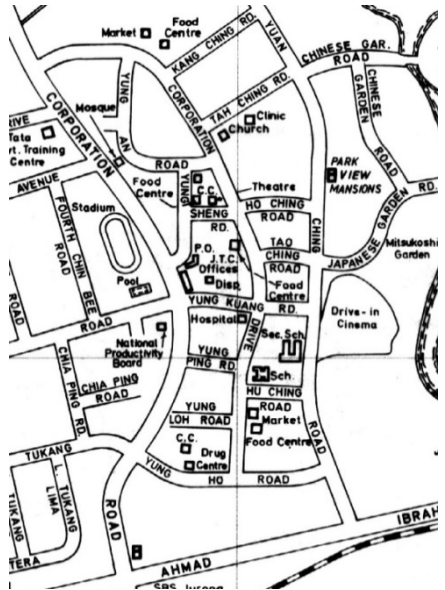


The meaning of Tah Ching Road

Rev Samuel Wang sent us a little history of the road names of Taman Jurong dispelling the rumor that a road was named after the PM's wife.

The even numbered Taman Jurong roads were renamed “_____ Ching”, continuing the garden/ scenery theme from Taman Jurong.

- Yuan Ching Road (园景 “garden scenery”), formerly called Taman Jurong 2.
- Hu Ching Road (湖景 “lake scenery”), formerly called Taman Jurong 4.
- Tao Ching Road (岛景, “island scenery”), formerly called Taman Jurong 6.
- Ho Ching Road (河景 “river scenery), formerly called Taman Jurong 8.
- Kang Ching Road (岗景, “ridges scenery”), formerly called Taman Jurong 10.
- **Tah Ching Road** (塔景, “pagoda scenery”), formerly called Taman Jurong 12.



The odd-numbered Taman Jurong Roads took on romanised Chinese names which embodied Chinese value of eternal progress such as:

- Yung Loh Road (永乐, “eternal happiness”), formerly Taman Jurong 1.
- Yung Ping Road (永平, “eternal smoothness/ steadiness”), formerly Taman Jurong 3.
- Yung Kuang Road (永光, “eternal brightness”), formerly Taman Jurong 5.
- Yung Sheng Road (永升, “eternal rising”), formerly Taman Jurong 7.
- Yung An Road (永安, “eternal peace”), formerly Taman Jurong 9.

Hope this slice of history will help us to remember all the similar sounding road names around JCC.