



**FINNWAY**  
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL  
PHUKET

# .... 4.12.25 - WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



## Rain or Shine

### Outdoor Play Powers Our Learning at FinnwayConnect!

At Finnway Connect, our **little kindergartners** know one thing for sure: outdoor time is essential, no matter the weather! Whether it's a light drizzle or bright sunshine, our students are out exploring, imagining, building friendships, and strengthening their bodies and minds.

**Finland's early childhood education** philosophy strongly supports this. Research from the **University of Eastern Finland** has shown that children who spend extended time outdoors experience **reduced stress levels, better concentration, improved emotional regulation, and stronger immune systems**. Studies also highlight that natural play environments enhance creativity and social problem-solving, leading to calmer, more focused learning once children return to the classroom. Another well-known **Finnish study** on "*forest classrooms*" found that regular outdoor routines significantly improved children's working memory and wellbeing, while decreasing restlessness indoors.

These findings **echo what we see every day at Finnway Connect**: after time outdoors, our children return to the classroom more settled, joyful, and ready to learn.

And now that the weather has begun to shift with brighter mornings and cooler breezes, we are enjoying our outdoor adventures even more. We still have some more days of exploring, discovering, and growing together in the fresh air before the holidays!



## Celebrating Our Students' Achievements

We are thrilled to share that our students achieved remarkable success at the **Bambi Games 2025** held in Bangkok, proudly representing Thailand alongside national and international participants, including athletes from China (CHN) and Malaysia (MY).

We are especially proud of our Level 3 students:

☀️ **Richa Li – 4 Gold Medals**

☀️ **Rita Li – 4 Gold Medals**, earning the highest total score in Level 3

At just eight years old, these talented twins demonstrated exceptional skill, determination, and sportsmanship.

Congratulations to these students for their dedication and hard work!

We are incredibly proud to celebrate their achievements with our school community.





## Finnway Students Shine at the 2025 Christmas Ocean Show



On Tuesday 2 December, our Finnway students of all ages had the exceptional opportunity to take part in the **2025 Christmas Ocean Show** with Mid Air Circus Arts, Phuket's first and only full circus academy, based at the BISP MACA Flying Trapeze and Aerial Arts Academy.

We are absolutely delighted to share highlights from this show, featuring **breathtaking aerial arts performances**. It was truly inspiring to watch our students demonstrate strength, coordination, confidence, and artistic expression in front of a live audience. Their commitment and perseverance were evident in every moment of the show.

**Well done to every student** who took part. Your talents and team spirit continue to inspire us all. A **huge thank you to the MACA instructors and BISP/MACA staff** for creating such a safe, encouraging and magical space for our students.

What a magical start to the festive season and a beautiful example of our commitment to holistic education, where wellbeing, exploration, agency and action come together.

### Participating students:

**Nina G6**  
**Aurelia G5**  
**Arina G5**  
**Mayrin G3**  
**Alita K3V**

Thank you to our Finnway students who went to support their friends!





Finnway International School Phuket



# Christmas SHOEBOX DRIVE

SPREAD HOLIDAY JOY!  
DONATE TO THE LIFE HOME PROJECT FOUNDATION

THE LIFE HOME PROJECT FOUNDATION IS A LOCAL ORGANIZATION  
OFFERING SHELTER, EDUCATION, AND ESSENTIAL CARE FOR WOMEN  
AND CHILDREN IN NEED.

## HOW TO PARTICIPATE:

- FILL A SHOEBOX WITH A THOUGHTFUL GIFT
- WRAP OR DECORATE TO MAKE IT FESTIVE
- PLACE IT UNDER THE CHRISTMAS TREE IN THE FOYER

SCAN TO SEE  
THE WISH  
LIST:



DUE

9

DATE

DECEMBER





# MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR

Join us for a joyful morning concert featuring festive performances by the talented students of Finnway International School Phuket

