

KOREA TRIP

Debate

Speech Gala

See inside for the memorable experiences our English-lovers had!



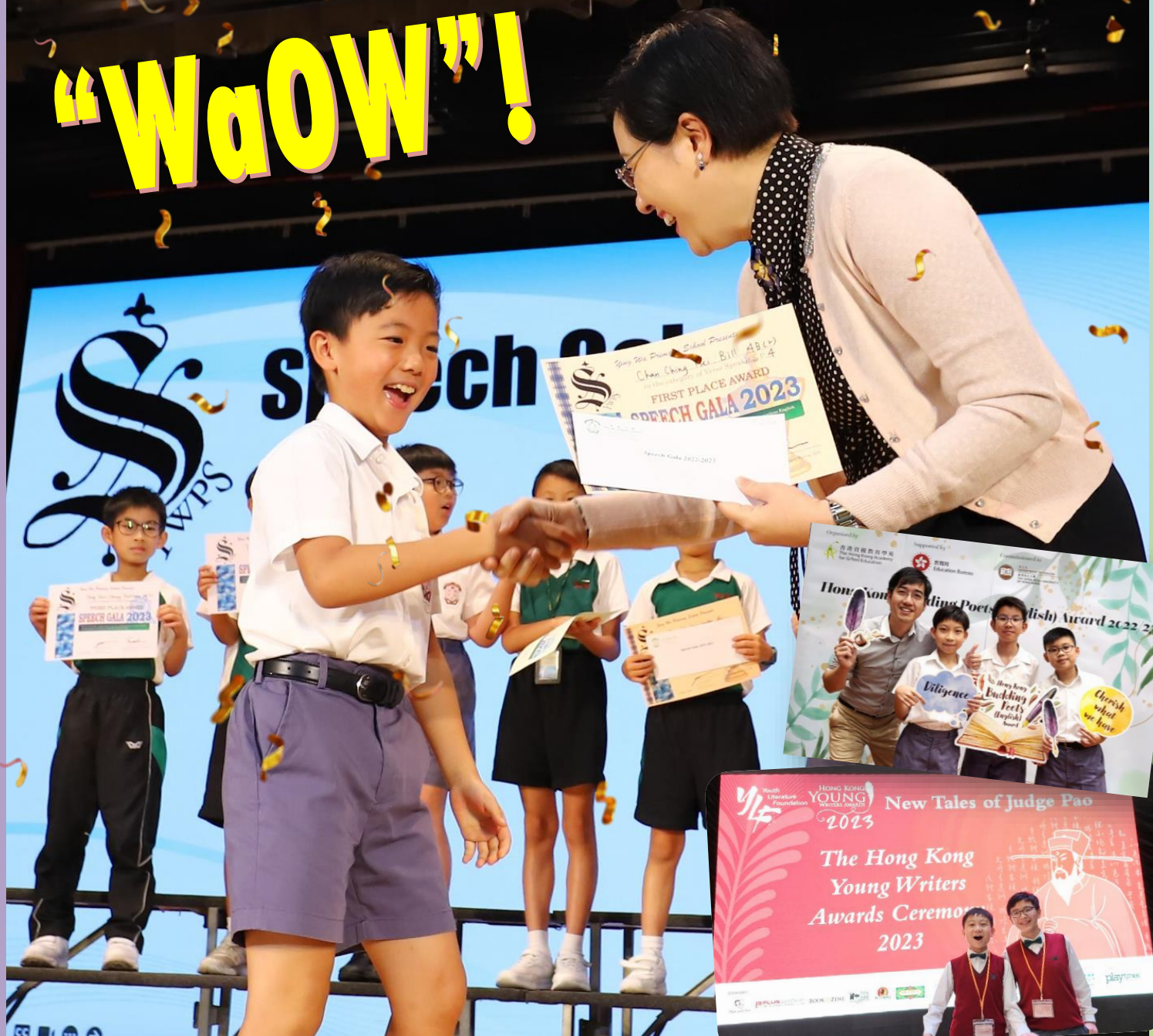
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“WaOW”!





