

LUKE 1:17 – "To turn the hearts of the fathers to the children, and the disobedient to the wisdom of the just; to make ready a people prepared for the Lord."

28 April 2014

Dear VLCS Parents.

<u>Greetings:</u> Grace and peace be to you and your family in the precious name of our Lord Jesus Christ. We thank God for His Presence at Sports Day, and to Him be the glory for all students who showed great sportsmanship and even broke three track records in the challenging heat! Thank you parents for your support!

<u>Field Trip – Friday, 2 May:</u> Thank God for His favour of concessions for our students to visit the Singapore River Safari. The concessions are: \$8 for students 12 years & below and \$16 for older students. Students are required to hand in the entrance fees to their respective supervisors by Wednesday, 30 April. All students should report to school at the usual time in their PE T-shirt and school skirt/pants and they will be dismissed at 2:30pm. School will provide transport and lunch.

<u>Honour Parents Week 5 – 8 May:</u> Pastor Yohanes will give the exhortation and some students will share edifying testimonies of their relationship with parents during Thursday chapel. We welcome all parents!

<u>Parent Orientation – Saturday, 10 May:</u> Mrs Laura Lim will contact you for Parent Orientation if you have not attended before. It is important for every parent to attend at least once and should you desire to attend again, please inform Mrs Lim.

International Student Convention (ISC): 15 students and 2 staff will be leaving for ISC convention at Indiana University, Pennsylvania, on Tuesday, 20 May, and will return on Tuesday, 3 June. We are glad to see these students practicing diligently, with zeal and commitment to do their best at this life-changing, history-making experience at the convention. Please continue to pray for the Lord's favour, journey mercies, divine health, strength, wisdom and a spirit of excellence on the students and staff. Mr. Boey and I will be there to give support.

<u>Term 4 PACE work, School Holidays and Parent Conference:</u> PACE work will continue till 30 May, and the Parent Conference previously scheduled for the last week of May is rescheduled to the first week of July because of the ISC convention. Term 4 holidays begin on 31 May – 29 June.

There will be no school on Monday, 30 June and Tuesday, 1 July as the supervisors will prepare the transcripts. Parent Conference will begin on Wednesday, 2 July to Friday 4 July. Your child's supervisor will inform you of your appointment. Please note that Sunday, 6 July is Youth Day and therefore, Monday, 7 July, is a school holiday. PACE work will commence on Tuesday, 8 July.

<u>Character counts:</u> For May, the school will focus on being CONTENT, which is defined as: Understanding and accepting that God has provided everything I need for adjusting to circumstances around me.

Not that I speak in respect of want: for I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content. Phillippians 4:11

May Bible Memory Passage: Pre-School to Elementary Class Colossians 3: 1-10

Middle School to High School Colossians 3: 1-20

<u>Financial Commitment:</u> Thank you for fulfilling your financial commitment for May/June on time.

Many blessings,

Mrs. Jan Boey