



THE BRITISH SCHOOL
OF BEIJING, SHUNYI
A NORD ANGLIA EDUCATION SCHOOL

Secondary School Weekly Information Letter
Wednesday 22nd January 2020



Dear Parents,
Please find below, key dates and information pertinent to the Secondary section of BSB.

Dates for your Diary / (일정)/日期

The Coming Week		下一周	다음주 일정
Date	Activity/Event	精彩活动预告	활동 / 이벤트
Thursday 23 rd – Friday 31 st January	School Closed for Spring Festival	春节放假	춘절 방학
Further Ahead		在下一周	추가적인 것들
Date	Activity/Event	精彩活动预告	활동 / 이벤트
Monday 3 rd February	School re-opens	开学第一天	개학일
Thursday 6 th February	UKMT Intermediate Maths Challenge for years 9, 10 & 11	9, 10 & 11 年级英国数学竞赛	9 학년, 10 학년, 11 학년 UKMT 수학 경시 대회
Friday 7 th – Saturday 8 th February	Yr10 Bronze IA Adventure Preparation event	10 年级爱丁堡公爵国际奖项准备活动	Yr10 브론즈 IA 어드벤처 준비 이벤트
Monday 10 th –Friday 14 th February	Book Week	图书周	북 위크
Monday 10 th –Wednesday 12 th February	Star Kids Book Fair	书展	스타 키즈 북페어
Monday 10 th February	Mock grade report issued Year 11& 13	模拟考试成绩报告发放	모의 시험 결과 발표
Tuesday 11 th February	ASA Season 3 Starts	课外活动第三季开始	시즌 3 방과후 활동 (ASA) 시작
Wednesday 12 th February	Year 11 and 13 Parents Evening	家长咨询会	학부모 상담
Thursday 13 th February	Nord Anglia STEAM Festival China, 2020 Year 4 & Year 7	2020 诺德安达中国区 STEAM 节 Year 4 & Year 7	중국 Nord Anglia STEAM 축제, 2020 년 4 학년, 7 학년
Thursday 20 th February	Nord Anglia Global Games China, 2020 U15 Volleyball	2020 诺德安达中国区排球赛	중국 Nord Anglia 글로벌 경기, 2020 년 U15 배구

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Battle of the Books – Round 2

On Tuesday 21st January, The British School of Beijing ‘Battle of the Books’ competitors took part in the second round of the competition. The second round was much tougher as students had to answer questions from 12 books instead of six. Our fearless teams battled it out against 10 other teams from six International schools in Beijing. Although on this occasion we did not win, our students did show great team work and worked very hard during the competition.

I would like to thank our Librarian Mrs Zan for making the arrangements and accompanying the students. Additionally, I would like to thank the following students who participated: Ayisa Yao, Audrey Orient, Yvee Hou, Jack Wallis, Lucas Park, Kristie Chi, Bindi Keyi Wang, Aryssa Lee, Chloé Walker, Cindy Jiang, Phoebe Liu, Mina Zhang, Sarah Wang, Gaby Kang, Lottie Park and Daphne Fong



May Zan
Librarian

Temple Fair

The Mandarin Department and Parents Association would like to extend a very big thank you to all parents, students and staff for joining us at the Temple Fair on Monday 20th January. It was wonderful to walk around the foyer and the school in general and see the explosion of red, variety of Chinese costumes and the general festive and happy atmosphere. There were many stalls selling a variety of traditional Chinese food. I was particularly enthralled by the demonstration of the arts and crafts and our students trying to walk on stilts.



Year 11 and 13 Parents' Evening

On Wednesday 12th February we will be holding the Year 11 and 13 Parents' evening in the multi-purpose room. Students will be issued with appointment sheets upon their return from the Chinese New Year break. We would strongly encourage you to attend, as it provides a good opportunity to get feedback on your child's performance in the recent mock examinations and actions that they may need to take, from now till the final examinations to ensure a successful outcome. Also, a gentle reminder that most teachers will have a full evening of appointments and if an appointment is not made it may be very difficult for you to meet your child's teacher.

Aquabears - January Sprints

On Saturday 18th January forty-eight AquaBears took part in the internal January Sprints event in the school pool. There were 104 personal best times swum and 1 new school record swum by Katie Zhong in the 9-10yrs 50m Backstroke. There was plenty of support from the parents and thank you to those that volunteered their time at the event.



Richard Thorp
(Head of Aquatics)

Regards,

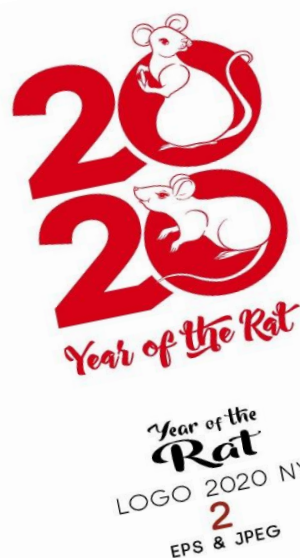
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Year of the
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According to the myth, the Jade Emperor organised a race for a group of animals on his birthday, the results of which determined the order of the Chinese zodiac.

Legend goes that the rat was able to hitch a ride on the back of the ox, jumping off at the finish line in order to win first place and be named the first animal in the 12 Year cycle.

With the year of the Rat people associate wealth, surplus and Fertility

Wishing all our Friends and Families have a fanstatstic start to the Year of the Rat

