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Long Live His Majesty the King



St Theresa International College held a traditional Loy Krathong Festival on November 6, 2014 from 4.00 p.m. - 8.30 p.m. in the grounds in front of the St Theresa International College.

The administration staff, lecturers, support staff and students attended the ceremony. After the Chairman of the Ceremony arrived at the main lobby then the Prayer service ceremony began and was followed by a Thai dancing -arts performance.

Ajarn Suwat Benjathammathorn, Vice President for Administrative and Student Affairs presented the offerings and paid homage to the portrait of His Majesty the King on the auspicious occasion of his Royal Highness 87th birthday. The student representatives recited in praise and honor of His Majesty the King.



Ajarn Suwat lighted a victory candle, and asked that may His Majesty the King be blessed with good health and happiness all through his life. Music and song in praise of His Majesty the King for his glory were played and sung. The administrators signed in a book to bless His Majesty the King with a long life.



Ajarn Suwat and Ajarn Prakai Cholahan, Dean of the Faculty of Business Administration were invited to be on the stage as the Father representatives. The student council president referred to the kindness of Father. Student representatives from each faculty then presented flower garlands to Ajarn Suwat and Ajarn Prakai.

Ajarn Suwat and Ajarn Prakai also gave the address on the



National Father's Day and was followed by the College music and song before they joined hands to plant three 'koon' trees near the Joseph Marie Building.

International Day 2015

Madam Dr Theresa Virachanee Phromsuntorn, Vice Chairperson of St Theresa International College Council recently chaired the second staff meeting in preparation for the upcoming International Day event, which would be held on February 11, 2015.

The event would include colourful presentations of International Culture dances, and the judging of the Best Costumes Competition. The international food stalls would be also offer food from different countries with musical entertainment.



The cultural dances would be Thai dance from the Nursing Science Faculty, Filipino Dance from Air Traffic Control and Sports Departments, Chinese Dance from the Public Health Faculty, Indian Dance from the International Business and Logistics Departments, Nigerian Dance by Nigerian students, Latin Dance (Brazilian) from the Hotel and Tourism Department, Arabian Dance from Business English Department, European Dance from the Airline Business Department, and two English skits from the Faculty of Education.

St Theresa lecturers' meeting on QA for 2014-2018

St Theresa International College's Quality Assurance (QA) Office organized a meeting for all lecturers in Room 304 at the College on January 28, 2015. Pictured here, Dr Piyada Wattanasan, President of the College gave the opening remarks to the audience, while Dr Chaipat Wattanasan, Vice President for Academic Affairs spoke on the Internal Quality Assurance of the Office of Higher Education Commission (OHEC) for the 3rd round for 2014 - 2018.



B Ed, BE students on a nature tour to Wangtakrai Park and Waterfall



On 22nd January 2015, 55 students and teachers of the Humanities and Education Faculties visited Wangtakrai Waterfall in Nakhon Nayok province to study nature conservation. The teachers who accompanied the students, were Ajarn Jureca Failanga, Ajarn Emelyne Galon, Ajarn. Greg Dicks on, and Ajarn Yongyut Khamkong.



All walked on a 4-kilometer nature trek, passing waterfalls, a mountain and through the pristine jungle of the park. The trip was a mix of education and recreation at the same time. The waterfall is only 40 minutes drive from the St Theresa International College. The nature trip was aimed to instill an awareness of nature conservation among the students.

Prize of honour for St Theresa’s Faculty of Nursing Science



A research paper entitled, “Satisfaction of nursing students with environmental management in the Faculty of Nursing Science, St Theresa International College,” by Suthas Suphanam and members, from the Faculty of Nursing Science, St Theresa International College won the research work contest.



Their paper received a cash prize of 2000 baht for the first runner-up of the contest for research work in the nursing field, held at the national academic conference for 2015 on “Creative administration for health service: Role of nursing science study” which was organized by the sub-committee in the field of nursing science, of The Association of Private Higher Education Institution of Thailand.

The Association also presented a certificate of honour to Suthas, and members at the conference taken place on January 16, 2015 at Siam University, Bangkok.



STIC Public Address (PA) studio operates at the College canteen



Recently, some volunteer students representing all faculties of St Theresa International College took turns to host the public address programs with daily dialogues, news presentation, music and announcements in English. The PA studio is located in a corner of the College canteen. It is now operating in the mornings from 8.00 a.m. – 8.30 a.m. and during the lunch time for about half an hour.

