

Yayu Primary School, Orchid Island

小飛魚

T H E F L Y I N G F I S H

文化展演隊

《Introduction》

On the small islet created by the ocean

Touched & moved by the most primitive...





Yayu Primary School is located on the west side of Orchid Island.

Across the ocean from Taiwan

Student body is primarily made up of Yamis children of Yayu Village.

They are innocent, energetic, passionate, and lovely.

This is a dynamic Yamis school.

In addition to the basic academic trainings, we value even more the diverse development of students. The wisdom of Yamis People gained through blending with wild nature around them is the source materials for our curriculum. The Yamis culture is thus preserved and passed on to the children.



Yamis ballad and dance are very different from those of indigenous people on Taiwan.

They were derived from the unique life style on Orchid Island

And it has its own primitive yet elegant demeanor



(Traditional hair dance imitating the waves)

The school has developed the traditional Yamis ballad and dance training since 2006.

Through competitions and performance invitations, the children have the opportunities to see the world outside and thus broaden their horizon. It also allowed outsiders to see and appreciate the beauty of the Yamis culture.





Year 2007

- Awarded Best Story in 2007 E Dance competition
- Won 5th Place in National Competition
- Exclusive interview by Taiwan Public Television Service



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Year 2008

- Awarded Best Story in the National Competition of E Dance
- Won 3rd Place in the National Competition
- Performed in the Torch Festival on Orchid Island



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Year 2009

- Exclusive interview by “Follow Me” program of Public Television Service
- Invited to appear in the TV program “The Great Children of Taiwan”



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Year 2010

- Interview by “Super Blogger” of TITV
- Performed in 2010 Harvest Festival of Indigenous People
- Performed at the National Repository of Cultural Heritage



- Performed for 2010 Children’s Art & Education Exhibition at Juming Museum
- Performed at 2010 Taiwan International Tourism Expo in Taipei



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Year 2011

- Participated in the shooting of Canon commercial
- Won 3rd place, best story and best director in the 2011 E Dance Competition
- National tour performance with “Travel with the Ship”



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Year 2012



- Performed in the Yilan International Children's Folklore & Folkgame Festival

- Performed for BNP Paribas

- Won 3rd place in the 2012 National E Dance Competition



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Year 2013

- Won 2nd place in the National E Dance Competition
- Exclusive interview by ABC TV of Australia



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Year 2014

- Performed for Yamis Flying Fish Festival at New Taipei City Government



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Year 2015

- Participated in making of the film, Long Time No Sea, which tells the story of The Flying Fish team and the life on Orchid Island



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Year 2015

- Culture exchange in New Zealand



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Year 2016

- Won national championship in the 2016 E Dance Competition



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崔永徽
作品

LONG
TIME
NO
SEA

大有
海道

Participated in the
making of the
film, Long Time
No Sea

Released in June 2018



Looking forward to the future,
we shall continue with learning of
culture, performance and exchange
So the children of Orchid Island can be
confident and connect with the world



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Thank You !
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