

Parents Support Group@DSS Newsletter



Rejoicing at DSS Official Opening on 15 April 2014



association for persons with special needs



Building on Trust Partnering as One

Guiding Principles

- ✓ Trust is the foundation.
- ✓ Students are the reason for all PSG activities.
- ✓ Our shared responsibilities – School-Home Partnership
- ✓ Seek common ground – To support your child's transition to society to live independent, quality lives
- ✓ Together, we work towards DSS' educational goals

About PSG @ DSS

The Parents Support Group at Delta Senior School (DSS) comprises 6 Parent Ambassadors and 12 Parent Volunteers. Together, they work closely with the school. They believe in the school mission and will help to support it to equip persons with special needs through best practices in education, training and support services, for an open employment and life-long learning in partnership with our stakeholders and community. The Parent Ambassadors are Mr Goh Tock Suan (Head of Events), Mdm Ithniah Bte Ismail, Mrs Yvonne Chan, Ms Lucy Lau, Mrs Cindy Mak, Gan Choy Hiong, Mdm Constance Lee. This year, parent volunteers have also

set up an Executive Committee comprising Mrs Monica Lim (Chairman), Mrs Anu Sethi (Vice Chair), Mdm Zaridah (Head of Events), Mr Goh Tock Suan (Head of Events) and Mdm Esther Lian. Other parent volunteers include Mrs May Tan, Mrs Irene Foo, Madam Jumariah Bte Jalil, Mdm Lee Ching Yen, Mrs Goh Mei Fong and Mrs Susan Guo. Both Principal Mrs Liau and Vice Principal Mrs Teo were present at our first meeting.

At DSS, the Parent Support Group works with Mrs Alice Teo (Vice Principal), Ms Tahmina Huq (PSG Co-ordinator), Mr Seah Sin Chye and Mdm Saadiah. We appreciate the efforts of parent ambassadors who put up a performance on 11 February 2014 as part of the Lunar New Year celebration.

Upcoming events @ DSS

It will be great if you could participate, volunteer your time/ talents for any one of the following :

Programme/Event	Schedule
Visit to Dignity Kitchen	Fri, 19 Sept, at 10 am
National Day-Hari Raya-Racial Harmony Day Celebration @ DSS	Fri, 8 Aug, 8.30am – 12.30pm
Teacher's Day & Sports Day	Thurs, 4 Sept, 8:30am – 12:30pm
Deepavali	Tues, 21 October
Graduation Day	Fri, 14 November

For general enquiries or suggestions, please feel free to contact us during office hours:

Tel: 6276 3818
Fax: 6468 3608

Alternatively, you may contact Monica (Chairman) or Anu (Vice-Chair). Their email addresses are in this email chain.

Past events

Sharing by Constance



Our first PSG meeting



Sharing by Cindy



Parent Ambassadors' performance at CNY 2014



Course Announcement



AP – ABA Talks Complimentary Series 2014

TOPIC: How To Encourage Spontaneous Language

Children with autism can often have difficulties communicating with others. This becomes especially apparent when looking at spontaneous speech. In this workshop, we will examine a range of ideas designed to increase a student spontaneous speech and interaction in different social and play settings.

Participants will learn:

1. How to set up learning opportunities
2. How to encourage and motivate your child to speak
3. The techniques for expanding their speech

Date : 2 August (Saturday)
Time : 10:00 am to 11:30am
Venue : Autism Partnership (Singapore),
491B River Valley Road
Valley Point Office Tower
#05-01/02
Singapore 248373

Contact tien@autismpartnershipsg.com or (65) 64633095

*Registration closes July 21, 2014 and, or subject to seating availability

* Attendance is restricted to Adults only.