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ZENITH NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to Zenith's August Issue 2024.

"Perseverance is not a long race; it is many short races one after the other."

- Walter Elliot



MESSAGE FROM OUR EXECUTIVE PRINCIPAL

DR INDERJEET SINGH SIDHU

Welcoming Our New Students and Families

On August 1st, we rolled out the red carpet for our amazing new students and their families! This day marked the beginning of an epic journey at Zenith, filled with learning, growth, and unforgettable experiences. We are excited to see our new students thrive and make their mark in our vibrant school community.

Celebrating Excellence: Academic and Sports Scholarships

At Zenith, we are committed to supporting and empowering our students to achieve greatness. We are thrilled to announce the recipients of our 2024/2025 Academic and Sports Scholarships! These scholarships are a testament to the talent and dedication of our students, and we are proud to champion their success. Congratulations to all our scholars—your hard work and passion inspire us all.

IJM Half Marathon 2024: A Day of Team Spirit

What an amazing day it was at the IJM Half Marathon 2024! The Zenith team had a fantastic time running, cheering, and bonding at Dataran Centrio, Seremban. The energy was incredible, and we couldn't be prouder of everyone who participated. Events like these highlight the strong sense of community and team spirit that define Zenith.

Outstanding IGCSE Results for the Class of 2023-2024

Zenith International School is thrilled to announce the release of our IGCSE results for the Year 11 graduating class of 2023-2024! We are incredibly proud of our students' achievements, with many celebrating remarkable results. Additionally, our Year 10 and 11 students excelled in Foreign Language Mandarin, Foreign Language Malay, and Second Language Mandarin, with an impressive 95% achieving a grade A/A*!

Inspiring Future Leaders at SJK(C) Chung Hua

This month, we had the privilege of visiting SJK(C) Chung Hua and connecting with the bright Year 6 students. Our session, "Navigating the Future: A Road Map for Success," was filled with insightful discussions, practical tips, and inspiring stories to help these young minds chart their paths forward. It was an inspiring experience, and we look forward to continuing to support their journey.

Oral Health Awareness with Q & M Dental Group

On August 21st, we hosted an Oral Health Talk in collaboration with Q & M Dental Group (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd. Our Primary Students (Years 5 & 6) and Secondary Students (Years 8 & 9) learned about the importance of oral health and the challenges teenagers face in maintaining good oral hygiene. It was an informative session that emphasized the significance of taking care of one's health from a young age.

As we move forward into the academic year, I am filled with optimism and excitement for what lies ahead. Thank you to our students, parents, teachers, and staff for your continued support and commitment to excellence. Together, we will make this year truly outstanding.

Warm regards,
Dr. Inderjeet Singh Sidhu
Executive Principal
Zenith International School



MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

MS CATHERINE FOO BEE YEN

Dear Zenith Family,

August has been a month of dynamic activities, remarkable achievements, and cultural celebrations here at Zenith International School. As we embark on the 2024/2025 academic year, I'm excited to share some of the incredible highlights with you.

Kicking Off the 2024/2025 Sports Academy Seasons

The 2024/2025 season for both our Basketball and Football Academies has officially begun, and our students are already showcasing their passion and talent. Whether on the court or the field, our athletes are demonstrating great teamwork, determination, and a commitment to excellence. We're excited to see how they grow and excel in the coming months.

A Memorable Visit from Chelsea World School

What an incredible day it was at Zenith International School! We had the pleasure of hosting Chelsea World School for a day filled with excitement, sportsmanship, and lasting memories. Our teams gave their best effort, demonstrating great spirit and determination on the court & field. Although the results didn't go our way, the experience was invaluable, and we're proud of the sportsmanship our students displayed. These matches provided an excellent opportunity for our students to learn, grow, and forge new friendships. The spirit of friendly competition was alive and well, and we're grateful to Chelsea World School for their participation.

Celebrating Excellence at the 2023/2024 Academic Awards Ceremony

On August 24th, we proudly celebrated our students' outstanding achievements at the 2023/2024 Academic Awards Ceremony. From excelling in internal assessments to achieving remarkable results in external exams, our students' hard work and dedication truly shone through. We also installed our new prefects, who are ready to lead with integrity. A special thanks to our distinguished guests, sponsors, teachers, and parents for making this event memorable. Congratulations to all our award recipients—keep reaching for the stars!

