



# LOHAS Life at the STSP

# STSP's Birthday during the Centennial Celebration of the R.O.C.— The 8<sup>th</sup> STSP Anniversary Celebration

The STSP Administration, celebrated its 8<sup>th</sup> Anniversary at Siraya plaza on January 15, 2011 as well as the 7<sup>th</sup> Group Wedding, an activity at the STSP that is full of meaning and tradition. 23 couples were wed this year for an overall total of 205 couples who have participated in this annual event since its inception. During the centennial celebration of the R.O.C., the STSP Administration would like to wish the newly weds a happy new life and live in harmony forever. It is also hoped that the STSP employees can enjoy their LOHAS life at the STSP.

There was also a garden fair party and large-scale game facilities for children. Social charity organizations were invited to set up their booths on site. Pop singer Kuo Jing sang live to the audience. Moreover, Brother Pineapple and Sister Aiko of YOYO Family also sang and danced with the children.



 $\blacktriangle$  Marriage Vow Declaration by the Representative Couple from the STSP Group Wedding (January 15, 2011)



▲ Visit of Japanese Friends to the Ten Drum Culture Village (May 14,2011)



▲ Successful Conclusion of the 12<sup>th</sup> STSP Neighborhood Cup and Fun Contest Activities (September 3, 2011)

# New Cultural and Art Experience for Japanese Employees at the STSP—A Trip to Tainan's Reuse of Historical Building

To promote the understanding of Japanese employees at the STSP about Tainan culture as well as to facilitate exchanges of life experiences in Taiwan, the STSP Administration organized a tour on May 14 to Tainan's cultural and artistic places including the Tourism Hotel of Jia Jia West Market, Lao's Coffee, Wu Garden, Tainan Public Hall, Bai Lu Wan Art Space, Ten Drum Culture Village. The Japanese employees were not only introduced to new cultural aspects of Tainan but also gained a greater appreciation of the local culture of Tainan.

# The 12<sup>th</sup> STSP Neighborhood Cup and Fun Contest

To promote healthy recreational and sports activities, the STSP Administration held the 12<sup>th</sup> STSP Neighborhood Cup and Fun Contest in July and August. During the two months of exciting contests, there are 5 types of ball games, tug of war, and other fun games, including 250 teams consisting of community residents and Park employees of STSP, more than 3,000 participants in all of the games; among the contests, softball was the most popular one with the participation of 75 teams. The STSP Neighborhood Cup and Fun Contest has become one of the most important events at the STSP and it provides an ideal platform for sports lovers at the STSP.



▲ Report on the 12<sup>th</sup> STSP Cup Table Tennis Contest (August 27, 2011)

#### Magic Bike Ride 2011 Biking Paradise

In lieu of the popularity of Biking Paradise activity in the past years, Wellness Center conducted extensive activity at the Tainan Science Park on December 17 and named "Magic Bike Ride" with the hope to create economic magic during the recession. The ride totaled 15 kilometers and on the route, bikers were able to enjoy newly installed public art by the STSP Administration. Positive responses have been received from bikers. In addition, participants of the activity received free T-shirt gift as well as participated in lucky draws. The activity was successfully and smoothly concluded.

## Joint Family Day, Walk for Art and Health

To promote the artistic environment and healthy family lives at the STSP, the STSP Administration organized the "2011 Opening Ceremony of the STSP Joint Family Day and Public Art Festival" by Yingxi Lake at the Tainan Science Park on November 26.

Walks around the Lake and a Social Club demonstration were activities first launched. Around the lake, 6 relay stations were set up for creative exhibition and performances by social clubs composed of Park employees. Walkers participated in the activities with great fun. In addition, there was fair garden party including 30 snack food booths and a mobile café, antique culture experiential area and a one-day archaeological tour as well as painting for the future, ancient art, and finger art, puppet theater, canoe-decorations, sailing demos, lucky draws, demonstrations for Labor Safety and Environmental



▲ Ready to Go, Friends of the Bike Riding Club (December 17, 2011)

Protection Month, and a physical fitness testing area. Creative and fun activities led children on site to sing and dance with laughter. Activities continued until night time and Gang Qian Cuan Boy and Matzka and Maya Showlen gave a wonderful singing performance touching the heart of everyone in the audience.

#### Warm Festival Celebrations to Promote Community Life

The STSP Administration organized a New Year Symposium at the Life Hub in the Tainan Science Park on February 15 to listen to the opinions of dorm residents. Director-general Chen started the proceedings by giving his New Year greetings to the attendees and talked about improving living amenities. Attendees also raised valuable



▲ Opening Ceremony of Walking for Art and Healthy (November 26, 2011)



▲ New Year Symposium at the Tainan Science Park's Life Hub (February 15, 2011)

opinions afterwards. The STSP Administration will continue to improve the living quality at the STSP and build a more comfortable and safer living environment. In 2011, relevant activities held in coordination with festivals include single outings on Valentine's Day, rice dumpling making during the Dragon Boat Festival, a Parent-Child Festival and a Community Mid-Autumn Festival allowed community residents and Park employees at the STSP to relax from the busy days via the platform of the "Life Hub" as well as enhance community cohesion, serving multiple functions.

### Invitation of Social Welfare Groups to the STSP

The STSP Administration respectively invited the Tainan

Branch Office, Taiwan Fund for Children and Families, Yellow Ribbon Association, the Affiliated Hearing Impaired School of the National University of Tainan and students of the Special Class of National Tainan Industrial Vocational High School with a participation of 160 visitors on August 2, August 26, September 7, and September 30. Visitors in each phase received a warm welcome from Biotanico Inc., STSP Gallery of Archeology and National Nano Device Laboratories. It is hoped that with the visits, students could take a rare opportunity to visit the STSP during summer vacation and enjoy the extra curriculum time for broad holistic off campus learning.



Fiesta at the Life Hub - Parent-Child Games (August 21, 2011)



Taiwan Yellow Ribbon Love and Caring Association – Introduction of Solar Power Generation Theory and Applications to Children (August 26, 2011)



▲ Fun and Warm Outdoor Cinema Event at the Kaohsiung Science Park Dorm (November 30, 2011)



The STSP Administration presented over 24 films ranging from classic to current films at Tainan Science Park. In addition, the "2011 Outdoor Cinema at Kaohsiung Science Park" was launched in the park in front of the Kaohsiung Science Park's dorm buildings. There were two box office films that attracted many movie goers.

#### Joint Warm Celebration— 2011 Christmas Candle-Lighting Banquet

Prior to the arrival of Christmas, the STSP Administration held the "Merry STSP, Happy Christmas, 2011 Christmas



▲ Turkey Dinner and Christmas Celebration with Distinguished Guests (December 23, 2011)

Candle-Lighting Banquet" at Puxin Park at the Tainan Science Park on December 23. Wonderful programs and the warm candle-lighting banquet were presented with about 1,000 attendees and community residents participating together to celebrate Christmas and the New Year.

Community residents and children from the Nanke International Kindergarten performed songs, danced, and other musical performances including gospel songs. Turkey, simple meals, and rice dumplings were provided for dinner. All participants enjoyed the celebration and prayed for a next peaceful and joyful Christmas.



▲ Dance Performance by Kindergarten Children at the Life Hub (December 23, 2011)