Junioract Club members of YWPS and Yaumati Kaifong Association School



Junioract

Joint School Fun Day 20 Jun 2023

The YWPS Junioract Club 2022-2023 concludes on a high note at the Joint School Fun Day

Chairman
Aldon So 5A

I have contributed to the Junioract by leading Zoom meetings and encouraging ideas, at the same time correcting ideas and teaching my board to be a more mature and realistic person. I have learnt how to organise plans, set goals, lead a team and many more. One unexpected gain was how I got to understand myself even further. If the chance comes again, I will not be so shy and will speak boldly as a team member. Lastly, I want to thank Principal Chan, Dr Lee and Mr Dick for giving me such a wonderful opportunity to join the Club.

Secretary
Pan Hok Tak 4E

In Junioract, I helped write minutes for the meetings, made certificates for the chess activity while being a proactive member. In this experience, I have learnt how to write notes and I now have some brief ideas of project management. I learned a lot from Chairman Aldon So in how to conduct a meeting. I also learnt that the more I contribute the more I can learn. I will try to listen more to others and give more constructive opinions. In the future, I would like Junioract to have more outings (e.g. visiting the food angels or elderly homes) and activities for all members.

Member
Caspian Yeung 5C

I have contributed lots of ideas for the fun day at the final gathering of the club. I have also contributed personal thoughts as to how some ideas could be better. I have gained lots of important leadership skills such as activity planning and organising. I will improve myself by giving a chance to other people to present their ideas, and not just wanting to present my own thoughts and opinions.

Member
Wong Ho Nam 4A

I have contributed by giving out lunch boxes to the elderly, and made a plan for the freeze tag for the Fun Day although it was cancelled at the end. I have gained some skills for helping people in need and gained some friends along the way. To improve, I will try to make better and easier plans next year if possible. I hope I can act as a Project Chairman to make more contributions next year.

Project Chairman
Lo Man Pan 5E

I was mainly involved in the opening ceremony and the Junioract Fun Day games. I have learned that it is very important to cooperate when we have teamwork and that each of us is a leader. In the future, I will improve myself by thinking twice before doing anything and be more patient.

Small photos above:

1. Children making friends
2. Improvised drama in action
3. Another improvised drama group
4. Our boys conducting a quiz game
5. Fun interactions of the two schools
6. The audience, including Principal Dr Chan, enjoying the show

Our Junioract members joined the “**Feed Hong Kong**” activity on 25 May as they helped distribute free meal boxes to the needy in Yau Ma Tei. Happy to serve!





SPEECH Gala 2023



Scan this for the highlight video

This is our 13th time running the Speech Gala and we are happily back to the face-to-face format which gives our participants and audience a lot more excitement and joy!

“My great pleasure to be the adjudicator of this year’s Speech Gala. It was wonderful to see so many bright boys performing on stage, each of whom had his own convincing and unique interpretation. They all excelled in their category. A very enjoyable experience indeed. Keep up the great work!”

*Mr Genper Wong
YWPS Graduate 2014
HKDSE Top Scorer 2020*

The winners are...

VERSE SPEAKING CHAMPIONS

- 1B Ethan Lau
- 2A Moses Shing
- 3C Jayden Wang
- 4B Bill Chan
- 5E Lok Ho Fung
- 6D Adrian Chung

PROSE READING CHAMPIONS

- 3D Sham Wai Yin
- 4C Jayvis Chow

PUBLIC SPEAKING CHAMPIONS

- 5D Fei Xuehanrui
- 6C Samuel Tsang

DUOLOGUE CHAMPIONS

- 5D Yau Cheuk Yuen
- 5D Yip Hui Long
- 6D Elaeth Chong
- 6D Jason Ng





Our boys "boosting the economy" of South Korea!

25-29 Jun 2023

Korea Graduation Tour



Photos:

1. Our boy posing at KBS
2. Grilled pork, yummy!
3. Having fun at Oktoki Space Center
4. Principal Chan with the Principal of Eunlo Elementary School
5. Taekwondo demonstration
6. Principal Chan with Korean children

Those five short days flew past in a blink of an eye, but nothing could take away the memory and knowledge from my brain. One of those unforgettable experiences was encountering the G force. It was the first place we visited on the whole trip, the Oktoki Space Center. The theme park was about space exploration. There were a lot of games for us to simulate the situation in outer space, which was highly dangerous. The G force simulator brought a very vivid force to my body, and the pain was unbearable! I realised that everything requires hard work!

