

SJIIM Weekly Update

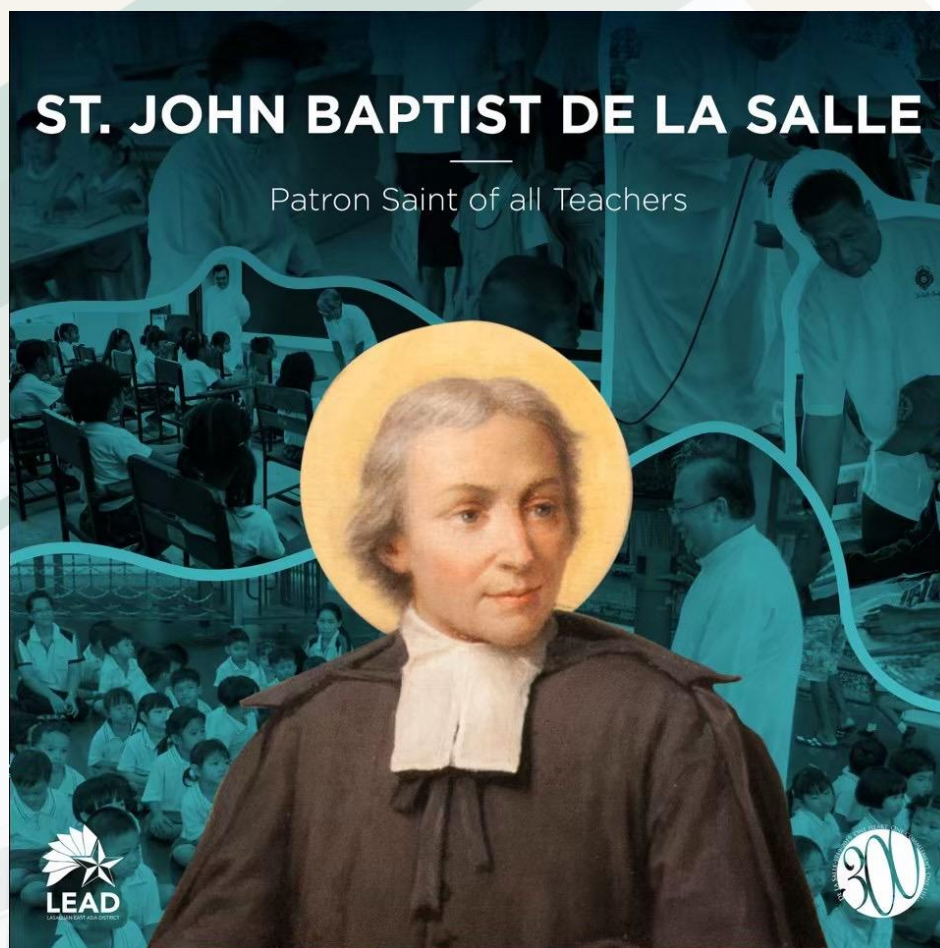
17 May 2019



Brother Jason's Lasallian Reflection

Dear Lasallians,

We celebrate our Prime Inspirator - Happy Founder's Day 2019!



Yours in De La Salle,

Br Jason Blaikie, FSC
Founding Brother Director



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Whole School Update

Tuesday 21st May 2019

There will be no school for students on this day.

Chinese New Year break 2020

The dates for the Chinese New Year break, 2020, have had to be adjusted as follows:

School will be closed from Thursday, January 23rd to Wednesday, January 29th inclusive.

