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## **Inauguration of Chatsworth BT**

BT campus was officially inaugurated by Mr. Tyler Sherwood, Head of Chatsworth Group of Schools on 12th Oct 2018. In the presence of our distinguished guests and school community comprising teachers, students, parents and staff, Mr Sherwood pressed the launch pad to unveil our opening plaque, thereby marking the official inauguration of Chatsworth Bukit Timah.

As short and sweet as the program began, the inauguration ceremony concluded with a lion dance performance and most beautiful delivery of our school song 'We are one'.



# UN Day 2018

At Chatsworth International School, United Nations Day is always an important celebration and this year UN Day was a special one as it was the first UN Day at Bukit Timah campus. It was great to see the community coming together to celebrate our diversity.

As part of the UN Day celebrations, our school community dressed in outfits from their various home countries to appreciate the culture and difference. Students paraded from the basketball court to the Nest waving flags from different countries while the national anthem of the country was played. There were 39 countries represented in the parade of nations.

As Campus Principal and Head of Secondary, Mr McCallum pointed out "it is not just celebrating the difference of culture but who we are". Secondary students planned, built and facilitated structured activities to reinforce some of the sustainable development goals (SDG).

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Potential in diversity

Chatsworth Parent Group (CPG) was also fully involved in the day's events. Chatsworth parent community organised an international food festival for all members of the community. More than 23 countries were represented in the food fair, where parents brought in delicious homemade ethnic cuisine, wore their authentic and traditional clothes, and decorated their tables in the spirit of friendship, culture, connection and community. All students, staff and parents, enjoyed food from many countries, and in the process, strengthened their ties as a community showing their children international-mindedness and intercultural understanding each step of the development.

- by Mr Thinagar



# INTERNATIONAL SCHOOLS ART EXHIBITION 2018

IN'spired  
IN'ternational  
IN'volved

22 November 2018 -  
18 January 2019

Three Year 13 and three Year 12 talented Visual Art students represented Chatsworth at the annual International Schools Art Exhibition at the Australian High Commission.



James Grey and Cathy Hu entertained the guests with their accomplished piano performances.

I was excited to share my thoughts and feelings about my Chinese identity and the Chinese style of painting to encourage the audience to know more about me. Yazhi Chen

A real privilege to exhibit & an inspiring experience as I had the chance to see many other artworks from students in Singapore which explored different media and techniques. Sofia Tagliavia

I felt honoured to have my work chosen. I am pleased to showcase my work in order to get feedback for my final IBDP exhibition. Amit Ben-Ari

Year 13



Siwoo Kim

Alianah Campbell

Miles L Saunders\_Ruesz

Year 12



2019

- by Ms Goss

# Celebrating the TCK Journey: Where I'm

On 16th November, the Year 13 English B students visited the primary school as guest speakers in the Year 3 class. They introduced celebrations from their own cultures and explained the traditions and significance of those celebrations. Afterwards, the Year 13 students also introduced what it means to be a Third Culture Kid, and they invited Year 3 students to help them celebrate the diverse experiences and backgrounds of the Third Culture Kids at Chatsworth. This is the collaborative work of poetry by the Year 3 and Year 13 classes.

- by Hikari Murakata

*I am from Finland, where the leaves fall from the trees.  
I am from Singapore, where the plants grow high.  
I am from Cambodia, where the rice fields are a vibrant green.  
I am from Malaysia, where the water is warm.  
I am from Australia, where the kangaroos are boxing.  
I am from Ecuador, where the Andes pierce the clouds with their peaks.  
I am from France, where the Eiffel Tower can be seen from far way.  
I am from Scotland, where it's freezing cold.  
I am from America, where the weather is hot.  
I am from Pakistan, where the sun is almost touching the ground.  
I am from England, where it is always darkened by clouds.  
I am from Taiwan, where typhoons take off the roofs of houses.  
I am from India, where there are holes and bumps in all the roads.  
I am from Canada, where it is fun to play in the snow.  
I am from the Philippines, where life is tough, but the love never dies.  
I am from Saudi, where my heart feels most connected to.  
Most of all, I am from my family, where the blood is thicker than water.*

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(TCK journey will continue in the next edition too)



# PHOENIX

# HALLOWEEN

Students and teachers dressed up as some of their favourite storybook characters, superheroes and MRT gracious characters for a day of celebrating Halloween festivities. Halloween is an important event in Chatsworth's calendar and student council had organised Halloween costume competition during lunch break.





## Chatsworth Open Day

Our Bukit Timah campus hosted inaugural open house on 24 November, Saturday. With our senior school leaders, students, teachers and parents back on campus on a non-school day, prospective families had the opportunity to meet and find out first-hand from our community on a truly international education at Chatsworth. There were informative talks by our Primary and Secondary teams and 'reactions' happening at the Science lab. Groups of students also displayed their creativity flair through Rangoli decorations in a house competition. The campus tours were led by our own Primary and Secondary students who had had the pleasure of showing prospective families a school they feel proud to be part of.





## Year 5 Residential Trip

My name is Lokesh, I'm from Bukit Timah campus and I am going to tell you about the Year 5 Residential Trip from my perspective. On Wednesday 14th of November, the Y5 students from both the Bukit Timah Campus and the Orchard Campus went on an exciting three-day residential trip, involving activities such as camping, biking, swimming, kayaking. It was an awesome trip away. On the day of our residential trip, both campuses had arrived at the campsite. Everyone was excited because we got to meet up with our old friends from Orchard.



Being away from home was fun, but it is also great to head back home. It was a very exciting Year 5 camping trip. I wonder what Year 6 Camp will be like?

to be continued...

Lokesh

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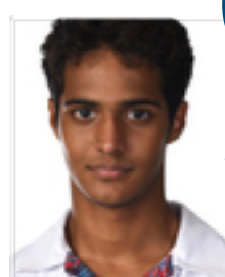
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**MYP RESULTS  
2018**

**Congratulations to our future Graduating Class of 2021 on their excellent results in the 2018 MYP eAssessment.**