Bulan Bahasa Melayu 2024: A Celebration of Language and Culture

Bulan Bahasa Melayu 2024 has officially begun! On August 26th, during our assembly, we proudly launched our month-long celebration of Bahasa Melayu, bringing students and teachers together to honor our beautiful national language. This month is packed with exciting activities, including quizzes, pantun recitations, song competitions, and a Merdeka fashion show, ensuring there's something for everyone to participate in. Let's embrace the spirit of Bahasa Melayu and show our pride in our culture and heritage. Join us in making this Bulan Bahasa the best one yet!

As we continue through the academic year, I'm filled with pride in our students, staff, and community. Your dedication and enthusiasm make Zenith a truly special place to learn and grow. I look forward to sharing more successes with you in the months to come.

Warm regards,
Ms. Catherine Foo Bee Yen
Principal
Zenith International School



ACADEMY AWARDS CEREMONY 2023/2024



MESSAGE FROM HEAD OF SECONDARY

MS OMPRETA FLORA FRANCIS

Dear Zenith School Community,
August has been a month of activity, achievement, and leadership at Zenith International School. Our students have hit the ground running, embracing new challenges and making us proud at every turn. Here are some of the highlights from this exciting month.

Kicking Off the 2024/2025 CCA Season

Our Secondary Co-Curricular Activities (CCA) program launched in Week 2 of the 2024/2025 academic year, offering a wide array of activities that cater to our students' diverse interests.

Sports CCAs: Our students are actively participating in sports such as Taekwondo, Hockey, Basketball, Football, Archery, Badminton, Squash, Swimming, Yoga, and Table Tennis, all under the guidance of experienced coaches. These sessions are not only about physical fitness but also about teamwork, discipline, and personal growth.

Club CCAs: In addition to sports, our students are engaged in various clubs, including Culinary, Music, Debate & Public Speaking, Dance, Science Olympiad, Entrepreneurial, Art and Craft, Nature & Adventure, Robotics & IoT, and Mathematics Olympiad. These clubs provide weekly fun activities, allowing students to explore their passions and develop new skills with the support of dedicated facilitators.

A Memorable Visit from John Dewey Higher Secondary School

Zenith International School proudly hosted John Dewey Higher Secondary School from Nepal for an exhilarating day of sports, friendship, and unforgettable memories. The energy was electric as both schools competed in epic 7-a-side football matches in the Under 12 and Under 15 categories. It was a day of sportsmanship, teamwork, and building lasting connections across borders.

Vanda National Junior Science Olympiad 2024: Medal and Certificate Ceremony

We also celebrated our students' success in the Vanda National Junior Science Olympiad 2024 with a special medal and certificate ceremony. It was a moment of pride as we recognized the outstanding efforts of our students who represented Zenith with distinction in this prestigious competition.

Introducing Our Zenith Prefects

We are proud to introduce our newly appointed Zenith Prefects, who have begun their duties with enthusiasm and dedication. These young leaders are committed to fostering a positive and disciplined environment at our school. Whether monitoring the cafeteria or assisting at school events, our prefects are already making a significant impact. Please join us in congratulating them and supporting their leadership journey as they help shape the future of Zenith International School.

As we continue through the academic year, I am inspired by the energy and enthusiasm of our students and staff. Thank you for your continued support, and I look forward to sharing more achievements with you in the coming months.

Warm regards,
Ms. Ompreta
Head of Secondary
Zenith International School





MESSAGE FROM HEAD OF PRIMARY

MS NOOR LEILAH

Dear Zenith School Community,

As we step into the new academic year, we are thrilled to share the outstanding achievements of our students this past month. August has been a month of remarkable accomplishments, showcasing the dedication, talent, and hard work of our Zenith International School community. Let's take a moment to celebrate our shining stars and their incredible successes across various competitions!

Zenith International School Shines at MSSNS Swimming Competition 2024!