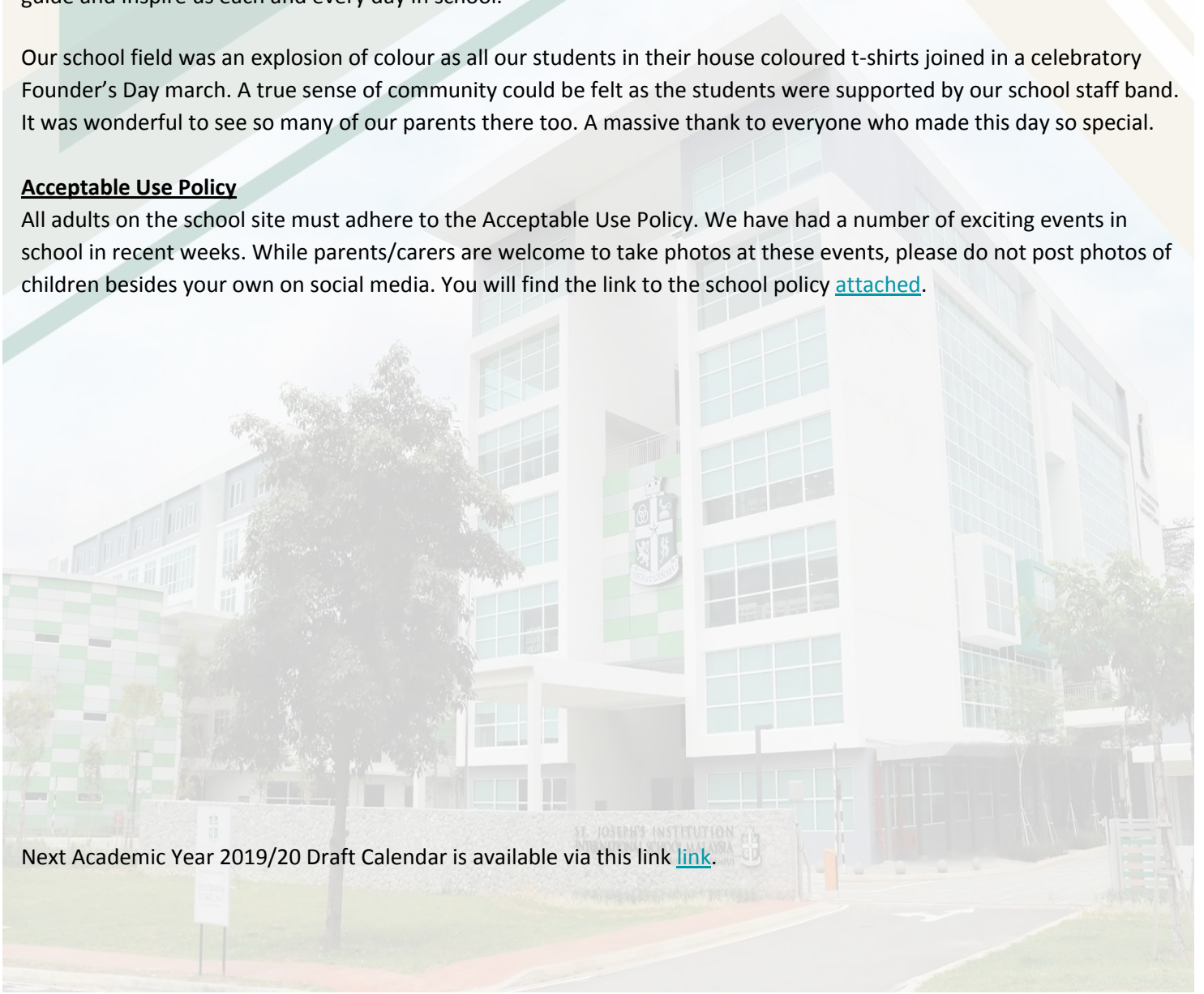
Founder's Day & Community Event

Thank you to all who helped to make Founder's Day so special marking 300 years of Lasallians making a difference across the world. It was fantastic to see our school community celebrating together, and particularly to welcome back Br. Thomas. Many thanks to all the parents who joined in the celebrations. A special thank you to our PSG who helped to organise the Founder's day cupcakes and to the parents who created our wonderful Lasallian star. May it continue to guide and inspire us each and every day in school.

