

English Festival a huge success...

Fung Kai Liu Man Shek Tong Secondary School staff and students work together to produce a fun filled English Festival in 2013.

During the 4th to the 8th of March, FKLMSTSS school was transformed into an English speaking zone. There were a huge range of activities provided for students and many interests were catered for by English teachers during recess, lunchtimes, and after school. Highlights included a book fair, game booths, drama shows, singing contest and a huge BBQ on the afternoon of the last day. It is very obvious that there are a number of gifted students in our school judging by the confidence of MC's, the quality of the drama produced by the junior drama group and the quality of the speeches and poems performed during the Junior Assembly.

English Society Members Are



Up To The Challenge

The English Festival was a great opportunity to give English Society members the chance to show their talents. We are lucky to have such active, dedicated and hard working members in our group. These

students are truly the young talent of the future.



Game Booth Extravaganza

S4 Students and Teachers had a chance to shine with the creation of excellent game booths for the lunchtime program.

The booths were very popular and well attended by students!



LEADERSHIP AND SUPPORT





An example to follow...

One of the strongest supporters of the English Festival is Principal Fan. Right from the first day of the festival he was on hand to greet students in

English, present them with book vouchers and officially announce the opening of the festival-in English, on the morning of the first day. Mr Fan also attended most of the festival events including both senior and junior assemblies. Mr Fan is keenly interested in the progress of his students and always reminds them of the importance of using English. The success of the festival is due in no small part to his full support and encouragement. Many thanks Mr Fan!



Prefects and **EVOLUTION** help out

On the Monday morning of the festival, students arriving at school were greeted in English, by school

prefects and the Evolution team, as part of the whole school approach to using spoken English, during the festival. Prefects used English to greet students for the whole week and served as role models for the rest of the school and teachers as well. When asked, Teacher Jon said, 'This kind of example by our senior students shows everyone that learning English is a valuable tool for students at all levels, both in and out of the classroom.' He added that, "This kind of team work is good for the 2 whole school.'

BOOK FAIR 2013



Read more, learn more, share more...

There is something special about a book fair. Maybe its the excitement of seeing new books, or just the potential to read and learn something new and exciting.

In any case, most of our students agree that there is something magic about being able to see new books and even choose one or two to take home.

This year a new feature was introduced whereby students could nominate books from the fair that they wanted to be added to the school library. This proved to be a very popular feature and many students nominated new books that were purchased and added immediately to the library for all students to enjoy.

There was also a general increase in the number of books purchased from last year, which is good news for the school and a sign that reading is still as important as ever.

STAFF ON STAGE





FKLMSTSS teachers show off their talent during drama show

Several well known staff members were invited on stage for the Sherlock Holmes drama show held during senior assembly. Principal Fan, Ms Mak and Ms Wong were 'unexpected performers' during the show, which included audience participation, exciting costumes and sound effects as well as a funny story. Mr Fan said that he was 'surprised but delighted to take part', while students were impressed by teachers brave enough to take part in the show and give their support.

Several students also took part in the show as MC's and actors, showcasing their abilities to their friends and primary students from Fung Kai No. 1 Primary School.

The show was performed in front of a packed audience, with active participation from the primary students who answered most of the questions before the senior students did!

The show was followed up by an exciting junior assembly drama show from Mr Li's drama students in the afternoon, showcasing the depth of talent that is present in FKLMSTSS.



ACTIVE STUDENTS





Talent To Burn! The Karaoke Singing Contest is destined to become a major even in the English Festival lineup,

judging by the popularity of the contest this year. Despite relatively short notice, students packed out Funland and some very talented singers entertained us with their versions of 'Barbie Girl', 'Apologise' and 'My Heart Will Go On.' The crowd was also treated to old favourites like 'Raindrops Keep Falling On My Head' and a wonderful song from 'High School Musical' as well. There was no doubt from the audience that there is definitely a future for many singers at FKLMSTSS, as they cheered their classmates on and showed their support for everyone who took part. This event can only get better in years to come.



English in a social setting

On the last day of the festival, after-school, a special 'Australian Styled'BBQ event was held to thank English Captains helpers and teachers for their hard work during the festival week. This was a very successful event, giving teachers and students the chance to mix and use English in a social setting. Teacher Jon was excited to show students how to make his famous Australian 'Sausage Sandwich' and play some fun music as well!