

# St. Paul's Convent School Parent-Teacher Association (SPCSPTA)

## Chairman's Report by Dr. Iceman Leung (2017/2018)

Thank you.

**Collaboration and Partnership.** Implemented successfully.

With the support from our parents, we do our utmost to support our members to be an active parent between Home and School success.

We are pleased to report that we have 415 PTA members and 174 of them enrolled as our parent volunteers. We would like to express our heartfelt appreciation to our members for their continued support, and gratitude to the parent volunteers, school teachers and staff for their endless contribution in organizing the activities.

### MEMBERS ACTIVITIES

**Oct 2017.** The 11th Annual General Meeting (AGM) was held on 21 October 2017. 2017-2018 Executive Committee Members were elected. PTA members were invited to attend the first parents talk on “香港文化下年輕人需要的教育環境” by Ms. Tang Oi Lam.



2017-2018 Executive Committee Members were introduced:

Advisor	Rev. Sr. Margaret WONG (Principal)
Chairman	Dr. Iceman LEUNG
Vice-Chairs	Ms. Vanessa CHAN, Mrs. L KO (Ex-officio)
Treasurers	Ms. Loretta GO, Mr. T K YAM (Ex-officio)
Secretaries	Ms. Oriana LEUNG, Mrs. Angela FONG (Ex-officio)
General Officers	Mr. Anthony CHUNG, Mr. Chin CHOW (Ex-officio), Ms. Dora CHENG, Mr. Freddie TANG, Ms. Jenny WU, Mr. Johnny YEUNG, Mrs. May HAU, Mr. Rudy MAN, Mr. Timothy NGAN

**Nov/Dec 2017.** Supported by a total 101 PTA members, the parent volunteers witnessed the excellent performance and happiness with the students and teachers in *"The 69th HK Schools Speech Festival"*. Appreciated by the school, parent volunteers were invited to attend the Christmas party before the school holidays.



**Jan 2018.** Co-organized by the school and PTA, the 11<sup>th</sup> Green Campaign was successfully completed on 26-27<sup>th</sup> January 2018. Parent volunteers worked together with 18 students from the Conservancy Club, total number of 34 packages of new and recycled items (clothes, domestic electrical appliances, computers and toys) were donated to the Caritas Rehabilitation Service for the needy.







A memorable PTA seminar delivered by Dr. Agnes Chan was held after the Green Campaign. Dr. Chan shared her valuable views and remarkable insight as a parent and educator in her seminar of *"The Role of Parents in Today's Families"*. Over 200 parents and students had participated, a new record of the highest number of participants were created from this seminar.



**Mar 2018.** Over 90 teachers, parents and students participated as volunteers to visit Tung Wah Group of Hospitals Care and Attention Home for the Aged Blind in Aberdeen on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2018. With the donations from parents, teachers and funding from PTA, 360 gift packs were prepared for all the visually impaired seniors. The visit was memorable with performance and games designed by our students and parents.



**Jul 2018.** Celebration of success was held on 9<sup>th</sup> July 2018. 10 team leaders received the certificate of appreciation on behalf of 124 parent volunteers in recognition of their contributions and support to PTA and the School. PTA has offered to support the service of textbook ordering for the Academic Year 2018-2019 by way of tender and organised a book fair at school playground from 11-13 July to further promote reading habits among students and parent-student reading.

To conclude the activities of the year, 30 parent volunteers escorted 164 teachers from mainland china on the afternoon of July 6, 11, 18 and 25, 2018 respectively, taking them to travel by tram and ferry, showed them the most iconic traditional and the oldest public transportation in Hong Kong. They enjoyed a ride of the HK Observation Wheel and the captivating views of the Symphony of Lights.



**Seminars and Workshops.** Members were notified with an email invitation to attend the following seminars and workshops:

- EduCanada Fair on 14-15 October 2017
- Admission Talks of University of Toronto, University of Alberta, McGill University and University of Waterloo on 15 November 2017
- University of Birmingham and King's College London Taster Lectures at on 12 January 2018
- Information Session on Veterinary Medicine by the Royal (Dick) School of Veterinary Studies of the University of Edinburgh on 17 January 2018
- Ontario Information Session by Thames Valley District School Board on 17 January, 2018
- 賽馬會鼓掌・創你程計劃」家長教育講座系列：主題：「給孩子一雙夢想的翅膀」 - 父母在子女生涯發展的角色, 2018 年 1 月 20 日
- Study UK Exhibition on 27 -28 January 2018



- Peacemakers' Cultural Celebration by UNESCO at HK Science Park, Shatin on 10-11, February 2018
- HKU Admission Talks on 2, 3, 9, 10, March 2018
- Admission Talk by Beijing University on 13 April 2018
- Monash University: "Why does steam natter" Seminar on 17 April 2018
- McGill University Summer Program for Students Aged 15-18. on 1-6, August 2018
- Universities of Dartmouth, Harvard, Stanford, and Wellesley - Admission Talk on 9 April 2018
- Workshop for DSE Parents organized by Hok Yau Club on 19 May 2018
- Application Strategies for JUPAS Admissions by HKBU on 4, 11, May 2018
- HKUST JUPAS Admissions Fair on 27 May 2018
- Admission Talk of Tsinghua University on 10- 11, May 2018
- Undergraduate Admission Fairs of the Chinese University of Hong Kong on 23 May and 12 June 2018
- 明德學院：大數據在會計行業的應用講座, 2018 年 7 月 8 日
- Global Aspiring Medic Conference (GMAC) organized by Arch Community Outreach on 20 July 2018
- Big History and Collective Learning (BHCL) Project Jointly organized by the Advanced Learning Experiences Division of HKAGE and Division of Environment and Sustainability of the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST) on 16 - 21 July 2018
- Non-JUPAS Admission Talk on 9 August 2018.