



Message from PSG Chairman

Dear Parents,

The Parent Support Group at Sembawang Secondary School (PSG@SMB) is about 3 years old since its formation in 2012. The aim is to provide an opportunity for parents to be involved in their children's education and development. It also serves as a platform for parents to collaborate with their peers and school staff as they cope with the challenges of growing up children. Indeed, parents involvement in the school helps to create a conducive learning environment for the students. By parents involvement I don't mean that we busy ourselves spying on our children or make it seemed awkward to be present in school for no good reason. Rather I am referring to our active participation in school activities such as attending it's annual sports event, parenting talk or join other parents at Coffee-Talk sessions in school to discuss pertinent issues on parenting, sharing experiences and get feedback from school teachers and counsellors.

It's been a year since I took over as Chairman of PSG@SMB in Jan 2015. The challenge for the PSG@SMB really is to get parents to join the group and realise how their involvement can impact themselves and others for the benefits of our children, the students of Sembawang Secondary School. We have successfully launched PSG@SMB website on 30 May 2015. Through the website (<http://psgsmb.org>) we hope to reach out to the parents in our efforts to create awareness and share relevant information.

Throughout 2015, the PSG had worked with the school in organising several parenting talks and parent-child bonding activities. We hope to be able to do more and will be happy to have more parent volunteers to come forward to make our PSG vibrant with the good old “*kampong spirit*”. We are confident that the school will bring the best out of our children but we hope that parents will walk the journey with us in bringing the most out of our children’s experience in Sembawang Secondary School.

I am glad to have a wonderful team of Exco members who have been working equally hard to meet the goals we set for ourselves in 2015. We welcome suggestions and feedback with regards to PSG@SMB. I like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to the school leaders, teacher-in-charge of PSG and its Partnership Committee for their excellent support to ensure the success of our PSG.

Finally, wishing all new Secondary 1 students and their parents a warm welcome to the school and on behalf of the team, a wonderful 2016 ahead!

Sincerely
Ismail Sukardi
Chairman, PSG@SMB (2015-2016)

Join us !

You can register to be a member of PSG at
<http://psgsmb.org/JoinUs.html>



Scan this QR code to
visit our website

School Leaders & Teacher-in-charge of PSG



Mrs Tan Lay Hong
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Mr Jimmy Lee
Vice-Principal



Mrs Lim-Neo Lay Pin
Vice-Principal



Mdm Sunita Said
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What we do ...

- Facilitate parents to participate in school activities and projects.
- Network with other like-minded parents in serving the students and the school.
- Create opportunities for parents to collaborate and improve their parenting efforts.

Our Mission ...

- To support the schools's efforts in creating a conducive learning environment through fostering close relationships with teachers, parents and students.

“Every child should have a caring adult in their lives, and that’s not always a biological parent or family member, it may be a friend or neighbour. Often it is a teacher.”

Joe Manchin

Some of the activities in 2015



Meet-the-Parent Session Jan 2015



VP, Mr Jimmy Lee, launching PSG website in May 2015



Sharing session : "Keeping up with our children's IT World" in May 2015



Coffee Talk session in Aug 2015



Hari Raya 2015 get together



Parent-child bonding in Oct 2015 : Bowling at SAFRA