DEC | 12 | 2025

**TIME:** 09:30- 12:30 hrs.

**VENUE:** FINNWAY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL PHUKET

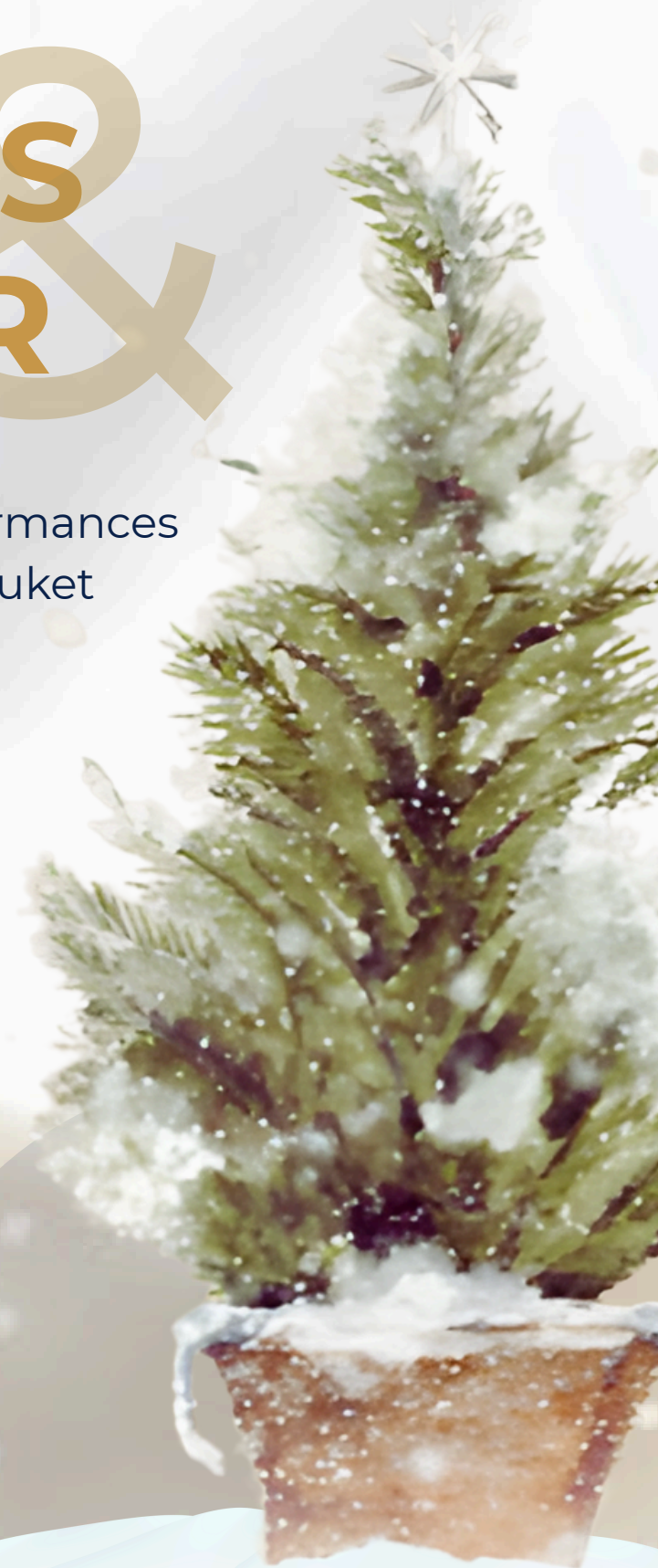
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# STAGESTARS MULTI- TALENTED CAMP

ACTING • SINGING • DANCING

REGISTER **NOW**

**THB 5,900**

UNTIL **8 DECEMBER**



**DATE: 15- 17 December 2025**

**Age range,**

- Ages 4- 8: From 09:00- 12:00 hrs.
- Ages 9- 12: From 13:00- 16:00 hrs.