Thomas Suen 6A



What a "WaOW" experience dressing up like ancient Koreans!

In my not yet faded memory, I recalled the best thing I did in Seoul was going to the Mapo Agricultural & Marine Products Market, where I spent most of my Won. We were like a bunch of 'Ajumma' (middle-aged woman in Korean), shopping and bargaining in such a clamorous place. It was my first ever shopping experience all by myself, by that, I mean no parents. We were so excited as if we were fighting for some kind of limited-edition luxury goods. However, what we were fighting for were just packets of kimchi, shredded squid and other snacks...The scene was truly funny and memorable!

Hayden Yuen 6A

This Korea Trip broadened my horizons and made me understand Korean culture. Of all the wonderful buildings and restaurants, the most memorable thing on the Korea Trip was when we went to the Seaweed Museum. The museum was full of seaweed and kimchi, but we only came for the seaweed. When the staff opened up a box of kimchi-flavoured seaweed, all of my classmates swiftly snatched all the

seaweed and ate like hungry, starving wolves. The staff and teachers all laughed at our acts. Then, we made sushi rolls with seaweed and different ingredients, like crab meat, lunchmeat, kimchi, egg roll, etc. After we took photos in Korean Hanbok, we ate our handmade sushi rolls in a spacious restaurant (sort of) with bibimbap. I enjoyed eating with my classmates and tasting the delicious seaweed. What an amazing experience!

Moses Kan 6D

After five days in the amazing Korea, I feel refreshed since it was my first time going abroad after the pandemic. Through this trip, I learnt the culture, etiquette and many more things about Korea, like how they ride public transportation without using phones, which is what we should learn, and the food they eat at special festivals etc. (They are delicious, honestly.) To conclude, this trip is one of a kind and I'll never forget the five days I spent in Korea with my friends.

Morgan Chan 6A

We just had an unforgettable trip to Korea. The food was mostly delicious. We learnt a lot about their traditional culture and had time to view their performances, which were fantastic. On this trip, the most important part was visiting a school, which was the esteemed Eunlo Elementary School.

Everyone was very nice there. They always greeted each other when they saw someone. After a few performances from both our school and their school, their student ambassadors led us to the activities. Well, to my surprise, their English was actually quite fluent! I did not expect that as when we went to other places in Korea, the people seemed to be struggling with the words that they wanted to say.

We had a nice trip to Korea. I feel exhausted though I enjoyed it. I hope I will have more chances to go on a trip with my school.

Ernie Ip 6B

When coming across "Korea", you'd probably think of kimchi and its influential K-pop culture. But thanks to the 5-day school trip to Korea, I've managed to learn more about the beautiful country. My favourite location throughout the Korea trip was the Mapo Market. This might be an unpopular opinion, however, the chatter filled atmosphere is something that general tourists never experience. The smile of the shop owners as you purchase their cheap yet quality food is absolutely priceless.

Notably, I also understood how watching football with my roommate too late causes days of motion sickness. The feeling of wanting to vomit yet nothing comes out is unacceptable.

Undoubtedly, the trip was extremely entertaining and acts as a perfect ending to my YWPS career.

Jiang Weike 6E



Drama Fiesta 2023



YWPS's Drama Fiesta 2023 took an interesting twist this year with drama shows performed by an external company (for P.1-6) and our traditional hall session (for P.5-6) with our boys' drama performances. Our audience was amazed again by our P.6 boys' improvised drama, as well as the Drama Team's award-winning show titled "Three Sideways Stories From Wayside School" (see pp. 10-11).

Drama is the activity where you can express your feelings and thoughts through acting, which brings laughter, happiness and even teaches morals to the audience. How meaningful it is to perform on the stage!

Our group entered the "Improved Dramatic Scene" part of the Drama Fiesta after being nominated in our class. You might think that performing in front of all students in P.5-6 was nerve-wracking, but as long as you enjoy acting on stage and let the audience be delighted, you won't have a nervous feeling in your heart.