Our school field was an explosion of colour as all our students in their house coloured t-shirts joined in a celebratory Founder's Day march. A true sense of community could be felt as the students were supported by our school staff band. It was wonderful to see so many of our parents there too. A massive thank to everyone who made this day so special.

Acceptable Use Policy

All adults on the school site must adhere to the Acceptable Use Policy. We have had a number of exciting events in school in recent weeks. While parents/carers are welcome to take photos at these events, please do not post photos of children besides your own on social media. You will find the link to the school policy [attached](#).



Next Academic Year 2019/20 Draft Calendar is available via this link [link](#).

Elementary School Update

Founder's Day

Founder's day May 16th 2019 was a huge celebration and the Lasallian ethos of our school was fully captured. It was fantastic to have Brother Thomas back in our school to share in the fun.

We would like to thank Fr Gerard Louis CSsR who flew in from Singapore to lead us in our special Founder's mass and to everyone else who contributed to making our mass so special and heartfelt. Brother Thomas closed the mass with some special words- "Be brothers and sisters with each other, take care of each other".



Monstersaurus at SJIIM

Our ES children enjoyed a genuine theatre experience in the auditorium on Tuesday afternoon and were enthralled by the *Monstersaurus* show. Thank you to all parents who supported this venture. We hope to bring more shows to the school in the future so that we can continue to inspire our children with a love of literature through drama.

SJIIM Jog-a-thon

We would like to invite you to participate in an event, held in SJIIM, hosted by the House Captains. This is a charitable event where we will be raising awareness for 4 specific charities chosen (1 for each house). The event is a Jog-a-thon and will be held on the **24th of May** on the SJIIM field. Each child or parent will run around the field as many times as they can and each time they complete a lap it will go toward the total distance covered by the house in support of their charity. Each year group and class will have a specific time to run and should try their hardest to motivate others and themselves to do as much as they can. Students will be wearing their house coloured T-shirts and should have sports footwear which is appropriate for running. Each student will receive an energy pack which has been kindly donated by the PSG. The time slots for each year group are shown below.

Year 1 and 6S : 8:15-9:00, Year 2 and 6I :10:30-11:30, Year 3 and 6J :9:00-10:00, Year 4 and 6M:11:30-12:30, Year 5 and Year 6 :1:30-2:45

We would like to warmly welcome all Parents and members of the community to participate too!

Thank you! From : SJIIM ES House Captains!

Contact information

If you are travelling/working abroad please inform the ES office and Nurse station with a contactable number. In case of an emergency, we will need the name and number of the person who is taking care of your child in Malaysia.

High School Update

Make A Difference Project

Our HS teachers, through the 'Make A Difference PLC group' have started a clothing donation drive to keep supporting the Myanmar refugees of the Zomi Education Centre @ Kota Damansara. They are collecting items that could be donated to this orphanage / shelter. Please drop any items you would like to donate to the Lasallian Mission Centre. Specifically, we are looking for the following:

Pillows
Drying Rack (Dishes)
Drying Rack (Clothes)
Shampoo
Body wash
Towel
Toothbrushes
Toothpaste
Combs
Tables
Water filter/dispensers
Kitchen Knives
Chopping Board (Big)
Dish Cloths
Washing Liquid
Clothes
Sponges
Toilet Paper
Washing Powder (Clothes)
Laundry Baskets (with lid)
Storage units



End of Year Exams for Year 7- 10 & 12

The end of Year exams will take place on:

23rd- 31st May Year 10 and 12

27th- 31st May Years 7-9.

Please click [here](#) to access the exam schedules. These have already been shared with students via the student portal. These will take place during the school day. All students are expected to attend school as normal. The exams will cover material that has been studied throughout the school year. Teachers have provided students with more details regarding each exam and particular areas of study. The exam results will be reported on as a separate grade in the Term 3 reports.

