



HEADLINES

3rd December 2015

Dear Parents,

Visiting Author/Be Ambitious

Next week, we have a visiting author, Alan Gibbons coming to our campus to work with the children from Year 1-Year 6. I am sure he will be an inspiration to our children, encouraging them to 'Be Ambitious'! You should have been informed of information about his visit from Miss Gilbert, our English Coordinator.

To conclude the week, we are having a 'Be Ambitious' dress up day next Thursday 10th December. This is for all children (Year 1 are on a trip so they are not doing this, as they have already had a similar IPC event). Please encourage your child to take part in this.

Qatar National Day

Qatar National Day takes place in Qatar on Friday 18th December. At school we will be celebrating this joyous occasion on Monday 14th December. All children will be asked to bring some food to share as part of our Arabic breakfast which will take place at 8am. A short celebration will be held at 10am for Early Years children, followed by another performance at 12 midday for Years 1-6. Both of these will take place in the Morgan Sports Hall. Children are invited to dress in Qatari flag colours, or national dress.

Eamonn Morgan

Thank you to many of you for supporting our 'Movember for Morgan' event. The total raised to date is over 5,000 Euros. Our hall has been renamed "Morgan Sports Hall" in his memory. I have attached some great pictures from our assembly this Tuesday.

Next week's activities:

13	Sunday, Monday and Tuesday	Author visit from Alan Gibbons. Alan will be selling his books at the end of school each day.
	Thurs 10th	'Be Ambitious' Dress Up Day Assembly Y2-Y6 Mr Higgs and Ms Boyce's Y4 classes Last day of ECA's Term 1 reports issued
	Mon 14th	Parent Teacher Consultations 2pm-6pm (details to follow) Qatar National Day Arabic breakfast and celebrations (details above)

I wrongly informed you last week that ECA's finished today, this should have read Thursday 10th December.

FCS-Friends of Compass School update

Some of our parents met with Kathryn McCullough and other members of staff this week to discuss future ventures. Watch this space for further details about our Family Film Night, and International

Food Event. You will receive information about this through your email addresses. If you have any objections to having your email address passed onto your class parent please let myself or Kathryn know: Kathryn.mccullough@nais.qa

Admissions news

A reminder from our Admissions department that priority applications for siblings will close on Sunday 6th December. Please contact the Admissions Office or go to the website for this priority application form.

Best wishes,

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