Drama Fiesta is such an enjoyable event. It entertains us and allows us to put aside the pressure of life!

Jeff Woo 6A

There were three activities in the Drama Fiesta this year, A performance of the Drama Team, an improvised drama showdown by the P.6 boys, and finally, a Kahoot game based on the Drama Team's show.

The P.6 boys did the improvised drama very well. One of them was a drama about James Bond going undercover in a fashion show to arrest a thief. It was very amusing and by the time it was finished, everyone clapped and cheered!

The Kahoot game was one of the most exciting ones I have ever encountered. One of my classmates was originally in the lead, but unfortunately, he punched on the wrong button and plunged down from his ranking!

I would like to thank all the teachers, school workers, and staff who made this year's Drama Fiesta a great success! To sum the Drama Fiesta up, it was a day full of fun and most importantly — drama!

Ching Chun 5D



The P.6 Winning Improved Group – 6A



Ready to do some improvisation, boys?



Thanks to the professional acting team of *Dovetales*, we had a wonderful time enjoying the plays "Three Little Pigs" (for P.1-2), "Robin Hood" (for P.3-4), and "A Mid-summer Night's Dream" (for P.5-6)

Robin Hood is a careful and kind person. Although I appreciate his kindness, he should not steal from the rich, instead, I think he should help the poor to start a company. The reason is that if everybody was like Robin Hood, then the society would be unstable! I hope the rich will help the poor to bring us positive changes in our society.

The legend of Robin Hood reminds us that rich people should not be too selfish. They should help the poor. And the poor should be thankful and work harder.

In the drama, I think the funniest part was when Robin Hood invited some of our teachers on stage to dance! How surprising and unexpected it was! I really wanted to dance with them too!

Isaac Chan 3B



Hong Kong School Drama Festival 2022/23

Title: Three Sideways Stories from Wayside School

**ADJUDICATORS' AWARD
AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING COOPERATION
AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING PERFORMER**

- Yuen Hei Wang Roderick 6A
- Aron Law 6E
- Chan Chun Yin 5C
- Mok Ki Chun 4B
- Yeung Ching Long Caspian 5C
- Lee Sing Yu 6E
- Dax To 4A
- Yeung Yui Him 4E

**AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING
STAGE EFFECT**



I am overjoyed to participate in this year's drama team. I would like to thank Mrs Paul for training us through our long drama process. I would also like to thank my fellow teammates and teachers for sticking with us and working so hard. This experience has made me learn something important: "never give up, and someday you will succeed."

Caspian Yeung 5C

Drama returned on stage after two years on Zoom, and we were all honoured to be invited to the first live performance. A new zest was brought in in the form of stage directions and lighting. I was thrilled when the audience laughed at our play – something Zoom will never replicate. I'm glad to experience this in my last year.

Roderick Yuen 6A

It's been many years since I first joined the Drama Team. Every year has been spectacular, and this year has been no exception – in fact, it's even more exhilarating that we got to perform live in front of a real audience again. To be honest, I have no more words. The experience was amazing as always, and it's nice to see your team-mates both familiar and new act to their best extents, but I feel like I've given most of what I can in acting to this school.

Zenith Lee 6E

I liked the Drama Team very much. Originally, I thought it would be boring, but it had proved that it was not. I think the Drama Team gives me an opportunity to express myself and learn to use different ways to communicate with different feelings. It helps me to understand different qualities and personalities of the characters in the script. It also helped me to know the other members of the Drama Team and branch out to make friends.

Isaac Yeung 4E



Our Drama Team used online Zoom to perform to the adjudicators. We did well and they invited us to perform on the stage, face-to-face to the audience. I thought it would just be like online Zoom mode. However, things were not the same as I thought. The most frightening part was facing the audience. I felt so nervous, but slowly, I got used to the feeling. Thanks to the teachers who helped us to do better!

Dax To 4A

Joining the Drama Team has been a spectacular experience for me. This year was my first time in it. At first, I thought it was just a competition and I should just get it over with, but as each lesson ended, I was more and more enthusiastic about drama. I never expected it to be fun, but instead, I had a wonderful time with the team. Thanks to all the teachers who helped me during training. I would love to participate in the drama team next year!

