



# Radin Mas Primary School

A School Where All Work Hard, Play Hard and Make A Mark

## FEB 2020 - Notification for Parents and Guardians

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### A. THE WEEKS AHEAD

Date	Event Description
Tue, 04.02.2020	P4 Art/NE-SS Museum Based Learning (MBL) - 4D, 4I
Wed, 05.02.2020	P4 Art/NE-SS Museum Based Learning (MBL) – 4N, 4A2
Thu, 06.02.2020	P4 Art/NE-SS Museum Based Learning (MBL) – 4A1, 4M P2 Parent-Teacher Meeting
Thu, 13.02.2020	Photo-Taking For P1 and P6 Students for the School Smart Cards (SSC) <i>(Note: P1 and P6 Students to wear their school uniforms)</i>

### B. HEALTH ADVISORY

(Mr Kwok KL, VP(A))

All parents/ guardians are encouraged to monitor their child/ ward's health and to adopt good personal hygiene habits. Parents/ guardians are to remain vigilant and observe measures recommended by local health authorities. Parents/ Guardians should seek immediate medical attention for their child/ ward if they are unwell, and ensure that their child/ ward recover fully before they return to school for classes. RMPS will start daily temperature taking exercises from Wed, 29.01.2020 and will monitor students and staff for any signs of flu-like symptoms. Students are to bring their Oral Digital Thermometers (ODT) daily from Wed, 29.01.2020 onwards. RMPS will continue to get directions and guidance from MOE and MOH in managing the virus.

Students are reminded to wash their hands regularly and to adopt the following precautions at all times:

- Avoid contact with live animals including poultry and birds, and consumption of raw and undercooked meats;
- Avoid crowded places and close contact with people who are unwell or showing symptoms of illness;
- Observe good personal hygiene;
- Practise frequent hand washing with soap (e.g. before handling food or eating, after going to toilet, or when hands are dirtied by respiratory secretions after coughing or sneezing);
- Wear a mask if you have respiratory symptoms such as a cough or runny nose;
- Cover your mouth with a tissue paper when coughing or sneezing, and dispose the soiled tissue paper in the rubbish bin immediately; and
- Seek medical attention promptly if you are feeling unwell.

### C. SCHOOL'S GATES OPENING HOURS

(Mr Kwok KL, VP(A))

The opening hours for the gates on **official school days** are as follows:

Description / Day		Main Gate (Gate #2)	Bukit Purmei Side Gate (Gate #1)	Lower Delta Side Gate (Gate #3)
		Time		
Daily Arrival	Mon - Fri	6:45 am - 7:45 am	6:45 am - 7:45 am	7:15 am - 7:45 am
Daily Dismissal	Mon - Thu	1:45 pm - 2:30 pm	1:25 pm - 2:25 pm	1:25 pm - 2:25 pm
	Fri	1:30 pm - 2:15 pm	1:10 pm - 2:00 pm	1:10 pm - 2:00 pm
Dismissal After CCAs (Except Chinese Orchestra)	Mon	4:30 pm - 5:00 pm	4:00 pm - 4:45 pm	4:00 pm - 4:45 pm
Dismissal After CCA (Chinese Orchestra)	Wed	5:30 pm - 6:00 pm	5:30 pm - 6:00 pm	-
Dismissal After Modular CCAs (Only Semester 1)	Fri	4:30 pm - 5:00 pm	4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	4:00 pm - 4:30 pm



If you need to come to the school for other purposes, eg to buy school books, or for appointments with school staff, please call the phone number indicated on the signage at the main gate, for assistance.

**D. P3 CAMP**

(Mr Idham AA, HOD PE/CCA/Aes)

The P3 Camp is part of our school's Learning for Life Programme (LLP) which aims to develop GRIT (Growth Mindset, Resilience, Independence and Teamwork) in our students. Therefore, every P3 student is required to attend the camp.

During the P3 Camp, students will learn fundamental Outdoor Education skills such as packing for camp, basic first aid and basic navigation skills. As the P3 Camp will be conducted at the Singapore Botanic Gardens (SBG) and in school, students will be learning these skills in a relatively safe environment. These skills will be useful for our students to build their sense of resilience, independence and confidence to allow them to further maximise their potential. This is also part of the school's continuing efforts in getting our students to safely explore green areas around our school while displaying positive behaviour.

