

# Parents Support Group@DSS Newsletter

## SG50 Carnival



A henna tattoo for our Guest-of-Honour, Mr Gan Kim Yong, Minister for Health and MP for Choa Chu Kang, GRC

**The DSS-SG50 Carnival** was held on 25 July at Bukit Gombak stadium. As encapsulated in its theme, 'Youth of Excellence for Singapore' to provide a platform for youth to showcase their talents. The event graced by Mr Gan Kim Yong, Minister for Health and MP of Choa Chu Kang GRC. PSG members participated in setting up a henna stall and a photo booth.

DSS students are taught the following attitude.



### School Values

Respect and Be Honest  
With Self and Others

Discipline, Be Committed  
and Responsible in  
Giving My Best

Share and Care for Each  
Other

Through these teachings, we hope to nurture our students to become dignified and contributing individual to the society and nation.

### School Vision

DSS will be the most visionary and purpose-driven community of excellence for person centered transition.

### School Mission

Equip persons with special needs through best practices in education, training and support services, for open employment and life-long learning in partnership with our stakeholders and community.

## WIN Camp



VP Mrs Alice Teo speaking with parents and giving awards at the WIN Camp

Year 3 students attended **the W.I.N. Camp** held from 3 June to 4 June. Students were treated to team-building games, campfire activities led by students from West Spring Secondary School, laser gun shootouts at Bukit Purmei Park and motivational stories about workplace success by their alumni peers.

## 3-in-1 Racial Harmony cum National Day cum Hari Raya Celebration



(R to L) – Ms Tahmina (PSG Coordinator), Mrs Anu Sethi, Mrs Lucy Siau, Mrs Alice Teo (VP), Mdm Goh, Mrs Mary Tan, Mdm Esther, Mdm Zaridah Hon (PDG Chair), Mrs Cindy Mak and Mdm Ithniah

**3-in-1 Celebration** was held on 6 August to celebrate our nation's Golden Jubilee, Racial Harmony and Hari Raya Puasa. The day had begun with the installation of the time capsule which contained 50 memorabilia of DSS's journey. DSS Parents Support Group (PSG) set up a store with home-made cookies and festive desserts to share with DSS students and teachers.



## Updates

### DSS Gym Resumes and "Buddy Fit" Lunch Hour Fitness Programme



The "Buddy Fit" Lunch Hour Fitness Programme is a 12 week programme starting from 22 July and ending on 14 October. This program aims to help students achieve better fitness as well as to improve their Body Mass Index (BMI).

*Gym parent volunteer, Mrs Toh with VP, Mrs Teo at the DSS Gym. Gym users under the watchful eyes of parent volunteers, Mrs Toh and Constance.*

## Past events

### Teacher's Day cum Sports Day

The Teacher's Day and Sport's Day Celebration was held on the 2 September. The objectives of this event were to create opportunities for students and staff to bond via fun and bounding activities and cultivate interest in participating in physical activities. There were various challenging games, including skipping, telematch, Xbox challenge, hula hoop passing, Zumba, circuit challenge.



*Students enjoying competitive games at Telematch station on Sports Day*



*Students assemble at Zumba station on Sports Day*

### PSG Notice Board



A unique and creative **PSG notice board** was designed by a group of talented PSG members. The notice board its location, concept and content is designed to make it attractive and informative for DSS parents. Also we at PSG wanted to make the notice board content - it's gathering, it's sorting, it's putting up a fun exercise for the PSG parents. So the whole process turned out to be a bonding activity for the PSG parents.

*A beautiful noticeboard by PSG members*

### Upcoming events @DSS

Parents are strongly encouraged to volunteer your time and talents for any one of the following :

Picnic@Delta	10 October 2015
The Purple Parade	31 October 2015
DSS Registration Day	30 December 2015

For current and previous newsletter issues, please refer to DSS bulletin board at <http://www.apsn.org.sg/schools/delta-senior-school/bulletin-board/>