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SMMIS Newsletter

14 November 2025

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Dear Parents,

I hope you are well and have had a good week. It has been an exciting week here at SMMIS. We're delighted to share the wonderful news that our Trustees have approved the opening of our new 6th Form, offering Grades 11 and 12 from August 2026! This week's Odd Socks Day and Dress to Express Day also brought incredible colour and joy to campus, with students celebrating individuality and kindness in such creative ways....and as always, our community spirit shone through. It was a lovely reminder of how close and supportive our SMMIS family truly is. Thank you to everyone who made this week so meaningful.

SMMIS to Open Grade 11 & 12 in August 2026

open in August 2026. This marks an important step forward in our commitment to providing a holistic, world-class education for our students. Our Grade 11 and 12 (6th Form) will offer the internationally recognised Cambridge A Level curriculum, giving students a strong pathway to leading universities around the world.

The introduction of the 6th Form marks a significant milestone for us, as we **celebrate 10 years** on our present site, enabling students to complete their **full secondary and pre-university education** within a supportive and internationally minded school community. It reflects our ongoing commitment to provide a seamless academic journey that cultivates both intellectual excellence and personal growth.

I will be sharing more information in the coming weeks, but wanted to share this very exciting news with you hot off the press. Thank you to all of you for the continued trust you place in us, and to the parent body for helping to make this happen,

Secondary School in Action Tour

It was wonderful to see so many Grade 5 parents join us this week for the SMMIS Secondary School in Action tour. The event offered a great opportunity to hear from Ms Ali about the foundations on which our Secondary School is built, share the vibrant learning happening across our classrooms and to highlight the curiosity, collaboration, and confidence our students display each day. We appreciate the parents who took the time to engage with our teachers and students, showing such enthusiasm and support for the school community. Please find the [link](#) to Ms Ali's presentation here if you weren't able to join us.

Grade 8 Model United Nation

This week, our students stepped into the shoes of world leaders through our Model United Nations (MUN) simulation, and it was truly impressive to watch. With confidence, curiosity, and a strong sense of purpose, they represented different countries, debated global issues, and worked together to find solutions. What stood out was how seriously they took their roles. From researching their assigned countries to crafting speeches, negotiating respectfully, and collaborating across "borders," our students demonstrated maturity, teamwork, oracy skills and critical thinking throughout the session. For many, it was their first taste of diplomacy, for others, a chance to refine their public speaking and leadership skills. Thank you to our dedicated teachers for guiding the students through the preparation, and well done to everyone who took part. It was an enriching and memorable experience for the whole school.

Day

A huge thank you to everyone for making Anti-Bullying Week, the Odd Socks Day and Dress to Express Day happen. It was such a meaningful and uplifting week at school. Seeing our students come in with mismatched socks, bold colours, creative outfits, and heartfelt messages was truly inspiring. What stood out most wasn't just the fun or the vibrant mix of styles, but the spirit behind it: students confidently expressing who they are, lifting one another up, and celebrating the beauty of our differences. The energy around school was incredible, and it reminded us how powerful kindness and acceptance can be when we choose them together. Thank you to all our students, families, and teachers for embracing the week with so much enthusiasm, and a special appreciation to our Student Council for bringing this thoughtful idea to life. It has been a wonderful reminder that at SMMIS, every voice, every story, and every individual truly matters.

SMMIS-Ganenu Clothes Drive: It's Raining Raincoats

Please don't forget that for the month of November, SMMIS and Ganenu are joining forces for a special **Mitzvah Day** initiative: a joint clothes and toy drive supporting migrant workers in Singapore. Families are invited to donate gently used clothes items, toys and unopened toiletries, helping spread kindness and care across our community. All proceeds will go to the wonderful local charity, It's Raining Raincoats.

Please drop your contributions into the designated boxes at one of four locations:

- SMMIS
- Ganenu
- Chesed El Synagogue
- Jacob Ballas Centre

SMMIS International Day

The annual International Day is just around the corner! Please be reminded that it will be held on Friday **21st November**. A huge thanks to the PTA and those parents who have already volunteered to run a 'home country' booth during the morning. We may also have parent groups (with children and/or staff) to perform a traditional dance or similar in the afternoon assembly (1.40-2.35pm). Aspects to the day include:

- staff and students come to school dressed up to represent their home country

- special assembly (including a flag parade) in the afternoon

PTA Chanuka Family Funday

Please don't forget to buy your tickets and bring your friends, to our annual **PTA Family Funday**. Join us for an afternoon of fun, laughter, and connection with our SMMIS community. Enjoy carnival games, a magic show, arts and crafts, face painting, and plenty of delicious treats! Friends and extended family are more than welcome to join in the festivities. We can't wait to see you on **Sunday, 7th December 2025**, for what promises to be a joyful and memorable day at SMMIS. Purchase your tickets [here](#).