Nathan Chan 5C

This was my first year in the English Drama Team, and I enjoyed it very much as I love performing on stage. I am grateful to have had the opportunity to be on the drama team before graduating and to have won the Adjudicators' Award at the same time. I have many fond memories in the drama team with both my teachers and classmates. Thank you, teachers, for allowing me to be part of this and for giving me such a wonderful experience!

Aron Law 6E

I am delighted to be in the drama team and it is my favourite activity this year! I thought that it would be easy since I was just a narrator. But then, I found out that it was not. You need to express yourself when you say each line and you need to remember your lines. I also learned that, in Readers Theatre, when you are not talking, you must look at the audience and look at your script for a second before you say your lines! I hope I can be in the drama team next year too!

Attis Mok 4B



Two Budding Writers Awarded

Zenith Lee (6E) and Roderick Yuen (6A) continued to impress us with their literary skills as they received the award of “Highly Commended” for their works on 22 Mar 2023 under the theme “New Tales of Judge Pao” of the Hong Kong Young Writers Awards 2023.

The legendary Chinese politician Bao Zheng (Judge Pao) who lived in China’s Song Dynasty had new lives again when Zenith and Roderick wrote a story and a poem respectively based on his life and character.

Extracts of the two awarded pieces are now on the right.

HIGHLY COMMENDED

**Zenith Lee – *In Good Hands*
(Fiction Group 2)**

(Excerpt)

Think of all the people in your life that love to have money and power, the people who want everything at their fingertips, the people who want to be gods.

Now go to them and tell them they are making a bad decision in wanting to be a god.

Sure, the whole everything-you-could-ever-want thing is nice, but it gets boring. The duties are pretty horrible and the higher-ups are really strict. People who try shirking their duties, which I don’t blame them for, go into the higher-ups’ office and never come out the same way. Rumors fly, but I keep my head down and do my job.

* * *

This time, I was sent to monitor Pao Zheng. Again. I swear the higher-ups have some kind of vendetta against him, but I wasn’t there to ask questions. I sighed as I let my mind wander free, turning my mental slate blank. The surrounding hustle faded and the colors around me coagulated into a shimmering iridescent sphere, a warping marble before my sealed eyes. Then, I focused hard on the vivid ruby-red walls, on them a painting of the sea and words of justice; the majestic marble lions outside, so lifelike they seemed ready to pounce at a moment’s notice; even the three sacred guillotines, each imposing in their own rights. With a blow of air, the colorful orb scattered, filling my once-blank vision with bright palettes, taking up the empty canvas, spiriting me to somewhere new.

**Roderick Yuen 6A – *Beacon*
(Poetry Group 2)**

(Excerpt)

The emperor’s dragon cloak intimidates me,
On my shoulders it rests.
I have sworn to preserve justice,
Indeed a difficult quest.

Fortunately, I am not alone;
Aided by an honorable helper:
Judge Pao, a selfless man of steel,
Fair to every man, aristocrat or retainer.

Once a financial officer was murdered,
With another put in his place.
Judge Pao wasted no time.
So as to gather clues, he raced.

Inspecting the royal spending report,
Which was essential evidence,
He saw figures miscalculated.
Like a sprout, an idea took residence.

Such an elite, experienced officer
Would never make so grievous a mistake!
Thinking it through, thinking it through,
The judge realized that it was faked.

Four-two-five-six...What could the numbers mean?
Like a bolt of lightning, it struck him.
He rushed to the storage rooms,
It was all due to a sudden whim!

Indeed, there was a message,
Patiently waiting for his entry.
It was from the financial officer,
Probably not incidentally.

My brother and his partners
Had killed his predecessor.
They offered him a fruitful pay
Should he slip up to their favor.

“Out of righteousness, I refused;
They will kill me if they know of this letter.
I trust that you will see the law upheld,
And punish the conspirators behind the murder.”

Awardees of Hong Kong Budding Poets (English) Award 2022/2023

GOLD AWARD

Keith Cheung 6B – The Spider’s Will

Orange-gold fireball sets, with bright rays from high,
Stretching across the vast horizon, beautiful hues emerged.
Dawn approaches, from the majestic, boundless sky.
On a greenish frond, a tiny creature crawled, unobserved.

