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St. Joseph's Anglo-Chinese School

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Graduation Ceremony

The Graduation Ceremony 2022 was held on 10th June 2022 at Rev. Bro. Paul Sun Memorial Hall. We were privileged to have had, as the Guest of Honour, Mr. Poon Yan Wing Lawrence, a distinguished alumnus, Chief Manager (Nursing) of Hospital Authority. Other honorable guests included Rev. Fr. Mak Ying Kin Aloysius, Ms. Chow Ling Ling Margaret, Mr. Lam Tak Ming, and Mr. Yung LokHing Wilson, School Managers; Mr. Ng Tze Kei, Chairperson of The Josephian Association; Dr. Nam Sai Lok, Trustee Chairman of Rev. Bro. Paul Sun Education Foundation; Mr. Cheng Tak Ming, Principal of St. Joseph's Anglo-Chinese Primary School; Mr. Chu Fu Yau Dominic, Supervisor; and Mr. Poon Wing Keung, Principal.

The proceedings began with the national anthem of the People's Republic of China and the school song, followed by a prayer led by Rev. Fr. Mak. Our supervisor, Mr. Chu, and our principal, Mr. Poon, delivered a welcome speech and a school report respectively.

The keynote speech of the afternoon was given by a distinguished alumnus of St. Joseph's, Mr. Lawrence Poon who graduated from SJACS in 1979. Possessing over 20 years of nursing management experience, Mr. Poon is experienced in nursing manpower planning and hospital accreditation. Prior to his current position, he served as Cluster General Manager (Nursing) of Hong Kong East Cluster and Senior Nursing Officer at Pamela YoudeNethersole Eastern Hospital. In his speech, Mr. Poon reminisced about the good old days. Seeing life as a journey full of choices and challenges, he encouraged graduates to seize every opportunity and do their utmost for a rosy future.

The speeches were followed by the presentation of the graduation certificates and various awards to the graduates. A rousing rendition of 'Auld Lang Syne' and a heartwarming montage of photographs, which reminded our graduates of all their happy days in St. Joseph's, brought the ceremony to a blissful end.



64th School Anniversary cum St. Joseph's Feast Day Celebration

This year's St. Joseph's Feast Day was celebrated together with the school's 64th Anniversary on 19th March 2022. Due to the pandemic, students were having a special holiday during March, therefore the Religious Moral Education Committee produced an extraordinary video to celebrate this particular occasion. Apart from our principal Mr. Poon and some teachers introducing the school anniversary at the beginning of the video, there were also Bible Scriptures and teachings about St. Joseph, followed by Fr. Mak's sharing. Although it was not a face-to-face gathering, teachers and students could still participate this activity at home via zoom.



Easter Prayer Meeting

Easter is one of the most important celebrations throughout the year. This year, the Easter Prayer Meeting was done in a form of a video which was put on the school website on 16th April 2022. The prayer meeting began with an Easter hymn and a reflection time, next was a Gospel reading of the story about Jesus' resurrection and then a spiritual sharing by Fr. Mak. Finally, the Lord's Prayer and a communal prayer for our community, our school, teachers and students concluded the whole prayer meeting.

“真理 Truth”

「你們會認識真理，而真理必會使你們獲得自由。」(若 8:32)
 “You will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.” (John 8:32)

“ 義德 Justice ”

「他愛護正義和公理，他的慈愛瀰漫大地。」(詠 33:5)

“The LORD loves justice and right and fills the earth with goodness.” (Psalms 33:5)

Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima

According to the tradition of the Catholic Church, Catholics would make special devotion to Our Lady of Fatima in May. On 16th May, the Religious Education Committee has held a Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima during the school morning assembly. During the assembly, student representatives explained the Marian apparition happened in Fatima 105 years ago, also they mentioned the peaceful messages brought about from Our Lady of Fatima. Then, the devotion end with a prayer and flower dedication to Our Lady of Fatima.



Putting up of Religious Symbol (Via Crucis)

In order to elevate the campus religious atmosphere, before the Easter holidays, the 15 Via Crucis (Stations of the Cross) were put at various positions in our school campus. For example near the school entrance, in the chapel, on the covered playground, near the staircases, etc. After putting up this religious symbol, teachers and students can understand and meditate more on the Jesus' death and resurrection and the mystery of the salvation. It is also a Catholic school's mission to preach the Gospel to both students and teachers so as to create a loving and caring school environment.