Student-Led Conferences (SLC) Yrs 7- 10 & 12 on Monday, 1st July

As published in the Calendar, the final Student-Led Conference of the academic year will take place on Monday 1st July. Further details will follow closer to the date. There will be no lessons for High School Students on this day. Students will be expected to attend their SLC appointment.

CCA during exam 23rd May - 31st May

Please take note that CCA will go on as usual during Y7-12 exam period.

High School Update

The Tempest - KL Shakespeare Players



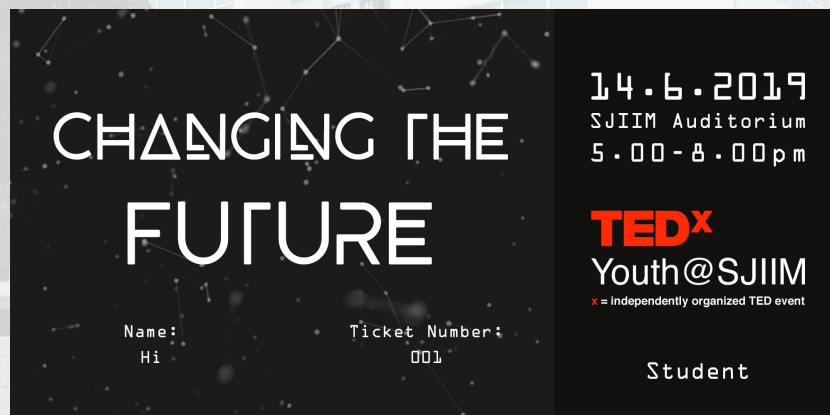
On Friday, 10th May our Year 7-9 students were treated to an incredible performance of Shakespeare's "The Tempest" performed by the KL Shakespeare Players. The reimagined version of the play was directed by renowned British theatre director David Glass, and transformed SJIIM's auditorium into a desolate plastic-strewn island. The clever staging was enhanced by the creative use of lighting, sound, shadow work and smoke machines. Our students were caught up in the story of Prospero and his daughter Miranda living on a deserted island, while the evil character of Antonio provided the "villain" to Prospero's "hero". The students took part in a Q&A session at the end of the performance, and the actors were very impressed with our students' engagement with the play and the variety of questions they asked. This was a wonderful opportunity for SJIIM students to watch good quality live theatre, and is something we hope to be able to provide more of in the future!

TEDx Event (TEDxYouth@SJIIM) - Changing The Future

Dear Parents and Students of SJIIM! On behalf of the SJIIM TEDx team, we would like to invite you to an inaugural TEDx event (TEDxYouth@SJIIM) on the 14th of June from 5pm-8pm, at our School Auditorium. The price of a ticket costs RM20. The theme for our event is: **"Changing The Future"**

Our event will star 4 speakers: Dr Carol Yip, Mr Christopher Wong, Mr Eshaan Menon and Ms Joyce Lai. Here is some [brief information](#) regarding the speakers. If you are interested in attending this event, please email Ms Bee Ling at beelingpeh@sj-international.edu.my in the High School Office to book a ticket, after which, please have your child pay us the ticket fee of RM20 during our ticket sales time, at lunch. Shortly after, an e-Ticket will be emailed to you.

We thank you for your support!
The TEDx Team



Useful Links



[ES Student Absence Form](#)

[HS Student Absence Form](#)



[PSG - UMMC Visit](#)

[PSG - Character Development
for Parents](#)

[PSG - Parent Virtue Talk](#)

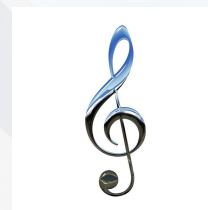


[Sports Website](#)



[ES CCA Website](#)

[HS CCA website](#)



[Music Website](#)



[ES Parent Calendar](#)



[Staff Email Addresses](#)



[Sodexo Term 3 2018/19
May menu](#)



[HS Parent Calendar](#)



University News
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