

Annual Report 2020

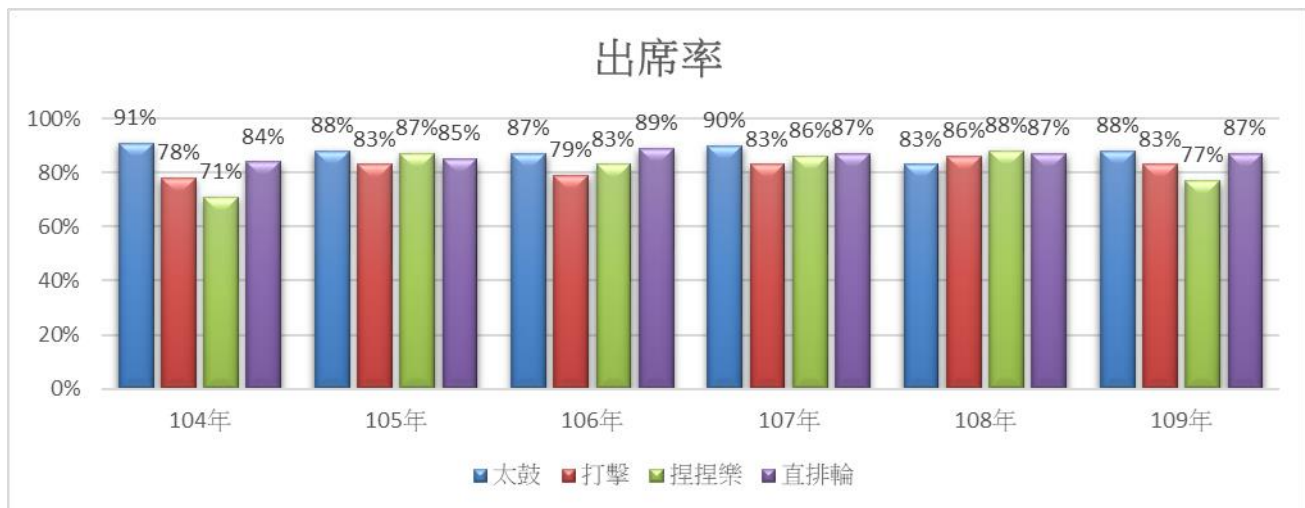
Help Special Need Kids/Siblings Learn From Groups 2020

Four parent-child activities groups were held in weekend routinely for special needs family. The Taiko Team, Percussion Team, Clay Team and Roller skates Team held a total of 79 sessions, with a total of 2424 participants, 2020. One year of hard practice gave Taiko Team's families three opportunities to be invited to stand on stage to show their achievements and self-confidence. They are so happy and have a brilliant smile!

In 2020, the results of questionnaires will be counted with "family" as the unit. 35 questionnaires will be sent out and 34 questionnaires will be returned, with a recovery rate of 97%.

Event number and attendance rate:

- *The Percussion Team conducted a total of 14 sessions, with a total of 257 people participating together, with an average attendance rate of 83%, and about 18 people participating in each session.
- * There were 5 sessions of Clay Team, 128 people participated in total, with an average attendance rate of 77%, and about 25 people participated in each session.
- *Roller skates Team handled a total of 29 sessions, with a total of 1325 people participating together, with an average attendance rate of 87%, and about 45 people participating in each session.
- * The Taiko Team handled 31 sessions and 714 people participated. The average attendance rate was 88%, and about 23 people participated in each session.

