



## Note from the Principal

Parents,

Greetings from the elementary principal's desk. It is hard to believe February is here and in full swing. There are lots of great things happening at BAIS. Last week, we celebrated Spiritual Emphasis Week with our guest speaker Libby Stevens. Thank you SEW committee for all the time and effort you put into planning the event.

In the elementary and middle school, we have also started gearing up for the annual Spelling Bee. This year we will invite the other schools in Kota Baru to compete with us on Feb 24<sup>th</sup>. Students, hopefully you are studying your words. The middle of February also marks the middle of third quarter. Mid-quarter progress reports will be sent home on Feb. 18<sup>th</sup>. The final announcement for this week is that both Mr. Simano and I will be returning to the states for a conference and for recruiting. Mr. Simano left on Monday, and I leave this Saturday. Please direct all questions in our absence to Mr. Cooley, the secondary principal. In regards to recruiting, we are still looking for a K-12 Vocal Choral Music Teacher and a high school AP History (Euro, US), Econ/Am Government, and World History Teacher. If you know of any strong, Christian candidates please have them contact the school.

Blessings on your upcoming week.

Charity LaMertha

*Elementary Principal / Curriculum Coordinator*

## FEBRUARY

18 Third Quarter Progress Reports Go Home

24 Spelling Bee

26 Maulid Nabi National Holiday

27-28 IISSAC Basketball at Mountain View - Salatiga

## MARCH

4,5 Half Days/Student-Led Parent Conferences

12 Pre-enrollment Closed

16 Seclusion Day National Holiday

19 Half Day/Math Olympics Third Quarter Ends

22 FOURTH QUARTER BEGINS

## Clinic News



**Immunization catch-up time!**

I am going through the medical records for each student at BAIS to update their medical history, allergies, and immunizations. Parents will be getting letters regarding which immunizations are needed in order to keep the children healthy and remain in school. Many students may have started BAIS as a small child and have had updated immunizations in Indonesia or in their home countries, but have not updated their school records. Parents, please bring in updated immunization records on your children so a letter does not need to be sent out.

Also, if you know of any new allergies or significant medical conditions that have come up since your student has started BAIS, please inform me of these as well. You can get new medical forms at the front desk or come to the clinic to let me know and I can add the new information to the student's chart.

PS. It is once again Dengue Fever season in Bandung. Please keep these things in mind to help protect your family:



- 1) Remove any dirty standing water in and outside of your home
- 2) If you are going outside in the morning or afternoon, wear long pants and long sleeve shirts.
- 3) Use mosquito repellent when going outside if possible.
- 4) Keep doors and windows closed during night and morning and other times you notice more mosquitoes around.
- 5) Think about getting screens for your windows and doors.

Thank you,  
Devlyn Neveux, PA-C

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# Athletic News

## BASKETBALL



It's been another exciting week of Lady Eagles basketball! Our "JV" girls played the first game on Friday afternoon against SMP 3. It was an excruciatingly hot day but thankfully we had enough players to allow for frequent water breaks. We are so proud of the focus and determination our girls showed. Beth Hansen led in rebounds. Cacie Neveux led in scoring with 4 points, followed by Caris Chun and Lena Maxey each with 2. Our point guards, Caris and Amie Hegle, provided great leadership and encouragement for the team. Nancy Kim, Haewon Choi, Emma Durham, and Melody Williams also played with great intensity. Though we lost, 34-8, everyone had a good time gaining more experience and learning to play together. Caris Chun was chosen "Player of the Game" for her leadership, encouragement, and focus.

After a great varsity boys' game Friday afternoon, our Varsity girls played SMA 10, a team that had beaten us by 10 points before Christmas break. Our girls played with better teamwork and hustle than ever before, giving the SMA 10 team quite a battle. Sarah Neveux was high scorer with 7 points, Melody Williams – 6, Joy Park – 3, Fifi Then – 2, and Bora Ha – 2. At the final buzzer, the Lady Eagles celebrated a victory, 20 – 14. Melody Williams was chosen "Player of the Game" for her great boxing out, determination, and for making free-throws under pressure at the end of the game, securing our win. We are so proud of all of our girls!