English Week

In order to boost students' interest and provide them with more exposure to the use of English inside and outside classroom, English Week was held by English Department and English Society from 20th June to 24th June 2022. The theme of English Week this year is 'Love and Care', which serves to remind students of the importance of showing affection for their loved ones amidst the pandemic. During the week, students took part in various entertaining activities in which they could apply the language they had learnt.

dog	cat	hamster
fish	mouse	guinea pig
bird	snake	iguana
gerbil	chinchilla	turtle
rat	ferret	puppy
kitten	lizard	frog

Penmanship Competition was the first activity of the week with the aims to encourage students to appreciate the importance of family love through the reading of poems as well as to unleash their artistic potentials. Two poems about the importance of family love were given to junior form and senior form students respectively and we were glad to see that all students from F.1 to F.6 participated enthusiastically, putting in their best effort to showcase their talent. The winning students demonstrated exceptional artistic abilities in line and character spacing, letter construction, and letterform proportions.

To help students build their vocabulary, strengthen spelling, and practice concentration, the fun **Word Search Competition** introduced all students from F.1 to F.6 to different types of pets, including the common and the rare ones. Two sets of worksheets were given to junior and senior form students respectively and it came as a surprise that junior formers excelled in the competition, often completing the worksheet ahead of time. This made us wonder if our younger ones could have beaten the older boys if they had been placed in the same competition. Well done, junior formers!

In collaboration with the Religious Studies Committee, **English Crossover RS Crossword Competition** was organised to improve students' vocabulary as well as to allow students to learn more about one of the Christian traditions, the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul. Students were invited to watch a video prepared by the Religious Studies Committee before completing a crossword puzzle related to the video on a Google Form. Students completed the crossword puzzle instantly when the QR code was shown in class and were impatient for the results to be released.

The most exciting activity of the week was **Singing Contest**. Different from the previous singing contests, students were invited to videotape their singing (and dancing if they wish) of their favourite English songs. It was such a precious and rare opportunity in these recent years for students to take part in a singing contest, which has always been a popular event at school. Students welcomed it enthusiastically but only a few brave ones turned in their pieces. However, the few pieces of singing were of excellent quality; our judges were amazed by our students' incredible singing talents!

Soon after the week, the winning students of various activities received their awards during a morning assembly broadcast live on Campus TV. We would like to congratulate all the winning students and thank everyone for supporting English Week!

“ 愛德 Love ”

「你們該彼此相愛，如同我愛了你們。」(若 13:34)
“As I have loved you, so you also should love one another.” (John 13:34)

Awards and Achievements (Second Term 2021-2022)

Competitions	Awards	Award winners	
National Day Celebration Swimming Competition Hong Kong Swimming Association	Freestyle (50m) 2 nd Runner up	Ngai Chau Yuen	1211
	Freestyle (100m) 3 rd Runner up		
Inter-Secondary School AR/VR Competition HK Wireless Technology Industry Association	Silver Award	Leung Tsz Chai Anson	3521
		Yip Ho Yeung Nicholas	3532
Hong Kong Hard Pen Calligraphists' Association 1 st Hong Kong Secondary and Primary Schools Hard Pen Calligraphy Competition (Chinese and English)	Merit Award (Chinese Hard Pen Junior Secondary Section)	Zhong Jianglang	3218
Hong Kong Schools Music and Speech Association The 73 rd Hong Kong Schools Speech Festival (English Speech)	Merit	Lam Ho Him	1108
		Lau Pui Cheung	1413
		Ng Ping Yu	1424
		Ngan Wang Shing	1425
		Keifer Wong	1430
		Xie Aoqing	1432
		Li Long Sum	1518
		Chung Sheung Lung	2510
		Luk Ka Chai	2523
		Chan Chun Hang Wesley	4303
		Sum Lut Ting	5318
		Lee Cheuk Hei	5411
		Peng Chi Him	5419
		Merit 1 st Place	To Ming Kit
Merit 3 rd Place	Cheng Pak Him Harris	2505	
	Kwoon Hang Shun Marcus	2515	
	Tsong Ho Kiu Howard	4424	
Mo Kwan Long	5314		
City University of Hong Kong CityU EE EDB AIoT Gifted Education Programme 2021	The Most Innovative Award	Yam Tin Lam Lucas	4324



