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PAGE DESCRIPTION Short sayings of the Buddha (Dhammapada stanzas 17 and 18) President's visit to the Langri Tampa Centre Buddhist Chaplaincy Course Part 1 (2017) (enrolments continue)

Buddhist Chaplaincy Course Part 3 - Mental Health

SHORT SAYINGS OF THE BUDDHA (SET 8 SELECTED FROM THE DHAMMAPADA)

'Here he suffers, hereafter he suffers. In both states the evil doer suffers. Evil have I done, thinking thus he suffers. Furthermore having gone to a woeful state, he continues to suffer. (Dhammapada 17)

'Here he is happy, hereafter he is happy. In both states the well-doer is happy. Good have I done, thus thinking he is happy. He is happy still when he is born in a blissful state. (Dhammapada 18)

President's Visit to the Langri Tampa Centre

I recently visited the Langri Tangpa Centre situated at 535 Old Cleveland Road, Camp Hill. It is housed within an old converted church which gives it a certain warmth of character. And, adding to its charm is the effervescent Miffi, resplendent in her colorful garb. She is the daughter of Inta McKimm who started the Centre at her home in Newmarket in 1982. When Inta passed away Miffi ensured that the Centre continued and in 2007 they moved to their present premises in Camp Hill.

Their activities are many. There are classes in Buddhism and Yoga throughout the week as well as public talks with guest speakers and one day courses. These are attended by many people who gather in either the main hall or the smaller hall downstairs. The Centre also runs a comprehensive library, a gift shop and a tea room.

Anyone interested in learning about Tibetan Mahayana Buddhism is most welcome here. More information can be found on their website www.langritangpa.org.au

Below is the President with the very colorful and warm-hearted Miffi in the library of the Langri Tampa Centre.





The main hall at Langri Tangpa Centre

BUDDHIST CHAPLAINCY COURSE PART 1 FIFTH REPETITION

The course is continuing on schedule.

HIGHER LEVELS OF THE BUDDHIST CHAPLAINCY COURSE-PART 3

Part 3 of the Buddhist Chaplaincy course is about mental illnesses and remedies found in Buddhism. It commenced in February and is continuing.

Details of other training and education courses conducted by QSA will be announced in this newsletter or on the website of QSA

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