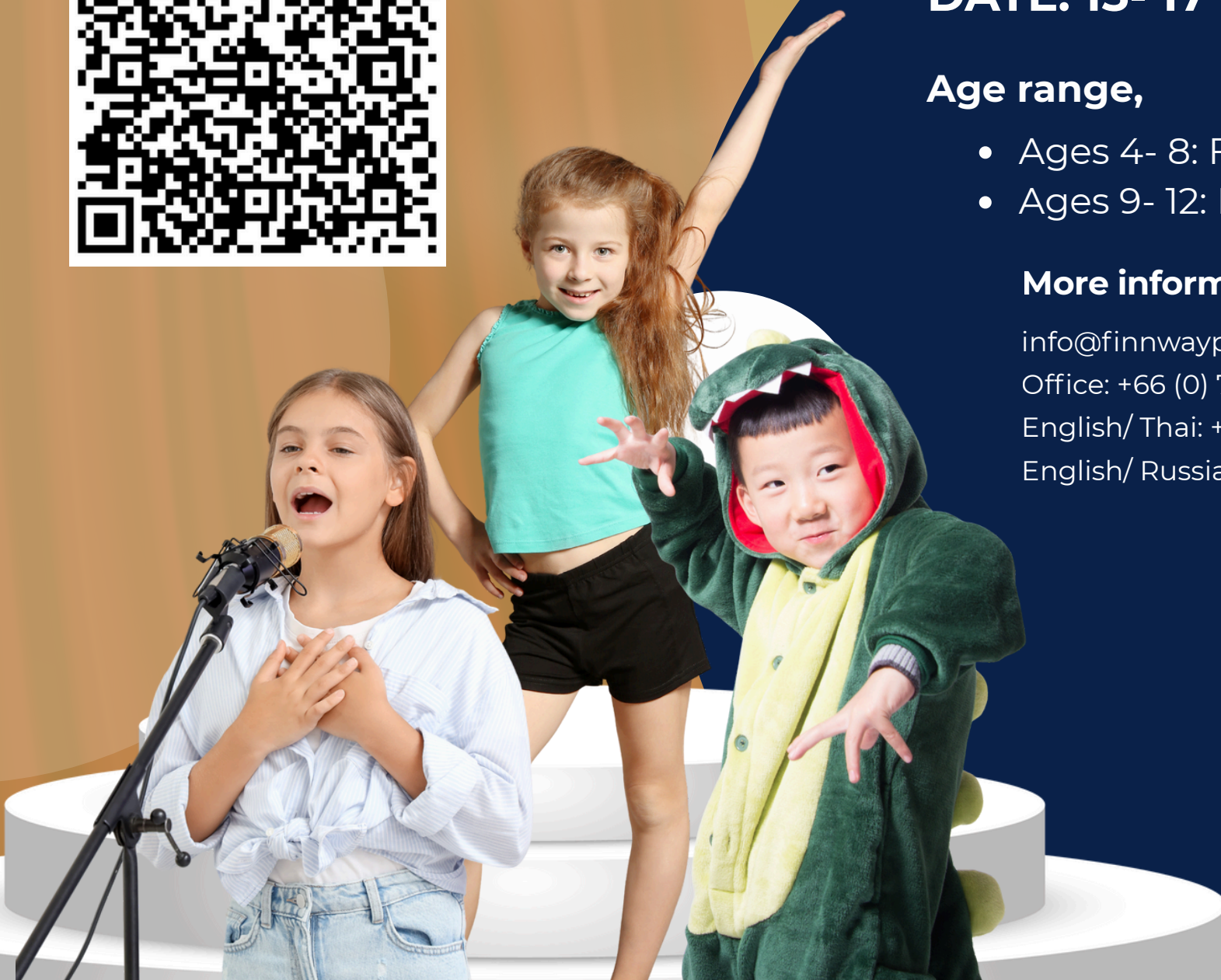
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# CHRISTMAS COOKING CAMP

*Mini Chefs, Merry Masterpieces*

Baking **Christmas** treats and enjoying joyful moments with our mini chefs.

**16 & 17 DECEMBER 2025**

For children aged 2–13 years old

**Menu:** Snowy Banana Cake • Santa's Crispy Choco • Merry Choco- Chip Cookies

REGISTER **NOW**

**1- Day**  
**THB 1,250**

**2- Day**  
**THB 2,350**



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# Updates

## THE NEW “PE UNIFORM” IS READY TO ORDER

According to feedback from our parent community, the new PE uniform now comes with enhanced quality and improved comfort for students.

Please kindly find the updated prices as follows:



PE for K2 - Grade 7	
Girl	Boy
Set of Shirt and Skort 900฿ - Shirt 450฿ - Skort 450฿	Set of Shirt and Pants 900฿ - Shirt 450฿ - Pants 450฿

## FINNWAY FAMILY BENEFITS

Show your Finnway ID to enjoy exclusive perks!

### RESTAURANTS & CAFÉS

- Flying Lizard – Weekday entry = F&B credit
- OTO Play Park – **10%**
- Waylany Kids Café – **15%**
- Glück Café – **10% + babycino**
- Slice Café – **10% | Retail 5%**
- Matchpoint / Deuce / O'Hara's / Drinks & Co Millionaire Burgers – **10%**

### HOTELS

- Kalima Phuket & Khaolak – 10% off
- Oceanic Sportel – 10% off
- Dune Hua Hin – 15% off

### SPORTS & WELLNESS

- Yoga Republic – **10%**
- Flexi Lexi – **20%**
- Tonic Fit – **10%**
- SV Wellness – **15%**
- Oceanic Club – Gym **250 THB** | Monthly **2,500**
- THB | Clinic **6,000** THB
- Abbysan – **50%** first-time
- Femme Flow / Optimize Fit – **10%**
- Family Healthcare – Member rates
- Peak Racket Park – Free first-time court





# Upcoming...

**DECEMBER**  
**11**

**STUDENT REPORTS  
DISTRIBUTION**

**DECEMBER**  
**12**

**CHRISTMAS EVENT**

## Stay connected with Finnway

Here's where you can always find the latest updates, important dates, and special moments from our Finnway community.



### SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR

Never miss an important date! Our full school year calendar, including all upcoming events, is always available on our website under the Academics menu.



### WEEKLY NEWSLETTERS

Did you miss a week or want to revisit a past issue? We upload every newsletter to our website, so you can easily find them anytime.



### NEWS & UPDATES

Our website is also the place to dive deeper into Finnway life. Discover more photos, stories, and full details about the events highlighted in our newsletters.



### SOCIAL MEDIA

We love sharing special moments, events, and everyday happenings at Finnway! Stay connected by following us on our social media platforms — and don't forget to like and share when something catches your eye.

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