



# Convent of the Holy Infant Jesus (Katong) Primary

*Our Vision - From girls to women of grace and substance*

*Our Motto - Simple in Virtue, Steadfast in Duty*

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Dear Parents/ Guardians

## 2017 Founder's Day Celebrations

We will be celebrating **Founder's Day** on **Friday 26 May 2017**. As this is a school event, **attendance is compulsory for all**. School will function from **7.30 am to 10.40 am**. The school buses have been informed and we would appreciate if you could make the necessary transport arrangements if your daughter does not take the school transport.

**Our theme for Founder's Day 2017** is "**United in Love and Service**" which epitomizes the wonderful work done by our Founder, Blessed Nicholas Barré, and the IJ sisters from the very beginning in 1662 when the first IJ school was set up in Rouen, France and which continues today in our IJ schools.

In the spirit of generosity and in bringing hope to others where we can, we will be having our yearly **GIFT OF LOVE** project. This simple but meaningful project gives our school community an opportunity to inculcate the virtues of Blessed Nicholas Barré and the IJ Sisters, to reach out in love and to serve others in need.

This year we will give our support to the **IJ Homes and Children's Centres** as they continue in their work to help disadvantaged, poor children and youth in Singapore. We will also support our **Friends in Need in Marine Parade who receive donations from the Society of St Vincent de Paul of Holy Family Church**. We will appreciate cash or cheque donations for them.

As part of our Founder's Day celebrations, our P6 Girls, teachers and parent volunteers will be visiting our **Friends in Need** in Marine Parade to bring joy to them.

Your daughter has been briefed on how she and the whole family can donate in this **GIFT OF LOVE** project:

1. Get an envelope (even a recycled one would do)
2. On the envelope, write these words "**MY GIFT OF LOVE**" and to decorate it in her own creative way.
3. If she wishes to decorate it with the theme for Founder's Day, or with one of Blessed Nicholas Barré's quotes she may do so. (Beautifully decorated envelopes will be displayed in the school)
4. She must write her name and class in one corner of the envelope.
5. Finally, as a family, please place the donation (cash or cheque) into the envelope.



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We hope that you will give generously, as you have always done in previous years. The envelopes will be collected from **Monday, 15 May 2017 to Friday, 19 May 2017**. We will announce the Total Amount Collected on Founder's Day and on the School Website.

## Details for Cheque Donation:

Beneficiaries	Please write Cheques payable to :
For Our IJ Homes	IJHCC
For Our Friends in Need in Marine Parade	Society of St Vincent De Paul Holy Family Conference

Please contact your daughter's Form Teacher or Ms Sheila Rabot at Tel. 63443072 or email [sheila\\_anne\\_rabot@moe.edu.sg](mailto:sheila_anne_rabot@moe.edu.sg) if you have any queries.

Thank you in advance for your donation. May God bless you and your family for your generosity.

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Miss Sheila Rabot  
Teacher-in-Charge

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Mrs Judina Cheong  
Principal