Weekly Newsletter

News from the Principal

Dear Parents

"Accidents, and particularly street and highway accidents, do not happen - they are caused." - Ernest Greenwood

I should like to take this opportunity to thank those parents who have responded so positively to our requests to take extra care when driving or walking near school at drop off and pick up times. Read more here.

Dr Terry Creissen OBE Principal



Primary News

It was pleasing to see so many parents at our 'Settling In' parentteacher consultations yesterday. This was the first of our formal reporting sessions of Term 1. The second will take the form of a written report which will be distributed at the end of the term.

As a school, we always try to offer leadership opportunities for our students and our Year 4, 5 and 6 students have been busy preparing for their Student Council elections, taking place this week and next. The elected council will be introduced during next week's assembly.

Congratulations to our Year 3 and 4 athletics team on competing in the first QPPSSA Fixture of the year and our students who received certificates in assembly today. Find all our latest in school news on Facebook <u>here</u>.

Next Wednesday, 14 October is World Maths Day where our students will have the opportunity to compete against others from all over the world. Click here for further information.

On Thursday some of our Year 5 and 6 parents will be challenging students in a live <u>Big Maths Beat That Challenge</u> during our assembly at 12:45. All are welcome to cheer on either team.

Secondary News

Succeeding at IB, KS3 and KS4 Evenings

Our first "Succeeding at" evenings were completed this week with KS4 (Years 10 and 11) and KS3 (Years 7, 8 and 9). Parents commented on how helpful these information events have been in assisting them with understanding the requirements for their children in these year groups. Here are <u>tips</u> to help your child to focus and concentrate better.



You can find copies of these presentations below:

Succeeding at IB

Succeeding at KS4 / IGCSE

Succeeding at KS3

Year 8 Parent Forum Information Reminder

This will be an opportunity for parents to talk openly and honestly about their experiences at our school with the school leaders. For the full details on the Forum and to book your place please go here.

IB Students Volunteer Efforts

This week 2nd Chance Rescue Qatar thanked our students for all their assistance, see the full details **here**. While our Year 12's started their primary in class **activities**.

PTA Events

Around the World Breakfast Festival - 6 November

Our PTA are hard at work organising our first event of the year which will be held on Friday, 6 November. We need your help to showcase the food and culture of your country / region of the world to make this a success. Please volunteer by signing up at reception or emailing sambreeze79@gmail.com Please include the following



information: your name, country you will represent, phone number and email address, as well as how you would like to help e.g. be the leader of your country stall, prepare and bring food or help set up and serve on the day. We are looking forward to sharing all the different cultures in our school with you.

Stop - Be Safe

- Slow Down
- Drive Safely
- Be Considerate
- Children Crossing

Upcoming Events

12 October

Year 8 Parent Forum - 07:30

14 October

World Maths Day in School

15 October

Primary Maths Challenge Students vs Parents - 12:45

17 October

Legacy Family Fun Day - 13:00

21 October

IGCSE Revision Seminar - 18:30

22 October

Primary Parent IPC Seminar - 12:30

25 October
Half Term Break Begins

1 November

All students back at school

2 November

Year 9 Parent forum - 07:30

4 November

Secondary Parent / Teacher Consultations - 16:30

5 November

Around the World Breakfast Festival - 08:30

Go here for our full calendar

Legacy Sports Day

Legacy Sports are pleased to announce that they will be hosting a family fun day at the school on Sat Oct 17th from 1.00pm - 5.00pm. The event is free and Legacy will showcase some of the new sports activities planned for children and adults at the school over the coming year. Go here for all the information or click here to Register.

Sport News

QPPSSA Fixture Years 3 and 4, our students showed great skill and effort coming in 5th place at the athelitcs event. See all the **photos** from the day.

In and Around School

Remember to vote for your favourite photo on our Facebook page. <u>VOTE NOW</u> by Liking the photo!

Our Teacher's in the News

Two of our teacher's have made headlines for their innovation and creativity. Read all about them.

Global Campus Debate Team Trophy

Our <u>Madinat Maverick</u> team received their trophy from Dr Creissen and Mrs Banfield today. Keep up to date with all our news in and around the school by liking our <u>Facebook page</u>. This week we posted photos of our Year 5's learning more about coding, Year 6's learning about the heart, our cookery club ECA and the QBBF Awards.

To keep up with all the latest school news join us:







