



# **Chinese Parents Association - Children With Disabilities Inc**

澳洲弱能兒童協康會

# CPA NewsLetter 協康會 會訊

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# LAPPY NEW YEAR

# **Up Coming Events:**

- Dragon Boat Races
- Celebration of Chinese New Year
- Workshops About Recycling
- Family Picnic
- Educational Workshop

# **Community Reports:**

- BEAM Project Report
- Christmas Celebration Report



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# Article Contribution 歡迎來稿

CPA NewsLetter is our quarterly publication. We share community news with our members and other community organizations. We welcome your contributions of articles.

歡迎會員朋友來稿,在「會訊」發表, 使能與其他會員朋友分享,響應本會的 「互助友愛」的宗旨。





# 澳洲弱能兒童協康會

Chinese Parents Association— Children With Disabilities Inc

Dear Members,

Chinese Parents Association—Children With Disabilities Incorporated (CPA) is pleased to announce the relocation and expansion of our organisation.

Our new office is now open at:

Address: Shop 11, 20-22 Anglo Road,

Campsie NSW 2194.

Phone: (02) 9789 1315 Mobile: 0406 233 222

CPA has been providing services to children with disabilities and their families for more than 30 years. We are committed to provide more expert services in the future.

澳洲弱能兒童協康會 (CPA) 非常感謝所有成員和 社區的長期支持,協康會不斷的發展,已在2017年 12月19日搬遷至新地址。新地址環境優雅、設施齊 全,更便於協康會以後提供更多的優質服務。

## 新辦公室現已開放,詳情如下:

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協康會已經為弱能兒童及其家庭提供服務超過30 年。我們承諾在未來提供更多服務選擇。

> CPA Management Committee Chinese Parents Association—Children with Disabilities Inc.

# New CPA Committee 2018

# 現屆管理委員會名單



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Mrs Lilian Tse 謝潔儀女士

Program Instructors 活動課程導師:

Art Teachers: Irene Mok, Nick Baldas

Junior Group Teachers: Jackie Chan

Music Therapist: Christine Morson

Dance Teacher: Elizabeth Ramsay

Computer Teacher: David Luo

# NEW YEAR, NEW INITIATIVES: MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear members

Happy New Year to all of you! As we started 2018, I extend New Year's greetings from CPA to all the members. How did you spend your New Year's holiday? I enjoyed a relaxing break with my family and feel physically and mentally refreshed.



I'm proud and humbled to have recently been elected to serve the 6<sup>th</sup> consecutive year as president of this amazing organisation. Started by a group of forward-thinking committee members in 1988, CPA has steadily grown in membership and influence over the years, and now serves its 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary. I like to extent a special thank you to my team, Vice Presidents: Sylvia Tinyow, Ivy Lau, Treasurer: Maria Lee, Vice Treasurer: Aileen Pang, Secretary: Dr Jennifer Chan, Program Co-ordinator: Elena Lau, Committee Members: Elly Li, Ping Mui, Dr Jeff Li, William Wu, our Community Service Worker: Lilian Tse, Eugenia Liang, and our volunteers in the office and classes. They are inspiring, and tireless members who keep this well-oiled machine running day in and day out throughout the year. I am grateful to work with such a great team and am excited to see where we will take the Chapter in 2018.

Welcome to 2018, another year sure to feature exciting changes in how we support our members as CPA became NDIS service provider. From February, CPA will gradually introduce some new classes Monday to Friday afternoon at our new office. These classes include: Computer Skills, Shopping & Money Skills/Life Skills and Social & Communication. The Saturday activities will remain as usual at Lidcombe for Tenpin Bowling and at Belmore Senior Citizen Centre and Belmore Youth Resource Centre for other educational, social and recreational programs.

If you would like to use your NDIS funding to pay for a place in our program, now is the time to make sure CPA is factored into your plan – it will need to be in your plan budget under *Innovative Community Participation*. Please note that we do have limited spaces for our weekday program (max 10 per program).



