

EARLY YEARS & PRIMARY CAMPUS:

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Dear Parents,

Greetings from The New Zealand Independent School!

As we all know, we will shortly be welcoming the new school year for 2016. In regards, we would like to inform you of some points related to the school's discretion.

We will miss Denise as Head of Primary as she was a valuable person in the organization. As her replacement has not yet been determined her duties will be assumed by various members of the staff. The school hopes to have her replacement in place very soon so that a smooth transition will be possible.

There will be a PTA established to replace the PSG. The composition of the PTA will be as follows. Two members from the primary teachers and two from the secondary teachers. Also two parents representing the primary school and two from the secondary. Also, there will be three members from the Indonesian staff of the school. The new PTA will promote better communication and participation by all stakeholders of NZIS. The PTA will follow the same structure and procedures as the International PTA.

We hope this information is useful when considering the extension of your child's enrollment with NZIS. With your support, we are very positive that we are going to have a successful 2016 .

With Warmest Regards,

The New Zealand Independent School

NZIS PRIMARY AND SECONDARY PARENTS PLEASE NOTE THAT NEXT THURSDAY 12TH NOVEMBER OUR SCHOOL DAY DOES NOT BEGIN UNTIL 10:00AM. ALL STUDENTS SHOULD BE AT SCHOOL BY MORNING TEA TIME AND READY TO BEGIN CLASSES AFTER THE BREAK! (All IGCSE students must still be in at 8.45 for their Science Exam)

This late start allows our NZIS staff to intra-moderate and prepare for End of Year formal reporting.

UPCOMING DATES

NOV, 07	: JASIS Athletic Carnival	DEC, 03	: Primary Reports Go Home
NOV, 27	: Year 6 Parents Coffee Morning at Secondary	DEC, 07	: Year 6 Graduation & Early Years Last Day
NOV, 29	: NZIS Christmas Bazaar	DEC, 08	: Primary / Junior Secondary Prize Giving & Last Day of Term
DEC, 02	: Year 3-6 Swim Carnival		

2015 SCHOOL TERM DATES

As below these are our term dates for next term. **Term 4: Oct 05 - Dec 08**

A full 2015 Academic calendar is on our website so visit www.nzis.school.nz to stay up-to-date.

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Martines Elaman	: 081314402357	Joehari Somad	: 0812818833352
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SCHOOL FEES 2016

The school fee structure should now be advertised on our website. A letter will be sent home via an email and in hard copy as well. We also ask that parents please return all 2016 notices regarding your child's enrolment, as we need to confirm places and classes. We are still waiting on responses from approximately 35% of our families. Your attention to this matter is required urgently as we would like all responses by Monday November 9th.

TEACHERS FOR 2016

EARLY YEARS

KEA - ?

KINDY CLASSES – **Ms Linda, Ms Sunita & Ms Nellie**

PRIMARY

Yr 1 – **Ms Michelle**

Yr 2 – **Ms Paula**

Yr 3 – **Ms Angie & Ms Eimear**

Yr 4 – **Ms Donna**

Yr 5 – **Ms Claire**

Yr 6 – **Mr Rocky**

Specialist Teachers remain the same.

At the end of the year we will farewell **Ms Suzanne, Mr Jeremy & Ms Denise**

AROUND SCHOOL THIS WEEK

This week has been a great week for consolidating teaching and learning, as we come to the middle of our final school term for 2015. Our primary classes continue with their dance lessons in preparation for the End of Year Performance and our Early Years students continue to discover new and exciting learnings around transport and through play. Our senior classes have been focusing on Personal Development and the changes that occur during puberty, while also looking at how they can keep themselves safe and healthy.

We have had an extraordinary number of staff absent due to illness over the last two weeks. We thank parents for keeping their sick students at home when they are feeling unwell, as this helps to minimise the spread of infection amongst the community.

PRIMARY POST!

JATI ART EXHIBITION

This interschool Art Exhibition opened last night. Many of our students have work on display. Please make time to visit over the next two weeks while the exhibition is on. This is a wonderful showcase of work created by primary and secondary students across Jakarta.



JATI 2015 ART EXHIBITION

OPENING
NOVEMBER 5
6 PM - 8 PM

PUBLIC
VIEWING
6 TH - 22 TH NOVEMBER



El canna Gallery
Jl. Pakubuwono VI no. 35
Kebayoran Baru, Jakarta Selatan

Looking Ahead

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

On the last Sunday of this month, November 29th, we celebrate our NZIS Christmas Bazaar. We are busy preparing stalls and activities for this event. If you would like to hold a stall or know someone who would, then please have them contact Carragh via prc2@nzis.school.nz as soon as possible. We are particularly interest-

NZIS Christmas Bazaar

- CRAFT STALLS
- GARAGE SALE
- FOOD STALLS & MORE

Sunday, November 29th, 2015
08:30am - 11:30am
The New Zealand Independent School,
Primary Campus
JI Kemang Selatan I #1A
Kemang Jakarta Selatan

Enquiries :
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Limited number of stalls available to vendors



ed in handicraft and gift stalls, as well as food providers, but we will have lots of other stalls too. We encourage staff & parents to also provide business cards for interesting stalls that you may visit in and around Jakarta, so Carragh can follow up with these convenors directly.

