



# 聖地牙哥中文學校通訊

## CHINESE SCHOOL OF SAN DIEGO NEWSLETTER

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### EVENTS

- ❖ Chinese New Year Banquet  
– 02/02/2019

### CHINESE FESTIVALS

- ❖ Lunar New Year  
– 02/05/2019

### ASSEMBLY TOPICS

- ❖ Fireworks
- ❖ Cantonese Tone-of-Voice Particle
- ❖ Calligraphy
- ❖ The Story of Nian
- ❖ Chinese New Year
- ❖ Chinese Zodiac
- ❖ Chinese Brush Painting
- ❖ Beijing Opera Face Painting

### COOKING CLASS

- ❖ 蛋撻 Egg Tarts
- ❖ 蔥油餅  
Green Onion Pancake
- ❖ 黑糖珍珠鮮奶  
Black Sugar Pearl Milk
- ❖ 海鮮兩面黃  
Seafood Pan-fried Noodles
- ❖ 蔬菜煎餃子  
Pan-fried Vegetarian  
Dumplings
- ❖ 成都涼麵  
Chengdu Cold Noodles
- ❖ 港式西炒飯  
Hong Kong Style Fried Rice
- ❖ 小籠包 Xiao Long Bao
- ❖ 湯圓 Tang Yuan
- ❖ 牛肉捲餅 Pancake Beef Roll
- ❖ 蛋餅 Chinese Egg Pancake

## American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages (ACTFL) Event

Sally, our board director and Terry, our school principal attended the ACTFL event from November 16- 18, 2018 in New Orleans Convention Center. The event mainly focused on the curriculum for teaching foreign languages here in United States. World language teachers gathered here to find and share resources with each other to improve their own teachings. They looked for children books in traditional Chinese and cultural trip programs. They also attended several conferences presented by different teachers from different colleges and universities.



## Chinese New Year Fundraising Celebrating Banquet



On February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019, the Chinese School of San Diego and House of China held our 40th Chinese New Year Banquet at Jasmine Seafood Restaurant with around 500 guests.

We sold the Chinese blouses and dresses and also the raffle tickets during the event. Special thanks to a student from the Chinese School of San Diego, Kyle Short, to be our God of Fortune. He walked around and greeted the audiences at their tables. The banquet started with the Three Treasures Cultural Arts Lion Dancers. The highlight of the evening was the



entertainment, Frank Sinatra tribute artist, Danny Jacobson. The event would not be a great success without all your generous support. Thank you very much!



## Southern California Council of Chinese Schools (SCCCS)

### Teacher Training

On February 10<sup>th</sup> 2019, our school teachers and staffs attended the 2019 Spring Conference on Chinese Language Instruction at Chapman University. This training was sponsored by Southern California Council of Chinese Schools (SCCCS) and there are approximately 300 teachers from various Chinese schools attended this training. They displayed various books and supplementary material for teachers to purchase in between classes. Our teachers attended three classes and two assemblies.

The first guest, Ms. Gao, drive all the way from Utah to California to share her knowledge about teaching Chinese. Ms. Gao emphasized the importance of having an integrated performance assessment (IPA) every day after class to evaluate students' learning outcome. IPA provides opportunities for students to express their opinions and communicate with others. Practicing and applying are two effective ways to learn a new language. The second guest, Ms. Su, police officer from the Irvine Police Department, spoke on the topic of bullying and



drug problems in school. She introduced the categories of bullying and drugs. She also explained the causes and the major warning signs of the above problems.

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- San Diego Unified School District
- Poway Unified School District
- San Dieguito Unified School District
- Grossmont Union School District
- Coronado High School
- Various Private Schools

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