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## TO STUDENTS

Teachers are only guides.


You are your own teachers.

You have to teach yourself.

You have the knowledge  
that you seek within you.

It is up to you to  
discover it.

Inner Silence, Purity, and  
Concentration will help you.

- Mother  Mangalam



## MERDEKA CELEBRATION 2023



Merdeka Day was celebrated at The PLS with the singing of the National Anthem, of which an explanation was given to the children on the meaning of the lyrics. The celebration continued with coloring and painting competitions.



## NARI NARI BAHASA



A Talk on Bahasa Malaysia and the benefits and wonders of reading in Bahasa Malaysia was given by Mr Uthaya Shankar and his team on 26 August 2023. The Chairperson of Education Sub-committee, Dr Anucia Jeganathan presented a token of appreciation to Mr Uthaya and his team after the session.



## TALKS



On 13 July 2023, a Health Talk was delivered to the junior children by Dr Krishnaveni, a volunteer doctor who comes weekly to The PLS. Amongst the topics discussed were personal hygiene, proper brushing of teeth and benefits of a vegetarian diet.



Mr Muthu Nedumaran, an IT Engineer and creator of language apps, was invited to share his experiences with our senior children on 2 September 2023. At the end of the session, the children excitedly asked questions about Google, Tamil literature and many more. A very enlightening session for the audience, indeed!

Dato Ambiga and members of the Committee of Management, Dato Kandan, Ms Deva Kunjari, and Mr Ramarao, joined in with other guests.



## TALENTIME AT THE PLS



An annual event which the children look forward to, to show case their talents is the Talentime Show. This year, it was held on 30 August. The children put up dramas, classical and modern dances, poetry recital and singing. 2 of our senior children who turned EmCees for the day, did a wonderful job. The day was filled with fun, joy and laughter with the children looking forward to the next Talentime.



## CSR PROGRAMMES

Insides Coliving Sdn Bhd decided to have their CSR Programme at The PLS on 8 July 2023. The staff had an active interaction session with the children. Various games were played and at the end of the session, all the children received gifts much to their delight.



Sumitomo Corporation Malaysia Sdn Bhd had their CSR programme in PLS on 25 November 2023. Sumitomo representatives mingled with the children and had a drawing competition on the theme “future dreams”.



Children were also taught to make sushi. They donated 2 Lenovo desktops and laptops for the children’s use. Sumitomo Group made a pledge that they will give scholarships to the children who are eligible to further their studies and offer jobs to those who qualify. We thank them and welcome them aboard.





## VISITORS

The Japan Club of Kuala Lumpur is a regular donor to the PLS, particularly encouraging handicraft & life skills projects. The President of the Women's Wing of the Japan Club (Katorea-Kai), Mrs Kameshima Akiko and the new Committee Members visited The PLS on 14 September 2023 to get acquainted with our activities.



## VISIT BY YB SENATOR PUAN SARASWATHY KANDASAMY



On the invitation of The PLS, YB Senator Puan Saraswathy Kandasamy, Timbalan Menteri Pembangunan Usahawan dan Koperasi, Kementerian Pembangunan Usahawan dan Koperasi, visited us on 7 October 2023. A brief on The PLS and its activities was given by our President, Dato Ambiga Sreenevasan and our Vice President, Dato V L Kandan, followed by lunch with our children.

Present were our Hon Treasurer, Dato M Krishnan and Interim Chairperson of Home & Welfare Sub-committee, Ms Deva Kunjari with senior staff.





## OUTING

In conjunction with Malaysia Day on 16 September 2023, an outing to The Royal Selangor Yacht Club was organised by a well-wisher of The PLS, Mr John Rengarajoo, The Yacht Royal Selangor Club and our Legal Advisor, Mr G Rajasingam. Amongst the activities that took place included performances by PLS and various similar organisations present, demonstration of CPR and administration of first aid. This was followed by a sumptuous lunch and the day ended with the children having a gala time in the Club's swimming pool.





## INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE 2023 (IDP)

IDP was celebrated at The PLS on 24 September 2023 where a Peace gathering took place at the Temple of the Universal Spirit in The PLS. A talk was held on '5 Doable actions for peace' and the golden rule which included the participation of the children, much to their excitement.



Children walking in silence with flowers to be placed at the Peace Poles. Each child held a placard with the Golden Rule written on it.



Treat others the way you  
want to be treated



## MOVIE TIME

The children were treated to a movie ‘Gemenceh Boys’ at GSC IOI Mall by a generous sponsor, on 29 October 2023, which came with complete package of popcorn and soft drinks. The children thoroughly enjoyed the movie, the values it imparted and of course the ambience of the theatre.



## DEEPAVALI

This year, Deepavali was celebrated in The PLS on a small scale. Goody bags filled with new clothing and snacks were presented to the children by our President, Dato Ambiga Sreenevasan. Dato Ambiga also gave out ‘angpows’ to all staff.





## YOGA CAMP



A 3-day Yoga Camp for all children was organised by Mr S Ravin of Malaysian Akshaya Charity Movement in collaboration with PLS concentrating on asanas, benefits of yoga, self development, science, methods to excel in studies, etc.

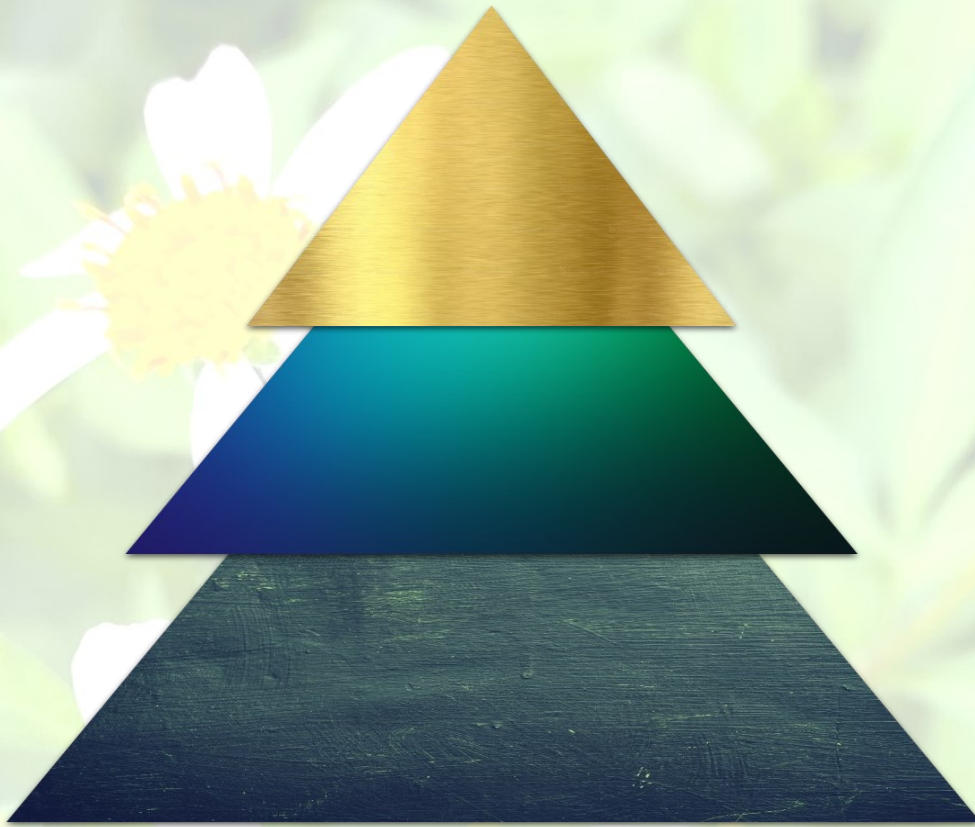


## CHRISTMAS COMES VISITING

Members of the KL Wesley Methodist Church spent 2 December 2023 in The PLS to celebrate an early Christmas with the children. Christmas songs were sung and games played, followed by a sumptuous vegetarian dinner and giving away of Christmas presents to the children.







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