The P3 Camp will be interdisciplinary as it will incorporate Outdoor Education with the learning of Math and Science beyond the confines of the classroom in a practical setting at the Singapore Botanic Gardens.

Details of Camp:

Date	:	Friday, 13.03.2020
Time	:	7.30 am - 3.00 pm
Venue	:	Radin Mas Primary School and Singapore Botanic Gardens (SBG)
Attire	:	PE Attire and a small bag for their water bottle and items in the packing list
Things to bring	:	Packing list will be given in Term 1 Week 8 Snack (preferably bread, buns or fruit for recess break at SBG), and money for lunch in school canteen.
Remarks	:	Kindly make own transport arrangement for your child/ ward from school at 3.00 pm

The cost of the P3 Camp is \$19.00 per student and will be borne by the school. Please acknowledge the consent form via Parents Gateway Fri, 07.02.2020. If you are not able to submit your reply through the Parents Gateway, please fill in the attached Acknowledgement Slip and submit the hard copy to your child's/ward's Form Teacher, by the same date.

**E. FATHERS@RMPS 2020 ACTIVITY – LABRADOR PARK DISCOVERY TRAIL**

Fathers@RMPS would be conducting a Labrador Park Discovery Trail on Sat, 08.02.2020. Details can be found in the attached Annex A.

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SUMMARY OF DEADLINES				
Item No.	Level	Event Description	Remarks	Deadline
D	P3	P3 CAMP	Acknowledgement via Parents Gateway or hardcopy	Fri, 07.02.2020

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**P3 CAMP**  
**(Acknowledgement Slip)**

I have read Item D of the Feb 2020 Notification for Parents/ Guardians and have taken note of the contents.

Name of Child:

Class:

Name of Parent:

Contact No:

E-mail Address:



Parent Link @ Radin Mas Primary School  
 No 1, Bukit Purmei Avenue, Singapore 099840 | ✉ : [parentlinkrmps@gmail.com](mailto:parentlinkrmps@gmail.com)

## **Fathers@RMPS 2020 Activity – Labrador Park Discovery Trail**

Hi Dads and Children,

First, we would like to welcome the Primary 1 pupils and their dads. We hope that the P1 kids have adjusted well in school. It's been a year filled with activities in 2019. Fathers@RMPS hope to bring you even more fun-filled activities this year, starting with a discovery trail at Labrador Park. Whether you are a nature lover, a history explorer or you simply want to go for a walk with Dad and chit-chat at the same time, join us for this activity!

Event: Fathers@RMPS, Labrador Park Discovery Trail  
 Date: Saturday, 8<sup>th</sup> February 2020  
 Time: 7.30am to 10:30am.  
 Starting Point: Labrador MRT Station Exit A  
 Register: [//tiny.cc/t92uiz](https://tiny.cc/t92uiz)

Come on Dads... join us in this learning journey with your children! Register now and we'll see you soon!



✉ : [FathersRMPS@gmail.com](mailto:FathersRMPS@gmail.com)

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## Fathers@RMPS 2020 Activity - Labrador Park Discovery Trail

### Programme for 08 February 2020

Time (hrs)	Activity
0730	Gather at Labrador Park MRT Station and take attendance
0735	Conduct safety briefing
0740	Conduct warm up exercise and headcount before leaving
0745	Begin walking (fathers are encouraged to talk to child along the way)
0815	Arrive at 1 <sup>st</sup> rest point for a quick water break
0820	Resume walking
0830	Arrive at 6-inch gun for a group photo
0835	Resume walking
0850	Arrive at open area for toilet break and bonding games
0925	Gather for a group photo and headcount
0930	Resume walking
0940	Arrive at Dragon Tooth Gate for a group photo
0945	Resume walking
1015	Arrive at Labrador Park MRT station, conduct headcount and dismiss

### What to Wear

1. School PE attire for kids and PT attire for fathers (comfortable t-shirt and shorts / track pants)
2. Comfortable walking shoes (e.g. sport shoes). **STRICTLY no slippers**
3. Cap or Hat (optional)

### What to Bring

1. Umbrella, raincoats or poncho
2. Mosquito repellents
3. Small Towel
4. Light Snacks (e.g. sandwiches, fruits and etc.)
5. Water
6. Sunglasses or shades
7. Camera
8. Groundsheet / picnic mats (optional)
9. Coins for vendor machine at the park

### What to Avoid

1. Running on walkways for pedestrians
2. Heavy bags



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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

### **Books 2 Go by National Library Board (NLB)**

library@harbourfront will be bringing NLB books to Radin Mas Primary School on Mon, 17.02.2020 and Tue, 18.02.2020.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind you of the following so that your child/ ward will be able to borrow the books.

