A message from our new supervisor

I would like to thank all parents for your continuous support and care!

This has been a very challenging year for us, with the first batch of DSE students, and also with the last cohort of ST students: we would not have been able to sail through this stormy water without your understanding and love.

Indeed, you have been our trusting partner, and together, we would like our girls to develop and mature into noble, loving and caring young women. In the process of growth and development, the girls have been going through various challenges, both psychological and physical; they have been trying to affirm their identity, their self-worth and their abilities. They themselves have been sailing in stormy waters, and were you there to comfort and support? Yes, we were there to build a fort where they can feel safe; where they can dare to be different; where they can create and err. We were there to guide them as they move into the community; to appreciate, to care and to serve.

The happiness in life is made up of little things, a smile, a hug, and a moment of shared laughter! Your contribution, of whatever kind, brings forth happiness, joy and comfort to everyone, and particularly to your daughters.

I trust that in unison, we will continue to strive and be strong, so as to fulfill our mission and promise to our girls!

God bless you.

Dr. Maria Lee

June is a nerve-racking month for all students (maybe more for the parents) due to the final examination. Now that is over, we can all lay down our burden and look forward to the long summer holiday ahead of us.

June is also a sentimental month for it is time for the graduates to sing "auld lang syne". This year's graduation is unique as E6 and E7 students graduate at the same time.

It is extremely emotional seeing these familiar faces finally leaving the school, after witnessing their growth for over a decade. However it is sensational to realize that these young ladies are ready to brave the world, paving the way for their own future.

To remind them of the school in which they have received education for 12-13 years, the PTA has presented them with a set of document folders printed with magnificent pictures of the school and reflecting the history of the MCS heritage.

Young ladies, though you may not be around as often as you have been, you are always in our minds. Do remember us, the mums and dads of the juniors to whom you have been mentors.

The PTA also takes a break from its activities for now. We have had an active and harmonious year, thanks to the enthusiastic support and participation of our members. Apart from the normal activities, the highlights for this school term are:-

+ We have replaced all the chairs in the Lecture Room.
+ We held a sharing meeting "Walk Along the Pathway of Growth with Our Daughters" which was a full-house success.
+ A visit was made to a school for mentally disadvantaged children (attended by 24 MCS students and 22 parents).

With this term of office nearly coming to an end, I have mixed feelings. I have enjoyed working with the teachers, Exco members and of course all the parent members, who have given their full trust and support to make all projects and activities successful. I am sure that you will continue to give the same support to the incoming Exco as that you have given to us.

Dear Maryknollers, it has been a sensational privilege working with you and getting to know you.

Lorraine Tsang
School Catholic Week

The Test 'n' Taste Stall was definitely a highlight of the Catholic Week. The PTA parents generously contributed to the food store. They prepared all kinds of desserts and snacks, which attracted all the students. We became very enthusiastic about answering biblical questions, as a food coupon was distributed for every correct answer. The Test 'n' Taste stall was quite crowded as the store was extremely popular among the students.

Thank you to the PTA for being so generous. I look forward to taking part in the same event next year.

3A Lauren Chan

今年是我第一次參加這件「盛事」。在水果日的小食時間，我歩步慢慢地，正準備到小食部買東西的時候，發現在PTA房間外有些義工家長在賣水果，水果盒既洋氣又便宜，吸引不少同學來品嚐。此活動十分有意義，深受同學們喜歡。

JE Flora Li
Bā Mā Day

The Ba Ma Day was really fun! My classmates enjoyed it a lot. One of my classmates spent quite a lot of money on flowers for her mother. Other classmates of mine bought the DIY string packs to knit bracelets together with their best friends, representing their friendship that will be ever tied up. Seeing my classmates so happy, I think this Ba Ma Day was really successful!

IE Tivian Lo

I found this activity very meaningful. On the one hand, it reminded me of the love and care from my parents. On the other, I was worrying what I should buy for my mother as Mother’s Day approached while I was having my common tests and I was too busy to go shopping. Luckily, there was the Ba Ma Day which gave me a chance to shop and I bought a pot of flowers. I hope the PTA will organize this event again next year.

