



Samakee News



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Message from the Head of School

Dear Parents,

Samakee Parent & Toddler Group, has long been an important part of the programme offered at school; our toddler group is a 2 hour play session, twice a week, for children from 12 months to 2 years. The group is a successful introduction to our school environment for your child and prepares them for entry into Nursery at 2 years. In addition to strengthening social skills, toddlers provides a place where your child can gain a sense of self, explore, play with his or her peers, and build confidence. Of equal importance, is the benefit for parents or carers who attend the group with their toddler and the opportunity to meet with other parents and staff and talk about shared parenting stories and issues. There will be two more toddler sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays this term; 9th March– April 1st and 20th April—29th April.



Roller Skating has without doubt, become a very popular Afternoon Club at school and as a result of the talent the children have demonstrated (which far surpasses our staff!),



we have recently hired two professional coaches, based at Central Chaengwattana, to further develop their skills!

Kind regards,

Monica Sudhirak

Special Dates to Remember!

Parent & Toddler Groups Resumes...	9 March
PTG Meeting re International Day	10 March
Child & Parent Consultation Day	12 March
Book Week	22-26 March
Swim Meet Bangna–Y2-6	31 March



Welcome to the PTG Corner...

Hello Everyone!

I trust that everyone enjoyed the half term break and that you are all rested and ready for the next 7 weeks!

PTG held their monthly meeting on Wednesday, February 24, 2010.

We have decided to postpone the **St Andrews Bazaar** until the next school year because there is not enough time (or PTGers) to support all of our upcoming events...

Book Week will take place March 22 - 26, 2010. The Teachers have planned all sorts of wonderful events for this week (your children will bring home a copy of all the scheduled events soon) and will need some PTG assistance. Anyone that would like to help organize a second hand book store, please attend a **PTG Planning Meeting on Wednesday 10th March at 8:40 a.m.**

We also need volunteers to help on **March 26, 2010, from 8:30 - 10:00 AM**...this is the day that the children come dressed as their favourite book characters and prizes are awarded...we need volunteers to help count votes, award prizes and support our wonderful children as they proudly display their costumes...

Foyles Books will set up a book shop to be enjoyed by everyone for the entire week. All St Andrews Teachers have been asked to make a "Wish List" so that if you would like to donate a book to your child's classroom, you will have that opportunity...anyone that

purchases a book will be given a sticker to place in the front of the book with your name (or your child's).

Splash Day will be held on Friday, April, 9, 2010....this is a wonderful way to start the Songkran Holiday....come join us if you like to get wet (emphasis on "get wet")!

International Day will be held on Friday 7th May. We need a lot of volunteers to make this fun event a success! If you would like the chance to share your Country and Culture (or just want to help with this event) with everyone, please fill out the attached form and return it to the School Office. We will have an International Day planning meeting on Wednesday, March 10, 2010 at 8:40 a.m. in the music room. At this meeting, we will be discussing:

- Which Countries will be represented this year.
- What activities each Country will be sharing (example: do you want to help the children make food, learn a dance, make a craft or share a story unique to your Country?)

The Chair from each Country, can ask other PTGers to help with their project.

We will discuss if PTG funds (500 baht per Country) can be used to help buy supplies for this event. We look forward to seeing you on March 10th!

The PTG

St. Andrews International School Samakee

Weekly Menu 2009-2010



	AM Snack time		PM Snack time		
Offered everyday:	Bottle of milk		Drink of juice		
	Pieces of fruit (e.g. apple, pineapple, guava, orange or banana)				
	Pieces of raw vegetables (e.g. carrot, cucumber, cabbage, cauliflower)				
White and brown bread with various 'spreads'.					
Monday 1st Mar.	Tuesday 2nd Mar.	Wednesday 3rd Mar.	Thursday 4th Mar.	Friday 5th Mar.	
Snack time					
Corn on the cop	Rice cakes	Cracker & Tuna dip	Pasta mix with grated cheese	Apple & Raisins	
Lunches					
Thai Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Clear rice soup - Stir fried ten vegetable - Omelet with tomatoes - Fried pork Western Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Croquettes with ham - Carrot soup - Salad 	Thai Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Five spice soup with chicken & eggs - Fried green sprout with tofu Western Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fish fingers & Chicken nugget - Mashed potatoes - Baked beans 	Thai Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sticky rice - Fried chicken - Som-Tum - Lab - Moo Western Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sandwich selection - Salsa - Corn chips 	Thai Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chicken in coconut milk soup with galingale & mushroom - Fried pork with garlic Western Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fried macaroni with egg & onion - ABC soup 	Thai Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Lad – Na egg noodles with beef & pork sauce - Fried rice with garlic - Green vegetables Western Food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pork or Beef meal balls - Pasta in white sauce - Salad 	
Fresh fruit	Banana & custard	Fresh fruit	Selection of homemade yoghurt	Fruit salad	
Toast	Fresh fruit	Popcorn	Bananas	Mixed selection	

Note: Cool drinking water is available everyday throughout the day. Vegetarian food is available upon request.