

XINGHUA PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians.

Hope all of you spent some quality time with your children during the one week July school holiday. I have been talking to the students and many of them shared with me that they have had a good break. As we welcome all the students back in school from 27 July 2020, we need the collective effort of all parents and students to exercise social responsibility so that our school continues to stay safe. I am grateful that you have worked hand in hand with us in the implementation of the Safe Management Measures (SMM) so that our school remains a safe environment for all our students. In order to decongest the waiting areas during dismissal and to ensure social distancing of students during dismissal, we will continue the staggered dismissal timings for different levels. We would like to thank you for making the necessary arrangements to fetch your child during dismissal.

It is really heartening to share that in line with our 90th Anniversary celebration to promote stronger bond and identity, the school will be celebrating the event together with the 55th National Day Celebration on Friday, 7th August 2020. Xinghua Primary School indeed has a rich history dating back to 1930. Amidst the COVID-19 situation, all activities on that day will be conducted in class by the respective Form Teachers with the safety measures put in place. The celebration will certainly bring the students together as one big family, making steadfast friends that last forever. This event will be a memorable milestone for all as we have contributed significantly in the various efforts to exemplify the Xinghua spirit.

Let's continue to work together to build a learning community that is safe and joyful!

Warmest regards, Mr Richard Chong





Looking Back (a) July 2020

Xinghua commemorated Racial Harmony Day on 13 July

Theme: Multicultural Singapore



We should treasure racial harmony because it didn't come by easily. Shayna (Head Prefect-6E5)



Playing modified traditional game - "marbles"



Our pledge to stand up for harmony in Singapore (4R2)

I have a friend, named Ponnavvi. She is an Indian girl. I like talking and playing with her.

Angeline (1R4)



"To me, Racial Harmony is about showing respect and empathy to people of different races, culture and religion."

Principal, Mrs Chandrika Mano



I like the food from other races like chicken rice, prata and thosai. Qusyairi (3H1)

Our diversity is our strength!

Looking Back W July 2020

Xinghua Fun Friday - Ice Cream Party!

What better way to end the first part of Term 3 then to have an ice cream party! The school decided to have an ice cream party for the whole school on Friday, 17 July 2020 for one hour from 12.30 pm till dismissal time.

This event was organised by Team 90; the planning committee for Xinghua's 90th Anniversary Celebrations. Unfortunately, due to the current Covid-19 situation, all the events planned for our anniversary celebrations, especially the Carnival had to be shelved. Many pupils and staff were disappointed but the Xinghua spirit is about adapting to changes.. Thus, when the opportunity arose for us to bring some joy and excitement to the students and staff, we grabbed it.

The mini celebration was also a Celebration of Resilience, where we wanted to thank the students, teachers and staff of Xinghua for adapting positively to the 'new normal' and for ensuring the safety and well-being of everyone in the school.

The students were full of anticipation waiting for 12.30 pm that day. When the announcement was finally made for the class captains to come down and collect the ice cream, excitement started. At 12.30 pm sharp, our very own DJ Dark Knight and DJ Triple C declared the start of the ice-cream party and we could hear the loud cheers coming from all the classes!

While all students, teachers and staff enjoyed their ice cream, they were entertained by our DJs who played song dedications. The students also watched a video montage titled the Story of Resilience, which focused on them going on their daily lives in the 'new normal' in school post Circuit Breaker period.

As a gift, each student received a traditional paper ball to remind them of the simple pleasures of playtime in school many years ago.

As the day ended, students walked out of the school smiling from ear to ear.

It was indeed a Fun Friday at Xinghua and a memorable one!

Mdm Nasreen Shah
Team 90





SCHOOL EVENTS

1. Public Holiday

National Day Monday, 10 August 220

National Day Celebration

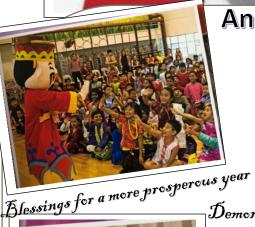
The school will be celebrating Singapore's **55**th **National Day** on Friday, 7 August 2020. The theme for this year is '*Together A Stronger Singapore*'. It is to commemorate Singaporeans uniting as one people, bonding in compassion and kindness, and building a strong Singapore together. There will be activities in the classroom led by the respective Form Teachers while keeping with safety measures announced at school.

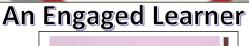
2. PSLE Oral Examination

Please take note that PSLE oral examination for the Primary 6 (P6) pupils will be conducted on Thursday, 13 August 2020 and Friday, 14 August 2020. **ONLY** the P6 pupils will report to school. The rest of the pupils from Primary 1 to Primary 5 need not report to school on these two days.



As we celebrate our 90th Anniversay... Memorable snapshols (2015 & 2016)









Spirit of Compassion



Entertaining our teachers



The Singapore Heartbeat!



Embracing a Growth Mindset







Joyful Learning Experiences

Feedback from Parents

As partners in education, we value your feedback and suggestions to make the school a more conducive learning environment for our children. Please feel free to pen down some thoughts, compliments or comments for the school.	
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