



ST JOSEPH'S INSTITUTION
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL MALAYSIA
(TROPICANA PJ CAMPUS)

"Enter to Learn, Leave to Serve"

Important Dates:

Upcoming Events:

17th Nov - Odd Socks Day

23rd Nov - Mass

30th Nov - Advent Services

2nd December - Christmas
Bazaar

Message by Ian Hayes, Head of Humanities

Humanities Week 7th-11th November

This week we held our annual 'Humanities Week', where the students spent tutor times on Tuesday and Thursday carrying out activities on the various Humanities subjects. This culminated in a 'Big Humanities Quiz' on Friday, with students working in house teams in a general knowledge quiz based on the Humanities subjects. The idea of the week is to give students a taste of subjects that they perhaps have not studied before but may wish to next year, or to look at a different aspect of a subject that they would not cover in their regular Humanities lessons.

The Year 7, students were looking at the Paleolithic period, and the lifestyle and culture of humans who lived over 10,000 years ago. Next week they will finish this by creating their own Paleolithic cave painting. In Year 8, students were focussing on Geography, by creating posters on destinations they would like to travel to. Year 9 students completed a 'lobster fishing' activity based around Economics, whereby they played a game in which they have to decide how best to distribute their lobster pots in order to make maximum financial gain whilst minimising the risk. In Year 10, students examined Philosophy, and in particular the moral relativist and moral absolutist arguments surrounding whether to return a supermarket trolley. Year 11 students carried out research into some famous Psychology experiments, for example Milgram's experiment on obedience, and discussed the ethics of such studies. Finally, Year 12 were also looking at Philosophy, in particular the utilitarian and Kantian ethics in relation to the famous 'trolley problem'.

We are also inviting students to showcase their artistic and creative talents through two Humanities competitions. In one, students will produce and submit a short documentary on a Humanities topic of their choice. In the other, students will be designing a Humanities based mural to be painted on the wall opposite the lift in the Humanities corridor. More details will follow on these, and we look forward to seeing what our students come up with.

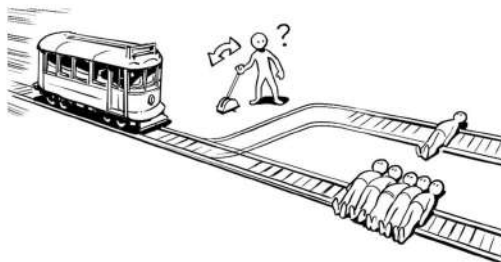
I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Humanities team for their hard work in creating all the activities for the students, and the students themselves for their enthusiasm and effort when completing them.

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Catholic and Christian Life.

In Catholic CCA the children enjoyed the story of Noah and the arc. We discussed God's promise to the world and finally, we made rainbow crafts to remind ourselves of God's promise to never flood the Earth again.



Upcoming Masses 12:30pm

We look forward to celebrating Mass on Wednesday November 23rd in our school chapel with Father Lawrence. This Mass is for students and parents in Year 3 and above.

Christmas Mass 12:30 pm

Wednesday December 14th

Advent services

Wednesday November 30th	Year 1- Year 3	Drama room at 08:15 am-09:00 am approx
Wednesday November 30th	Year 4- Year 6	Drama room at 10:30- 11:00 am approx
Wednesday November 30th	High school	Drama room at 2: 00pm- 2:45pm approx

Please use the sign up sheet [HERE](#) for the Mass on Nov 23rd- Year 3 and above

Moms in Prayer and the Parents' Rosary Circle

Focus of these gatherings: To pray for our children and the school community.

Open to parents of all school divisions.

SJI Moms-In-Prayer is part of

<https://momsinprayer.org>.

This activity is for non-Muslims only

Moms in Prayer Upcoming meetings

18th Nov - Online

25th Nov - Online

PARENTS' ROSARY CIRCLE

**THURSDAY
10 Nov 2022
8:15-8:40 AM**

This month's intention:

- For the upcoming Malaysia general Elections GE15.
- For the WSC students visiting Yale.