Please join us in celebrating our Grand Opening of our new office at Campsie. The launch will be on Friday 23 February, come to check out our new office and say hello to Lilian.

As we are approaching one of the most anticipated events of Sydney's Chinese New Year festival, the City of Sydney presents the 2018 CNY Dragon Boat Races which returns to Darling Harbour on 24 and 25 February. The CPA dragon boat team is training hard already at Pyrmont; it was great to see the enthusiasm and the energy in our team. Get up close to all the action on 25 February, be there to cheer the CPA team!

2018 will be an exciting year for CPA as we will be celebrating a significant milestone of CPA - our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary. This day commemorates all that you have accomplished since the day CPA opened its doors. It is also a testament of your perseverance, and also a signal of longevity, integrity, strength and success. Celebrating this longevity is a great motivator for leaders, donors, volunteers, and our dearest members and is truly a cause for celebration. I am looking forward to share this big day with you with a full-on celebration happen in September.

So, from myself, all our Committee Members, volunteers, thank you for your membership and support. We promise to keep evolving to serve you, no matter what the new normal brings in 2018. Have a wonderful Chinese New Year, I wish you good health and lasting prosperity.

Miranda Chau
President



# BEAM

# **Training Project**

陽光課程活動

-- Behaviour-management, Exercise And Motorskill Training for Children with disabilities \*\*\*Kindly sponsored by Australian Chinese Charity Foundation Inc (ACCF)

This is a both community-based and centre-based project providing behaviour management technique to parents/carers and physical /motor skill training to young children with disabilities.

Once a month, on a Saturday afternoon, the program will be facilitated by an experienced special education teacher, Jackie Chan, at the Belmore Youth Resource Centre, Belmore. It aims to make it fun to learn through various kinds of movement and exercises: children yoga, circus and gym activities; group music, movement / rhythm and overall body co-ordination development.

All children benefit from physical activity, and children with disabilities are no exception. They will have the opportunity to creatively explore and practise skills safely while building self-confidence and self-esteem. Their participation in sports and physical activities promotes physical, emotional and social well-being. Parents' involvement helps to reinforce the healthy lifestyle message.

Anyone who is interested in this program is welcome to contact Lilian on 0406 233 222.



這個陽光課程是包括室內和室外活動。其主旨是提供給父母/照顧者一些"如何處理挑戰式行為"的技巧;和教導兒童們一些體能運動:兒童瑜珈,馬戲班雜技,舞蹈步法,羣體合作活動等。透過音楽韻律,去培養參加者的節奏感,全身手足的配合。參與此項課程,小朋友可以在一個安全的環境內發揮他們的創作能力,建立他們的自信,自尊和良好的情绪處理和社交能力。

父母的參與有助維持強化健康的生活方式。

如有興趣參與此活動,請與 Lilian 聯络: 0406 233 222

# 2017 年聖誕聯歡會

踏入十二月,雪梨市中心變得更繁忙及多姿多彩。商店被粉飾得五光十色,充滿著聖誕的氣氛,使市面招來更多市民和遊客。雖然慶祝聖誕節,不是硬性規定要互贈禮物,但這時候人們都樂於購物,商家乘此機會,希望把積壓在倉底裡的貨物,在新的一年來臨前速速銷光。

處處瀰漫著節日的氣氛。各區市政局及其轄下社區。都有慶祝活動,而澳洲弱能兒童協康會,亦於十二月九日在 Club Central Hurstville的宴會廳舉行聖誕聯歡聚餐。這會所座落於眾多華人聚居之區域交通十分方便,乘搭火車或巴士均可到達。這是一所繁忙的會所,能在聖誕節期間預訂一個可容納140人的宴會廳真是不容易。幸好一切就緒,妥善安排。這天,我們在宴會廳門外設立了接待處,有些食客前往近側食肆時,經過接待處,也會好奇地走過來諮詢一下我們的活動。

