

From the President's Desk (September 2007)

The beginning of an exciting and new semester of fun and learning!

Welcome back after a very hot summer break. We have begun the most exciting semester of the year, an exciting journey with several big events planned for this school calendar. I hope all of you are energized and excited as much as we are.



Little Angels has grown in leaps and bounds and we saw many new members joining our Little Angels' family. I hope all of you who joined us during the last semester have settled down and feel comfortable with us. As much as Little Angels has grown in numbers, it has increasingly been perceived as a recognized institution for learning. **Yet once again, the school was featured on NTV**, covered by the Nihon Keizai Shimbun [日本経済新聞], and the English version of it was featured in the prestigious “**Nikkei Weekly**” as well (these articles are located in the “Media Coverage” section inside “About Us”). I am very glad that we are all part of this exciting journey of Little Angels.

We began the first semester with a very grand Entrance Ceremony at the Musashino Geino Gekijo. The International Children's Day was very colorful with children representing different countries and holding the flags of countries. It was truly a very international event. Shortly afterwards, we had our annual school picnic event, which owing to inclement weather, could not be held at the Inokashira Park, but was held at the “Musashino-shi Sogo Taikukan” and we had great fun with all the children and parents. We finished the semester with a Summer School, which was attended by many kids and spanned two weeks of fun and learning. The “Creative Safari” program was a fun-filled learning adventure, and all the kids enjoyed it very much.

As you all may be aware, the “big” event for this semester is the Christmas Party. It will be held on the 15th of December (Saturday) at the Sangyo Plaza, Mitaka-shi. Kindly make a note of this in your diaries and schedulers, so that you won't miss it. This year the special performance will be a puppet show. I am sure we will all enjoy it very much.

“On your marks, get-set, ready, GO!!!” Can you guess the event? It's the Kindergarten Sports day in October. Not only will the children be competing, the parents will have the chance to display their muscle and stamina. Later in October, we have the Halloween party – “so mothers, please get your costumes out of the closets and join us”. In November, we shall enjoy the “Thanksgiving pot-luck” lunch. All of us are looking forward to taste the yummy food... another time for the mothers to show off their skills in cooking!

Exciting new plans are already underway to start our very own Little Angels International Elementary School from April 2008. I sincerely hope all of you would continue the education journey through our Elementary School as well. An initial orientation will be held on the 22nd of September, 2007.

Thank you and please feel free to approach us and talk to us about anything. We are very happy to have you all here, to share and to be part of the Little Angels community.

Warm regards,

Rani.

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