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1 Nov 2022

FROM THE DESK OF THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents / Guardians,

We are approaching the end of the 2022 academic year and what an eventful and memorable year this has been! Before we round up the year, let me share with you some of the important administrative matters as well as some upcoming events in the school.

1. ACHIEVEMENTS & ACCOLADES

Conferred by the Academy of Singapore Teachers (AST), the Academy Award for Professional Development recognises and affirms MOE officers and partners for their contribution to the professional development of the teaching fraternity. We are pleased that our Lead Teacher (Mathematics), Mdm Ng Lay See, is one of the proud recipients of the award this year. Our heartiest congratulations to Mdm Ng!

At the same time, there are also thirty-two Yu Neng staff who have received the MOE Service Excellence Awards this year! The MSEA is an MOE-wide award that recognises MOE staff who are passionate in their service delivery; consistently serve internal and external customers with C.A.R.E (Collaborate, Anticipate, Reach out, Empathise) and inspire their colleagues to do likewise. We are indeed so proud of all our colleagues for their achievements!

MSEA Gold Awardees

*Alawiah Bte Hosni, B Kartiany, Chew Lye Hock Roonie, Eymani Helmi,
Goh Hong Buay, Ho Wei Hao, Leanna Lyn Gaffar, Liew Siew Meng,
Lim Hui Ling, Lim Yew Chai, Lin Yanyi, Low Kok Chiah, Neo Li Royston,
Ngo Xiu Fen, Ong Boon Leng, Phang Yan Fen, Rohayu Bte Mohamad,
Ruzana Abdul Rahim, Siti Nuraishah Rosli, Syafiqah Bte Mohd Faiz, Tan Ah Im,
Tan Meng Kee, Toh Su Yen, Yeo Chi Kin Shawn, Yok Joon Meng, Zuhaila Md Jizan*

MSEA Silver Awardees

*Cai Han Feng, Chew-Chua Siew Hoon, Marlina Bte Mohamed Noor,
Muhammad Firdaus Bahrin, Xu Qianhao, Zhu Xiangjun*

2. UPCOMING EVENTS & UPDATES

2.1 Sports and Cultural Immersion Program 2022

As part of the school's Learning for Life Program (LLP), the annual Sports and Cultural Immersion Programme provides opportunities for selected Sports CCA students to hear from accomplished sports personality as well as to engage in conversations with students from our overseas partner school via Zoom. This year, it will be held on Thu 10 Nov 2022. The emphasis on sports education and values-based activities strive to nurture students' sense of global and cross-cultural awareness.

2.2 P1 Orientation (for 2023 Primary 1 cohort)

This year, Primary 1 Orientation for the 2023 Primary 1 cohort will be held on Fri 11 Nov 2022, from 2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. Parents can access online resources related to the P1 Orientation on our school website from Tue 1 Nov to Fri 4 Nov. Zoom details will be released via Parents Gateway closer to the date of the event.

2.3 P6 Graduation Party

To celebrate and mark the completion of our Primary 6 Class of 2022 students' primary school journey at Yu Neng Primary, we will be having the Primary 6 Graduation Party on Mon 14 Nov 2022 from 3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

Our Primary 6 Class of 2022 will be having a special Graduation Party specially organised by the school. We hope to create a memorable afternoon for them to reflect on the journey they have taken together and also remind them to continue to live up to our school motto "Light up and Shine!". Our heartiest congratulations to the graduating Class of 2022 and we wish them all the best as they start the next chapter of their educational journey. More details will be provided in a separate letter released via Parents Gateway closer to the date of the event.

2.4 P5 Science Engage Programme

P5 Science Engage Programme is a key Science programme organised to generate greater interest in Science and observe and apply Science topics that are beyond what is taught in the classroom. It complements the school's efforts to enhance our students' understanding and appreciation of abstract Science concepts. During the workshop on Tue 15 Nov 2022 during curriculum time, students will be engaged in various Physical Science sessions that build on Science topics in P5 and P6 syllabus - Electricity, Energy and Forces as well as Life Science on Environmental Conservation. Each student will be provided with his/her own set of Science experiment materials to actively participate in the process of scientific discovery and learning. In addition, they will also be given a take home kit after every session to reinforce his/her learning and to spark his/her curiosity and interest in Science learning.

2.5 Meet-Parents-Session 3

Our third virtual Meet-the-Parents session has been scheduled on Wed 16 Nov 2022 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. for P1 to P5 levels. This session aims to provide a platform for Form Teachers to speak to parents/guardians of **selected students**. Please note that **all students need not report to school on that day**. More details on MPS3 will be provided in a separate letter released via Parents Gateway closer to the date of the session.

We believe and are committed to building effective home-school partnerships to bring out the best in every student. We encourage parents of the **selected students** to make time to meet the Form Teachers.

