



14 November 2014

RE: U13 FOBISIA GAMES TRIALS, SATURDAY 22 NOVEMBER

Dear Parents/ Guardians,

I write to you with information regarding the under 13 FOBISIA games due to take place in Brunei from 20-24 March 2015.

About The FOBISIA Games

FOBISIA Games include three days of competition across four different sports; football, Basketball, swimming and athletics. We will be selecting eighteen boys and eighteen girls from year 7 and 8 and those who are age eligible from year 9. Each student selected should be able to compete in all of the above sports although there are some events in swimming which are tailored to those who are not all year round competitive swimmers. It is a reflection of how committed to doing well at this event that we are selecting the team early. We will be selecting the best athletes possible to compete at this event and will be asking them to attend all training sessions for the sports in which they have been chosen.

TRIALS

On the Saturday session, athletes must be at school by 8:30 am in order to be changed and ready for a 9:00 am start.

Squad selection will be confirmed and announced to students by Friday 28 November 2014. If you would like to take part in the trials, please return the reply slip below to the secondary school PE office (room 160) for the attention of Mr Hitchings .

Time	Girls activity	Boys activity
During PE lessons	Football	Basketball
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Saturday 22 November	Swimming	Athletics
10:00am	Athletics	Swimming



TRAINING

Those students who are selected to compete in the FOBISIA games are asked to choose the ECA activities that will help them train in the sports they have been chosen for.

Training will take place for girls and boys at different times. Please see the details below for a rough guide to the training times. Please refer to the ECA guidelines once they are published.

TRAVEL INFORMATION

In the table below you will find an estimated break down of the cost of the trip to the games and some details which are to be confirmed closer to the time about what the athletes will be taking part in on the trip.

FLIGHTS	Flights will be arranged for all team members once selection has been confirmed.
ESTIMATED COST	Approximately 7500RMB will cover all travel, food, event entry fee and players travel uniform.
SUPERVISION	Teachers will provide appropriate supervision of athletes at all times.
MONEY	200RMB for possible shopping. This can be exchanged at the Brunei school.
PASSPORT&RE-ENTRY VISA	Athletes will need to submit a valid passport with six months or more and at least three pages left on in order to travel to Brunei.
UNIFORM	BISS Lions PE polo shirt black track suit bottoms. No jeans for the Airport. Wear your school PE kit Shirt for the Parade. Other kits will be allocated to students for other events
INSURANCE	BISSPX will purchase travel accident insurance for all students. There is no charge.
AGE GROUPS	Athletes must be Under 13 on August.
LUGGAGE	Athletes will be expected to carry their own bag to and from the train.
ROOMING	Room assignments are pre-arranged, coaches will hand out assignments at the School boarding houses where the students will stay
HOTEL	Boarding at school
RETURN	Return flights are to be confirmed once athletes are selected

If you have any queries or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me at school on t-hitchings@bisspuxi.com

Yours faithfully,

Mr T Hitchings
Director of Sport