

## PPC Meeting 16<sup>th</sup> September 2014

### Reflection

**There is an old African saying that the right hand washes the left hand, the left hand washes the right hand; in this way, both hands are clean. Together, both hands help to keep us clean.**

**Consider also this story from Asia. A Japanese husband stood with his wife and their son and daughter on the platform at a meeting. In staccato English he said “I am father. I am like coconut. Hard outside - soft inside. This is mother. She is like peach. Soft and lovely outside – hard inside.**

**“This is son. He is like banana. Soft outside, soft inside, not straight and very slippery. This is daughter. She is like chestnut. Prickly outside and explodes when heated. But now we are all changed. We make good fruit salad.”**

**We all have something to contribute. Together we can achieve our aims and objectives.**