2.6 I Love YNPS

I Love YNPS is a Values-In Action (VIA) programme in Yu Neng Primary School that aims to instill values such as responsibility in our students by caring for the school environment. On Thu 17 Nov 2022, all students will be involved in a mass clean-up of their personal spaces such as their tables and lockers. Students are required to bring wet-wipes or a rag on that day to do their part in keeping their environment clean and hygienic. Students are also encouraged to bring a reusable bag throughout the last week of the term to school so that he/she is able to take his/her items, which are stored in the lockers, home.

2.7 87th Speech and Prize-Giving Day

This year, our 87th Speech Day and Prize-Giving Ceremony will be conducted on Friday, 18 Nov 2022. **Except for the students who will be receiving prizes or who are involved in the event, students need not report to school.** The theme “My YN Story Continues” celebrates the achievements our students have attained and how we are looking forward to their next chapter. Parents of the prize-winners will be notified via Parents Gateway and invited to attend the ceremony in the school hall.

3. IMPORTANT THINGS TO NOTE

3.1 2023 Book and Uniform Sale Schedule

Students will receive the 2023 Booklists on Tue 15 Nov 2022. It is also available for download on our school website from Tue 15 Nov 2022. Walk-In Sales dates for books and uniforms are listed in the table below. Parents are reminded to adhere to the allocated date/s for the purchase of books and uniforms for the different levels as stated below and to bring along the 2023 booklist given to your child. The operating hours are 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.

To avoid having to wait in queues, we strongly encourage you to pre-order your textbooks via Pacific Bookstore’s on-line ordering service <http://www.pacificbookstores.com> from Tue 15 Nov 2022 onwards.

Day	Date	Levels
Thu	24 Nov	P1 & P2
Fri	25 Nov	P2 only
Mon to Tue	28 to 29 Nov	P3 only
Wed to Thu	30 Nov to 1 Dec	P4 only
Tue to Wed	6 to 7 Dec	P5 only
Thu to Fri	8 to 9 Dec	P6 only
Mon	19 Dec	All Levels
Tue to Thu	27 Dec to 29 Dec	

3.2 Release of PSLE Results

The tentative date of the release of PSLE results 2022 is on Wed 23 Nov 2022. Parents of P6 students are advised to check the newspapers and/or tune in to the television/radio stations for announcements and confirmation of the actual date of release of results. All P6 students are to be attired in school uniform when they report to school to collect their PSLE results.

3.3 Important Dates to Note

Dates	Reminder
Fri 11 Nov	Admin Day All students need not attend school as teachers will be processing results on that day.
Wed 16 Nov	Meet-Parents-Session 3 All students need not report to school on that day. Form Teachers to speak to parents/guardians of selected students.
Fri 18 Nov	87th Speech and Prize-Giving Day Only award recipients and selected student leaders are required to report to school.

3.4 Advisory for the Coming School Holidays

SPF, CNB, NCPC and NCADA have jointly provided an advisory for schools to remind students to stay away from crime and drug and inhalant abuse. The advisory (Annex A) alerts students to dangers of common crimes such as online scams, and encourages them to protect themselves from becoming victims of crime. HSA and HPB have also prepared an additional advisory (Annex B) on the laws and harms of vaping. We would like to encourage all parents to share this information with your child to complement school efforts in educating students on staying away from crime and taking measures to avoid being victims of crime.

3.5 Important Announcement on SLS

The Singapore Student Learning Space (SLS) will be temporarily unavailable during a system upgrade from Wed 30 Nov 2022 until the evening of Thu 1 Dec 2022. After the upgrade, your child/ward will be able to enjoy a single sign-on experience to SLS using the MOE Identity Management System (MIMS). Your child/ward has been briefed on the new login procedure and you may refer to the attached poster to assist your child/ward. Should your child/ward have difficulties logging in to MIMS, he/she may contact the school for assistance. Thank you for your understanding as we enhance the system.

SINGAPORE Student Learning Space

Simplified Login to SLS

COMING TO YOU ON 1 DECEMBER

1 Login with SLS
Use your existing SLS username and SLS password

OR

2 Login with MIMS
Use your MIMS username and MIMS password

MIMS Portal
Please login to your MIMS account. For School Staff, your MIMS login ID ends with @schools.gov.sg. For HQ Staff, your MIMS login ID ends with @hq.moe.gov.sg.

Having difficulties signing into your MIMS/Student iCON account?
Ask your teachers for help or fill up a request form at this link (<https://go.gov.sg/ynpwdreset>)

SYSTEM UPGRADE NOTICE: SLS will be unavailable on Wednesday 30 November and Thursday 1 December 2022.

4. GOING FORWARD

We want to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to parents and stakeholders for your partnership and support.

Do have a restful holiday break. We would like to wish our parents and students who are celebrating Christmas, a very meaningful and joyful celebration with family and loved ones. **School term will commence on Tue 3 Jan 2023 for the 2023 Primary 1 cohort and Tue 3 Jan 2023 for Primary 2 to 6 students.** Students are to report to school by 7.30 a.m.

My staff and I look forward to welcoming your child back to school in the new and exciting school year.

Yours-in-Education

Mr Ng Yeow Ling
Principal