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Newsletter for MCS Former Students' Association Members Only

FSA BAKING FUN APRIL 12

On 12th April we gathered at the DS Room again for one of FSA's most popular event. This year we baked the Maryknoll Breakfast Bread, a simple yet scrumptious recipe even our little bakers could do with ease. Our special guest Sr Marilu even brought us a loaf she made, which we enjoyed with our refreshments. Everyone left the DS Room with a nice loaf of bread to share with family and a big smile. We all look forward to the next baking event!

The Maryknoll Breakfast Bread recipe is posted in our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/mcsfsa



RECIPE FOR THE MARYKNOLL BREAKFAST BREAD

Ingredients

155g	All Purpose flour/ Cake flour
65g	White sugar
40g	Brown sugar
1/4 teaspoon	Salt
1/4 teaspoon	Nutmeg powder
80g	Canola oil
1	Egg, at room temperature
1/2 teaspoon	Baking soda
1/2 teaspoon	Baking powder
2 Tablespoon	Buttermilk powder
120ml	Water

* *Buttermilk powder and water can be replaced with 120ml Milk/ Buttermilk*

- 1) In a bowl, mix all dry ingredients (flour, sugars, salt and nutmeg) till crumbly and reserve 1 Tablespoon for topping (optional)
- 2) Add all remaining ingredients and mix till the batter is smooth. Pour the batter into an aluminum baking pan and sprinkle the toppings on the batter. Bake at 175 degree Celsius for about 25 minutes. The bread is done when an inserted toothpick comes out clean

AGM NOTICE ENCLOSED. JOIN US ON AUGUST 28.

JOINT-ASSOCIATION HAPPY HOUR GATHERING ON APRIL 11



After almost 9 months' time, MCSFSA and La Salle College Old Boys' Association got together at Bit Point in Central to relax with a pint of chilled beer or a glass of white-wine spritzer, to wind down the week of work. It was just another perfect occasion to catch up with friends from MCS/LSC as well as own school mates... and of course a great chance making some new ones.

Stay tuned with us on our Facebook MCSFSA and members watch out for our emails for new events.



BRING YOUR REUNIONS OR CLASS ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS BACK TO SCHOOL

There's no better place like home. Your alma mater welcomes you with open arms. Simply contact the school offices to check availability.

- Secondary: gen_off@mcs.edu.hk
- Primary: 2336 0611

If you want to make your gathering even more meaningful, why not make a donation to the MCS Educational Trust? It is a great opportunity to show how Maryknollers of any "vintage" love their mother school and are committed to contribute towards the betterment of school facilities and resources. Whatever your contribution, you help provide quality education for the future generations of Maryknollers. Your contribution today is an investment in tomorrow's women of Hong Kong.

To find out how to make a donation, please write to gen_off@mcs.edu.hk.

*Top: Class of 2001
Reunion at MCS Secondary 2013*

*Bottom: Class of 2000
Reunion at MCS Primary 2010*



MAY THE SOULS OF OUR DEAR SISTERS REST IN PEACE



SR AGNES CAZALE



SR AGNES CHRISTINE WELSCHER

We are sad to realise that 2 Maryknoll Sisters, Sr Agnes Cazale (former supervisor of MCS SS) and Sr Agnes Christine Welscher (Assistant principal of MCS PS and Principal of Meng Tak Primary School) have departed and returned to God. They will remain in our memory forever.