宴會廳內俱樂部的技術人員早已把燈光和音響調較妥當。而協康會的執委們。正忙於帶領陸續到來的嘉賓就座及將精緻漂亮的禮物擺放於當眼處將眾人的目光深深地吸引著。在午餐開始前首先是週年大會。結束後會長周潤梅女士發表歡迎詞。並感謝大家的支持。這午餐的食物非常豐富份量特多。餐後每桌都剩餘很多食物。需要打包帶回家以免浪費食物。

整個聯歡會過程中,一直有專人播放著幻燈片,是 紀錄著協康會的孩子們在學習中之過程,其中發 人深省的,是由導師 Nick Baldas 帶領的一個項目, 利用光線投影在屏幕上的原理,讓孩子們將自己 的面部輪廓用線條繪畫出來。作品用來表達孩 子的個性特徵,並讓孩子們加深對自己的認識。



每一年的聖誕節聚餐.協康會都會頒發証書給青年組和幼兒組的成員.以示鼓勵他們的學習精神.此外.有兩個特別獎的獎座.分別給予兩組在去年中表現優秀的孩子.這個獎座具有特殊意義.是認可及表揚他倆在各方面均有改善和進步.讓他們把獎座留在家裡.隨時提醒著孩子繼續努力向前。

協康會的CPAKIDz 是一個有音樂天份的表演團隊。 他們的歌聲和 舞蹈將眾人帶入普天同慶的歡樂氣 氛。隨著Jingle Bell 之歌聲,聖誕老人出來派禮物了! 孩子們趕著與他拍照留念。全場的壓軸戲是抽獎 節目,這次聖誕聚餐,得到有心人捐出大量豐富禮品, 興高彩烈的中獎人士與等待中獎的其它人一齊起鬨, 非常熱鬧。

尾聲來了,但曲終人未散,音樂還在播放著。不願離去的孩子們又再靠攏起來,隨著音樂拍子跳舞。音樂是奇妙的,可以令人興奮,而舞蹈亦可以打開心扉,表達自我。父母們看著自己的子女玩得不亦樂乎,而自己則趁此機會與其他家長交流經驗,大家懷著相同的信念,傾談著如何撫養自己的子女,各人歡欣地度過美好的一天。

Lilian Tse



The City of Sydney presents the 2018
CHINESE NEW YEAR DRAGON BOAT RACES returns to Darling
Harbour Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2018

COMING TO WATCH TO SUPPORT THE CPA DRAGON BOAT TEAM

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> Feb, from 9am

Get up close to all the action & join in the fun!



CPA, CPA Winner of the Day!





# Feb—April Activities:

- Dragon Boat Races—25/02/2018
- Celebration of Chinese New Year —17/02/2018
  - Workshops about recycling at St George Community Centre, Kogarah— 17/03/2018 & 24/03/2018
- Family Picnic at Como Pleasure Grounds—14/04/2018
  - Educational workshops at Reverse Garbage,
     Marrickville 24/04/2018 & 28/04/2018

2018 is the 5<sup>th</sup> time CPA has participated in the annual Dragon Boat Race as part of the City of Sydney's Chinese New Year celebration. Our team has prepared for the event many weeks in advance, training at Pyrmont. We are looking forward to see you, joining us on the day of the race.



