

## Lasertag event with Fei Yue

As part of the Bull Charge 2014 beneficiary outreach, an excursion was organised for children from Fei Yue Community Services before the end of the June school holidays. Through discussions with Fei Yue, an agreement was made to bring the children and SGX volunteers together through a LaserTag shoot-out event. Being most of the children's and the SGX volunteers' first time playing such a game, everyone had a blasting good time!



SGX staff gathered at Fei Yue's centre in Champions Way for an introductory session in the morning, before boarding the bus which brought them to Laser Ops located at Dhoby Ghaut.



The children excitedly gathered for the briefing and soon after the first warm-up round began. Each person "fended" for themselves while getting familiarised with how their vest and gun responded to the handling and what it was like being shot by others! After the 10-minute warm-up, it was time for the real games to begin. The children and volunteers divided into two groups and discussed strategies for the next two rounds where there were multiple objectives including accuracy and scoring for each individual and team. In the third round, they even had to strategise for the defense and attack of a home base.



The games got increasingly intense as everyone became more familiar with each other and with the nooks and crannies in the “battlefield”. There was hardly any more time to take pictures as everyone was engrossed in the game! Finally, after 3 rounds, the children were treated to a bonus round with only three volunteers where they competed to be the “best player.” The “best player” was evaluated based on their score and accuracy which was closely followed by the volunteers outside the gameplay area.



It was just the right amount of physical fun to break the ice between every participant, but not too tiring for our 15 SGX volunteers!

To end off on a happy note back at the Fei Yue centre, goodie bags were given out to the children and their feedback was sought on future follow-up activities they would like to have. It was definitely a fun and exciting morning for the children and volunteers alike!