

# Stephenian Times



2019 Term 1

## First Week of School

The term began with the welcoming of our P1 pupils. While the rest of the mid-level and upper-level pupils kick-started the year with a week of orientation, the Primary Ones were warmly received by their Primary Two buddies. They were paired up and guided for their first recess together, as eager parents looked on from the side of the canteen.





# Annual Inaugural Service 2019

The new staff and students of St. Stephen's were welcomed to the school during the annual inaugural service in the school hall as the song, "Welcome to the Family" played on. The staff were presented a lit candle representing guidance in their teaching journey. At the end of the service, we sang, together with the newly-minted members of our Lasallian family, "We are Lasallian".





# Chinese New Year Celebrations

The day began with a Chinese New Year video clip on how 'Nian' (年) came about and a mini activity was conducted in class, before the students proceeded to the school hall for the lion dance performance. The amazing lion dance performance evoked much excitement as the pupils watched in awe when the "lions" were perched on stilts. Prizes were also awarded to the three winning classes of each level in the Annual CNY Classroom Decoration Competition.



## Prefects Investiture

The annual Prefects Investiture was also held in Term One to present to the school the newly-appointed Head and Vice-Head prefects and the rest of the prefects. This ceremony illuminates the roles and responsibilities of the prefects signifying their important role for the rest of the school population. The ceremony was concluded with the Head and Vice-Head prefects leading the rest of the prefects in the Prefects' Pledge.





# SPORTS

## TRACK & FIELD

It was a proud moment for St. Stephen's School as our boys were presented medals for events they won. These events were conducted and held by various schools to showcase the sporting talent in primary schools throughout Singapore. St. Stephen's School, which was one of the participating schools, won numerous medals through hard work and sheer determination of our pupils.



**Singapore Athletics Under 13 Track & Field Championship 2019**

**7 Gold, 4 Silver, 7 Bronze**

**Victoria-Cedar Alliance Invitational Primary Schools Relay-Championship 2019**

**4 Gold, 2 Silver, 1 Bronze**

**Singapore Sports School-Athletics Primary Schools Track & Field Invitational Meet 2019**

**8 Gold, 6 Silver, 4 Bronze**

## SOCCER

Congratulations to the soccer team! Our Primary 6 soccer boys participated in the Singapore Primary School Sports Council (SPSSC) East Zone Senior First Round and achieved 3rd placing in the group event while the juniors (Primary 4 & 5 participants) got into Junior Quarter Finals.

**Senior 1st Round - Senior Team: Primary 6**

**3rd Placing**

**Junior Quarter Finals - Junior Team: Primary 4 & 5**

**Quarter Finals**



# TOTAL DEFENCE

The school commemorated Total Defence with an assembly talk on economic defence and a skit espousing the importance of military defence. Through the various activities conducted, pupils celebrated our nation's shared attitudes, values and identity as Singaporeans.

