In conjunction with the Chinese New Year celebration, a special assembly was held at the basketball court on Friday, 8 February 2013. A number of students and teachers turned up in traditional Chinese attire as everyone joined in to welcome the year of the Golden Snake.

The programme started with the lantern-lighting ceremony by Mrs Lai and the unveiling of the auspicious Chinese New Year phrase “Jing She Kuang Wu” (the golden snake dancing vibrantly). Mrs Lai, Mr Bernie Gilman, Mr Lee Harvey and Mr Louis were invited to add calligraphy strokes to complete the four Chinese characters.

It was then followed by the lion dance and wushu performance by A Level students and a prize giving ceremony for the Calligraphy competition held on Thursday, 7 February 2013. The winners of the competition are as follows:

**Junior Category**

**Consolation**
- Shahfawie b Safuan (KBSR 6B)
- Chan Wai Teng (KBSR 4A)
- Yong Gheng Lok (KBSR 5B)
- Nashat Zaman (Year 4Gr)
- Chloeh Loh Qiao Lin (KBSR 5B)

**Merit**
- Chung Pui Leng (Year 6Gr)
- Guo Siyuan (Year 6Gr)
- Sen Milan (Year 6Gr)
- Raveena Vijian (KBSR 5A)
- Joie Koh Yilin (Year 6Bl)

**Senior Category**

**Consolation**
- Chan Wai Leng (KBSM 3)
- Momoka Ochiai (Year 8Gr)
- Mok Zhi Qing (KBSM 4)
- Lee Chun Fai (KBSM 4)
- Muhd Isa b Othman (KBSM 3)

**Merit**
- Lee Yee Wen (AL - C5)
- Michelle Yeong (AL - C5)
- Nur Rusydina (KBSM 3)
- Choo Zi Xian (KBSM 4)
- Chan Ze Ming (Year 8Gr)
Stranmillis University College

Tenby Schools Ipoh would like to welcome Ms Kelsey Hadden, Ms Robyn Calvert, Ms Emily Sloan and Ms Gemma Maxwell from the Stranmillis University College, Belfast who will be doing their school based placement at Ipoh International School. Our school has been hosting trainee teachers from Stranmillis since 2010 and we look forward to the continuation of this programme that has brought mutual benefit to both our institutions.

Relocation and names of schools

You will already know that our current schools are moving to Bandar Meru Raya in September 2013. In conjunction with this relocation, I am writing to you to advise you that the names of the schools will be changed as follows:

Ipoh International School will now be called TENBY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, IPOH.
SR/SM Tenby will be called SEKOLAH TENBY, IPOH.
Tenby Kindergarten will be called Ipoh International School Early Years Centre (IISEYC) (it will still remain at the current site on Jalan Tun Dr Ismail.)

We shall begin to introduce these names over the next few months prior to the move so that you and your children may become acquainted with them.

New fee structure at Meru Raya

A new fee structure will be introduced for Tenby International School from 1 September 2013 as follows:

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B. The new fee structure for Sekolah Tenby from 1 January 2014 is as follows:-

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C. Hostel Fees

With effect from 1 September 2013 the hostel charges will be as follows:

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New fee structure at IISEYC (Jalan Tun Dr Dr Ismail)

From 1 September 2013, a new fee structure will also apply at IISEYC as follows:

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L-R: Ms Gemma Maxwell, Ms Kelsey Hadden, Mr Lee Harvey, Ms Robyn Calvert and Ms Emily Sloan.
Deposit – A term’s fee to be topped up as the child progresses (for all current students)
Kindergarten Afternoon Enrichment Classes (4-7 years old):

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NB: You will see from the above that in the Centre, provision has been made for children to study in Year 1 in preparation for their entry into either Tenby International School or Sekolah Tenby.

Uniform changes

In all the new schools, including IISEYC, students will have to wear a new uniform. As you already know, we are using the current academic year 2012/2013 to make the change gradually. When term begins in September 2013 (TIS and IISEYC) and January 2014 (Sekolah Tenby), the new uniform required is as follows:

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<th>Boys</th>
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<th>Primary</th>
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<td>Light blue school shirt tucked into long grey trousers and worn with black belt (1 inch) and a <strong>Blue Tie.</strong> Plain black shoes and <strong>grey socks.</strong></td>
<td>Light blue school shirt tucked into <strong>grey shorts</strong> and worn with black belt (1 inch). Plain black shoes and grey socks. *!(Please be informed that there’s a description error in the circular dated 21 February 2013 which stated light blue school shirt tucked into long grey trousers. We would like to apologize for any confusion caused.)</td>
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<td>Light blue school shirt tucked into a grey skirt or long grey pants and a <strong>Blue Tie.</strong> The hemline of the skirt should be below the knee. Plain black shoes and grey socks.</td>
<td>Light blue school shirt tucked into a grey skorts. Plain black shoes and grey socks.</td>
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Parents’ Association AGM 2013

On Thursday, 28 February 2013 the AGM was held at the school hall with about 200 parents/guardians present. The meeting was from 5.00pm – 6.15pm. Mrs Lai, the Director and Chairman of PA gave a briefing on the new school and the facilities available, the fee structure and the new uniform. Information was also given on bus transport service from the collection point at Ipoh International School Early Years Centre (Tenby Kindergarten) to the new school at Meru Raya.