COSTUMES

By now we hope to have received all payments for the End of Year Performance costumes. Camilla Opaker and her nanny have been busy sourcing over one hundred black outfits for the students, and these need to be purchased and paid for next week, so that students have time to decorate them with their specific animal trimmings. Please ensure this money is in on Monday if you have not done so already.

JASIS

Tomorrow we have 28 students and 12 staff heading off to Bogor Gardens around 5:45am to compete in the annual JASIS athletics carnival. We know they will represent NZIS with pride and demonstrate great sportsmanship. Our school will be one of seven schools represented at the carnival. We wish all our athletes good luck and hope the weather is dry! We look forward to many of our parents also coming along to support our team.

Denise Roache
Head of Primary

Kea



Kea class has been showing an interest in the art area. They are learning to use scissors, tape, glue sticks, and woollen thread to create pictures. The children are also learning to use markers to draw wonderful designs.

Well done Kea children! You are all doing a great job practising your fine-motor skills and hand eye coordinatination.





PRIMARY POST!

Ika's first Assembly! 'It's good to be me'



Ika children were practising in their classroom all week for their first assembly!



They practised singing the New Zealand National anthem in both Maori and English!

They practised holding up their signs that describe their personalities!



They recited the poem, 'I am me' together.



They acted out the 'good to be me' story of the lion, gazelle, monkey and mouse!



They starred in their own 'Ika friends' video, then enjoyed watching it! They loved listening to the 'What I am' song by Will.I.am, which ended their assembly!

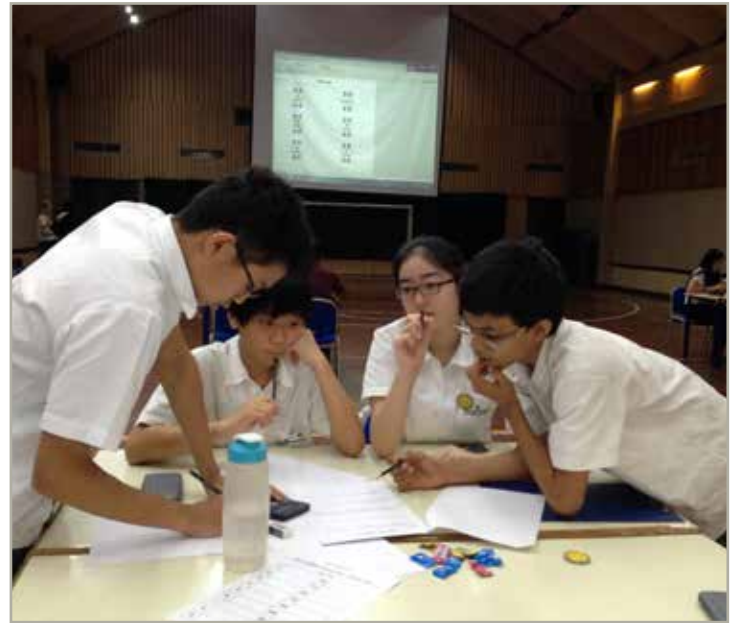


They took part in a 'why it's good to be me' show + tell on Tuesday. John showed us his special 'frozen' and 'fire' Mc Queen cars that he got as a present after receiving his merit award last Friday!

Gadis told us that it's good to be her as she has a lovely big sister who has helped to take care of her since she was a baby!



SECONDARY STANDARDS!



Abiral, Gabriel, Rita and Sion participated in Maths Games Day conducted by Australian Independent School on 30th of October, 2015. They competed against 5 teams from other schools and proudly won the **Second Place** in this competition.

They had fun joining together to compete in four rounds which were; problem solving, cross contest, swiss contest and relays to explore their math talents and thinking skills. This was an opportunity for them to participate in various math activities designed to be intellectually challenging, competitive and fun. Hearty congratulations to our students for their effort and enthusiasm.



SECONDARY STANDARDS!



"Unlike any usual day in school, we enjoyed fun with Math, joining together as a team to explore many ways of finding solution to problems. Thanks to NZIS for the opportunity given to me!" Rita Hirano

"Starting nervous, I gained more confidence completing each round of the competition with other schools, ended smashing other teams in the last round stood in first position. This competition helped me to think outside the box and taught me to work as a team" Abiral Banjade



SECONDARY STANDARDS!

The NZIS Taniwha Team have their pre-season meet tomorrow at **SPH Lippo Village** beginning at 09 00. This is not a tournament, but a chance for teams to get together and trial new team members, and there is also an opportunity to coach 'in situ.' New players Prakash, Harun and Esma can get their first experience against opposition and gain knowledge of their new sport.

The Code of Conduct notice went home this week outlining expected behaviours of players, coaches and supporters. Most of our team have returned these signed, and are ready for their run tomorrow.

Thanks to Frank Mizigi who has been coaching and drilling the team.

The first tournament will be on November 21 at JIS, beginning at 08 00.

Please come support our young men tomorrow and on November 21 if you are able.



Don't forget!

Thursday 12th will be a 10am start for all students at secondary.