

## The Wuxi Post

Week 8, Term 4

### Special Points of Interest:

- Swimming Carnival: Wednesday 1st July from 10.15 a.m. to 11.20 a.m.
- Class Parties: Thursday 2nd July from 2.00 p.m. onwards.

### Concluding the School Year

The final week of the school year will be full of exciting activities for our students and a busy one for the teaching staff.

On Tuesday at 11.00 a.m. there will be a special presentation hosted by Mr. Valentine about the Middle School. Interested parents and guests are most welcome to attend.

On Wednesday students from Years 1 to 7 shall be having a swimming

carnival. Parents are most welcome to attend. The starting time is 10.15 a.m. at the Chiang Jiang Swimming Pool.

On Wednesday afternoon all students will take home their school reports.

On Thursday there will be class parties. Teachers will send home a note about the parties. Parents will be asked to send in a plate of food or provide some drinks.

Finally on Friday there

will be a Celebration of Learning Assembly for the whole school. It will be hosted by Manaka and Jae from the Middle School. All parents are warmly invited to attend and have a opportunity to say goodbye to the teaching staff. Lunch will be provided to all guests attending.

So what a grand and busy way to finish the school year!

Friday 26th June 2009

Dancing a merry beat at the Early Years Production – Wild about Learning



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### Farewell to Some International Staff

Some of our international teaching staff are moving on to new schools and destinations around the world. This is both a happy and sad time.

Ms. Nicole will be moving back to Singapore.

Ms. Jasmine will be moving

to live and work in Europe.

Ms. Tracy will be living and working in Saudi Arabia

Ms. Martin will be living and working in Hong Kong.

As a school community we wish this wonderful collection of teachers much suc-

cess as they pursue their journeys in the world of international education. They have each made a fabulous contribution to the school and all children will miss their care, guidance and expert teaching.

*Bon Voyage Colleagues*

## Wild About Learning

The Early Years production entitled Wild About Learning proved to be most entertaining and a thoroughly enjoyable time for all attending parents and guests.

A huge vote of thanks goes to all teachers, teaching assistants and support crew who dedi-

cated much time preparing the children. There are always so many jobs behind the scenes to ensure such an event is successful.

Our younger learners developed many new skills through their engagement in the production. Furthermore, they

felt a strong sense of pleasure, pride and enjoyment—all rich learning outcomes.

Some wonderful photographs were taken and these are now displayed on the school website. Please enjoy viewing them.

### Young Performers Dancing



### A Happy Laugh and an Inquisitive Look!



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## Middle School Information Morning

Mr. Valentine will be hosting a Middle School information morning for interest parents next Tuesday. Letters have been sent home about this special event and you are warmly encouraged to attend.

Mr. Valentine will be

outlining how the Middle School programme works. This will include an overview of each learning area and information about assessment.

Furthermore, Mr. Valentine will be outlining a number of exciting developments associated with

fostering a close working relationship with our sister school in Suzhou.

Please feel free to bring along friends that wish to find out more about Middle School education. Lunch will be provided to all guests—a great incentive!

## Snippets of News

- Mr. Anderson comes out of hospital this Saturday after having a successful hip resurfacing operation. We look forward to seeing Mr. Anderson at the Celebration Learning Assembly next Friday.
- Dr. Lieblich, the Executive Principal, will provide parents with an update about staffing soon.
- The staff party is this coming Saturday night and the staff will be putting on their dancing shoes led by twinkle toes, Mr. Donkin!
- All library and home reading books need to be returned back to the school by next Tuesday.
- Student computers are to be returned by next Thursday.