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# Lee Kam Express



#### Top Stories from S.T.F.A. Lee Kam Primary School

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### Hong Kong Travel Day

By Jackson Wan (4C) and Keifer Kung (4E)

n December, January and February, P.4-P.6 students from Lee Kam Primary School went to Lam Tsuen in Tai Po. They went there to learn about the history of the village. They travelled there by school bus.

When they arrived, they worked very hard to learn about the village's history. They also learned about what the people there do every day. They visited some famous places there, such as: the Peach Field, Lam Tsuen School and the Wishing Tree. They were very busy there, but fortunately they had three hours for their trip.

The most popular place was the Wishing



Students next to the Wishing Tree

Tree. People always make a wish in front of this tree because it Will make their wishes true! come Ryan Ka from 5B said, "I wished that there would world peace when I went to the Wishing Tree."

The students went on this trip because the teachers wanted them to learn more about Lam Tsuen history. The students had a lot of fun on this trip. Vincent Cheung from 4E said, "It was the best trip ever!"

The Lee Kam Primary students hope that they will have more trips like this in the future.

## Sports Day

By Ting Lai (6B) and Henry Tsang (6D)



n 11th March, all of the students at Lee Kam Primary School had Sports Day at Tang Shiu Kin playground.

There were many different competitions for P.3-P.6 to join. There was 60m, 100m, 200m and 400m for running. There was also long jump, high jump, shot put and running relays.



P.3 students running 100m

They also had an inter-house cheering competition. The winners got gold medals, second place got silver medals and third place got bronze medals. The top athlete from each year group got a big trophy. Gigi Yeung from 6B said, "I felt excited on Sports Day, and I was also happy that some of my classmates won."

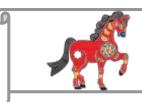
This year, Sports Day was different from last year. This year, there were five houses. They were: Sincere, Unique, Pleasant, Energetic and Responsible. Different houses had different colours. Some of the students wore the coloured uniform that matched their house.

Some students did not enter the competitions. Instead, they helped the teachers. They did things like collecting the shots in shot put and raking the long jump pit. They really helped Sports Day very much.

In the competitions, all of the students did their best and their classmates helped them by cheering for them too. Everybody enjoyed Sports Day very much!

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## Chinese New Year Special



## Chinese Clothing Day

By Gordon Lee (5C), Shiny Lau (4C) and Kelvin Hui (5E)

n 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2014, Lee Kam Primary School had a Chinese Clothing Day. The students and teachers enjoyed wearing Chinese clothing to school. Lee Kam Primary School had this event to celebrate Chinese New Year.

The students enjoyed wearing the brightly coloured clothing because it was more fun to wear than their school uniform. Miss Yu from 5E said, "I liked Chinese Clothing Day because everyone looked good in their colourful clothing. There were lots of fun things to do on that day too."

At recess that day, the students tried to solve some interesting Chinese riddles on the ground floor. The Putonghua helpers checked the answers. Some of the teachers let the students say some lucky, Chinese phrases to them. The teachers gave some candy to the students too. Also, Miss So picked some

students to take some beautiful photos. Stephanie Chow from 5A said, "I liked that day very much because it was interesting and fun."

The Lee Kam students thought that the day was fun and they hope that next year's Chinese Clothing Day will be even more interesting!



Miss So and the students wear Chinese clou

### Poon Choi Party

By Cherry Sin (4B) and Kename Chan (4D)

n 21<sup>st</sup> February, 2014, Lee Kam Primary School had a Poon Choi party in the covered playground. The students, teachers and parents could go if they bought a ticket. The school had the Poon Choi party to celebrate Chinese New Year.

At the party, everybody ate Poon Choi, which is food cooked in a pot. There was meat, vegetables and rice. The food in the pot was very yummy. Joy Chung from 4D said, "I liked the Poon Choi party because the food was tasty. My family and I went together and it was the first time I had been to a Poon Choi party."

There were a lot of different activities to do at the party, such as performances, a lucky draw and a catwalk show. Yuki Li in 4C said, "I went to the Poon Choi party with my mum. I won a very special prize - \$500! I liked the lucky draw best because it was exciting and you could win lots of prizes." The most interesting performance was when Miss So, the Principal, sang three songs while a parent played the guitar. All of the students were very happy to see that and many people took photos.

