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Yu Miao Newsletter

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Dear Parents,

Gong Xi Gong Xi (恭喜恭喜)! All the best in the Year of the Pig (猪年)!

During the Chinese New Year, we usually wear new clothes, decorate the house with poems on pieces of red papers, and give children "lucky money" in red packets. As this is part of the Chinese culture, please try your best to continue this practice for your child if you can. Back in the old time, we celebrate the Chinese New Year for 15 days. During these two weeks everyone goes out to visit relatives and friends. They pay respect to seniors, bring along candies, fruits, gifts and lucky money for children. For 2019 the Chinese New Year day is February 20th (Wednesday). We then round up our New Year with a lantern day (the 15th day) when people go out to see lanterns and every family eats round dumplings (元宵/汤圆).

Students' performing at three cultural events

As part of the Chinese New Year celebration, Yu Miao students have been invited to perform at two festive events in the city of Portland:

1. Chinese New Year Cultural Fair at the Convention Center on February 2, 2019 (Saturday) 10:00am-4pm (some of the P2 students and After School Program students)
2. Chinese New Year Cultural show at Lan Su Chinese Garden on 2/9 (Saturday) 12 - 12:30 pm (some of the P2 students and After School program students)

School closed on Presidents' Day (02/18/19)

School will be closed on Presidents' Day, Feb 18th (Monday) please make arrangement for your child on that day if needed.

Together may we all have a very joyful and fruitful Year of the Pig!

With best regards,

 ***Terry***

Yu Miao Administrator

We work together to build a better school, your input and comment are always welcome.

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