# Regular Weekend Activities

# Junior Group 兒童組



## **Rhythm & Music**

## 唱遊活動

Instructor: By Christine

Time 時間: Saturdays 星期六,

4:00pm — 5:00 pm

Venue地點: Belmore Youth Centre,

38 Redman Pde, Belmore

This program is kindly sponsored

Campsie RSL Club



#### Fun to Learn!

Time 時間:逢星期六下午

3:00pm 至 4:00 pm

Venue地點: Belmore Youth

Resource Centre,

40 Redman Pde, Belmore

This program is kindly sponsored Campsie RSL Club



# Community Outdoor Activities

Time 時間: Saturdays 星期六,

2:00 - 4:00pm or School Holidays

This program is kindly sponsored Campsie RSL Club

# Youth Group 青年組



#### **Ice-Skating**

Time 時間: Saturdays星期六, 8.45am to 9.45am

Venue地點: Canterbury Olympic Ice Rink, Phillips Ave., Canterbury



## 保齡球課 Ten Pin Bowling Lessons

Time 時間: 逢星期六舉行, 上午10:15 am 開始 Venue地點: 92 Parramatta Rd, Lidcombe NSW 2141



#### **Music Lessons**

Time 時間: Satiurdays 星期六,下午 2:30pm 至4:30pm

Venue地點: Belmore Youth Centre, 38-40 Redman Pde, Belmore This program is kindly sponsored by Canterbury Bankstown Council



#### **Art Programs**

Time 時間: Satiurdays 星期六,下午 2:30pm 至 4:30pm

Venue地點: Belmore Youth Centre, 38-40 Redman Pde, Belmore

Kindly sponsored by Illawarra Catholic Club Ltd

Kindly sponsored by Crown Resorts Foundation & Packer Family Foundation



#### **Dance Lessons**

Time 時間: 逢星期六舉行, 下午 2:30pm 至4:30pm

Venue地點: Belmore Youth Centre, 38-40 Redman Pde, Belmore

Kindly sponsored by Canterbury Bankstown FAP

This program is kindly sponsored by Strathfield Sports Club





Christmas celebration



Christmas celebration



Christmas celebration



Christmas celebration



Christmas celebration



Christmas celebration



Farewell morning tea at MRC



Morning tea at Ice-Skating Rink



Performance at Ermington CC



Cooking class



Cooking class



Cooking class





ACCF cheque presentation



ACCF cheque presentation



Booklet editorial team



Seminar for parents



Dragon boat training 2018



Dragon boat training 2018



Music and dance class



Music and dance class



Music and dance class



BEAM project—Junior Group



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## Activity Venues:

Ice-Skating - Canterbury Ice Rink, Phillips Avenue Canterbury
Bowling at Tenpin City Lidcombe - 92 Parramatta Road, Lidcombe
Saturday afternoon at Belmore Senior Citizen Centre, Redman Parade Belmore

# Activity fees applied (refer to current fees schedule)

	Junior Group	Youth Group			
	Afternoon 3:00pm to 5:00pm	Morning 9:00am to 12:00pm	Afternoon 2:30pm to 4:30pm		
February					
3 Feb	Dance Rhythm & Music		Shopping & Cooking class		
10 Feb	Fun to learn Rhythm & Music	Ice-Skating 9:00-9:45am	Art Class (Workshop 8)		
17 Feb	BEAM Project	Bowling 10:15-12:00pm	Music Rehearsal (DVD) Birthday Party & CNY Celebration		
24 Feb	Dance Rhythm & Music		Dance Class (Brazilian)		
21102	CNY festival Music Performance @ Eastwood 5pm				
25 Feb (Sun)	CNY festival Dragon Boat Race @ Darling Harbour 9am				
March					
3 Mar	Fun to learn Rhythm & Music		Music Rehearsal (DVD)		
10 Mar	Dance Rhythm & Music	Ice-Skating 9:00-9:45am	Art Class (Workshop 9)		
17 Mar	BEAM Project	Bowling 10:15-12:00pm	Art & Crafts Birthday Party		
24 Mar	Dance Rhythm & Music		Money Skills		
April					
7 Apr	BEAM Project Rhythm & Music	Ice-Skating 9:00-9:45am Bowling 10:15-12:00pm	Music Rehearsal (DVD)		
14Apr	School Holiday – Family Picnic at Como Pleasure Grounds, 2A Cremona Road, Como				
21 Apr	School Holiday – Visit Rydalmere Environmental Education Centre				
28 Apr	School Holiday – Visit Marrickville Environmental Education Centre (TBC)				
	The above programs may be ch	anged without prior notice due	e to unforeseen reasons.		