

25 March 2008

Dear Parents/Guardians

SCGS Carnival 2008

SCGS will be turning 110 next year. To celebrate this significant milestone in the school's history, SCGS will be holding a carnival on **Saturday, 19 April 2008, 10am to 4.30pm** to mark the start of the school's 110th Anniversary celebrations. The school has benefited tremendously from the support of its stakeholders and the community throughout its 110 years of existence. The 110th Anniversary Celebrations theme *SC-Cares* echoes the deep desire of every grateful SCGS member, past and present, to give back to the community which has so generously supported the school over the years.

SCGS Carnival 2008, jointly organised by the Alumni, Parents Support Group and the school, not only seeks to nurture an innovative and enterprising spirit in our pupils as they conceptualise, plan and set up a variety of attractive food, games and service stalls, but more importantly, to inculcate in them a sense of social responsibility, as 60% of the funds raised through the carnival will be used to help other needy children through the ST Pocket Money Fund, and the children suffering from the crisis in Dafur, through the United Nations of Singapore and UNICEF. In addition, the school hopes to raise funds for School Building Development as it looks into the expansion of its facilities to support school programmes, and ensure that the education provided in SCGS continues to be exciting and relevant in this changing landscape.

The carnival, replacing *Family Night 2008*, incorporates many elements of the *Family Night* which has become very successful over the years. The event is a great opportunity for the school, former pupils, alumni, parents, friends and supporters to come together and share in the spirit of SCGS as it shows its appreciation and gives back to the community.

The organising committee is working with sponsors for the carnival. If you wish to sponsor any stalls or make outright donations to support the event, we will be most appreciative. A copy of the reply slip for the event is attached. Please complete the form and return it through your daughter's Form Teacher by **Monday, 31 March 2008**.

Your daughter has also been issued \$100 worth of carnival coupons by her Form Teacher. We encourage her to help in selling the coupons to her family members, relatives and friends. If you and your daughter wish to assist in selling more carnival coupons, please also complete the form attached.

Pupils who are unable to sell all their carnival coupons are to return the unsold coupons to their Form Teacher by **Tuesday, 15 April 2008**. Pupils are to note that the school has not sought for permission for door-to-door sale of coupons or sale of the coupons in public.

Thank you and we look forward to your continued support in this carnival.

Yours sincerely

Low Ay Nar (Mrs)
Principal

SCGS Carnival 2008 Reply Slip

To: Singapore Chinese Girls' School

I have noted the contents of the letter *SCGS Carnival 2008* dated 25 March 2008.

Please tick (optional)

- I would like to help further by selling extra coupons. Please issue _____ additional coupon sheets to my daughter.
- I would like to make an outright donation of \$_____ in support of this project as follows:

ST Pocket Money Fund	\$	Tax exemption for donations of \$10 and above
SCGS Building Development Fund	\$	Tax exemption for donations above \$50
Children suffering from crisis in Dafur through the United Nations of Singapore and UNICEF	\$	No tax exemption
Total	\$	All cheques are to be made payable to <i>Singapore Chinese Girls' School</i> . Please write your daughter's name and class on the reverse side.

- I have an idea/contact for the school to follow-up. Please contact me at the number indicated below.

Name of Parent Signature Contact Number

Name of Pupil Class Date

For outright donations, please issue tax exemption receipt(where applicable) to:

Name : _____ NRIC No. _____

Address : _____
