Best Title Award 2nd Runner Up

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Title:	Thanks for giving me a hole.
Picture:	
Caption:	A tree in front of the construction site is given a hole to grow.
Commentary:	Trees are useful because they can improve the air quality by absorb excess carbon dioxide and release oxygen. They are important in balancing the gases in the atmosphere. Moreover, forests are homes for wildlife and contain many different species. However, the population raises rapidly, the demand for land also increases. People cut more
	trees for fuel and clear the forest for different kinds of human activities, such as farming and building. The other reason behind cutting trees is that timbers are needed to make furniture and paper. Logging destroys the ecological system. Meanwhile, industries and car will release a large amount of greenhouse gas. This will intensify Global Warming.
	Hong Kong is now promoting Green Living which is to improve the environment. In my opinion, the first condition of Green Living is that we can see trees everywhere. The more the trees, the better the environment. Fortunately, application is needed before cutting a tree in Hong Kong.
	From the photo, the tree in front of the construction site is given a hole to grow. This shows that our community can coexist with nature if we think thrice before we decide to cut down a tree. Saving trees and forests is a mission before we can fulfill our Green Living dream.

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