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#### ECO EARTH HOUR ASSEMBLY





On the 1st of April, the Eco-School Committee of WMSKL(I) held a special assembly in conjunction to Earth Hour 2019, with the theme "Change The Way We Live". The week began with a formal assembly in the Wesley Hall, where the Guest of Honour, Mr Emirul Redzuan, from the "EcoKnights" initiated the "Lights Out" ceremony by turning off all the lights in the hall. This was followed by a video presentation and a speech delivered by Mr Emirul regarding the reasons as to why everyone should recycle their waste instead of throwing them around. This enlightened the students about the need to reduce their waste besides needing to recycle them because it lowers the chances of the waste later being thrown away and ending up in the sea, which will eventually harm the marine life. After the speech, the principal Mr Wong presented Mr Emirul with a small token of appreciation, which then followed with a short photography session to signal the end of the assembly.

### Honours Day

Wesley Methodist School Kuala Lumpur (International) held their 28th Annual Honours Day on 6th April 2019. The event was held from 8:30 am-12:00 pm, with Mr Ng Kim Huat, Country Director of the Cambridge Assesment International Education as the Guest of Honour.

Honours day began with the song "God Of All My Days" which was performed by the school's Choir and Ensemble. After the opening prayer by Reverend Justin Clarence, Mr Wong Chee Kheon, Principal of WMSKL(I), gave his speech on the school's The academic results. school's extra-curricular results were then showcased in a video presentation made by Loh Colin and Eng Yi Jun. Mr Ng Kim Huat gave his formal address subsequently. After an ever-inspiring speech, Honours Day continued with the prize-giving for meritorious awards for Year 7, 8 and 10 students (2018). A special Violin and Piano Duet was performed by Tan Pinqi Sophia and Cynthia Lau Xin Yi before continuing with the Prize Giving to all students who received straight 6.0 (excellent) for last year's Cambridge Checkpoint exam.



The awards ceremony proceeded to acknowledge outstanding achievers in the Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM) and International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) examinations, beginning with an outstanding result of "11 highest distinctions in all subjects taken" to "eight distinctions". After a Strings Trio Presentation of the song 'Terzetto in C', ceremony the proceeded with the presentation of Co-curriculum and the Special Exemplary Christian Service awards. Then, IGCSE scholar Student Representative, Matthias Inn, gave a testimony, followed by Mdm Lee Chee Pheng, Vice-Principal WMSKL(I) as she introduced the Wesleyan of the Year 2018 Low Kian Jin. The ceremony ended with a closing prayer by Reverend Justin Clarence and all guests were invited for light refreshments.

#### JUST LU-DING -IR DAY-



On the 11th of April 2019, the LEO Club of Wesley Methodist School Kuala Lumpur (International) held their annual International Relationship Day. This year's theme, 'Just Kid-ding' centered around appreciating our childhood.

The event began at 4:30 after school with the arrival of the guest of honour and VIPs. A roll call was then held. The event flow was structured into a skit. At the beginning, the protagonist, Isaac, was introduced to the audience through the opening dance. One day, his

employer calls him into his office and reprimands him due to his work not being up to par. Dejected, he goes home and turns on his television to watch some cartoons. A brief interlude was held for the director of the event, LEO Megan Lim Ka Yan, to give a heartwarming speech. The show continued after this with a singing performance of nostalgic songs from popular kid shows. Mr Wong Chee Kheon then delivered his speech.

The skit continued thereafter, with Isaac meeting a mysterious stranger. The stranger reveals that she wants to teach Isaac a lesson, as he had taken his childhood for granted without knowing what it was like to grow up in a broken home. This was followed by a horror-themed dance performance. Isaac realizes his errors and that he should have appreciated his childhood more.





The skit was then paused for the guest of honour, Lion Michelle Mok to give her speech. Afterwards, a video presentation was played. A game of 'Kahoot!' was then conducted, where the audience participated in a quiz using their phones. The presentation of the tokens of appreciation to the VIPS and souvenirs to the clubs present followed. After the final act of the skit, where Isaac is sent back from the television land back to his home, the finale brought the event to a spectacular close.