Wishing you a restful weekend ahead, Shabbat Shalom,

Ms Elaine

Principal

Upcoming Dates to Remember

SMMIS International Day

Date: Friday 21st November 2025

Early Years Fairytale Adventure

Date: Thursday 27th November 2025

Nursery-K2 parents are invited to join us

SMMIS Open House

Date: Friday 28th November 2025

SMMIS PADI Diving Course

Day 2: 30th November 2025

Day 3: 14th December 2025

School Emergency Contact Number

9780 9141



SMMIS Dress to Express Day



SMMIS Odd Socks Day



G6 NYAA Volunteer Project @Little Footprints Preschool

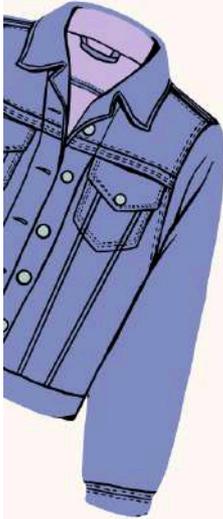


SMMIS Model United Nation



MITZVAH DAY

Clothing Drive



In honour of Mitzvah Day
SMMIS and Ganenu
are collecting:
clothes, toiletries and toys
throughout the month of November
to be donated to

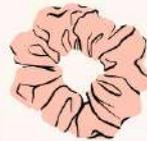
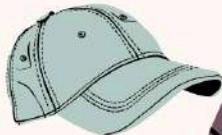


ItsRainingRaincoats



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- Ganenu Pre-School
- Jacob Ballas Centre
- SMMIS



Mitzvah Day Clothing Drive

A vibrant poster for International Day at SMMIS. The background is a mix of light blue, orange, and green with abstract shapes and confetti. A globe is shown in the lower-left, with several national flags (including Malaysia, Turkey, and Spain) flying from it. The text is centered and uses a clean, sans-serif font. The school's logo is in the top right corner.

MANASSEH MEYER
International School

JOIN US ON

INTERNATIONAL DAY

FRIDAY 21ST NOVEMBER

COME DRESSED IN YOUR BEST OUTFIT FROM YOUR HOME COUNTRY

You're Invited To

Join Us for the International Day Celebration at SMMIS

International Day



SMMIS Early Years Fairytale Adventure

You are invited to join us for
Early Years Fairytale Adventure
at
SMMIS on 27th November 2025



 Please scan the code to register your attendance

Buses will leave Ganenu at: 8.45am

SMMIS Early Years Adventure: Fairytale



Chanukah Carnival

**CELEBRATE THE FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS TOGETHER
AT SMMIS**

SUNDAY 7 2 PM - 5 PM

DECEMBER 2025

- ★ Carnival Games ★ Photo Booth
- ★ VR headset games(12+)
- ★ Magic Show ★ Face Painting
- ★ Art and Craft
- ★ 1 Doughnut + 1 Latke @\$5
- ★ Tickets @ 1 for \$35
2 for \$55, 3 for \$75 , 4 for \$85

**TICKETS ARE REQUIRED FOR PARTICIPATING CHILDREN ONLY.
FOR ADULTS AND KIDS BELOW 2 YEARS FREE**



Chanukah Carnival [RSVP here](#)



SIR MANASSEH MEYER
International School

TURTLE BUDDY DIVERS

FAMILY PADI DIVING COURSE

Parents & Students - Dive in Together!

3-DAY ADVENTURE
23 Nov, 30 Nov & 14 Dec 25

- ✓ Day 1: Introductory Pool Session (at School)
- ✓ Days 2 & 3: Open Water Diving Adventure!

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eugan@smm.edu.sg

Family PADI Diving Course

AWESOME ART COMPETITION 2025

CALLING ALL YOUNG & ASPIRING ARTISTS!

Imagine you are an SWHF honouree who has time-travelled 60 years into the future. How have Singaporeans built on the work you started?

In what ways do your actions and legacy continue to shape Singapore in 2085?

Capture the spirit of the AWESOME women and reflect the way they see the world 60 years from now!

STAND TO WIN AN IPAD, WACOM TABLET, ART SUPPLIES AND MORE!

SUBMISSION PERIOD
25 Aug 2025 - 20 Jan 2026

Open to ages 7 to 16*
Based in Singapore

*as of 31 Dec 2025

ORGANISED BY **SCWO**
Singapore Council of Women's Organisations

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Awesome Art Competition

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Cuisine	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Lunch Main Course	Beef Bolognaise with Pasta	Breaded Chicken Drumstick with Steamed Rice	Grilled Teriyaki Salmon with Fried Rice	Chicken Shwarma with Pita / Steamed Rice	Tofu and Tuna Ball, Hash Brown. Pizza, Pasta and Cheese / Fried Rice / Fried Bee Hoon and Salad Bar
Side Dish	Steamed Broccoli and Salad Bar	Sauteed Vegetables and Salad Bar	Steamed Broccoli / Beansprout with tofu and Salad Bar	Baked Edamame Bean and Salad Bar	
Vegetarian	Tofu Fritters Tomato sauce with Pasta	Vegetables Patties / Roasted Tempeh with Sauce	Roasted Thai Curry Beancurd with Green Bean	Dhal and Falafel	
Soup	Mushroom Soup	Clear Vegetarian Soup	Egg-drop Soup	Pumpkin Soup	
Daily Salad	A Healthy Variety of Salads, dressings and fruits				
After School Snack	Olive Bun	Apple Crumble Sponge Cake	Chocolate Chips Muffin or Oat Cookies	Pumpkin & Oat Cookies or Fruits	Challah Roll

**This is a nut-free menu *Gluten-free and egg-free options are available for main course and afternoon snack *Every Friday is dairy day and the canteen does not serve meat options *White/brown steamed rice is served daily
 *Tiny-tots, Pre-nursery and Nursery are offered with softer/smaller cut meat option
 Variety of Fresh and Cooked Vegetables.

Menu for the Upcoming Week (Week of 10th November)

Birthdays of the Week

Happy Birthday!

Jacob (G9)

Beeri Yehuda (G2)

Hayoon (K1)

Lia (Nursery)

Gavriel (G5)

Eitan Zohar (G7)

Birthday cake orders must be placed at least 5 working days in advance. We will place an order of the cake only upon receiving payment of \$35 per cake. To order a cake, please click [here](#).

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