“生命 Life”

「天主照自己的肖像造了人。」 (創 1:27)
“God created man in his image.” (Genesis 1:27)



Competitions	Awards	Award winners	
Olympiad Champion Education Centre Hong Kong International Science Olympiad heat round 2021-2022 (HK region)	Merit	hang Wei Han	2533
	Bronze	Luk Ka Chai	2523
		Wong Tin Yuen	2531
	Silver	Law Sing Long	2518
		Ting Wang Chun	2527
		Leung Ka Wang Tsang Man Kin	3520 3529
	Gold	Mak Kwok Hin	2524
		Lam Hoi Him	3513
		Lam TsunIp	3515
		Poon Chun Yin Curtis So Pak Hei	3524 3525
Group Event 2 nd runner-up			
Kwun Tong District Youth Programme Committee Future Leaders 2021 Commendation Scheme	Active Participation	Lee HinLok	4315
		Wu Tsz Yeung	4427
		Chin Ho Ting	6303
		Ngai Kin Fung	6316
		Ma Kai San	6414
Outstanding Performance	Lam Ming Fung	5210	
	Excellent Performance	Tang Man Siu Lam Nok Yin	4321 6308
Excellent Performance in training camp	Cheung Siu Sing	6107	
The Hong Kong Mathematical Olympiad Association AIMO Contest 2022	Silver Award	Wan Yiu Hei	4425
	Bronze Award	Chan Hin Chi Augustine Tai King Long	1502 3526
Olympiad Champion Education Centre Thailand International Mathematical Olympiad Final 2021-2022	Merit Award	Tang Nathaniel Issac Ka Ming Wan YiuHei	2315 4425
Hong Kong Red Cross Humanity Campus 2021-2022	ExcellenceHumanity Campus Award		

“家庭 Family”

「作子女的，要孝敬你的父親和母親；作父母的，
要用主的規範和訓誡，教養子女。」 (弗 6:2-4)
“Children, obey your parents. Parents, bring your children's up
with training and instruction of the Lord” (Ephesians 6:2-4)

Competitions	Awards	Award winners	
Centre for Innovation and Technology CUHK Hong Kong Tech Challenge Junior 2021 Locals	VEX Robot Skills Building Award	3309 Fu Sheng 3310 Fung Pak Yin	3309 3310
	VEX Robot Skills Merit Award	3112 Lin Wai Pan 3202 Chan Hoi Fai 3309 Fu Sheng 3310 Fung Pak Yin	3112 3202 3309 3310
Kwun Tong District Civic Education Committee Civic Ambassador Training Programme (Kwun Tong District)	Civic Ambassador Certificate	Ho Cheuk Man Hui Nok Tim Lam Yuk Kwan Lau Shue Shun Jeffery Leung Ching Tai Wai Ng Cheuk Hei	4404 4408 4413 4414 4419 5319 5417
Catholic Diocese Secondary School Mathematics Committee The 38 th Secondary School Mathematics Competition	Merit Award	Wan Yiu Hei Ng Cheuk Hei Tang Ho Lam Wong Tin Lun	4425 5417 5422 5426
The Hong Kong Schools Sports Federation Inter-School Athletics Competition 2021-2022 (Division 1)	Boys A Grade Long Jump 1 st Runner up	Wong Chun Lung	4429
	Boys A Grade 400m 2 nd Runner up	Wong Chun Faat	4228
	Boys B Grade Triple Jump 2 nd Runner up	Yau Tsan For Magnus	3428
The Hong Kong Schools Sports Federation Inter-School Swimming Championships	Boys B Grade 50M Back stroke 2 nd Runner up	3303 Chan Ho Chun Edgar	3303
	Boys C Grade 50M Back stroke 2 nd Runner up	2414 Lui Ngo	2414
	Boys B Grade 4 x 50M Medley Relay 1 st Runner up	2408 Koo Kam Ho 3201 Au Chung Him 3206 Chung Shing Yuk 3325 Zhang Hao Yu	2408 3201 3206 3325
	Boys C Grade 4 x 50M Freestyle Relay Champion	1116 Kaewdok Chivavik 1211 Ngai Chau Yuen 1430 Wong Keifer 1505 Chen Guanwen	1116 1211 1430 1505
	Boys B Grade Overall 2 nd Runner up		
	Boys C Grade Overall 3 rd Runner up		



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