Eight segmental legs expanded from its sternum, tickling.
Silver strings spat out from spinnerets, the spinning nozzle.
It scampered on the aspect by its tarsus, starting its craft-making.
Dauntless, ignoring the obstructive impede and their jostle.

Silk soared through air, as if the spider was knitting its raiment.
It, carefully, danced on the magical lines of finesse.
Gradually, it affixed the last bit, euphorically triumphant,
Gazing at its paragon, it grinned celebrating success.

A white stratified spider web formed by its perseverance.
It was the masterpiece of its painstaking labour,
The magnificent oeuvre of its perspiration and diligence,
The diaphanous but inescapable insect-tangling saber.

Flawlessly symmetrical, hexagonal-structured it was,
As perfect and ideal as a mathematician’s dreams,
Its hardness, its firmness, its rigidity, all because
Of the unique geometrical composition, supporting beams.

As breezes of wind waved the withered leaves and gusted,
The intrusive flare tattered the threadbare creation.
The spider, powerless, fragments of the broken work scattered.
The destroyer, now gone, leaving its brutal demolition.

The spider didn’t cease, remaking a stronger craftwork,
As time flew, darkness to light, night to day.
Strings overlapping strings, the artistic hexagon was done
In an infrangible and impenetrable way.

Not fearing the deadly attacks of the wind’s fatality,
Nor being washed away to nowhere by the deadly rain.
Persistence, effort, determination and assiduity,
The unbreakable web of strings it built and attained.

The wind’s smile pinned in the air, fazing.
‘Not bad,’ a breathless but vibrating howl popped,
The spider sought a spot to rest, up gazing.
Yet another turbulent troll, with gales, flocked.

This is our second consecutive year during which we have multiple award-ees at the Hong Kong Budding Poets Award with yet another GOLD award! This is such a rare feat! “WaOW”!



Principal Chan with our three budding poets, (from left) Keith Cheung, Eric Lai, and Ethan Ngai



Dr Lee with the three awardees at the ceremony

BRONZE AWARD

Ethan Ngai 6E – The Calendar of Life

His tiny paws struggled to open the door
Of his beloved home, where he had a mutual feeling against.
No matter what he did, the opening never had a bore.
I protected him when danger came that I could sense.

A smart pet he was, with talents of a different kind,
But sadly, all he wanted to do was to open the cage.
His tricks were deeply engraved in my mind.
Then he played with his toys and got off his stage.

One day I let him out and he was overjoyed,
He leaped and span when he saw the great outdoors,
And loved it dearly as I started to get annoyed,
I gave him a sunflower seed when he missed the tours.

After that experience he longed to get outside,
His everwanting expression filled my inside with joy,
And left me walking with a confident stride.
He was always a good little boy.

On a day I could never forget,
He became ravenous like a beast and aggressive,
With sharp claws that made people scream with regret.
I decided to keep him in the house to stay passive.

My parents sent him to the vet,
And his spirit had weakened due to going out.
It was a chilly day when he came back wet,
And it was all my fault, no doubt.

He departed the next day,
A free spirit who loved to explore.
The memory of him always made me feel gray.
He was a great pet to the core.

I missed him greatly more than ever
And he was always a part of the family,
Which would never change forever.
Sadly, we couldn’t avert this calamity.

Cherish, pay attention, observe,
Or it’ll be gone with a blink of an eye,
Which is impossible to preserve,
So remember them before the end is nigh.

Days of life are numbered without you knowing,
Like a countdown, like a calendar hidden in mist.
You never know when life will stop growing,
Then wither, and dissolve according to the gods’ checklist.

