



Student Association Election

We are Synergy, the student association of this academic year. It is our pleasure to be elected as the 42nd Student Association.

We would like to express our gratitude to our principal Ms. Ho, our teacher advisors Mr. Ho, Ms. Chu, Ms. Poon and Mr. Hoggard for encouraging and motivating us to strive for excellence.

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to all the students who voted for us and have put their faith in us. We are both humbled and honored that you have placed your confidence and support in Synergy.

Over the past few months, we have demonstrated our resilience and endeavors in serving Valtortans. Though tough sometimes, we will keep dedicating ourselves to fulfilling all our promises. Together we can make VC an even better place.



At the juncture of its 45th anniversary, Valtorta College launched a project called Let's Art to strengthen the concept of 'One Sports/Arts in Life' scheme. This scheme aims to promote students' esthetics development, as well as enhance the art scene in school.

The project also encourages active participation by all subject disciplines to make good use of Cordis Hall. Teachers can use the space as an extension of the classroom learning environment to organise life-wide learning activities that promote independent knowledge acquisition and whole-person development under the themes of art and sport.



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Messages from the Principal

*"At the dawn of my green years, when all day golden dreams fill me,
what a joy is for me to hear that this school is welcoming me."*

We give thanks to God, for inspiring Father Narciso Santinon to establish the Valtorta College, in commemoration of Bishop Henry Valtorta, under the sponsorship and management of the Hong Kong Catholic Diocese 45 years ago. We give thanks to God for blessing our school to become an ocean of knowledge. A tiny seed that was planted 45 years has now becoming a big tree, giving warmth, love and shelter to all our beloved students.

Students at Valtorta College are called Valtortans - a very meaningful name which bears a resemblance to "those who always remember the Grace of God". Once a Valtortan, Forever a Valtortan! Every Valtortan is part of the glorious history of VC where you have spent your entire teenage years at this beloved school.

Commencing July 2021, VC will celebrate the 45th Anniversary of the Founding of the school, an important milestone, to celebrate what we have together achieved over the past decades, as well as pursuing our hopes and actualizing our dreams.

Do not miss out this golden opportunity to renew friendships, to enhance your Valtortan spirit and pay tribute to your beloved school. As VC continues to actively embrace the changes in this new era, I ask you to render support to the school so that VC can continue its mission to provide an all-round education based on the following Christian values - Truth, Life, Love, Justice and Family. In response to the Christian values, we as Valtortans take pride in the five attributes as summarised in an acronym "H.E.A.R.T" - Hardworking, Excellent, Affectionate, Responsible and Thoughtful. (i) We should be Hardworking to pursue for **Truth**. (ii) We should strive for Excellence in our **Life**. (iii) We should **Love** each other Affectionately. (iv) We should undertake our Responsibilities for one another to fulfill the moral virtue of **Justice**. (v) We should be Thoughtful in loving our **Family**.

We hope our students will be guided to live up to core values of our Catholic education and the motto of our school (知行合一 / to actualize what we learn). This will enhance the quality of life, both spiritually and materially, to many more generations of Valtortans so that they can contribute positively to their home, profession and society with charity, conscience, confidence, courage, creativity, competence and commitment.

With regard to whole-person development, every Valtortan will have the chance to experience a Six-Year Nurturing Scheme which signifies the provision of all-round encounters. Upon completion, all graduates will have undergone a process of personal growth in different fields. Our aim is to show how the school not only pays attention to academic performance, but also values a balanced and healthy school life.

Last but not least, extra credit should be given to all colleagues for their enthusiasm and contribution in guiding students' development. Sincere thanks should also be given to school managers, parents, alumni and the Catholic Diocese of Hong Kong for their unrelenting and continuous support. My heartfelt gratitude is also extended to our supervisor Ms Woo Wai See Alice, our retired supervisors Rev. Fr. Narciso Santinon, Sr. Margaret Wong Kam Lin, Rev. Fr. John Patrick Cuff, Rev. Fr. Carlo Tei, Rev. Fr. Dino Doimo, Rev. Fr. Renzo Milanese, Rev. Fr. Bonalumi, Luigi and our retired principals Mr Lawrence Chan Hok Man, Dr. John Tan Kang, Ms Teresa Chan Kam Tim and Mr Ip Tak Ming for their devotion and long service to VC. Their passion and enthusiasm in education indeed serve as an inspiration to many of us.

Fellow Valtortans, let's gear up to be the best we can for the coming challenges whilst enjoying together, as always, the outstanding achievements of VC.

Principal Ho



四十五載
恩主微風情

四十五周年校慶暨感恩祭

知行合一
培賢傳主愛



恩主教書院於九月三日舉行了四十五周年校慶暨感恩祭，當天蒙香港天主教區夏志誠輔理主教主祭，校監布尊和神父、高旭神父和梁達材神父共祭。

除各神長外，當天亦蒙香港天主教區教育事務主教代表助理陳順清校長和葉介君校長撥冗蒞臨；而本校的歷任校長、榮休教職員、不同年代的校友代表，連同受邀出席的逾十位中小學的校長，共同參與當天的慶典。

夏主教於講道時引用了當天的《福音》「你們該彼此相愛，如同我愛了你們一樣」（若15：12），結合本校校訓「從心出發，知行合一」勉勵同學，要在生活中發現愛，學懂感恩，並將愛融入生命中的每一件小事。感恩祭後，夏主教與一眾神長亦祝聖了本校新建成的歷史長廊、圖書館和STEM教室，夏主教亦勉勵同學，祝福同學能善用學校設施，以尋得智慧和平安。

在各位神長和嘉賓的見證下，學校播放了「恩主教書院流金歲月」的影片，回顧創校以來的珍貴回憶和恩典。最後，恩主教書院四十五周年校慶暨感恩祭在校長、校友、教職員和同學眾口同聲的校歌聲中拉下帷幕。

感恩祭選在九月三日舉行，其實也是為紀念恩理覺主教的忌辰，寓意本校上下，能毋忘恩主教愛主愛人的精神，迎向未來，在天主教學校五大核心價值的薰陶下，讓學生在真理、公義、愛德、生命、家庭各方面都有所長進得著，繼續秉承恩記人的傳統，培賢育才。

恩主賜福傳千里 書香飄溢滿校園



恩主教書院周年大型書展因新冠疫情而延於六月舉行。是次書展展出近七千本中、英文圖書，涵蓋不同範疇，並延續書展「主恩常在，書香滿園」的宗旨，期望學生先「覓書」，然後「閱書」，最後能「說書」，將書本所學化為知識，培養終生閱讀的習慣。

書展開鑰之前，本校一如既往舉行了多場作家講座和閱讀講座。本年度學校邀請香港作家呂永佳老師、游欣妮老師、夜透紫小姐及何善彰先生，暢談他們的創作歷程；此外，資深中文科老師鮑國鴻先生則向同學介紹好書及分享閱讀方法。

開幕禮當天，本校邀請了大埔區小學校長及校監撥冗出席，他們分別為：天主教聖母聖心小學校監朱仲強先生及校長周麗雄女士、香港教育大學賽馬會小學杜莊莎妮校長及香港道教聯合會雲泉吳禮和紀念學校高群美校長。一些中一同學更獲安排致送紀念品予其母校校監及校長，場面溫馨。

「恩主賜福傳千里，書香飄溢滿校園」。恩主教書院希望藉著周年書展，加強同學閱讀興趣，提升語文能力，與不同作者交流，擴闊其眼界，幫助同學成為一位飽讀詩書的學子。