Our swimmers made a strong impression at the MSSNS Swimming Competition held from July 25th to 27th at Pusat Akuatik Negeri, Paroi, Seremban. Divyana and Lau Zhengin excelled in Butterfly, Backstroke, and Freestyle, while Miguel Lee Jia Hyun finished in the top 30% in multiple strokes. Muhamad Tsaqif and Nur Zhafirah made significant time improvements, and Thisya and Sanvika delivered commendable performances. Overall, our athletes showcased outstanding skill and dedication.

State-Level Victory in Chess!

A huge round of applause for Praneal Balan, who has made Zenith International School immensely proud at the MSSNS Chess State-Level Finals! Praneal showcased exceptional skill, clinching 8th place in the highly competitive individual category and leading his team to a triumphant 1st place in the group category. Well done, Praneal!

Zenith's Rising Squash Star!

We couldn't be prouder of our squash prodigy, Lokkesh from Year 9 Edison! At just 13 years old, Lokkesh has been dominating the squash courts and took on older competitors in the MSSNS Squash Under 15 category, emerging as the 1st Runner-Up. Congratulations, Lokkesh!

National Star Award Achievement!

We are thrilled to announce that Thevisha Naidu D/O Vignesvaran has been recognized at the prestigious National Star Award event on August 10th, 2024! Thevisha shone in the Memory Sports Category, securing a place among the Top 5 National Star Awardees. At just 5 years old, she is the youngest ever to receive this award. What an incredible achievement!

As we celebrate these incredible achievements, I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to our dedicated teachers, supportive parents, and, most importantly, our hardworking students. Your passion and perseverance continue to make Zenith International School a place of excellence and inspiration. Let's keep up the momentum as we move forward into the new academic year, striving for even greater heights together!

Warm regards,

Ms. Leilah

Head of Primary, Zenith International School

MSSNS SWIMMING COMPETITION 2024 ACHIEVERS



THEVISSHA NAIDU- NATIONAL STAR





MESSAGE FROM HEAD OF PRESCHOOL

MS UMMA MAHESWARY

Exciting Times at Zenith Preschool!

We're thrilled to share that our thematic and sensory-based program at Zenith Preschool is in full swing! Each day is an adventure designed to spark curiosity and ignite the imaginations of our young learners. Our goal is to make learning a fun and engaging experience, setting the stage for a smooth transition into primary schooling.

Celebrating National Day Spirit

At Zenith International Preschool, we emphasize the importance of instilling the National Day spirit in our young learners. By nurturing a love for our country and embedding good values from an early age, we aim to shape future leaders who will lead with pride and integrity. Let's come together to celebrate our heritage and inspire the next generation.

Bulan Bahasa Activities Recap

Our Bulan Bahasa celebrations were a great success! From August 26th to September 13th, our classrooms were beautifully decorated with vibrant art reflecting our rich language and culture. The Warna-Warni Malaysia Colouring Competition on August 30th was a hit, with all L1 and L2 students showcasing their artistic talents. Later that day, our preschoolers participated in a lively Merdeka Marching event, celebrating our national heritage with enthusiasm and pride.

As we continue to embark on this exciting journey, we look forward to seeing our young learners thrive and celebrate our shared values. Thank you for your continued support and enthusiasm in making Zenith Preschool a vibrant and inspiring place for our children.

Warm regards,
Ms. Uma
Head of Preschool, Zenith International School



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Notes:

- **Merdeka Celebrations & Language Month Closing Ceremony** - Friday, 13th Sept
- **Malaysia Day Public Holiday** - Monday, 16th Sept
- **Prophet Muhammad's Birthday Public Holiday**- Monday, 16 Sept
- **Replacement Public Holiday** - Tuesday, 17 Sept



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SUDOKU

Playing Sudoku not only improves concentration and memory but also cuts risk of developing Alzheimer's disease

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Vocabulary

RAMBUNCTIOUS	Noisy and lacking in restraint or discipline
MISANTHROPE	Someone who dislikes people in general
CLANDESTINE	Something conducted in secret
QUIBBLE	To complain or fixate on a trivial or small detail to avoid the main point of an argument
EUPHORIA	An intense feeling of elation/ excitement.

Stay in touch :

Thank you for being a part of our August Newsletter!

We will see you again in next month's edition with more happenings to share.

