



Dear \${FNAME}\$,

Happy New Year! We wish you all the very best in the coming year ahead.

In this issue, find out what you missed during our GRC Countdown Celebrations!

It's back to school season! Back-to-School vouchers were given out to 150 children at an event held at Canberra Community Center.

Looking for new activities to do in the new year? We are featuring several interesting places within this issue for a guaranteed fun time!

Students from Republic Polytechnic shows us how to be more sustainable! Be sure to check out their video featuring Ms Mariam Jaafar.

Stay tuned to our weekly highlights for more news closer to home. Join our Telegram channel, follow us on Facebook and join our telegram channel to stay in the know.

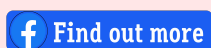


Ushering in 2022 – Sembawang GRC Countdown Event!



We ushered in the New Year together with a fun Question and Answer session with our five MPs for Sembawang GRC! Thank you to our special guests and performers for giving us a wonderful time, and a big shoutout to our residents that joined us in-person or through the livestream! It was definitely an evening of fun!

Check out the livestream in the link below.



Canberra's Back to School Surprise!



Photo Source: Dr Lim Wee Kiak's Facebook Page

Organised by the ComCare Committee, MP for Sembawang GRC (Canberra), Dr Lim Wee Kiak, PBM, presented back-to-school vouchers to 150 Children at an event held at Canberra Community Club!

[f Find out more](#)

#PeopleofSembawang: James, Green Home Owner



The Singapore Green Building Council's current digital outreach campaign, The Green Means Go, intends to assist homeowners and Singaporeans to better understand green buildings, and their benefits to our physical and mental health!

Be inspired by James, whose home in Sembawang focuses on maximising floor space whilst minimising partitions, creating a beautiful open concept that amplifies the nature of a Green Home!

[f Find out more](#)

Woodlands Youth Grants Christmas Wishes!



Photo Source: Ms Mariam Jaafar's Facebook Page

Woodlands celebrated the joy of giving during the Christmas Season! Joined by staff from Ultra Clean Technology, Woodlands Youth helped grant the wishes of 100 Woodlands children. With an assortment of gifts ranging from laptops to bicycles, it definitely put the brightest smiles onto their faces.

Quoting Mr Zion Kehlia, President, SEA of UCT, *"The joy of giving - of gifts certainly but also of time and love, is an experience that can cost nothing and yet is priceless."*

[f Find out more](#)

New Places to Visit in Sembawang GRC!

Woodlands Park Connector



Photo Source: Our Admiralty's Facebook Page

Tired of the same running route? Try out the Woodlands Park Connector! Enjoy the cooling breeze and refreshing nature whilst on your run or hike. Resting points are allocated for you to take breaks as well.

- Check out the link for a detailed explanation on the route!

[f Find out more](#)

The Better Scoop

Woodlands Flea Market



Photo Source: Mothership Article "Weekend flea market in Woodlands has second-hand items for S\$2-S\$30"

Come by the **Weekend Flea Market** at Woodlands Industrial Park, they sell almost everything and anything! Have for a fun day out discovering Knick Knacks the 'old school' way.

[f Find out more](#)

The Better Scoop, located near Sembawang Shopping Centre, offers a wide variety of desserts that you should definitely try! With uniquely Singaporean flavours such as Nian Gao Waffles to Chrysanthemum Gogi Berry Ice Cream, their sweet treats are for people of all ages to enjoy!

Until 31 January 2022, our Sayang Sembawang Facebook fans get an exclusive discount at The

[f Find out more](#)



The **flavour** of the tea **really** shines through!

Sustainable Ideas for Gift Wrapping!



Diploma in Mass Communication students from Republic Polytechnic, together with MP for Sembawang GRC (Woodlands), Ms Mariam Jaafar showcased their gift-wrapping skills – with a twist!

Find out more in the video linked below

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Public Holidays in 2022!

Not sure how to plan your long weekends? Here's a consolidated list of public holidays just for you!

/ On Leave!

/ Public Holiday

/ Weekend

2022

Long Holidays

Jan

/ New Year

SAT 1	SUN 2	MON 3
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Feb

/ Chinese New Year

(Jan) MON 31	TUE 1	WED 2
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Apr

/ Good Friday

THUR 14	FRI 15	SAT 16	SUN 17
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May

/ Labour Day, Hari Raya Puasa, Vesak Day

(Apr) FRI 29	(Apr) SAT 30	SUN 1	MON 2	TUE 3
FRI 13	SAT 14	SUN 15	MON 16	

Jul

/ Hari Raya Haji

FRI 8	SAT 9	SUN 10	MON 11
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Aug

/ National Day

SAT 6	SUN 7	MON 8	TUE 9
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Oct

/ Deepavali

FRI 21	SAT 22	SUN 23	MON 24
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Dec

/ Christmas

FRI 23	SAT 24	SUN 25	MON 26
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