If there is a Poon Choi party next year, you may try the Poon Choi too!



### Open Class For Parents

By Vienne Chiu (5A), Stephanie Chow (5A) and Joshua Ho (5E)

n 7th March, 2014, Lee Kam Primary School held an Open Class for parents. This day was for the parents to see how their children learn at school. The parents sat at the back of the classroom to watch their children.

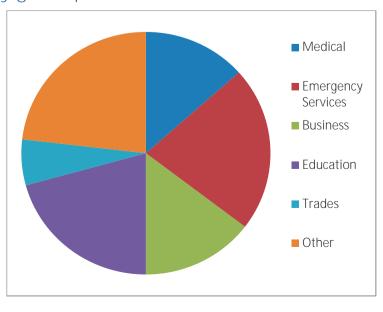
The students had to pay attention during the lesson. They couldn't talk. 5A class had an English lesson. When Miss Yam taught them on that day, the class had a chat about traffic in Hong Kong. Stephanie Chow's father said, "I enjoyed watching this lesson. It was great!"

All of the students worked hard to show their parents what they learn at school. Everyone tried their best. Valerie Chiu from 2B said, "It was fun. The students in 2B were very patient and well behaved."



#### **SURVEY**

We surveyed the students at Lee Kam Primary to find out what industry they want to work in when they grow up. Here are the results!



## \* Teachers' Corner \*

The Teachers' Corner brings you interviews and articles on your favourite Lee Kam teachers. Who would you like to hear about next? Write to leekamnews@gmail.com to share your ideas!

#### Miss Yu

By Mavis Ma (4A) and Catherine Shi (4E)

iss Yu teaches Chinese at Lee Kam Primary School. She is also the classroom teacher for 3D. She is a very nice teacher and her students like her because she sometimes tells jokes to make the students happy.

She has been teaching at Lee Kam Primary School for half a year. Miss Yu said, "I have been teaching here since this year. I taught at another school before I taught here. I think my students are sometimes good and sometimes naughty! I like my students to be good students. I want them to be polite, do their homework well and have good behaviour."

Her students like her very much. They like her because she has lots of good qualities. Also, she always gives the students stationery when they get good marks or improve in their dictations or exams. Judy Poon from 4E said, "I like Miss Yu because she always gives us presents, such as stationery and candy, when we are good."

Miss Yu likes to watch TV in her spare time. Her favourite thing to watch is the news. She knows a lot about the news around the world.

She is a good teacher because she disciplines the naughty students and rewards the good students. All the students enjoy her lessons.





## The Good People & Good Deeds OF Lee Kam



### Classroom Helpers

By Ryan Ka (5B) and Ceci Chan (5C)

he classroom helpers are the students who help the teachers. Each class has classroom helpers, and there are different kinds of jobs for them to do.

The people who do these jobs help a lot, and they will do extra jobs so that the teachers won't get too tired. They help the teachers gather the students' homework and clean the classroom to make it nice and tidy. The I.T. helpers turn the computer on for the teacher, and the Notice Board helpers help the students to display pictures and posters.



The classroom helpers are good students. They are chosen by the teachers or the students if they believe they can do the job well. The helpers are changed every half a year, so that everyone can try doing a job. This means that it is fair to everyone. Sally Ching from 5C said, "I am honoured that I can help others by being a classroom helper!"

The classroom helpers help the students and teachers of Lee Kam Primary School a lot. "The classroom helpers work hard, so I want to say 'Thanks' to them for their help!" said Kelly Tsang from 5C.

#### **Janitors**

By Celia Tsang (5C), Smiling Po (5B) and Nicole Lai (5B)

he janitors are very important people at Lee Kam Primary School. They help to clean the places that are dirty in the school, and they do other jobs too.

Every day, the janitors work hard to keep the school clean. They sweep the floor, clean the desks



and chairs and clean the blackboard. Also, every day they deliver the newspapers like Goodies and Junior to the classrooms. also They put different worksheets in each class. Yannes Chan from 5E thinks, "They are awesome! They always clean our desks well."

Sometimes, the janitors also take sick students, or students who need to go to competitions, out of school. They also pack sick students'

bags and carry them to the sick bay. Chloe Ng from 5D said, "I think that the janitors help us so much!"

The janitors do their job very well. They are kind and helpful to the students and teachers. We would like to say 'Thank you' to them for all their hard work!

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