# CU @ CF CAMP





FROM THE 12TH TO THE 14TH OF APRIL, OUR SCHOOL HELD ITS ANNUAL CU@CF CAMP. THIS YEAR IT WAS HELD AT AT THE PORT DICKSON METHODIST CENTRE. THE THEME WAS 'RAISED' AND THE CAMP'S BIBLE VERSE WAS TAKEN FROM 1ST CORINTHIANS 15:58. THE SPEAKERS WERE REVEREND ANDREW CHEAH, MADAM JUDI CHEAH AND PASTOR AIDEN. ALL PARTICIPANTS OF THIS CAMP TOOK HOME MEANINGFUL INSIGHTS AND LEARNT MORE ABOUT GOD.

SHORTLY AFTER ARRIVAL ON THE FIRST DAY, CAMP PARTICIPANTS WERE SPLIT INTO THEIR INDIVIDUAL GROUPS AND TASKED TO DECORATE A BLESSING MOUNTAIN THAT WAS MADE OUT FROM BOXES WITH THE GROUP MEMBERS' NAMES WRITTEN ON THEM. THROUGHOUT CAMP, CAMPERS COULD PUT NOTES INTO EACH OTHER'S BOXES. AFTER THIS WAS THE FIRST PART OF GAMES ACTIVITIES WHICH HELPED GROUP MEMBERS BOND WITH EACH OTHER AND WAS FOLLOWED BY WORSHIP AND SESSION 1.

THE SECOND DAY BEGAN WITH DEVOTION WITHIN GROUPS. SESSION 2 STARTED AFTER WORSHIP AND A GROUP PHOTO WAS TAKEN. THE SECOND PART TO THE GAMES ACTIVITIES WERE HELD AFTER ANOTHER WORSHIP AND SESSION. GROUPS WERE ASSIGNED TO VARIOUS STATIONS AND THE GAMES HELPED STRENGTHEN THE TEAMWORK AND BONDS MADE SO FAR.



FUN NIGHT COMMENCED AFTER DINNER. THESE GAMES WERE HELD IN THE AUDITORIUM AND CANTEEN. BEFORE WORSHIP NIGHT BEGAN, BRYAN TIONG SHARED AN INSPIRING TESTIMONY. THERE WAS AN ALTAR CALL AND MANY PRAYERS WERE GIVEN ON THAT NIGHT.

DURING DEVOTION THE NEXT DAY, GROUP LEADERS AND GROUP MEMBERS DISCUSSED THE EVENTS OF CAMP THAT HAD HAPPENED. PRIZES AND APPRECIATION GIFTS WERE GIVEN AFTER THE FINAL SESSION AND MORE TESTIMONIES WERE GIVEN BY CHOSEN MEMBERS IN EACH GROUP. THE YEAR ELEVENS WERE PRAYED FOR BY THE TEACHERS AND ALUMNI BEFORE THE CLOSING OF CAMP. ONE FINAL WORSHIP SESSION WAS HELD BEFORE THE DEPARTURE BACK TO SCHOOL.

# IU DAY ZO19

As the 16th of April rolled around the corner, so did the Interact Club's highly anticipated annual IU Day event. The aim of every IU Day is to educate people about various issues across the globe; this year, the theme was "Decoding Dyslexia".

The event began with the singing of the national anthem followed by the Interact anthem. After that, speeches were given by Mr Wong and Mr James Tan, a world record holder who suffers from dyslexia. Following this, the attendees were treated to a skit depicting the difficulties of living with dyslexia and were set off to play games and learn about dyslexia. After an hour of learning about dyslexia at their own pace, the attendees were rounded up again to take a quiz on what they had each learned. With that out of the way, there was another touching skit. Two more speeches were given by the Youth Service Director Surinderdeep Singh and IU director Denise Leong. The event came to a close with a video and dance.



Opening dance performance by Interactors



Speech by IU Director, Denise Leong

# EASTES ES

Wesley Methodist School Kuala Lumpur (International) held its yearly Easter Celebration Service on the 25th of April 2019. Following the arrival of the special guests in Wesley Hall, including guest speaker Pastor Samuel Neeson, the event officially began at 7.30 am with a greeting by the emcees.



