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What's Up @ ASSUMPTION



Poetry Showdown

1 August 2019

Written by: Cinta Melissa, Class 2/1

It certainly was a thrilling Thursday afternoon for our Lower Secondary Assumptionknights as that was when the AES Poetry Showdown 2019 was held! They formed teams within their own classes to write and present original poems on this year's theme, 'My Hero'. The showdown was a culmination of weeks of exploring and having fun with poetry in their own classes.

One special part of the event which really excited our Assumptionknights was the quiz segment! Our sporting English Language teachers also wrote their own poems about their heroes and so many of our Assumptionknights were eagerly raising their hands to guess who their teachers' heroes were.

Another sensational part of the event was watching the enthralling performances put up by our young poets, dedicating their poems to their special heroes.





Our Lower Secondary Assumptionknights had a taste of many different poems and learned about the heroes in their peers' lives. Each Assumptionknight went away knowing that our hero is someone who is special in our own eyes, even if we all have different ideas on who our heroes should be.



National Day Celebrations / Assumptionknight Challenge

8 August 2019

Written by: Ashley Soh, Class 2/2

On 8th August 2019, the whole school celebrated National Day - the day when Singapore achieved independence. Besides celebrating the anniversary of our independence, the event also aimed to instill a sense of pride and belonging in Assumptionknights.

This year's National Day was even more special than the previous years. It was the 200th anniversary of Singapore. Leading up to this day, many activities were organised for students to learn about Singapore's past. Our National Day celebration in school itself had many special activities to celebrate this significant milestone.





One of the activities the school organised was the Assumptionknights Challenge 2019, where the students had to go through a challenging obstacle course.



The students competed against one another to be the first to complete the challenge and win points for their class. Some highlights of the Assumptionknights Challenge were the leopard crawl and bear crawl stations as well as the bouncy castle at the very end. The bouncy castle was the last obstacle we had to overcome, and was also the most fun. It provided a sense of nostalgia to many students.



The school also organised a National Day carnival with a large variety of local food and games. In order to get the food, students had to exchange coupons, which they could get by playing local games such as hopscotch and five stones.



At the end of the celebrations, every student left worn out from the challenge but happy and satisfied with the delicious food and fun games during the carnival, as well as having a renewed sense of pride for Singapore.

Assumption Feast Day

15 August 2019

Written by: Chloe Danielle Lim, Class 2/2

On August 15, Assumption English school celebrates Feast Day. This day is important to many Catholic Assumptionknights as they not only celebrate the Assumption of Mary in heaven, but also celebrate Montfort Feast Day.



The whole school attended an assembly programme where they learnt more about the school's history and the Assumption of Mary. The students also learnt how and why they should appreciate the "Superwomen" in their lives by writing appreciation notes.



Our Secondary One Assumptionknights also had a mass dance session together with the APS students. All of them had fun while dancing and it was a great opportunity for them to bond with their classmates!



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