- Ensure your child/ ward brings his/ her school Ezlink card/ NLB library card on Mon, 17.02.2020 and Tue, 18.02.2020 if your child/ ward is an existing member of NLB.
- Please pay the fines (if any) in your child's/ ward's library account.<sup>1</sup>
- Return the books in your child's/ ward's account before the Books 2 Go activity so that he/ she can borrow more books.
- If your child/ ward has lost his/ her school Ezlink card, please report the loss at any public library and make a new library card. (Note: A fee of \$1.00 applies for a new library card.)

### **Renewal and Return of NLB books**

Please note that the NLB books borrowed in the school on Mon, 17.02.2020 and Tue, 18.02.2020 may be renewed for another 21 days at the time of borrowing. Please ensure that the books are returned to any public library by the due date stated on the loan receipt.

### **NLB Membership**

1. If your child/ ward is not a NLB member, registration is available via the following modes:
  - Online registration at <https://account.nlb.gov.sg> via SingPass<sup>2</sup>
  - Reservation Lockers at public libraries<sup>3</sup>
2. You are encouraged to sign up for myLibrary ID, a suite of enhanced e-services, at <https://account.nlb.gov.sg>.

With the myLibrary ID, you will be able to:

- View your child's / ward's borrowing record
- Activate the free reminder service to prompt you to return the books which your child / ward has borrowed, on time

For further assistance, please contact the Helpdesk at [enquiry@nlb.gov.sg](mailto:enquiry@nlb.gov.sg).

Thank you.

Yours sincerely,

Nurul Husna Binte Ghali  
Associate Librarian  
library@harbourfront

<sup>1</sup> For your convenience, the following payment options are available:

- By CashCard, ez-link card, NETS or NETS QR via the Book Borrowing Stations and Reservation Lockers at all Public Libraries
- Online payment via Paypal when you log in at our website [www.nlb.gov.sg](http://www.nlb.gov.sg) or via the NLB Mobile App
- For the latest payment modes, visit [www.go.gov.sg/librarymembership](http://www.go.gov.sg/librarymembership)

<sup>2</sup> Free online registration is only available for Singaporeans aged 7 to 14 years when either parent has a SingPass

<sup>3</sup> Excluding library@chinatown

## FREE NLB Membership for MOE Students

With NLB membership, your child / ward will have access to a wide variety of books (print and electronic) and audio-visual materials.

Register your child / ward as a library member via the following modes of registration:

- Online registration at <https://account.nlb.gov.sg> via SingPass<sup>1</sup>
- Reservation Lockers at public libraries<sup>2</sup>

Find out more about NLB Membership on [www.go.gov.sg/librarymembership](http://www.go.gov.sg/librarymembership)



Check out the required documents for NLB membership registration at the public libraries in the table below.

Children and Young People (Ages 7 to 14)	Document(s) Required
Basic membership for Singaporeans	MOE School Smartcard <u>OR</u> Child's / ward's Birth Certificate;  <u>AND</u> One parent's NRIC
Basic membership for Permanent Residents	MOE School Smartcard  <u>AND</u> One parent's NRIC
Foreign membership for foreign students studying in MOE schools	MOE School Smartcard  <u>AND</u> One parent's ID <sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Free online NLB membership registration is only available for Singaporeans aged 7 to 14 years when either parent has a SingPass.

<sup>2</sup>Excluding library@chinatown

<sup>3</sup>Any one of the following cards: NRIC, Work Permit, Employment Pass, Dependent's Pass, Long Term Visit Pass or Passion Card.

With myLibrary ID, you get to enjoy a suite of enhanced e-services including:

- checking your child's account
- access NLB's digital resources
- reminder service to prompt timely return of library materials
- registering for library programmes

To sign up, visit <https://account.nlb.gov.sg>

