of your sailors' lives are counted on you. You have the power of bestowing hope and faith on them with just a single sentence and a simple gesture. However, no matter how painstakingly you have been encouraging them, the sinister fate still could not be altered. Why? It is because being a competent captain requires not only to be knowledgeable and caring; more importantly, he must have a clear goal and direction. Otherwise he will just doom his sailors to an eternal wandering in the dangerous sea. Therefore, a leader needs a 'leader'.

What is 'a leader's leader'? I think it is the purpose of a team. I was honored to be the chairlady of the Western Dance Club for two years. During the time, with my tenacity, enthusiasm and through understanding the purpose of the establishment of the club, I was able to guide my fellow members towards our goal. I truly hoped that the Western Dance Club could provide a professional platform for students to learn the basic dancing techniques, limb coordination and rhythm; a place where students could discover and nourish their talents. I would like to see also members from different forms to support each other, build a strong rapports and long-lasting friendships through dancing. With the power given to me as Chairlady, I strived to create a harmonic, gleeful atmosphere for members to sustain the purpose of the establishment of the club. My responsibilities were definitely not limited to recruiting members, contacting the coach and scheduling trainings, as our regular dancing practices were more than just an extra-curricular activity. Having a thorough understanding of my club's core values and mission, plus good communication with my members empowering me to successfully lead all of us voyaging to the utopia through ups and downs.

We did not have much chance to take up leadership role during our senior years. However, if we serve others with a grateful heart, intrepid courage and perseverance, we certainly can overcome the ominous storms and see the breathtaking rainbow in the once again sapphire sky with our trusted teammates.