The opening prayer and benediction was followed by a worship session conducted by the Girls Brigade worship team, setting the mood with rousing songs like 'This is Amazing Grace' and 'Man of Sorrows'. Afterwards, the song 'Love Crucified Arose' was performed by the joint-effort of the Ensemble and Choir Club. Pastor Samuel Neeson then proceeded with the delivery of his sermon. The event concluded at 9 am after the closing hymn 'Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me'. Guests were led away from the hall for refreshments and students proceeded to the their respective homerooms to start a new day of learning.



# Teachers Day

Teachers' Day is a day dedicated to our teachers, the people who work hard to inspire, educate and change every day. On the 24th of May, our school's very own teachers were honoured in our celebration of teacher's day. A large part of the day's activities was a ceremony dedicated to the teachers, packed with stellar performances by the students. After the VIPs, school management and the teachers were welcomed into the hall by the guard of honours, the event kicked off with a video prepared by the library prefects featuring pictures of the beloved teachers of WMSKL(I), followed by a beatbox performance. Next, the principal, Mr. Wong Chee Kheon gave out various awards and certificates to outstanding teachers and head of departments, as well as a short speech. A singing performance and magic performance followed, both eliciting a round of thunderous applause from students and teachers alike. Then, a teacher and a student gave their moving testimonies respectively, before a group of Year IIs performed a few songs, as well as a Disney medley. Next came an energetic group of Year 10s who took the stage, performing a dance that none of the audience could take their eyes off from. After two more testimonies was another slew of performances: two entrancing singing performances and a jaw-dropping dance by a group of Year 9s. A singing performance by three talented teachers followed, earning more applause and cheers from the supportive students. As a finale, the teachers were treated to a surprise performance by two alumni, who came back just to perform for their beloved teachers. The ceremony then ended, and the teachers were invited to go to the conference room for a buffet prepared for them.











#### METHODIST COLLEGE HONG KONG VISIT

On the 18th of April, Wesley Methodist School Kuala Lumpur was visited by a group of students from Methodist College Hong Kong. WMS Kuala Lumpur was one of a series of methodist schools visited by the students from Hong Kong. The Hong Kong students arrived in the morning where they were greeted by the school's counselling unit. The students then proceeded to the hall to attend Thursday's chapel service.

After the service, the students from MC Hong Kong went on stage along with their assigned student ambassadors from WMS Kuala Lumpur for a quick photo session. Afterwards, the WMS student ambassadors took their respective MCHK partners to their classes for them to experience a day in the life of a Wesleyan. At 9.00 am , the male students from MC Hong Kong went down to the futsal court for a friendly game with WMS's school futsal team. WMS KL's team won by a narrow margin. After the game, everyone returned to their classes to continue their learning experience.

At 12.00 pm, the student ambassadors brought the Hong Kong students to the counselling room for a guided tour of the school facilities. An hour later, MC Hong Kong students and teachers, school administrative team and student ambassadors proceeded to the conference room. The students from both schools exchanged gifts. MC Hong Kong showcased their school through a presentation. Lunch was then had, which consisted of traditional Malaysian dishes such as curry puffs, fried noodles, fried rice and chicken curry. Then, a video presentation was shown while the teachers and students ate.

Finally, the student ambassadors exchanged contact information and bid the students from MC Hong Kong farewell.





#### OSAKA EXCHANGE PROGRAMME





From the 15th to the 21st of November 2018, a group of our students participated in a student exchange programme with the Omi Brotherhood High School in Osaka, Japan. The group's first stop upon arrival was the Iga Ryu Ninja Village, where they watched a mock "ninja" performance.

Upon arrival at the Omi Brotherhood High School, the group witnessed a band performance by a group of students from Omi Brotherhood High School. Two students from the group then performed a few songs. After several speeches and a photography session, the group split and went on to experience two Japanese sports - Kendo and Japanese archery. The group then dispersed to join their respective host families.

After spending the weekend with their hosts and families, the group converged at the Omi Brotherhood High School to continue on the next leg of the programme. The group visited the Cup Noodles Museum established by Nissin, a major noodle producer. The group browsed the museum exhibitions and were allowed to design and personalize their own cup noodles. The group then visited the Maishima Incineration Plant, a centre where all waste in Osaka is processed. The group were given a tour of the facilities before proceeding to have lunch at the nearby Kobe Harborland.

The next day, the group headed to Universal Studios Japan, followed by a tour of Osaka city. Dinner was served at the Hard Rock Cafe prior to the group's departure later that day.