3B Catherine Chan

On 3rd of May, my daughter brought me a surprise after school. She gave a pretty packet to me with a big kiss and told me “I love you, Mom, Happy Mother’s Day!”

She bought a very nice gift from the stalls of Ba Ma Day at school with her pocket money. In the pretty packet, there was a lovely pink bear carrying a hand-made greeting card holder. My daughter prepared a small card with her own message to me: Love you always, Mom!

On Mother’s Day, she made another handicraft gift for me, another big surprise. She followed the style of the gift bought on Ba Ma Day and made another lovely gift for me.

Thanks very much to the PTA helpers. They taught the girls to make a special gift for their parents on the Ba Ma Day. This brings a long lasting sweetness to the parents’ heart.

Parent of Bethia Cheung ID
Connie Chan

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PTA舉辦的水果日，我深深感受到家長的責任感。雖然其他同學製作的水果盒較精美，但我們仍以最快的速度完成工作，過程十分流暢。雖然小組在休息時才發現這個活動，但透過家長們的努力，水果盒很快就售罄。感謝各位家長的支持，相信各位家長一定會樂意幫助我們。

IE Flora Li 家長
May Chan
Thanks to the support and effort of so many people involved, the PTA has successfully replaced all the chairs in the school Lecture Room.

The Lecture Room is a very important venue in which dramas, debates, rehearsals and talks are held. Some students attend art lessons, watch videos, do self-study there too, etc.

On behalf of all PTA members, we hope the new chairs can offer more comfort and convenience to those who use them.

PTA Chairlady
Lorraine Tsang
Sharing Meeting “Walk the Growth Path with Our Daughters”

Before the meeting, 100 of us enjoyed a hearty breakfast prepared by the PTA, giving us an excellent opportunity to get to know each other. The Lecture Room was packed; more chairs were brought in, while some late comers even had to stand. Ms. Marie Chan gave us directions on how to help our daughters to prepare themselves effectively for “Liberal Studies”. She also shared with us her views and experiences of her 17-yr old daughter who is studying F.5 in England. Ms. Barbara Chan shared with us the ups and downs of her relationship with her 2 daughters in various circumstances. Her problems were echoed by many other parents. Mrs. So gave us her professional opinions on both the academic and behavioral problems of this generation. Have we become wiser after this meeting? Of course. Yes! We have also received a bonus – we know that we are not alone!

Parent of Lena Tsang 4D
Lorraine Yiu

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Quest Fun Fair 2012

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家長義工協助參加者換取禮物。因為人數眾多，禮物很快被換領一空。
我参加了多年的親子烹飪班。今年的烹飪班比往年更多姿多彩。導師團隊包括家長Kitty Ho – Irene Lam – 主席Lorraine和導師Macy。短短兩小時內，她在現場指導，我們學習並製成多款甜品——芒果忌廉撻、朱古力熱米撻、豆腐奶撻和意大利芝士蛋糕（Tiramisu）。

我在家中也經常製作甜點。在導師的悉心指導下，我不單學會製作這幾款甜品，還從多位導師身上學會不少烹飪技巧。我在家中親自試用，製作出美味而精緻的甜品，女兒和丈夫也讚不絕口。

4E Chelsea Yip 家長
Amy Cheuk

The cookery class organized by PTA was wonderful. It not only taught us how to prepare delicious desserts, but also provided us with a good opportunity for Mum and child to work together in making goodies. We enjoyed the whole process very much. I would like to express our sincere thanks to the PTA members for being the course tutors as well as the organizers. The Cookery Room was full of joy, laughter and of course all the yummy desserts, which were glutinous rice balls, soya bean pudding and tiramisu.