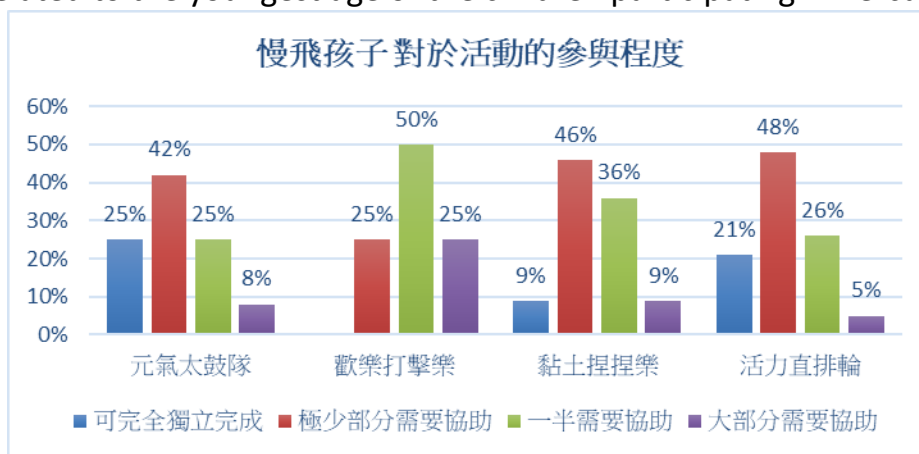


Among the 34 families that participated in the event, 91% children with special needs were taking care by parents, and another 9% by intergenerational care taken by grandparents. Fifty-three percent of households have double-salary income, and 47% of households have single-salary income. The part of the single salary is usually because children need special education and rehabilitation for many years, and they often need someone to accompany them. Therefore, one parent in the family needs to give up full-time employment to take care of children with special needs. In addition, 6% of households are low- and middle-income households.

In the questionnaire, parents indicated that participating in weekend parent-child activities helped their children by "establishing group routines" the most (79%), followed by improving physical fitness (59%), improving concentration (56%), and enhancing parent-child interaction (56%). Then, in order to help maintain the weekend work and rest (50%), improve interpersonal interaction skills (47%), improve endurance (44%), increase rhythm and coordination (41%), improve skills (35%), and increase siblings Interaction (21%). It can be seen that most parents believe that participating in parent-child activities can help their kids improve group routines, increase concentration, and parent-child interaction.



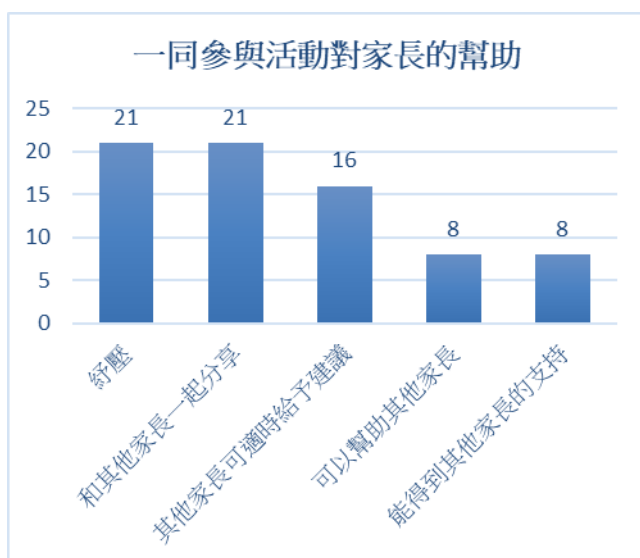
During the operation of activities, slow children's participation in activities requires different levels of assistance during class as each child's abilities are different. In the classes of Taiko, Clay and Roller skates, more than half of the children can complete it independently, or very few need assistance; while for Percussion Team, 50% of the children need half assistance, 25% of the children need most assistance. In addition to the influence of development, it might be related to the youngest age of the children participating in Percussion.



The activities also provide siblings to participate together, 38% of the slow angels are only children, and the other 62% have siblings. Among the slow angels with siblings, 60% are siblings participating in activities together, and 40% are not participating in activities together. The reason why the siblings did not participate in the activity together was usually because they were too older or too young, or other activities were arranged for them, and some siblings expressed disinterest.

These activities encourage parents to participate in the activities together. Parents think

that the most helpful is "share and relieve stress with other parents (62%)", followed by "other parents can give me advice in time (47%)", "I can help other parents (24%)" and "I can get support from other parents (24%)". It can be seen that when parents participate in parent-child activities with their children, they can also communicate with other parents, share and interact, and get pressure relieved.



In conclusion, by providing continuous activity participation, parent-child therapy activities will not only benefit the development of Slow Angel's physical and mental health, but also provide a friendly learning environment and display stage for them, so that their efforts are recognized. This mode of parent-child, sibling participation has enhanced family cohesion. It also provides the establishment of many Slow Angel family support networks to help families accompany and support each other.



Taiko Team and 3 Displays on Stage



Percussion Team



Clay Team



Roller Skates Team