

Good News

Ms. Winnie Wong's baby

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Year of Responsibility



Principal's Message



THANK YOU

Dear Everyone,

New Year greetings to you all.

"Give thanks with a grateful heart! Give thanks to the Holy One." (From the Hymn "Give Thanks")

2016 has been a year of blessings for Marymount Primary School. With a team of dedicated and committed teachers, we worked out our new School Development Plan for the coming three years with an aim to develop our school-based Values Education Curriculum—The Shining Gems Programme, and create an inspiring learning environment that unleash our students' potential to become MPS Thinkers, Makers and Presenters. We are thankful that the direction of school development has been well acknowledged by our students, parents and alumnae. You could not imagine how touched we were while reading the words of encouragement in your reflection sheets after the Parent Nights. We are even more grateful to your generous support to our Fund-raising Campaign—Brick It Your Way. Your contributions have made our curriculum and school environment more conducive to cultivating our students to become dynamic thinkers, creative makers and confident presenters. You have helped us get closer to our dream of education.

Education is definitely a piece of "heart-work" that requires every member in the school community to see through together as collaborative partners. MPS is indeed blessed to have a group of supportive stakeholders with us in this journey.

2017 marks the 90th birthday of Marymount Primary School. Our teachers and students are working together to prepare for a number of events for our celebration. One of the highlights will be the Musical created and written by our Music teachers. In the Musical, you will be able to understand more deeply about the essence of true and good education we are aiming for our next generation. Please stay tuned and we look forward to your active support and participation.

May your new year be filled with God's love and blessings!

Daphne Ho
Principal

January 2017



PTA Member's Message

Chairperson Harry Li

Thanks to the support of the teachers and parents, I am very grateful to be elected as the chairperson of MPS PTA again this year. With a good mixture of "experienced" and "new blood" officers I expect that we can run the activities more efficiently along with more creativity and educational values this year.

Other than organizing activities for parents and students of MPS, my other important assignment this year is to establish a good communication channel between the parents and the school so that parents can pass their ideas and opinions about the school in a more effective manner. Therefore please feel free to contact us (pta@mps.edu.hk) if you have any suggestions and comments about our school and PTA.

Liaison Officer Simon Kwok

I appreciate the support from parents and teachers and I am delighted to have this chance again to serve for the MPS PTA. In the coming year, I will continue to put my best efforts to contribute and to act as the bridge between the school and parents.

Publication Officer Rainbow Wong

I am glad to have the chance to serve the MPS PTA as one of the EXCO members for the second time. I will continue to serve as a bridge between the school and the parents in the best interest of our children.

Activities Officer Gloria fong

Hi everyone! I'm Gloria, mother of Norah from 4B. I am so blessed to be elected as one of the PTA members and have the opportunity to work with a great team. For sure, I'll try my best to contribute my time and knowledge to PTA. For sure, I'll try my best to bring parents and school closer together. For sure, I'll see you all in the coming events!



Vice Chairperson Annie Cheng

Thank you for the support!
I am so glad that I could have a chance to serve our PTA again. I hope we can do even better this year. Let's 'MAGIS' together!

Honorary Secretary Betty So

Hi, I am Betty. I am grateful to be re-elected as a PTA Exco member this year. I hope this year's PTA activities will continue to act as a bridge, to strengthen the connection between the school, parents and students. So, please come and support our exciting activities!

Honorary Treasurer Scott Tam

I'm glad to continue my second year of service for MPS PTA as Honorary Treasurer. This will probably be a busy year and I will do my best to support the school activities for our daughters.

Activities Officer Joselyn Fung

After a year of on-the-job training, I am truly a seasoned PTA activity officer now. Sounds too serious? No worries, because I am in charge of fun! Of course, it is also our duty to be the bridge between parents and teachers with students' well-being as our best interest. I surely hope I would be able to bring students, parents and teacher closer together. Both myself and my Charlotte (20) are going to try our best in our second year in this wonderful MPS family!

Activities Officer Ariel fung

It is my greatest honor to be part of the MPS PTA this year and my pleasure to serve at the MPS family. I am very excited to work with the team and looking forward to having parents' continuing support and participation in PTA activities in order to further enhance the communication between the PTA, the school and the parents, which could help to build a loving and happy learning environment for our lovely MPS girls.



90th Walkathon



My Reflection on 90th Anniversary Fund Raising Walkathon for MSS/MPS

90th Anniversary Fund Raising Walkathon for MSS/MPS has successfully taken place. This success is due to the congregated support of each participant.

As an alumna of MSS, a current teaching staff of MPS and a mother of two MPS girls, it has definitely become one of my most meaningful and memorable school events because I have completed it with my beloved family and my students.



Last but not least, I hope that all of you could continue your efforts to support our MPS 90th Anniversary events. Thank You!

Anna Lam
Class Teacher of 5B



MPS 90th

Games Day

My favourite stall was the one helped by my Mum. I had to walk on balance beams in a zig-zag line, put a ball on a spoon and walk in circles, jump across the hula hoops with a beanbag on my head and then kick the football towards the goal! This obstacle course was very challenging, but I managed in the end.

Hailey Wong P.2A



Marymount Primary School
GAMES DAY

Thanks for the opportunity to be a helper in the Games Day 2016. There are moments that tremendously moved me which I'd like to share. My heart was ignited when I felt the intense excitements of the young girls involving themselves so deeply in playing the games, and melted when I saw the immense rejoice of the winners collecting their rewards. Congrats to the success of MPS and look forward to future opportunity to be part.

Windy Yan
Mother of Natalie Chee (P.1B)

Christmas Programme





After waited for 6 years, I'm lucky enough to be selected as one of the Santas in MPS. This year is very meaningful as it's the only year for my two girls (P1 & P6) to study together in MPS. I could never imagine that the Santa costume fits me perfectly! Off we went to the P4 classrooms, the girls were all very excited and I was surrounded by more than 30 girls. We chatted and played small games. We took photos together and the girls were so nice that they presented me some small gifts too. I had a wonderful time in MPS!

Wallace Lee (Dad of Alison Lee 1B & Nicole Lee 6B)

I think this year's Christmas Party was very amusing for the English Drama, Dance Team and Junior Choir all performed so well. Moreover, the Santa Classes gave us wonderful presents. Those baggage tags of MPS students were very pretty and we loved them very much.

I am already looking forward to next year's Christmas Party celebration!

By Shannon Poon, 5D



Fun Time with Parents



I felt so happy because it was fun. We are looking forward to finding out who will come to our classroom and play with us. I want to go to school early for this.

Hera Yap Class 1B



This is my very first time to be a FTP volunteer. Before the session, I was a bit worried about the girls' interest on my idea. I finally decided to teach them making the Santa Claus origami as Christmas is near.

All these lovely girls learnt so fast and are very creative. They followed every step and designed their own Santa Claus with different styles.

I am so grateful to have such an opportunity to enter the classroom and be their "teacher". It was definitely a fun time to me! I would like to express my gratitude to the school and PTA for this wonderful event!

*Rosanna Ma,
Mother of Kristen Leung of Class P1A*