To join please email:
ccc@sji-international.edu.my
This activity is for non-Muslims only.

EVERY 2ND THURSDAY OF THE MONTH
Join us each month to lift the SJIIM community in prayer. Just one decade of the Rosary and Christian fellowship as parents gather to pray for our children, teachers & school.

ORGANIZED BY THE CATHOLIC CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY

PSG Update



Save the date - 2nd December 2022!!

Once again, PSG will be hosting the annual Christmas Bazaar after 3 years.

If you are interested to showcase/sell your products, you can set up your stall at the foyer for just RM100 per booth.

Do drop us an email at psg@sj-i-international.edu.my if you would like to book one by 18th November (Friday).

Come and join us on the 2nd December (Friday: 8:30 am to 4:30pm).



Christmas Classroom Door Decoration Competition 2022

Calling all students & teachers from every class!

The PSG's Yearly Whole School Christmas Classroom Door Decoration Competition is back from 7th - 25th November.

Get together, have some fun and dress up your classroom door with your best christmas holiday cheer. Fantastic prizes will be given for the merriest door!

Winners will be announced on 5th December. Let's bring the holiday spirit into every hallway and classroom!



World Scholar Cup

Best of luck to our WSC teams, accompanied by Ms Ellis and Ms Battle, who are now at Yale University in the USA competing in the Tournament of Champions. In total, 30 of our students from Junior and Senior Division are there to compete.

Whatever the outcome, this is a once in a lifetime opportunity to visit, debate and compete at such a prestigious university.

We look forward to hearing all about their experience!

Odd Socks Day! Thursday 17th November 2022 Anti-bullying Week



This year's Anti-bullying week will be marked with a whole school dress up initiative. We encourage ALL of our students to come to school on Thursday wearing odd socks. This simple act of unity shows that we appreciate and celebrate our differences because we know that this is what makes our community wonderful in every way!



Top up lunch cards

Ello would like to ask that you check that your child's lunch card has been topped up. In doing so, Ello will not need to back date the billing, which can sometimes cause confusion.



KLSL - U11 Basketball Cup

We took two boys teams and one girls team to the KLSL u11 basketball competition. The Boys B team had a tough day, playing against other schools A teams but they battled extremely hard and improved every game. Our boys A team had slightly more success but just narrowly missed out on 3rd place. The girls managed to win their 3rd place playoff and walked away with the bronze medals. A great day of basketball with lots of learning and development.

AIMS - U13 Football Finals



We attempted to host the AIMS football cup finals this week, with both our U13 boys and U15 girls winning their first matches 2-0. We would only have had to win 1 more match to be crowned champions however, the competition ended early due to a storm.

AIMS - U9 Benchball Round 1



Our boys and girls teams both welcomed opposition squads from Sri KDU and MKIS this week for a series of friendly games. It was a fantastic opportunity for all the students who have attended the CCA to experience a taste of matchplay and work on their skills and tactics. The games were all played in fantastic spirit and a special thanks must go to all the parents and family members in attendance who provided amazing support to all four of our teams and generated an awesome atmosphere in the MPH.

AIMS - Primary Swimming - Overall Champions!



Under 9 Boys Champions
Under 11 Boys Champions
20 Gold, 18 Silver,
14 Bronze Medals

Our school emerged as the overall champion again this week as they competing among 8 other schools in the AIMS Primary Swim Meet at IGB International School on Wednesday. It was a very close call with the second place school just a few points away from us. Our swimmers swam their very best in all their events. We were proud to see their determination and fighting spirit throughout the entire swim meet. We admired their team spirit supporting and cheering each other on. With this achievement, we hope it inspires our young swimmers to achieve greater heights. Special mention to Phoebe for being courageous as she came in to substitute for the relay team at a very short notice, only one day prior to the swim meet as our swimmer could not make it. Well done swimmers, congratulations! Many thanks to our dedicated and supportive swim parents, our swimmers are lucky to have you! Thank you Coach David and Coach Keith for your fantastic coaching. Thank you Mr Long for being there with the team and helping out in running the meet - Coach Zyanne

AIMS - U18 Netball

Our U18 netball team travelled to AISM on Wednesday for a tournament which they won! The students showed great determination, reacting first to loose balls and battling all the way to the end of each match.