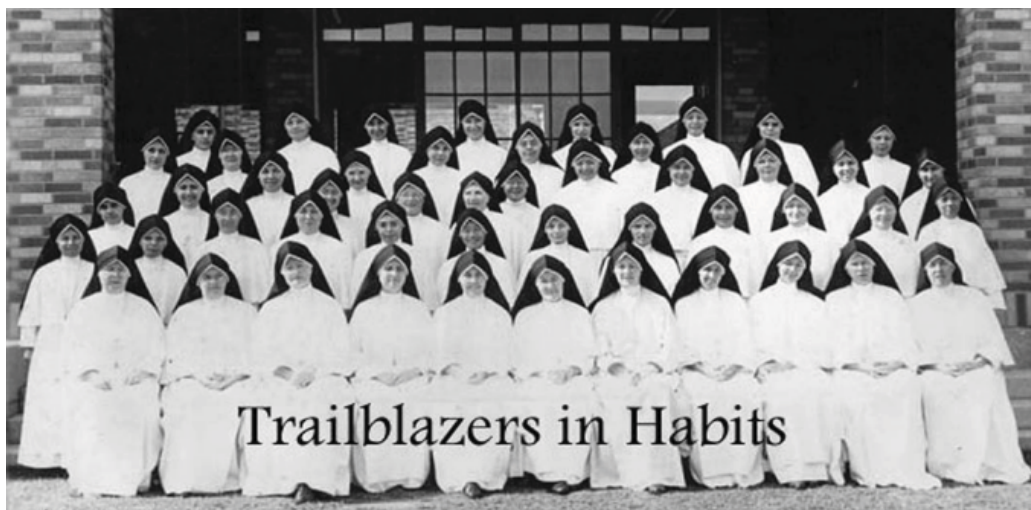
A Holy Mass of Resurrection for the two Sisters, celebrated by Fr Cioppa, was held on May 8, 2014 at the school hall of the Secondary Section.

“As God has loved me, so I have loved you; live on in my love.”
Jn 15:9

The highlights of the mass was on Youtube:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VPKYjP2sryg>

The photos were available at the School's website:
http://mcs.edu.hk/mcs_1213/eventP/140508b/index.html

A MOMENT FOR REINFORCEMENT



As we sadly marked the passing of our beloved Sister Agnes Cazale and Sr Rose Duchesne and at the same time noted the grace that brought their relief, it was an opportune time to reinforce the Maryknoll spirit and values with our students, parents and teachers. On April 15, two screenings of the movie “Trailblazers in Habits” were held at Hong Kong Baptist University.

The spirit and values of Maryknoll Sisters lived on in all of us - for those who are fortunate to have been

touched by them. The nurturing of the Maryknoll way continued to be done in many ways at the School. It's worth reminding ourselves nonetheless from time to time lest we be caught up in the busyness of the rushing calendar. Let's join the School in its efforts to live and deliver the Maryknoll spirit.

Trailblazers in Habits - Highlights of Students Screening (Apr 15, 2014)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gd5J15JWSCs>

FSA ACTIVITIES SURVEY

As we are busy wrapping up events for this year, the FSA would like to know what **YOU, our members** are most interested in participating next year. We are already very excited about some of the ideas we have come up with so far, but we would also like your input. Hence, we would be most grateful if you could fill out the following for us. You can reply us via a number of channels:

1. Forms can be sent to us via email to enquiry@mcsfsa.com.
2. By mail to:

MCS Former Students' Association
Maryknoll Convent School, Secondary Section
5 Ho Tung Road,
Kowloon Tong, Kowloon
Hong Kong
Attn: Co-chairs of Recreation & Social Service (Joyce Wong and Angela Wong)

Please tick in the following boxes if you are interested:

Special Activities:

- Campus visit (including a visit to the school's landmark tower and the Heritage Center in the Primary section)
- Learn to be a domestic goddess (baking or cooking sessions in our very own DS room)
- Get physical (hiking / various kinds of dance)
- Be culturally immersed (art jamming / karaoke)

Seminars:

Luncheon / Evening Weekday / Weekend (Please circle the ones preferred)

- Family (parenting / schooling)
- Marriage & relationship ("men are from Mars, women are from Venus")
- Career networking & development (legal, accounting, public relations, education)

Social Gatherings:

- Joint-alum association gatherings (happy hours, high table dinners)
- Home-coming Pun-choi Feast
- Self-organized home-coming reunions

Your Suggestions:

You may leave your contact details for follow up or even help us organize the activities. This is **OPTIONAL**.

Name: _____ (Class of _____) Phone number/email: _____