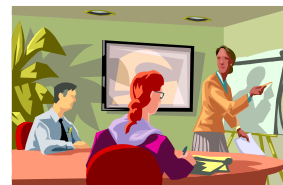


THURSDAY, 15TH SEPT 2011

PARENTS CURRICULUM EVENING – Wednesday, 21st Sept

Next Wednesday, we hope to provide parents with more information as to what is taught at School, with a presentation on 'Assessment and Achievement.' Parents will assemble in the hall for a 6.30 p.m prompt start, and at 7.00 p.m.



Year group teachers will welcome parents to their classes to share with them class routines and plans for this first term. This is an excellent opportunity for parents to find out more about what happens at School.

We will have books that parents can use at home on sale / display from Wednesday to Friday next week.

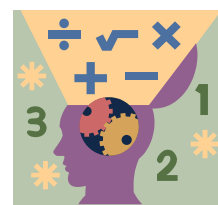
SCHOOL CHOIR



Congratulations to our School Choir for its performance at the Mid-Autumn/Lantern Festival at the Penang Town Hall last Saturday. Thanks to Ms Lubby and Ms Catherine and Ms Yi Ying for their excellent support to our choir in providing opportunities for them to perform.

MATHS CHAMPIONS

Over the holidays, last year's Maths Year 6 team were awarded the MASMO (Malaysian Asean Schools Maths Olympiad) Platinum Award in Kuala Lumpur. Last Friday, the Chief Minister of Penang, Mr Lim Guan Eng invited our team for a special presentation at his office in recognition of our School team achieving the highest award out of all the Primary Schools in Malaysia.



DALAT SHOOL

Thanks to Dalat School for making presentations to our Year 6 classes yesterday. There will be a presentation to parents of our Year 6 children in our School Staffroom on Tuesday, 20th September 2011 at 6.00 p.m so do please come along to hear more about what Dalat has to offer as a choice of Schools for your children after they complete Year 6 at SCIPS.

MALAYSIA DAY -16th September

Tomorrow is Malaysia Day where the country celebrates the unity of East and West Malaysia. It was wonderful seeing children dressed in Malaysian costumes today to celebrate this special occasion. Tomorrow, the School will be closed as it is a public holiday.



COLLECTION

Please ensure your child is collected promptly at the end of the School day. We do have a handful of children who are left behind and are late being collected. This is not fair on them as well as the School. We do keep a record of these and will follow up with parents who are regularly late collecting their child(ren).

Please be aware of your child's after school activity as we have had some parents/drivers coming in to collect the child at the wrong time.

CONDOLENCES

The School would like to pay its last respects to Datuk David Choong who was a founder Governor of the School and gave such a long, dedicated and loyal service to St. Christopher's. Datuk David peacefully passed away on Saturday, 10th September 2011.

YEAR 6 PARENTS

On Thursday and Monday, Year 6 children that have applied for the position of 'School Prefect' will be interviewed by Mr Durling and the class teacher and we wish them all the very best with their interviews.

Our Year 6 children have the opportunity to put themselves forward to being Prefects, House Captain and Librarians as we encourage them to take on roles of leadership.

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Due to the lower than anticipated take up in the Year 3 & 4 football activity on a Tuesday afternoon, it is not possible to do the activity at soccer experience for the whole term. Therefore we will continue to go to soccer experience during the first half of term but after half term we will carry out the activity on the field at school

NEXT WEEK

Monday, 19th Sept - Year 4 parents meeting at Y4CW classroom regarding the Residential visit at The Roots in Ipoh. (3.45 p.m)

Wednesday, 21st Sept - Curriculum Evening Presentation to Parents
(no children, please) at 6.30 p.m in the School Hall

Thursday 22nd to] FOBISSEA Office Managers Conference in Taipei
Saturday 24th Sept] Ms Sow Lai and Ms Christina to attend



LOOKING AHEAD

Please be advised that **ALL** After-School Activities for **Monday, 3rd October (including Bahasa)** will be cancelled. Please ensure that you make arrangements for your children to be collected at normal end of School times on this day. Your support is much appreciated.

PTC CORNER

A diary date from the PTC: Friday, 14th October – Halloween Disco.
Further information to follow.