



# Bethel High School Parent Newsletter

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## **Evangelistic Ministry Committee**

1. The school arranged a Lunch Prayer Concert on 5<sup>th</sup> of February. Students from Bethel Seminary led our students to sing hymns and shared their testimonies and the glory of god through a drama.
2. In the afternoon of 11<sup>th</sup> March, 15 Christian Ambassadors participated in voluntary work service at Hong Chi Morninglight School Yuen Long. They had learnt the characteristics of students with mental disabilities and the ways to deal with them before the visit. Through this activity they learnt the spirit of respect, tolerance and love of Jesus Christ.

## **Healthy Campus Development Team**

1. We awarded 16 S.6 students in the “Lift Me Up Award Scheme”. 7 students got gold medals. 4 students got silver medals. 5 students got bronze medals.
2. From 25<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> February, there was a Flower Show and an Inter-Class “ Blossom Flowers” Photo . It nurtured our students’ interest in nature photography.
3. Students who had registered for the Student Health Service from the Medical and Health Department attended the check-up on time. We arranged free coaches for our students to and from the Student Health Service Centre. In the afternoon of 11<sup>th</sup> March, it was arranged for students from 1A, 1C and 2B to have check-ups. They also finished their body check satisfactorily.
4. We arranged a number of 4A and 4B students to serve the elderly who lived alone at Caritas District Elderly Centre - Yuen Long (Tin Chak Centre). It helped the students develop a sense of service among the elderly.

## **Career Guidance Team**

1. It was arranged for 24 students from 5A to visit the Education Path of the Civil Aviation Department on 2<sup>nd</sup> of February. They acquired information about the work of the department.
2. On 4<sup>th</sup> February, a group sharing was given to 5A students with the presence of a psychiatric nurse, an architect and a social worker. It involved the highlights of these occupations. Our students got a sense of difficulties and joys, skills required and qualifications needed for each profession.
3. 15 Non-Chinese students were led by the Career Guidance Team to participate in the HOPE

worldwide Career Planning Training Camp (2 days and 1 night) from 19<sup>th</sup> February to 20<sup>th</sup> February. The activity greatly boosted our students' communication skills, team spirit and self-reflection capabilities. They also achieved breakthroughs for themselves in the camp.

4. The Career guidance team arranged an exhibition during the Parents' Day in order to show the different pathways for our senior form students. During the activity, we also gave advice to students and parents. In addition, two social workers from Caritas Youth and Community Service were invited to provide Non-Chinese parents and students with information on career guidance.
5. On 26<sup>th</sup> February, it was arranged for 30 students from 6B and 6C to participate in a Simulated Working Environment from Mr. Work. Students acted the roles of diligent staff members in the activity. In this event they acquired knowledge about the running of a company, work survival skills and general requirements from the boss of a company.
6. On 5<sup>th</sup> March, we organized a "Plan My Dream" activity for our S.6 students so that they can set life goals for themselves and better equip themselves for work.
7. On 8<sup>th</sup> March 2016, 27 4B students joined the Experience Day at Hong Kong City University under Project We Can. It enabled them to experience and understand the culture and learning mode of a university. After this event our students began their reflection on personal learning progress and promotion target.
8. We assisted our S.6 students to apply for whole-day degree courses, high diploma and diploma of vocational education at the Vocational Training Council (VTC) in 2016/17. We nominated S.6 students to join the Principal's Nomination Scheme (PNS) under the Institute of Vocational Education (IVE).
9. In-mid March, an induction course Applied Learning (Apl) organized by Education Bureau was organized for S.4 students so that they had a better understanding of the relevant curriculum, course venue and facilities of Applied Learning (Apl). The Applied Learning (Apl) course aims at nurturing our students' learning attitude and generic abilities.

#### **Co-curricular and extracurricular activities team**

1. Our Oriental Dance Team was invited to be the guest of performance in a variety of activities. In January, they were invited to perform as guest of performance at the Support Service Centre for Ethnic Minorities. In February, the team was invited by Junior Police Call to be the guest of performance in the Chinese New Year Greeting Party. In March they performed in the Annual Meeting for Junior Police Call at Wan Chai Police Headquarters with the presence of the Secretary for the Security Bureau and the Head of Hong Kong Police Force.
2. The Community Youth Club (CYC) of our school was awarded an Outstanding Team Prize and many other honored service medals. In February we participated in the Annual Parade of CYC at the Elizabeth Stadium. Our Modern Dance Team was invited to perform in an event serving

the elderly during Chinese New Year. The funds raised were donated to the Community Chest.

3. Our Oriental Dance Team won the Grade 1 Award in the Inter-School Oriental Dance Competition. Bibi Maryem from S.5A won the Grade 1 Award in Oriental Dance of the Inter-School Dancing Competition. Our Modern Dance Team won the Grade 2 Award in the Inter-School Modern Dance Competition. Gurung Subi also won the Grade 2 Award in the Jazz Dance Competition.
4. Mr. Tang Kam Fai was invited to give a speech to the Hong Kong Policy Research Institute. The topic was about the role of Life Wide Learning for Non-Chinese students' career planning. Faraz Sunnah from 4A also shared her views and reports during activity.
5. The Co-curricular and Extra-curricular Team invited members from the Road Safety Council to demonstrate to us the practice of safe cycling.
6. The Co-curricular and Extra-curricular Team joined the Light Angel Charity Walk which was organized by Rotary Sunrise so as to let our students understand more about the life of blind people.

### **Congratulations**

1. 6A Prasai Kailash received the Hong Kong Student Sports Awards by A.S. Watsons Group. He also got the Sir Edward Youde Memorial Prizes for Senior Secondary School Students and attended the prize presentation ceremony.
2. Ms. Leung Wai Fan from S.6C got the Most Improved Students Award from the Mainland Students Scholarship in 2014-2015.
3. Our Junior Police Call was awarded the first runner-up at the sub-branch of Junior Police Call Competition.
4. Our school was awarded the Community Youth Club Outstanding Team Award in 2014-2015.
5. Our S.6 graduates in 2015, Ms. Chan Yee Wa and Ms. Chung Hong Yi were awarded the First Honour Level and Red Star Honour Badge in the CYC Member Merit Award Scheme 2014-15. Ms. Tang Long Man was awarded the Second Honour Level and White Star Honour Badge. Ms. Shum Chung Ting and Ms. Tang Chui Yung were both awarded Secondary School Level 3 and Purple Badge.
6. Ms. Cheung Hoi Yan, Ms. Leung Hiu Lam, Ms. Chan Yuet Ming and Ms. Tang Wai Lam of S.3A were awarded the First Honour Level and Red Star Honour Badge in CYC Member Merit Award Scheme 2015-2016. Ms. Cheng Ka Ki from S.3A was awarded the Second Honour Level and White Star Honour Badge. Mr. Chan Ka Wa from S.3A was awarded the Third Honour Level and Blue Star Honour Badge. Ms. Su Wen Jun and Ms. Wong Fung Shan were awarded Secondary School Level 3 and Purple Badge.