



ST CHRISTOPHER'S INTERNATIONAL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Principal's eNews

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Dear Parents

A few weeks ago you would have received the St Christopher's School Association Annual Report and Accounts 2017/18 and on Wednesday evening the school held its 56th Annual General Meeting (AGM). I would like to acknowledge all the Governors for their continual support, guidance and advice as well as thank all the parents who attended and contributed to the meeting.

End of School Pick Up

Please remember to inform the class teacher or the school office as soon as possible if someone other than you is collecting your child. The teacher will not release your child to another person with out your authorisation.

Parent Workshops

Thank you to all the parents who have attended the Wednesday morning workshops. All presentations are shared with the parents through Flexibuzz. I have been asked if they can be recorded and we are looking into this for future workshops. Workshops coming up are Playbased Learning at SCIPS, Maths Calculation Policy, Learning Logs in IPC and Bullying.

World Maths Day

On Thursday 7th March, we will be holding a whole school Maths Day. The theme is Harry Potter and the children are encouraged to dress up. They will be working with their buddy class before tackling Maths challenges in their Houses.

School Disco

We will be holding a School Disco on Friday 15th March 5.00pm - 8.00pm. Events such as this enable the school community to come together and relax. As usual, there will be food and drinks on sale.

New Teachers come into School

This week we welcomed Hazel Smith, one of our new teachers in to the school for her Look and See visit. We will welcome others after the April break.

Hazel has been recruited and will join the school later this year in August. However by bringing her over for a week, we are able to start the induction process. She spent the week meeting the children and staff, teaching and observing lessons, learning about the school and seeing Penang. Very few International schools utilise a Look and See Visit, but we find it invaluable and I know that new staff appreciate the opportunity to make connections and understand more about where they will be living and working.

Parent Teacher Conferencing

We will be holding our Term 2 Parent Teacher Conferences on Tuesday 19th and Thursday 21st March and you will receive an email regarding the online booking system soon. This system will allow you to book your own interviews from your computer, tablet or mobile phone.

Enjoy your weekend

Martin Towse