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Dear Parents/Guardians,



TPS Celebrates

Singapore Primary Science Olympiad 2016

Eight pupils were selected to represent Tampines Primary School in the Singapore Primary Science Olympiad 2016 on Saturday, 9 July 2016 which was held at NUS High School of Mathematics and Science. Pupils went through the Theory Round and only shortlisted participants were invited for the Practical Round. Our heartiest congratulations to Sakthi Ramachandran from 5 Care who has clinched the Gold award in the Practical Round.



National Arts Education Blaze Award 2015

English to Tamil Translation Competition

Tamil Pattimandra Kalai Kazhagam organized the English to Tamil Translation Competition. It was held on Saturday, 6th Aug 2016 at Woodlands Regional Library. Our P1 and P4 pupils participated in this event. The results is as follows:



Character and Citizenship Education



Student All-Round Development



Teaching and Learning



Staff Well-Being and Development



Partnership



Lotus Schools Green Audit Award

Balu Charna	P1 Care	1st prize
Yuvika Suresh	P1 Hope	Consolation
Parthiban Swathi	P1 Passion	Certificate of Participation
Gayathri Raghavendran Pranav	1 Grace	
Karthik Aradhana	1 Passion	Certificate of Participation
Rahul Singaram Senthilkumar	P4 Care	
Manikandan Sweda	P4 Love	
Shanmugasundram Padmanaban	P4 Faith	

Strategic Thrust 1: Achieving Academic Excellence

MOTHER TONGUE LANGUAGES SYMPOSIUM 2016

1. The Mother Tongue Languages (MTL) Symposium is an annual event co-organized by MOE and Mother Tongue Language Learning and Promotion Committees (MTLLPC), with support from the Lee Kuan Yew Fund for Bilingualism (LKYFB), Chinese Language and Culture Fund (CLCF), the Bicultural Taskforce (BCT), the Early Childhood Development Agency (ECDA) and the Singapore Press Holdings.
2. The theme for this year, "A Garden for Joyful Discoveries", will explore how MTL learning can be a fun and fulfilling discovery experience, extended beyond classrooms to the home, environment and community.
3. Targeted at educators, MTL academia, parents of young children and the general public, the Symposium provides a platform for the exchange of ideas among educators and parents on our children's learning of MTL. The event will feature 28 sharing sessions and workshops, 43 exhibition booths by pre-school centres, schools and our partners showcasing innovative teaching



methods and community programmes, all-day language performances and activities. Details are as follows:

Date: 20 August 2016 (Saturday)

Time: 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Venue: Suntec Singapore International Convention & Exhibition Centre

Strategic Thrust 2 – Nurturing Leaders of Character

Go Green Post Event Write-up

The Go Green school wide event was successfully conducted from 12th – 21st July 2016 with the theme “Save My World”. The main objective of this event is to heighten awareness on the importance of going green and to be a caring and concerned citizen for our environment. Level and recess wide activities were carried out in school to educate our pupils on the steps they could follow to save the environment. Tampines Primary School has also partnered Veolia Singapore in the recycling of newspapers and we have collected a total weight of 1000kg of newspapers. Well done pupils!

Strategic Thrust 4 – Engaged Staff In a Vibrant Environment

Tampines Primary School would like to warmly welcome our Vice Principal (Admin) Mr Ng Cheong Ann and Miss Chan Jia Shuan Nikki Untrained AED (LBS) who joined the TPS family on 15th August 2016.

Others

Reminder: 2016 PSLE Oral Examination

The PSLE Oral examination will be conducted on **Thursday 18 August and Friday 19 August**. All Primary 6 pupils are required to come to school on the two days according to the reporting time given to them.

All P1 to P5 pupils need not report to school on these two days. School work will be assigned accordingly to facilitate self-study at home.

Have a good week ahead!

With warmest regards,

Miss Veronica Tay
Principal