Honourable Mention

Eric Lai 6E – Treasure

*The winds swept across the deserted road.
Withered leaves carried by the open hands of Mother Nature.
A shadow crept across the hard concrete,
As the heartless, ruff winds scraped her fur.*

*The road was silent, only the howling wind was heard.
Alone, fluffy paws absorbing the sounds she made.
The hair, ginger and red, covered by coats of dust,
Was dancing in the wind with her tail that swayed.*

*Betrayal was way too much of an understatement,
She had experienced much you don’t understand.
The pain, was like blood, dripping from her wounds,
Nonstop, incurable, as she sank into an endless quicksand.*

*Soon, the sorrow turned into hatefulness,
A feeling so strong she couldn’t outlast
Seeking for revenge; she turned around,
Facing the fear of many years past.*

*Through the mist, a human shape formed.
She tilted her head at the sight, confused.
An awkward stare between her and the person lasted minutes,
Before she inevitably grew bemused.*

*I stepped out of the mist, sobbing,
Kneeling down on the concrete road, alone.
My hair messy with days of dirt and grime.
Rivers formed from my eyes to my cheekbone.*

*Gone, left, never coming back,
The undeniable truth struck me like an unnoticed stab,
Crumbled, like a rag doll,
Needles fell from the heavens, engulfing me in their trap.*

*Sometimes you never see the true value
Of a moment until it becomes a memory.
I used to see her as disposables,
As only an accessory,*

*Now I see her as jewels.
Yet it was too late, lost, taken.
So cherish your treasure,
While it’s still in your possession.*

SPARKS



(From left) Mr Ching, Roderick Yuen, Ethan Ngai, Shaun Ng, Principal Chan at City University

Champion Debators, WaOW!

28 May 2023

Congratulations to our Debating Team for another prestigious Champion trophy!

On 24 May, our Debating Team (Roderick Yuen 6A, Shaun Ng 6B, Ethan Ngai 6E) had their final match at the City University of Hong Kong for UNSDGs Debating Competition 2022/23 (UNESCO Hong Kong Association) against Maryknoll Convent School (Primary Section) with the motion “That homework is good for primary school students”. Our side was the negative team and strongly argued that homework is bad for children! And you know what? The judges agreed with them and granted them the champion! WaOW!

Great job boys and thanks to our debating coach Mr Ching!

In the English debating team, my members and I have been joining various debating competitions, and I have certainly learnt valuable debating skills by preparing and absorbing new ideas for different competition motions in the lessons taught by Mr Ching.

In this competition, my teammates (Roderick and Ethan) and I worked hard to strive for the goal of winning the competition. We often had ZOOM meetings before the competition, to discuss our points. It's definitely a great experience to work with them!

The final round of the competition was certainly a tough game and the opponent really brought up some great points. Although there were some minor flaws on our side, we still managed to get the champion's trophy for YWPS. Thanks so much for Mr Ching's great guidance and support throughout the competition!

Shaun Ng 6B

I'm truly honoured to be part of the Debating team this year. There have been some ups and downs in this experience. However, throughout the course of the competition, we remained determined and often hosted daily Zoom meetings to discuss our points. The final match was especially challenging as the opposing team was also quite formidable, forming a case that we hadn't prepared for too much. Furthermore, it was a live debate, which I was not used to since I had spent two years of debating on Zoom. This new element added a new sense of nervousness, and I was hardly able to get my act together. Fortunately, I'm glad to say that we were able to sail through this challenge by discussing as a team.

Roderick Yuen 6A



“Surely, it requires a lot of time and effort... but thanks to Mr Ching, I eventually pulled through.”



UHK
UNSDGs Debating Competition 2022/23
UNESCO Hong Kong Association

The Motion:
is good for primary school students

Time	Negative Team:	Time
2:10	Ying Wa Primary School	2:11
2:12	N1: Ethan Ngai	2:07
2:01	N2: Shaun Ng	
	N3: Roderick Yuen	

This has truly been a meaningful experience for myself. For this competition, our team and I have been improving our scripts, finding useful research, and accepting comments and suggestions from Mr Ching himself. Surely, it requires a lot of time and effort, and it is inevitable to make mistakes along the way, but thanks to Mr Ching, I eventually pulled through. When I saw the list about which debating team we were going against, we were all really nervous because we were going against Maryknoll, we knew we were going against a tough opponent. During the debate final, I think we all performed very well, and

Mr Ching even thought our chances were pretty high. During the break, while waiting for the adjudicator's comments, we all reviewed our performance. Finally, it was time for announcing the results. We won! Everyone was overjoyed. Big thanks to Mr Ching for giving the team a lot of support and accepting me as a debate team member.

