

SUIS Pudong offers an opportunity for students to enter a continuum of education from Primary through to the end of Secondary to prepare them to become Global's citizens for the 21<sup>st</sup> century.

### Dear Parents,

After a busy time, on behalf of all of the staff here, I would like to wish all of our families a very restful Winter break. It is a time where many of you may make trips to spend time with friends and family, please enjoy. To those in our international community who will celebrate Christmas, I wish you a very happy Christmas. I look forward to seeing you all on Monday 6th January.

To promote school events more effectively, we established the SUIS Pudong Official WeChat Channel – Subscription Account recently. Please scan the QR code below or search the WeChat name to follow. Thanks!

Account Name: SUIS Pudong QR Code:

WeChat Name: suispd\_dingyue

It allows us to send one message daily to the subscribers instead of only four messages monthly for Service Account. So, we will focus on posting school news and events reports promptly using this channel.

Our Service Account will be focus on selected news and other functions such as mini program to provide more advanced services.

#### Lost and found

We have noticed that our lost and found area is becoming very full of uniform items as well as non uniform items such as water bottles, books and other materials. Unless items are clearly labelled, it becomes very difficult to return these back to the right students. We would like your cooperation in order to solve this issue. Label all belongings clearly and encourage your child to visit the lost and found area as soon as the item is missing or lost. We are not able to store all of items left in the area for a long period of time therefore on the first Monday of each month, we will get rid of any items left in the lost and found area.

### Dates to note:

23 Dec. - 5 Jan. Winter Study Break – School Finishes at 12pm on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December

17 Jan End of Semester 1

3 Feb Start of Semester 2

Ms. Kim Sahi Co-Principal



## Winter

# Bazaar





Our annual Winter Bazaar took place on Saturday 14th December, with more vendors and activities than ever before. A collaboration between our amazing staff and PSG, the Winter Bazaar was months in the planning. Everyone had a great time – even Santa came back for a second visit in the afternoon...

The musical performances started at 10am, with Grade 1 pupils treating us to a performance of some classic Christmas hits – from Jingle Bells to We Wish You a Merry Christmas. Conducted and arranged by Mr Glen, Ms Emily, Ms Yoyo and the team, each grade sung their own songs and many of our talented students also played instruments. Staff and students particularly loved the secondary performances, culminating In a very jazzy ensemble performance of Rudolph which was led by Mr McGrath and Mr McDonald .





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For the first time this year, we offered pupils the chance to buy a passport for the bazaar, which entitled them to five activities, crafts and games. They could choose between cookie decorating, nail painting, beat the keeper, sweet



pong, making Christmas cards and trees, crazy hair, colouring, ring throw, guessing and matching games... the list goes on! Our awesome teachers were there all day to help out, stamp passports and – importantly – hand out some well-deserved prizes. The face painting stall was particularly popular. Fortunately, we had some incredible student helpers from the secondary cohort, who received expert face-painting training from Ms Elena and Ms McCarthy before taking their first commissions.

Many of our students and staff ran their own stalls this year, from Ms Sandy's beautiful Christmas hair accessories to the Chinese Culture CCA's spring rolls. We saw the Eco Warriors selling sustainable goodies, and an outstanding display of student work from the Lightbulb Club.









The PSG's stalls were
very popular as well –
our parents' group sold
your kind donations of
second-hand books,
toys and uniform, as
well as some delicious
hot chocolate
and cookies.



Out in the covered area, our food vendors made the whole campus smell incredible, serving up pizza, nachos, chips, coffee, curries, burgers, hot dogs and more. There were also some very cool activities, including a miniature car-racing track and pony rides! This year, two lovely ponies came to visit us. We hope you all had the chance to say hello.



We welcomed many other vendors, too, from Wooderful Life and their beautiful crafts to learning companies such as BODY LAB and Libri Academy. Some of our vendors kindly offered raffle prizes – congratulations to all of the prize-winners on the day!

We are still putting all of the money raised together and we look forward to donating it to our designated charities this year. Thank you so much to all of the teachers, parents and North Pole residents who supported the event. You all deserve a very relaxing winter break. We hope to see you at next year's Bazaar!

## Music at SUIS Pudong

Winter Bazaar Grade Performances & Christmas Concert 2019



Primary students from SUIS Pudong ISP performed on the morning of the 2019 Winter Bazaar. Each grade sang four festive Christmas and winter songs. These included classic Christmas songs that both students and parents recognize and enjoy.

At the Winter concert on the last day of term the Lower Primary choir, Upper Primary Choir and International Primary Orchestra performed famous Christmas and winter season songs, such as 'Frosty The Snowman', 'We Wish You A Merry Christmas', 'Walking in the Air' and '踏雪寻梅'. The students worked very hard to prepare for this concert throughout this semester and they had so much fun performing in front of family, friends and visitors. It was a great day to get everyone into the mood for Christmas!