Outstanding Youth of the Year



Mr Anont Pilachai, a student of St Theresa International College called on the Prime Minister Gen Prayuth Chan-ocha at the Government House on January 10, 2015 to receive the Shield of Honour and a certificate for being chosen by the Ministry of Education as one of the most outstanding national children and youths for 2015. The Ministerial Committee organized the day's activities at Government House to celebrate this year's National Children's Day.



STIC Book Fair opens!



Dr Chaipat Wattanasan, Vice President for Academic Affairs of St Theresa International College presided over the Opening Ceremony of the St Theresa Book Fair, which was held at the College library recently.

The St Theresa BOOK FAIR was held until January 21, 2015 from 9.30 a.m. until 4.30 p.m. on the first floor of the St Theresa International College Library.



This year, the two-day fair aimed to provide more opportunities for the lecturers and students to choose to buy “good” books and to learn more from printed materials and publications.

At the fair, three printing houses displayed materials. They were Chulalongkorn University Printing House, Kinokuniya Japanese Books and P B for Books Shop. They displayed and offered the best books for sale to the public. In addition, some activities would be organized to encourage the general public to read more.

On this occasion, students, staff, lecturers, the general public, and interested people were invited to visit the book fair. The students and lecturers could submit the request form concerning the demand for purchasing more reference books, textbooks, printed materials and publications for the library under the current project to provide more learning resources.

For more information, please visit: <http://www.stic.ac.th/> and the College Facebook, or Tel. 02 234 55 999 ext. 110

Thailand University Games 2015



On January 14, 2015 Ajarn Suwat Benjathammathorn, Vice President for Administration and Student Affairs, St Theresa International College presented sport jackets and also delivered his address to cheer the athletes representing the College in the 42th Thailand University Games 2015 or Nonsee Games " being held at Kasetsart University, Kamphaeng Saen Campus in Nakhon Pathom province.

Post-Training Session

Dean of the Faculty of Business Administration Ajarn Prakai Cholahan, of St Theresa International College presided over the Post training session for the fourth –year students in Sports Management, BBA program. The session was held on January 12, 2015 at Joseph Marie Building.



Children's Day Celebration 2015

Lecturers and students from the Faculty of Business Administration, Faculty of Public Health and the Office of Student Affairs, St Theresa International College joined hands with the Bungsan Tambon Administration Organization (TAO) officials to organize the social service activities in celebration of the National Children's Day on January 10, 2015 at Bungsan TAO premises, Ongkharak District, Nakhon Nayok province. About 300 children and parents from the nearby communities took part in the day activities.



New Year Party 2015

St Theresa Christmas - New Year Staff's Party 2015 was held at Madam's residence on January 9, 2015.



Christmas Celebration 2014

On the Christmas Day, 25th December 2014, students and teachers of Faculty of Education celebrated a Christmas party with children at Ban Hua Mon School, Ongkharak District, Nakhon Nayok.



STIC students and teachers helped raised funds and bought stationery, toys, and a football, to give to the children. They played games, sang Christmas songs, and danced with the children and two Santa Clauses at the school.



Other activities were the Q&A about the history of Christmas and Jesus Christ, the Santa Clause painting contest, and English Contest. The fun and fair lasted for three hours but the good memory will certainly remained forever.

STIC Christmas Party 2014

Ajarn Siriwan Tanyong, Director of the Office of Administration, won the first prize of a Suzuki Scooter worth more than 30,000 baht from the lucky draw(affle ticket) held at the St Theresa Christmas Party 2014 on December 19, 2014 in the Joseph Marie Auditorium.



Ajarn Siriwan received the motorbike key and a helmet from Madam Dr Theresa Phromsunthorn, Vice Chairperson of St Theresa International Council.

Christmas Party Meeting



On November 26, 2014 Madam Dr. Theresa Virachanee Phromsuntorn chaired the STIC meeting in preparations for the upcoming Christmas Party 2014. The meeting committee also has planned to organize the Christmas Party by offering the Christmas shows presented by each department. The meeting participants also talked about the follow-up on sales of the raffle tickets. The management team also appointed different sub-committees to organize the event on December 19, 2014.