The Lady Eagles celebrated another victory Tuesday night, 42-23, with everyone getting lots of playing time. Sarah Neveux scored 21 points; Bora Ha – 8; Joy Park - 7; Eun Young Park - 4; Melody Williams - 2. Sarah was chosen "Player of the Game" for her leadership, her great offensive playing, and her overall hustle.

### **Coach Shea**

The BAIS boys' varsity team played their first college opponent, UPI. They were a big, physical team, but the speed and pressure of the Eagles wore them down, and led to a 51-31 win for BAIS. Once again, the Eagles showed good composure, dealing well with inconsistent officiating and the physical level of play. Matt Marshall led the way with 22 points, 11 rebounds, 6 steals and 4 blocked shots. Terry had a great game on the boards, getting 14 rebounds to go along with 8 points. Won Jin played his usual hustle; never giving up game, getting 13 points and 4 steals. All nine Eagles (with Yoon Seong, Min Young, Matt, Drew, Brady and Keun) played with good energy and contributed to the win. Thanks to all the fans that came out to cheer on the Eagles teams.

### **Coach Craig**

Schedule for the upcoming week February 8-12:

**Special Note: On Thursday February 11<sup>th</sup> the Varsity and JV boys practice is moved to Soekarno-Hatta Sports Center.**

#### Varsity Boys

Monday February 8<sup>th</sup> practice 4-6 p.m. at SIS

Tuesday February 9<sup>th</sup> OFF

Wednesday February 10<sup>th</sup> game vs. Aceh 4:30 p.m. at SIS

Thursday February 11<sup>th</sup> practice 4-6 p.m. at (MOVED to Soekarno-Hatta Sports Center)

Friday February 12<sup>th</sup> game vs. BPI 1 4:30 p.m. at SIS

## JV Boys

Monday February 8<sup>th</sup> practice 4-6 p.m. at SIS

Tuesday February 9<sup>th</sup> game vs. SMP 25 4:30 p.m. at Soekarno-Hatta Sports Center

Wednesday February 10<sup>th</sup> practice 4-6 p.m. at Tunas Arena

Thursday February 11<sup>th</sup> practice 4-6 p.m. at (MOVED to Soekarno-Hatta Sports Center)

Friday February 12<sup>th</sup> OFF

## Girls

Monday February 8<sup>th</sup> practice 4-6 p.m. at C-tra Arena

Tuesday February 9<sup>th</sup> game vs. SMA13 4:30 p.m. at Soekarno-Hatta Sports Center

Wednesday February 10<sup>th</sup> OFF

Thursday February 11<sup>th</sup> practice 4-6 p.m. at Soekarno-Hatta Sports Center

Friday February 12<sup>th</sup> game vs. Suryakencana 4:30 p.m. at C-tra Arena

## SWIMMING

Pre-season swimming...



Swimmers will be able to start conditioning with supervised lap swimming, starting Tuesday February 9<sup>th</sup>. Right now we have Baros Military pool (the large military sport complex you can see from the toll road) secured for Tuesdays and Thursdays. Pre-season practice will run from after school until 5 p.m. The preseason sessions are optional for swimmers and are only meant for those who can swim a minimum of 100 meters without stopping.

Additionally, swimmers must pay the entry fee (5,000 rupiah) at time of the practice. Swimmers that make the team on March 12<sup>th</sup> will be charged 1 juta for the season including IISSAC tournament expenses and will be reimbursed for pre-season practices that they attended. We are currently looking into other opportunities for our younger and weaker swimmers. Permission slips, available from Ibu Retno, need to be filled out and returned to Mr. Phillips on or before Monday, February 8. More details will come next week.

SWIM COACH CLASS: We have invited a Swim Australia instructor to teach a 6 hour certification class on Saturday March 6<sup>th</sup>. This course will require some work out side of class and you will be working toward a level 1 SAT swim teacher Certification in the Swim Australia program. The cost will be 2 juta per person. Time and location TBA. We need 4 confirmed participates to offer this course right and now we have two. Please contact [jasonphillips@baisedu.org](mailto:jasonphillips@baisedu.org) or [charitylamertha@baiseud.org](mailto:charitylamertha@baiseud.org) if you are interested.