# SJIIM Weekly Update 3rd November 2023

**Important Dates:** 28th November - Y9 Options Evening

**Upcoming Events: 10th November - Deepavali Dress** up Day 17th November - Deepavali Gala **16th November - Digital Parenting** 24th November - ES Open Morning

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

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# **Open Morning Elementary School**



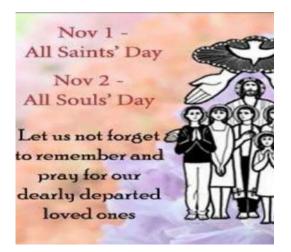
Our next Elementary School Open Morning will be held on the 24th of November 2023, Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 10 a.m. Please help us share this information with any of your friends who are interested in learning more about our Early Years and Elementary School.

We would like to invite them to join us for this enriching and informative session, during which our Deputy Principal (Elementary School Leader) and Assistant Principals will provide insights into our elementary school programmes, teaching methods, and the wide range of co-curricular activities.

Registration link: https://www.sji-international.edu.my/es-open-morning/

### **Catholic and Christian Community**





This week marks the feast of All Souls Day. In school a special rosary service took place in our school chapel. Prayers were offered up in memory of those who have died and for those who are suffering. With the help of all the saints in heaven, may the Lord send comfort and hope to people all over the world who are in need right now of God's love and protection.

### **PSG Update**



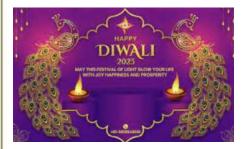
### **SJIIM Christmas Bazaar**

Begin the Christmas season at SJIIM's Annual Christmas Bazaar on 1st December 2023. This event is proudly organised by the SJIIM Parent Volunteers (SPV). We are inviting vendors, volunteers and sponsors to be part of this year's festivities.

Come join us by filling in the forms below: <u>Vendor form</u> or <u>Parent Volunteer/Sponsorship Form</u>.

# Elementary/ High School Update







#### **Unity Week**

As part of Unity Week (Nov 20th- Nov 24th) we will be hosting a range of interactive storytelling sessions for students in Years 1-3, led by a local children's author Vanaja Dhanan. Her book **Chi Ki Cat** tells a beautifully illustrated story about friendship and love. Signed copies of the book will be on sale from November 6th-21st. For more information about the book and the author, please see the flyer attached- <u>HERE</u>.

We look forward to welcoming Vanaja Dhanan and Chi Ki Kat into our school community.

#### **Deepavali Festivities**

Thank you to our Parent Volunteers Group for the amazing Deepavali decorations that are currently up around school. It feels truly festive and we look forward to our Deepavali dress-up day (10th November) and the parent-run Deepavali Cultural Gala (17th November) with great excitement. We hope to see everyone there on Friday 17th (3:30-6pm)

#### Year 6 Residential

We welcomed home our year 6 students today, as they returned from their trip to Port Dickson. The children showed fortitude and cooperation in the activities they did over 4 days. Sea kayaking, raft building, jungle trekking and essential camp crafts offered challenge and fun for all. The trip culminated today in a keenly contested marble run competition and then the children received their certificates and special camp tshirts in recognition of their achievements. We would like to thank all the SJIIM staff involved in making the trip possible, the Wilderness Malaysia instructors for their superb care and expertise and all of the children for the respect, enthusiasm and adventurous spirit they showed.





#### Students in the Lifts

We would like to remind all parents that they are not permitted to bring the students up to class in the lifts in the morning. Students should all proceed up the stairs to their classrooms. If they have a medical need, they can get a lift passes from our school nurses.

#### Save the date - Y9 Options Evening

<u>Tuesday, 28th November 2023 at 4.30pm</u> Further information has been sent via email and is on the <u>Year 9</u> <u>Parent Google Classroom</u>.

The link to the IGCSE Options Handbook is also here.

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# Useful Links



Online order guide

HS Booklist 2023/24

ES Booklist 2023/24

Sports Fixtures Website