1E Rachel Li 家長
Jennifer Leung

時光過得真快！回想過去一年家教會舉辦了多個「美食班」，當中最令我難忘的是「茶葉蛋製作班」，那次活動由一位外傭級家教貓導師，德高望重我們試食事先準備的「茶葉蛋」，香燻茶葉和蔥香配合得宜，美味無比。原來家教中加入用「茶葉」烹調，加上三、四天醃製才成，真的是活到老，學到老，希望來年家教會能繼續舉辦不同的活動，讓家長們參與及分享，多謝！

2D To khi Chu 家長
Kenny Kan

五月十五日，家教會舉辦了一年一度的「端午節嘉裏班」，當天早上，會長已準備好包粽的材料，並將它們分派。首先，由豐富經驗的導師介紹裹粽的技巧和秘訣，家長們都用心學習，最後各人都成功裹了富有自己風格的粽，每隻粽都充滿愛心。回到家中，我迫不及待地將粽子烹調，好讓家人品嚐我的努力成果。雖然沒有太大驚喜，但對我來說，這個端午節節可別具意義。

1E Pearl Hui 家長
Willa Tong
東華三院群芳啟智學校的探訪

六月十四日(星期四)，我和女兒在家教會的安排下，到東華三院群芳啟智學校探訪。

未進校門，我已擔心現時的同學會否對女兒無禮，或作出一些令我難堪的事情。原來這只是我無謂的猜想。這些青少年只是身體困難，因而智商比平常人低，外貌與常人有差異而已。

其中最令我難忘的是小女孩佩珊。她只有六歲的外貌和一個令人感到詫然的面孔。我教導她放鬆時，她全程都是擺出無知閨閭的模樣：可是，她做手工時那份堅毅不屈的精神卻感動了我。我不相信自己竟然因她臉上露出天真爛漫的笑容而多次擁抱她。

回家後，她的笑容不斷在我的腦海浮現，我不知道為甚麼常常想著她，懷念她。上天沒有給她美麗的面孔，沒有給她健康的身體，卻默默地接受，其令人佩服。

同學們，我們要珍惜天主給我們的一切，懂得感恩，不要辜負祂給予我們的恩典，

1E Janet Chan 家長
Kammy Chan

手工藝班

我對於插花及絲花的製作，一直有着濃厚的興趣，可惜終始沒有動力去接觸。一直忙於私人事務的我，在機緣巧合下，參加了家教會舉辦的絲花製作班。此製作班由一位熱心家長任教，從準備教材到上課，她一絲不苟。為了鼓勵我們，她還爲了一個自製的花球，送給我們當中製作得最好的家長。我們都很認真及投入地學習，希望到最後能得到她的稱讚。一直都沒有抱太大期望的我，只希望可以完成她對我們的要求，最後我竟然可以得到她送的花球。更令我驚喜的是：我認識了一群新朋友，一羣隨和友善的家長，得到很大很大的滿足感。

5A Stephanie Yiu 家長
Barbara Chan

美容班

怎樣防曬、去斑、為皮膚補水、護理暗瘡等等 - 美容師 Shirley

為我們一一解答。她還即場送給我們一些美膚試用裝和簡易美容湯水食譜。她提供一個實用、省時、省錢的美膚 DIY 秘方：利用看電視的時間，用橄欖油加砂糖，擦手及腳十分鐘，既可磨砂，亦可同時滋潤皮膚。

參加這個分享班，我們學會很多自己和女兒保養及改善皮膚的秘訣。誰敢說「歳太暗易做」！

1C Jennifer Chan 家長
Davia Leung
One of this year’s projects that was unanimously agreed on was for the PTA to produce a set of plastic document folders with cover pictures showing various scenes or architectural features of our School.

The final selection of 8 photographs showing some old and some current can in PTA exco members’ opinion, highlight the architectural charm which a lot of us take for granted.

Our "Heritage is something all Maryknollers are proud of. After viewing our proposal for the selected photos, Sister Jeannie Houlihan, who now resides back in the US, right away offered a message reminding us of our roots.”

Chief Editor Amy Wong was so enthralled that the two different folders depicting the Past and the Present of our schools main building together with Sister Jeannie’s message have been selected as the covers for Set A and Set B.

We dearly hope that you will enjoy owning these folder sets.

Parent of Lena Tsang 4D
Dennis Tsang

Dear Graduate,

Embrace every new encounter, yet treasure your past, the places, the faces, the footprints you have left behind.

