

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."

29 October 2024

Dear Kingdom Parents,

Thank God for a beautiful morning on 12 October for our Family Walk. We are glad to see many parents and family members at the Railway Corridor. Thank you very much for your strong support which helped raise \$19,000 for students participating in the 2024 AASC and the 2025 ISC. All participating students are practicing and giving their best to the glory of God at the AASC and I am proud to inform you that they are all worthy of your generous financial and moral support.

Recently, we wrote to MOE and MOH to offer help for the 17,000 youths who are not in school. It was also reported in The Straits Times that 1 out of 3 youths have mental issues. If, in your community, you know of any youth not in school, do recommend them to our school as we have seen how students are transformed by the renewing of their minds to the knowledge of God, knowing where they come from and where they are going with purpose and living life that they might have it abundantly, at their own pace to their fullest potential.

Our younger generation is plagued with addiction to gaming, to gadgets, to social media, artificial intelligence, chat GPT, google, and deception. As parents, let us be vigilant to fight for our children: to think on things that are good, pure, lovely and of good report, and to steward their time to create what is noble and make a difference to change the world (which is full of deceitfulness of riches, cares and lust of things). Let us be vigilant in the reading and meditation of the Word of God daily with this generation, that they be strong in the Lord, in the world as He is, but not of this world, Amen.

Events for the months of November/December 2024:

Friday, 1 November: Field Trip

We will have a picnic and enjoy our world heritage Botanical Gardens. Staff will gather their students after housekeeping in school and travel by MRT to the gardens. Students will be dismissed at the gardens at 12:30pm.

Friday, 15 November: Last day of school for 2024. School holidays 16 Nov – 31 DecemberOur Kingdom Council is planning to celebrate Thanksgiving and early Christmas in school, and sing carols of glad tidings and good cheer at Health Serve, Green Avenue, and HCSA residents. Students are expected to continue their **daily** Bible journal during the holidays, writing their revelations, reflections, and prayers from the Word of God.

The new school year commences on Thursday, 2 January 2025.

Tuesday-Friday, 14-17 January 2025: Parent Conference (PC)

Please note that PC is important for you and your child, and we appreciate your attendance from Tuesday-Friday, 14-17 January 2025. Students will be dismissed earlier at 12:00pm on these days to facilitate the conferences in the afternoons. Supervisors will be sharing more on a scheduling app for you to book your PC meeting appointment on a first-come, first-served basis.

Bible Memory Passage for November and December: Ephesians 2:1-22

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Financial Commitment for 2024 School Fees

Please note that our Annual School Fees (\$9,810 for <13-year-olds and \$11,118 for 13 years and above) are for 40 weeks of school. For more equitable charging, school fees for new admissions and students graduating or withdrawing during the year will be pro-rated according to the number of weeks in school.

Example 1: If a junior student leaves school at the end of October 2024, having used 38 school weeks x \$245.25/week = \$9,319.50 school fees due. If he has paid 5 instalments (Jan-Oct) of \$1,635.00 = \$8,175.00, then his final balance will be \$9,319.50-\$8,175.00 = \$1,144.50 owing to VLCS.

Example 2: If a senior student graduates at the end of September 2024, having used 33 school weeks x \$277.95 = \$9,172.35 school fees due. If he has paid 5 instalments (Jan-Oct) of \$1,853.00 = \$9.265.00, then his final balance will be -\$92.65 (to be refunded by VLCS).

Thank you for your understanding. The final instalment of 2024 school fees was due on 15 October. Thank you for fulfilling your financial commitment on time.

We wish all VLCS families bountiful blessings, good fruit and rest in the long holidays, and a Victorious New Year 2025.

Mrs Jan Boey Senior Administrator