Results:

AIMS 4- 15 SJI
BSKL B 3-19 SJI
TIS 12-19 SJI
KLASS B 7- 22 SJI



FIXTURES FOR NEXT WEEK (W/C 14.11.22)

- Tuesday, 15th Nov - AIMS - U9 Benchball Finals @ IGBIS
 - KLSL - U13 Girls Netball - King Henry VIII
- Wednesday, 16th Nov - AIMS - U11 Basketball Finals @ SJIM
 - KLSL - U13 Girls Football Cup @ SJIM
- Thursday, 17th Nov - U13 Boys Football vs BSKL @ The New Camp



TTRS Battle

In assembly today we launched a Times Table Rock Stars competition between Years 4, 5 and 6. All coins and points scored using any game in the app will count towards their year group's grand total. The competition will run from 14th - 18th November and we will announce the winning year group in next week's assembly. Good luck!



Year 2 trip to Royal Selangor 'School of Hard Knocks'

Our year 2 students had a very busy time on their trip to The Royal Selangor museum. They learned all about the family behind this wonderful company and even got to shape and make their own pewter bowls and take them home. Special thanks to our parents (Auntie Sora, Auntie Ha Nguyen, Auntie Lisa, and Auntie Lynn) who all came along and offered their support.



5J trip to Taman Tugu

This morning, students from 5J took part in a conservation workshop at Taman Tugu. In IPC and our service learning lessons, we have been learning about the impact that our decisions can have on our environment - so it was amazing to hear from an expert on how to conserve our local rainforests. After the workshop, they went on a short hike around the trails. The whole class enjoyed the trip and they are excited for their friends in 5S and 5I who will go on the same trip soon.



Birthday Treats

If you wish to send in a treat for your child's birthday, we encourage you to send in small, healthy treats or a single cupcake.



Virtues Introduction Session (for new families)

To sign up for the workshop please follow this link:
Closing Date is 18th November 2022 (for translated workshops)

Closing Date is 25th November 2022 (for English workshop)

Tuesday 22nd November (08:15 am - 09:15)

The Virtues Project- With Mandarin translation

[SIGN UP LINK](#)

Wednesday 23rd November (08:15 am - 09:15)

The Virtues Project- With Japanese translation

[SIGN UP LINK](#)

Thursday 23th November (08:15 am - 09:15)

The Virtues Project- With Korean translation

[SIGN UP LINK](#)

Tuesday 29th November (08:15 am - 09:15)

The Virtues Project (In English)

[SIGN UP LINK](#)



ES Production: Beauty and the Beast

We are extremely excited to launch our Elementary School production, Beauty and the Beast. Students are required to sign up for auditions. (See details below)

Please note, rehearsals will take place during the Production CCAs for Term 2 and 3.

Acting & singing auditions:

Monday 21st November (3 pm)

Thursday 24th November (3 pm)

Dancing auditions: Wednesday 23rd November lunch (12:30 pm)

To sign up:

Students are reminded to fill in their name and class on the sign up sheets at the end of each ES corridor (opposite ES Computing Lab, opposite staff room and outside 4S)

Sign up closes Thursday 17th November at end of break



[ES Student Absence Form](#)
[HS Student Absence Form](#)



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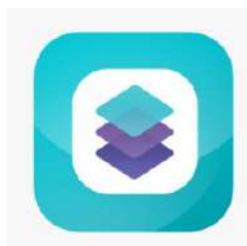
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