To remind you of one of the most important parts of the MCH heritage, we present you with this gift on your graduation.

Though you may not be around as often as you have been, you are always in our minds.
With love from the PTA members.

June 22, 2012

多謝Lorraine和Amy的努力，以學校校舍為設計重點的塑膠文件夾終於問世。第一次看到它們，便覺得很有歸屬感，校園真的很美！作為中一學生的我，在短短一年間所產生的歸屬感，定必比不上在這兒天天上學的學生，相信這兩套文件夾必令她們愛不釋手。因此，家教會特別為今年的畢業生送上這份心意。

正如其中一個文件套上所寫，我們美麗的校園內，載滿了每一位瑪利諾學生的青澀歲月及回憶。就讓我們把美麗的回憶，跟文件夾一起帶回家吧！

IB Sonia Wong 家長
Anita Tung
New Souvenirs 2012 全新產品

"Heritage" is something we Maryknoliers are proud of.

Therefore, we produce these new A4 size plastic folders showing our school's unique architectural scenery.

Two different sets (Set A and B), each consisting of four folders of different designs.

They are now available at the reasonable price of HK$50 for each set of four.

Recycle Bags printed with the MCS logo and a meaningful pattern.
3 colours to choose from (Purple, brown and black with stripes)
HK$15 each.

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Voice of Parent-tutors 家長導師心聲

I've been a reading mum in another school for a few years but this is my first year at the secondary Reading Club at Maryknoll Convent School. Although it does need some time for preparation before each meeting plus strength and drive to pull me to the meeting, once I step in the room, I don't want to leave. It's very enjoyable to listen to others sharing and to play a part in the Reading Club. It's interesting to know what other people are reading. At the end of each meeting, I do look forward to the following meeting because I learn a lot from all the speakers and participants.

Parent of Kristina Kong IB
Alice Augusto

在女兒升中一的時候，為了鼓勵她參加Reading Club，自己亦藉此參與Reading Club的活動，所以我便開始擔任家長義工。初時是抱着試試看的心情，幸好有其他富經驗的家長共同帶領，使我逐漸掌握小組分享書籍的安排。雖然我的組員是初中的同學，但她們對閱讀的喜愛和自主性令我十分欣賞。透過分享閱讀心得，我知悉更多有趣和不同類型的書籍，有時我會急不及待地即時抄下書名，待有機會可以閱讀整本書。

另外我十分欣賞嘉賓的演講，令我印象最深刻的是中文大學黃劍凡博士的演講，那是關於旅遊的講座；他提及北韓的種種事情，加深了我對這個極東國家的好奇及提升閱讀相關書籍的興趣。

在這兩年期間，我付出的只是一點點時間，但是獲益良多。

2D Chloe Au Yong 家長
Jocelyn Cho

PTA今年最新的紀念品。你擁有嗎？

HK$250 per set of 2 dolls

Product Information:
- Doll are 13cm in height, and dressed in our Secondary School uniforms.
- Available in both Summer uniform and Winter uniform.
- Comes with a wooden base.
- Packed in clear printed plastic bag.
《人間失格》一字一句讀來讓人驚嘆，作者彷彿用了放大鏡般，來檢視人性中最幽微難明的部份，那苦澀與悲切似乎只有親身經歷，才能描寫得如烙印在自己身上這麼深。這讓我心去尋找處理情緒的辦法。

4B Phoebe Wong

我是第四年參加家教會讀書會了，今年有機會在大家面前分享讀書心得，帶領組員以話劇形式介紹短篇故事，相信大家也有深刻的印像吧！今年參與令我對閱讀會產生渾厚的感情。每個月的聚會是多麼令人期待。希望來年的閱讀會更見精彩！

勵志書籍並不同
人生失意，我會閱讀勵志讀物，為甚麼？
很多勵志的金句和故事，讓我有勇氣面對眼前的挑戰和困難，令我明白辦法總比困難多。

3D Christine Mak

Justice
What's the right thing to do?
正義
一場思辨之旅
如果你的親人和朋友同時掉進水裏，他們都不會游泳，你會先救誰？

4B Tammy So
I have been a member of the Reading Club since I was in F.1. I joined because I love reading English fiction, but then I found out there was more than reading in the Reading Club sessions.