A report was given on the statement of the PA accounts and the activities conducted by the PA for 2011 – 2013. As on 28 February 2013, the amount still in the PA account is RM 11,939.00 Mrs Lai proposed a vote of thanks to Mrs Annette Chan and her outgoing committee for their contribution to the school. The new committee for 2013 – 2015 is as follows:

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<td><a href="mailto:lohbanho@gmail.com">lohbanho@gmail.com</a></td>
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<tr>
<td>Jeremy Teh</td>
<td><a href="mailto:jkhteh@gmail.com">jkhteh@gmail.com</a></td>
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<tr>
<td>Erina Musa</td>
<td><a href="mailto:erinamusa@gmail.com">erinamusa@gmail.com</a></td>
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<tr>
<td>Melissa</td>
<td><a href="mailto:mellscompany@gmail.com">mellscompany@gmail.com</a></td>
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<tr>
<td>Claudia Zaman</td>
<td><a href="mailto:clzaman@msn.com">clzaman@msn.com</a></td>
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<td>Dr Sham</td>
<td><a href="mailto:drsiput@yahoo.co.uk">drsiput@yahoo.co.uk</a></td>
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<td>Belinda (Wern Sze)</td>
<td><a href="mailto:belindashu@yahoo.com">belindashu@yahoo.com</a></td>
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<td>Ellie Cheong Kah</td>
<td><a href="mailto:ellie@wengmei.com">ellie@wengmei.com</a></td>
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<td>Usha Viswanathan</td>
<td><a href="mailto:uviswanathan18@yahoo.com">uviswanathan18@yahoo.com</a></td>
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<td><a href="mailto:egldevelopment@gmail.com">egldevelopment@gmail.com</a></td>
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<td>Dr Sandheep</td>
<td><a href="mailto:drsandheep@gmail.com">drsandheep@gmail.com</a></td>
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Photographs and contact details of the new PA will be posted on the website by 8 March 2013. They can be contacted for discussion/representation to the school on issues raised by parents.
Enrolment for the New Academic Year 2013/2014

The new school term for Tenby Schools Ipoh in Meru Raya will begin as follows:

Sekolah Tenby – 26 August 2013.
Tenby International School – 2 September 2013.

A place has been reserved for your child/ward for the new academic year. To assist us in our planning and as there is a waiting list of students, we would appreciate it if you could complete the reply slip attached and confirm a place for your child/ward for the new term in September 2013.

Please return this reply slip to the class teacher by Friday 15 March 2013.

Should you decide not to re-enrol your child/ward for the forthcoming term, the reply slip below does not replace the requirement to fill out the deposit refund form in the main office which requires a one-term notice period. Please refer to Sec 7 of the Parent Guardian Declaration, item 4: “To give in writing on the first day of the term, notice of a student leaving the school at the end of the term or at least four months’ notice before the student leaves the school. Failure to do so will result in the forfeiture of the deposit.”

For parents/guardians who are concerned about the transport facilities to go to and from Meru Raya, printed overleaf is a list of transport providers who can assist. This is a private arrangement between parents/guardians and transporters.

Alternatively, parents can opt for a bus service that will pick up and send back to the Tenby Kindergarten site on Jalan Tun Dr Ismail. This 44 seater bus will leave at 7.10 am and send students back either at 3.00 pm or 5.00 pm. This service will cost students RM220 per month for 10 months.

We hope this information will help you address the concerns regarding transport.

Progress Report on the Construction of the New School

Percentage of completion: 67%
Admin Block

Auditorium and Performing Arts Block

Classroom Block

Multipurpose Hall

Upcoming Events

IGCSE Oral Exams - starting on Monday, 25 March 2013
Infant School Sports Day – Saturday, 9 March 2013
KBSM 3 Educational Trip to Kellie’s Castle, Taman Herba and Gua Kek Lok Tong – Monday, 18 March 2013
KBSR 4 Educational Trip to Ladang Infoternak – Wednesday, 6 March 2013
KS1 trip to KL for “How to Catch a Star” performance @ PJ Live Arts – Thursday, 21 March 2013
U18 Football Fixture at Ipoh Bug, YMCA Ipoh – Wednesday, 6 March 2013
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REPLY SLIP FOR ENROLMENT IN NEW ACADEMIC YEAR

Name of Student: ________________________________ Year: ______________

This is to confirm that my child/ward will be / will not be ** returning to the school for the new academic term in September 2013.

** please delete where applicable

Signature: ________________________________
Name of parent/guardian: ________________________________
Date: ____/____/____