



# ST CHRISTOPHER'S INTERNATIONAL PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Principal's eNews

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Dear Parents,

On Thursday 14th November the St. Christopher's School community were very pleased to welcome 160 teachers from across Asia, to Penang for the 3rd Biennial FOBISIA Teaching Community Conference. With a theme of FOBISIA Shares, the emphasis was on teachers coming together to share, not only their practice in schools but also their experiences of international teaching. Alongside the teachers we were extremely fortunate to have the experience of our well-renowned keynote speakers; the most followed educational blogger in the UK - Ross Morrison McGill (@teachertoolkit) and Lisa Jane Ashes (Veema Education).

On Wednesday, Year 5 performed their musical production 'Hoodwinked'; their take on the classic tale of Robin Hood. There was good versus evil, drama, comedy as well as romance. The children were amazing and were confident and expressive in their two performances. A big thank you to all those involved in preparing and supporting the children, with a special mention to the parents who assisted with the costumes and props.

Please keep checking our Facebook page for full details of these and all our other events.

### Last Day of Term

On the last day of term, we will welcome Santa to the school and the children will spend time with their Buddy Class. Once Santa has arrived at 8.45 am, he will remain in the school entrance foyer and the children will come down to greet him. Parents are welcome to take photographs in the foyer.

Parents are also welcome to go to the classes at 11.00 am when the children will be holding a Year group party. If parents would like to have a family or sibling picture with Santa, you are welcome to collect your children at 11.45 am and bring them to the entrance.

Parents are welcome to take their children home from 12.00 pm with EY and siblings departing at 12.30 pm from the front of the school. All other students will depart at 12.45 pm

Please do note that it will be a non-uniform day, but we ask that the children wear clothing that is red, green and/or white.

### Upcoming Events

**Wed 4th** - EY Concert

**Thu 5th** - Christmas Concert

**Sat 6th / Sun 7th Dec** - Sports Weekend

**Mon 9th** - Junior House Football

**Wed 11th** - Y5/6 Swimming Gala

**Fri 13th** - Santa's Visit / Last Day of Term

### ASA Programme

All Teacher-led ASAs have finished today. Only External Providers will continue next week.

### The Giving Tree

At the front of the school near the Cafe, a Giving Tree has been set up. This charity initiative has been organised by parents. Please see the flyer attached which explains how to support them.

Enjoy your Weekend

Martin Towse