I remember a speaker, Dr. Wong Kim Fei. He travelled a lot and he shared a lot of his experience with us. He gave us first-hand accounts of his experiences of things we wouldn’t dare find out about by ourselves, like the Taliban. He told us things about North Korea that we would never know if we didn’t go there. That was one good thing about the Reading Club – guest speakers.

There was also another speaker, Mr. Ko Tin Lung. He came to talk twice this year. His subjects were on a broad range of topics, from health to job interviews. He gave us insights into different perspectives, and stressed the importance of being observant. He also taught us how to keep children busy while learning at the same time. There was much to grasp.

After listening to guest speakers, we’d have a sharing session. We’d share the highlights of a book we’d read over the previous few weeks. I usually have a hard time deciding which book to share because there are lots of choices. Generally, the sharing sessions are quite inspiring.

Besides listening to guest speakers and sharing, we have a joint school Reading Hunt with La Salle College. There is much to learn in communicating well with strangers. There is also a lot to pick up because the challenges in the Reading Hunt are supposed to be quite normal, like blowing a bubble gum, but then you’d realize you’ve never blown one before and didn’t know how. Also, there are many raw facts that you’d find out in the Trivial Quiz, like the capital of some countries. All in all, the Reading Hunts are quite challenging yet fun.

Usually, on the last session of the school year, we have a party, and members are given prizes for good attendance. However, this year, everyone got a gift, which is fair, in a way. We also had a special drama performance, “The Landlady”, by some of the members this year. It’s great that they could find time for rehearsals in their tight schedules and put up a great performance.

I find that joining the Reading Club is a good way to learn different things. I enjoyed the sessions very much, and I hope the Reading Club can continue to run.

5E Cherie Chan

I 參與閱讀會的活動已有兩年，不同的活動如分享會，讓我們獲益良多。我印象最深刻的是古天農先生的分享。對我來說，分享會原是很沉悶，但古天農先生運用風趣的介紹手法，絕無間際，帶動全場的氣氛。

另外，由於閱讀會主張我們多向同學分享自己的閱讀心得，因此我看書的時間多了，自信心也加強了。

2D Micky Pang

It is my second year in Reading Club. I love the Reading Hunt most; it is really fun. Also I like listening others’ presentation on their favorite books because I can learn more about reading and I can also borrow books from them and I do not need to spend too much time on selecting good and interesting books.

2D Chloe Au Yong

我從中二開始參加讀書會，每次讀書會的流程均由資深專業人士演講，組員在小組中輪流介紹書本和各組代表向大家做讀書報告。我覺得多年來在讀書會內的最大得益，就是增廣知識和提升演講技巧。

剛開始時，我在六及八人的小組內介紹書本也會口吃，到後來在六十多人面前流利地演講，實在讓我不斷成長。讀書會給予我很多自我表達的機會，相反，在課堂上難以做到。

記得不久前，學校邀請了一位語言學家到讀書會演講，由於他常常周遊列國，所以精通多國語言，演講時，他帶着我們重遊舊地，介紹當地的風土民情和政治背景，其他時候也會有博士和教授前來分享他們的專長，令我們獲益良多。

其次，有時同學向我們的書本介紹，能認識一些值得閱讀的好書。互相討論時，也有助自己更深入了解書本的內容。

讀書會每學年只有六節，每節三小時，而所得的好處實在多不勝數！

5E Brigid Leung

這套書《WARRIORS》描寫很生動，每個角色的性格都刻畫入微，躍然紙上，就像人一樣有喜怒哀樂，而且很重視感情，雖然短暫，卻很有人情味。

主角火星，不顧自己生命危險，奮不顧身地去拯救出自己的朋友，勇氣可嘉。
宗教小組

女兒在本校升讀中一，我有幸加入家教會的「宗教小組」。本來以為只有天主教教友家長才可以參加，沒想到「宗教小組」有很多的包容，參加的家長既有天主教教徒和慕道者，亦有基督教教徒及非教友。雖然來自不同的宗教信仰，但大家相處十分融洽，每次聚會的氛圍都非常愉快。

