Dear Parents and Guardians,

Very quickly, we have come to the end of a busy term. And with this final letter for the year, we launch a new look for our termly correspondence with you, which will include some pictures, to share with you what your girls have been experiencing in Term 3.

First, I would like to thank all parents and guardians for your continued partnership in nurturing and supporting our girls through their journey this year. Your presence and unwavering commitment have been invaluable, and we look forward to an even more fruitful collaboration with one and all in the final term of 2014.

Before we welcome Term 4, it is only right that we give thanks for all that has transpired in Term 3. We would like to thank our wonderful PSG for their enthusiastic and tremendous support in cooking up the various cuisines for our graduating students during the recent Night Study period. We give thanks for these loving mummies, who prepared nutritious and delicious delicacies for the girls to support them in their preparation for the national examinations. We thank our teachers as well, for staying with the girls to offer them consultation sessions and moral support. We also thank our PSG for their enthusiasm in sharing the unique elements and cuisines of the various ethnic groups on Racial Harmony Day, and for their unwavering support for our staff, as they celebrate Teachers’ Day with us. Together, we can certainly support our IJ girls to the best of our ability.

As a school, we also welcomed the Cross-Country Championships 2014, after a year’s hiatus. The IJ Spirit lives on and with fervour, as our girls gamely took on the run with gusto and high spirits, doing their best and cheering their friends and teachers on. We look forward to adding a new item to our 2015 event: a Parents’ Race, and we welcome all mummies and daddies to be a part of the IJ Family.

As we move into Term 4, we congratulate our Secondary 1 girls for completing their first year in secondary school. We are blessed to have them in the IJ Family, and hope that their journey with CHIJ Secondary thus far has been everything they envisioned and more.

Term 4, being an examination term, is an intense period, but, with God’s grace and as a family, we will be able to handle the challenges. Let us band together to support the girls through their examinations. At this point, I would like us to remember our graduating girls in our prayers as they face their national examinations. We pray for wisdom, perseverance, steadiness and clarity of mind as they handle the various papers. Please keep the school, staff and students in your prayers as well.

I would also like to register thanks to all parents and guardians for your patience in managing the heavier traffic flow in the morning. We continue to seek your understanding and patience.

If you have any feedback, please note our school email address: chijtss@moe.edu.sg; alternatively, you may email me at karentay@chijsec.edu.sg.

I wish one and all a blessed Term 4 and a restful year-end break with your loved ones. God bless!

Warmest regards,
Mrs Karen Tay
PSG YOUTH DAY TREAT
The root beer float was a hit with both students and teachers. Many thanks to our generous PSG!

CROSS-COUNTRY RUN
It was a day of sports and fun at Bishan–Ang Mo Kio Park.

ACHIEVEMENTS

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IN MEMORIAM
We mourn the passing of our beloved teacher Ms Constance Kwok. May she be granted an eternal dwelling place with God, and may her family be comforted in this time of grief.
LOOKING FORWARD TO

TERM 4

CHIJ SECONDARY

15 MON SEP TO 19 FRI SEP
GCE N(A) LEVEL EXAM (Part 1)
(Social Studies, Mother Tongue, English Language, Art)
The PSG invites all parents to the school Chapel to pray for our girls taking this exam, on Mon 15 Sep, 0745-0900.

15 MON SEP TO 23 TUE SEP
S4E, S5 PRELIM EXAM 2 (contd)
(Additional Maths, Science subjects, Principles of Accounts, Mother Tongue)

22 MON SEP TO 26 FRI SEP
S4N INTENSIVE REVISION
Last day for S4N classes: Fri 26 Sep

22 MON SEP TO 24 WED SEP
S1, S2, S3 END-OF-YEAR EXAM
(English Language Papers 1 and 2, Social Studies [S3])

24 WED SEP TO 24 WED SEP
S1, S2 END-OF-YEAR EXAM
(English Language Paper 3 [Listening Comprehension])

24 WED SEP TO 25 THU SEP
S4E, S5 RETREAT
A day of recollection for our graduating students at the end of their secondary school life.

25 THU SEP
S4E, S5 CAREER SEMINAR

26 FRI SEP
FAREWELL & EXAM MASS

26 FRI SEP
GCE O LEVEL EXAM
Mother Tongue Syllabus B Oral

26 FRI SEP
S4, S5 GRADUATION CEREMONY
We welcome all parents and guardians of our graduating girls to join us for this momentous occasion.

29 MON SEP TO 08 WED OCT
S4E, S5 INTENSIVE REVISION
Last day for S4E and S5 classes: Wed 8 Oct.

29 MON SEP TO 08 WED OCT
S3 END-OF-YEAR EXAM (contd)
(the remaining subjects, English Language Paper 3 [Listening Compre])

30 TUE OCT TO 08 WED OCT
S1, S2 END-OF-YEAR EXAM (contd)
(the remaining subjects)
These papers have been moved back by a day from the original schedule.

07 TUE OCT TO 15 WED OCT
GCE N(A) LEVEL EXAM (Part 2)
(the rest of the subjects)

07 TUE OCT TO 16 THU OCT
GCE O LEVEL EXAM (Part 1)
(Science practical, Music, Drama, Art, Third Language)

EDUSAVE CHARACTER AWARD
We welcome nominations of students who are Singapore citizens, exemplary in character and role models to inspire others. Please visit our school website for the details and the nomination form. **The deadline for nominations is Mon 22 Sep.**
LOOKING FORWARD TO
TERM 4
CHIJ SECONDARY

09 THU OCT TO 10 FRI OCT
MARKING & RESULT PROCESSING
Students need not report to school on these two days.

13 MON OCT TO 24 FRI OCT
S1, S2, S3 POST-EXAM ACTIVITIES
This including checking of exam scripts on Mon 13 Oct and Tue 14 Oct. Last day of school: Fri 24 Oct.

17 FRI OCT TO 14 NOV
GCE O LEVEL EXAM (Part 2)
(the rest of the subjects)
The PSG invites all parents to the school Chapel to pray for our girls taking this exam, on Fri 17 Oct, 1300–1415.

21 TUE OCT TO 23 THU OCT
S3 CHEMISTRY SPA
Hindu students who celebrate Deepavali will have their Chemistry SPA on another day.

25 SAT OCT 0830–1400
OPEN HOUSE
Our Secondary 1–3 girls will play host to Primary 6 girls and their parents, who will visit us to gain a better understanding of our school.

27 MON OCT TO 28 TUE OCT
S1, S2 A WALK WITH JESUS CAMP
A faith formation camp for S1 and S2 Catholic students.

27 MON OCT TO 31 FRI OCT
S3 LESSONS
Please note that there will be an extra week of lessons for our S3 classes, from 27 to 31 Oct. More details will be given in due course.

31 FRI OCT
S2 STREAMING RESULTS

03 MON NOV TO 07 FRI NOV
S3, S4N WORK ATTACHMENT

09 SUN NOV 1000–1700
IJ BAZAAR
Together with CHIJ Primary, we will celebrate our 160th anniversary with a Bazaar at CHIJMES. We welcome parents and old girls to join us as we return to our original site to reminisce about the days of old and catch up with old friends and teachers.

14 FRI NOV
S4, S5 GRADUATION DINNER

28 FRI NOV
GALA DINNER
A special dinner will be held at CHIJMES in celebration with our IJ Sisters, old girls and friends of IJ. Do look out for details on ticketing on the CHIJ Secondary Alumni website. We thank our ever-supportive Alumni for taking the lead in organizing the IJ Bazaar and Gala Dinner.