Ethan Ngai 6E



Awardees of the 7th LCM Speech Festival with Principal Chan

More Speech and Drama Triumphs!

The 7th LCM Speech Festival was concluded in May 2023 and we are glad that our boys achieved the following results:

Kong Ching Ning 2E, **Champion**, 7-8 years Verse Group 2
Lee Sing Yu 6E, **Champion**, 11-12 years Prose group 1

Fong Yau Shing 1B, **First runner-up**, 6 years Reading Aloud Group 3
Mok Ki Yuen 2E, **First runner-up**, 7-8 years, Reading Aloud Group 2
Lee Sze Chai 3C, **First runner-up**, 9-10 years Verse Group 1
Fei Xuehanrui 5D, **First runner-up**, 9-10 years Prose Group 1

Hon Yat Long Adrian 3B, **Second runner-up**, 7-8 years Verse Group 2
Chow Pak Yiu 4C, **Second runner-up**, 9-10 years Prose Group 1
To Hei Wai 5A, **Second runner-up**, 11-12 years Prose group 1
Fei Xuehanrui 5D, **Second runner-up**, 9-10 years Verse Group 2
Wang Yifeng 6C, **Second runner-up**, 11-12 years Public Speaking Group 1

This is my first time participating in the LCM speech festival. I was a little nervous when I went on stage. But when I found out I won an award, I was so excited and so proud of myself! Thanks to my teacher for teaching me the skills of reading stories. Hope I can still have the chance to be on the podium again!

Albert Fong 1B

Before the competition, I practised every day, focusing on my enunciation and pacing to ensure that I would deliver a powerful performance. The day of the competition was nerve-racking, with dozens of talented young performers in attendance. I felt a mix of excitement and anxiety as I took the stage, but once I began reciting my poem, I was completely in the moment.

It was truly an amazing opportunity as I learnt a lot from other competitors and the adjudicator. I want to thank my family for their unwavering support, as well as my incredible English teacher who helped me refine my technique and inspired me to pursue my passion for speech.

Adrian Hon 3B



READING & SHARING

Our Reading and Sharing activities have resumed with our Story Pilots sharing stories with their school brothers as well as students of Learning Habitat Kindergartens. Great experiences!

I think the most memorable thing of the activity is the K2 students giving us presents. They gave us each a pencil and a thank you card to each class. The card was very pretty and the K2 students wrote all their names inside. The presents weren't very expensive but they were very precious.

Chan Yin Chun 4D

I think I should have been more humorous as I spotted a few kids were not paying attention to the story. They still did not listen to me even though my co-pilots reminded them. That made me furious. However, I told myself to stay calm. When I arrived home, I got an idea. I should be humorous so I can catch their attention.

Dax To 4A

The most memorable thing was the kindergarten kids were very obedient and enjoyed the story. They were over the moon when they played our mini maze game. We were so happy that the kindergarten kids said they liked our game the most.

Chong Chak Him 4A

I think next time I can speak faster, clearer, and louder. I may also ask more questions and play more games with the K2 kids. I shouldn't be scared, and I should be more confident. I should choose a shorter and easier book to read in future sessions.

Lo Pak Hei 4C

Proud of our boys...

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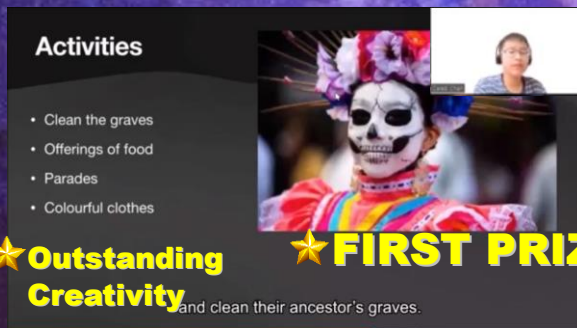


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2. Change the tense

Tense in Direct Speech	Tense in Reported Speech
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Present continuous tense	Past continuous tense
Simple past tense	Past perfect tense
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