小組聯委人Amy，在本校宗教小組創辦人Jonny及駐校的牧民助理Winnie的協助下，為我們每月一次的聚會會頗豐富的資料，當中包括影片、詩文及讀者的文章等。我最愛其中一篇片段「愛的告白 from GOD」，我被感動得連連流淚不歇，深深感受到主對我們的愛是何等偉大！

在每次聚會中，我們一起閱讀聖經、一起禱告、一起唱詩歌及自由分享生活中的喜樂與憂愁。除了宗教課的討論外，有經驗的家長更分享他們與子女相處之道，一些資深的教友家長亦會與我們分享信仰上的體會。透過這些活動，我們能彼此支持與鼓勵，並從中加深了我們對主的認識，在輕鬆愉快的氣氛下，兩小時很快便過去，即使不捨的情況下，大家又會期待下個月的聚會。在過去的幾次聚會中，我非常感謝能與你們一同_planning_the活動，特別是在聖誕節的「聖誕禮物」儀式。感謝家校兩方付出寶貴的一個上午，與我們分享聖誕的點滴，為我們安排聖誕和聖事，還領我們進行了一次「平安夜」的聖誕禮儀，令我有重生的感覺，心境頓覺充盈。

現誠意邀請各位家長（包括教友及非教友）參加我們每月一次的聚會，共同渡過美好的聖誕之夜。

1D Bethia Cheung家長
Connie Chan

藉着宗教小組舉辦的四句期遊學活動，我們過了一個很有意義的早上。

在遊學中，我們透過分享、祈禱、修煉聖經以及拜訪當地的信徒，加深了自己對信仰的理解。廖神父提醒我們在四旬期期間，反省我們與天主的關係，這還透過以下五種方式：

第一，祈禱，反省自己的信仰生活，以及反省天主的創造，懷念感恩

第二，養身，多參加禱告，聆聽天主的聖言。

第三，多參與，多參與書展、朝拜聖體、默培耶穌救世的工程。

總覺得自己很幸福，從小就接受天主教化，成為天主教徒，這是莫大的福氣。在育兒過程中，我真正體會到爸爸的責任和擔當。透過聖母的轉播，所有的決定都交託在天主手中，我希望我們的兒女，將來無論遇到困難或引誘時，都能在天主的引領下，成為自己、塑造他人。

1C Teresa Lam家長
Lily Jum

心肺復甦班

On 25/3, I joined a CPR course organized by the PTA together with a few friends. We learnt about the right method to carry out CPR, some basic knowledge on treating injuries and how to deal with accidents. We also had fun during the lecture, as the instructor taught us in a lively and funny way, so 2 hours passed in a flash. I recommend you to sign up for this course next year if you have not already done so, as it is totally worth the time and effort.

4D Lena Tsang

My mother and I took part in the Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation Course organized by the PTA. I found this course which included theory, demonstration and practice very interesting and meaningful. This is really an ideal course for everyone, so come and join in!

1E Pearl Hui

很高興和女兒參加了「成人心肺復甦法」課程。除了聽取課程內容外，教學專業及悉心指導下，每位學員都能透過實務，學習急救的重要性和技巧，十分實用。課程結束後，每位學員都獲頒證書。我們還拍照留念。如果下次再舉辦，希望大家都能actively 參加，定必使你得益良多。多謝家長教師會舉辦這個課程，讓我們享受一個充實的下午。

