

Pun U Association Wah Yan Primary School



The Pun U Association Wah Yan Primary School handchime team, founded just three years ago, won the Gold Award in the Handchime Junior 1 (Urban) class at the ninth School Handbell Competition held on May 7 at PHC Wing Kwong College.

Eleven of the 16 members were new this year, so stage fright was a challenge during the early rounds in April. Adjudicators encouraged the team to play their own choice, *Joyful Praise*, with more contrast in the

change of mood between sections. Finals chief adjudicator Kay Cook of the US praised Wah Yan for “singing the words with their bells” and their “great stage presence”.



A Wah Yan player displays the spirit of the *Joyful Praise* piece