2E Michelle Wu家長
Maggie Ng
光陰荏苒，不覺已習畫一年多，此次時無心插柳參加了國畫班，到現在每個課堂的期待；開始的時候以為祇會畫一些花鳥山水，怎知道一年下來，差不多国畫中的所有元素都習過了，包括梅、蘭、菊、竹、牡丹、小燕、老鷹、鷹、馬、山水、石、瀑布、魚、蝦、蟹……又因為國畫一般需要題字，所以要練習寫字，過年的時候我們也會練習習揮春，還學習姊妹的作法；一年以來，畫功、寫字肯定進步了，對中國傳統文化也加深了認識；藝術活動異異之餘，個人的修煉也到了另一個境界；畫畫鍛鍊了專注，創作中開拓了眼界；同時，因為上了課的關係，認識了其他家長，也就是現在的同門；使我對學校、老師和家教會有更深入的瞭解，想不到放下書包多年，今天能再接再厲學習，希望他在可以跨過千裡。當然這要拜老師的淳淳教導、同學的鼓勵和學校的安排，還望家教會再接再厲把畫班當初辦得更好，使中華國粹得以傳承，對個人、學校和國家都有裨益。

二甲 黃子恩 家長
黃大偉

參加了國畫班已經兩年了，時光飛逝，回想着當初加入國畫班只不過是抱着玩玩的心態，曾擔心我對水墨畫一直不熟的人能不能應付，也就本着「鼓鼓翻譯場合」的心態參加了。幸而得林老師不厭其煩的指導，使我在國畫的興趣日益增加，日子一天，畫功亦漸上軌道，雖然作品談不上出色，但完成一幅畫的滿足感。絕對是歷經磨練。另外，與眾師兄姊妹同道的家長同學，一起享受上課的樂趣，很感輕鬆。看着老師教授大家的功課，同學們間閨閨的你一言，我一語，說笑笑，兩小時的課程一下子就在歡笑聲中度過了。

現在我對水墨畫已愛不釋手，更成為我生活的一部份。懷緬課間，為我在日常繁瑣的生活增添不少色彩。

4E Christie Ma 家長
Judy Tam

「煲冬瓜」是炎夏消暑的良方？非也！我只是和大家開個玩笑。我指的其實是「普通話」。學習普通話真的有點困難。我要在早回校上普通話課，就感到一股清涼從我的頭上飄過，不適，想起主席為我們準備的心意盒單，整個人都精力充沛，起初，各位學員們的舌頭都像打了結一樣，想起那些不標準普通話，大家都捧腹大笑，幸好，得到導師Phoebe的筆記和她耐心地解答我們的問題後，大家的普通話也進步了，這課程令我得益不少！

一丙班 陳愷晴 家長
梁美華
六月廿四日，我們一家參加了某個教育機構舉辦的「長途遊農場親子一日遊」，首站是林村許願林。來到時，雖然下了幾陣大雨，但天氣晴朗，把大棚的雨帳都弄溼了，但一點也沒有破壞大家旅遊的興致。

我們繼往嘉道理農場，下車後天色轉佳，沒有下雨，也沒有強烈的陽光。農場內，我們觀賞到不同的植物，如茄子、冬瓜、西瓜等，還有幾百畝的農田，另有一片綠色動物，如野鹿、大蟒蛇、鰻魚、鳥類等。除此以外，同學還學到了如何用農車編織籃子及利用乾花巧製書籤。雖然我們只是短暫逗留，未能暢遊整個農場，但已足夠讓我們感受大自然的美。

中午，我們前往荃灣享用自助餐，菜式食物豐富，而且有足夠的時間讓我們慢慢享用。

這次活動除了讓同學們在課堂外增進友誼，也讓家長們輕鬆地互相認識，交流親子之道，談笑風生。這是一次難得的機會！

在此感謝各機構的用心策劃和安排，希望下次的活動可以有更多的同伴和家長參與。

IE Flora Li 家長
Yam Li
編輯的話

在主席的帶領下，家教會今年做了很多的活動，使大家深入了解家教會的工作。這些活動包括與學校老師的聯繫、與社區的關係、與家長的溝通，以及與學生的互動。我們的努力得到了學生和家長的肯定，也得到了社區的讚揚。我們希望將這些活動進一步的推廣，讓更多的學生和家長受益。

我們感謝所有參與活動的人員，你們的付出和努力使這些活動順利進行。感謝你們的辛勤工作，感謝你們的熱情付出。我們期待未來有更多的活動，讓我們一起為學生和社區做出更大的貢獻。