



Note from the Elementary Principal

Parents,

Greetings once again from the Elementary Principal's Desk; I want to thank all the elementary parents that came to school for both Storybook Day and Parent-Teacher conferences. It is always great to celebrate with parents what is happening in the classrooms. As we transition into the month of November, we are in the process of planning the celebration activities for the top "I Love to Read" winners. Next week we will have an extra recess time as well as a pizza party on Wednesday for the upper elementary and an ice cream party on Friday for the lower elementary. Congratulations everyone for the great reading last month.

Time continues to fly this semester. Though we just had conferences, it is time once again for progress reports. Progress reports in elementary school will not be sent home to all students. Students may receive a progress report if they are failing a subject or if they dropped or raised the scores at least one letter grade. Please keep an eye out for progress reports in the next Thursday folder.

As the semester goes on I also want to remind parents about the 10 day attendance rule at school. Please be mindful of how many days your students are missing school. In December we will have DAC meeting for parents and students who have missed more than 10 days this semester. We realize there is a lot of stomach sickness going around, so we understand students missing because of sickness. Please encourage your kids to wash their hands regularly, get lots of sleep, and eat a balanced diet.

As always we thank you for your support and encouragement as we partner with you for your child's education.

Blessings,

Charity LaMertha

Elementary Principal / Curriculum Coordinator

NOVEMBER

19 Second Quarter Progress Reports Go Home

23-25 Week Without Walls

26 Thanksgiving Holiday

27 Idul Adha National Holiday

DECEMBER

11 Christmas Program

15-17 MS/HS Exams

17 Half Day/Second Quarter Ends

18 1st Muharram National Holiday

21 Christmas Break Begins

Preschool Hot News



On Thursday, November 5th the Preschool 4 class had visitors from the local fire station. The students were excited as they could see the fire engine come on campus right after Chapel! They could hardly contain their excitement when the firemen entered our classroom. Eight firefighters came to the classroom dressed in their uniforms and ready to tell us about fire safety. The students learned how to stay low to the floor if a building is on fire, how to use a fire extinguisher, and how to stop, drop, and roll if one's clothes are on fire. Then the students went outside to see the fire truck. They had an opportunity to try on a fire helmet, hold the water hose, and ride on the fire truck. The Preschool 4 class has been learning about community helpers and the jobs that they do for us. Check out some of the pictures from that morning!

Mrs. Lamb



After-school Program (Grades 4-12)

Parents of 4th-12th Graders,

BAIS will be starting an after-school program on November 30th. The first session will last 10 weeks and run until February 25. This does not include holiday weeks. Students will meet with their teacher 3 days per week (Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday) with options of fewer days. The time will be from 3:15-4:15 each day. Sessions will include general tutoring/homework help, LEP (English) tutoring, or Mandarin tutoring. Fees will be Rp. 3.000,000 per session for 3 days per week with reduced rates for fewer days per week. Fees may also be reduced depending on the number of students per group. Your child will receive a sign-up form on Friday, Nov. 13

that includes more information. Please be looking for this form. If you don't receive one feel free to ask the office early next week. Sign-up forms and fees are due by November 20th. If you have any questions please contact Aaron Summers at aaronsummers@baisedu.org.

Health News

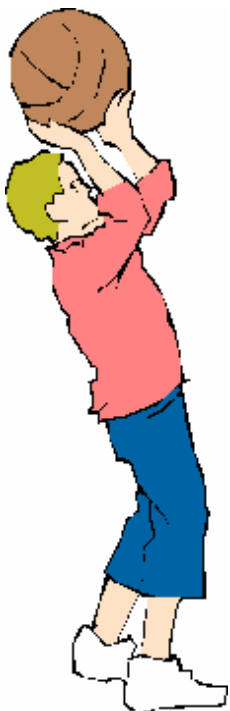


Dear Parents and Students,

Please do not forget to bring your water bottles to school each day. Everyone should have one, even those students who are not doing PE or sports that day. BAIS has several water dispensers in the hallways and MPR so that bottles may be filled up throughout the day. There are plastic cups that are on top of the dispensers for emergency purposes only. These should not be reused until rewashed. There will be a basket or bucket beside the dispenser to put the plastic cups in after they are used. Do not put them back on top of the dispenser. This is just one more way to keep us all healthy.

Devlyn Neveux
PA Assistant

This is the last week to order portraits and class photos! Please stop by to pick up an order form if you still want to order your own copy from Seni Abadi Photography. Completed order forms may be left with Ibu Retno at the front desk, but only if exact payment is included.



BASKETBALL is off to a great start. Thank you to the coaches for volunteering their time to build into student lives through the avenue of BASKETBALL. The practice times and location are the same as last week. See details below. The first games are scheduled for Tuesday November 24th at Soekarno Hatta Sports Center. The girls' game will start at 4 p.m. on one court and the Varsity boys' game will start at 4:15 p.m. on another court. After the girls' game the JV boys' will play at 5:00 p.m. All teams are currently scheduled to play against St. Angela's.

Girls' practice time and locations for week two November 16-20:

Monday at Citra Arena from 4-6 p.m.
Tuesday at Soekarno Hatta Sports Center 4-6 p.m.
Wednesday OFF
Thursday at Soekarno Hatta Sports Center 4-6 p.m.
Friday at Soekarno Hatta Sports Center 4-6 p.m.

Boys' practice time and locations for week two, November 16-20:

Monday at SIS (Stamford International School Dago) 4-6 p.m.
Tuesday OFF
Wednesday at SIS (Stamford International School Dago) 4-6 p.m.
Thursday at SIS (Stamford International School Dago) 4-6 p.m.
Friday at Citra Arena 4-6 p.m.

Please see Mr. Phillips if there are any parents or students interested in running the score board or keeping the scorebook during the games.



MOM'S in TOUCH

Psalms 84:11 For the LORD God is our sun and our shield. He gives us grace and glory. The LORD will withhold no good thing from those who do what is right.

Mom's in Touch - Updated time:

Prayer for kids, and school at Jl. Cipaganti 169a, 10-11 AM, Thursday mornings

Join us!

Questions? Contact Olivia Hirianto 08156164040



SOFEFO will have its next High School event next Friday, 20 November. Because the MS Retreat is this weekend, there will not be a **SOFEFO** event for Middle School next Saturday. The High School event will be on Friday night, 20 November from 7:00 to 9:00 at the Marshall's house. We will have games, snacks, music and a talk! This **SOFEFO** event is for all students in grades 9 through 12. **SOFEFO** is not just for BAIS students, so invite your friends to come as well! We're looking forward to seeing you, so come enjoy the fun. We hope to see you there!

David for the rest of the **SOFEFO** staff

BE TRANSFORMED



MIDDLE SCHOOL SOFEFO RETREAT
DO NOT CONFORM
ANY LONGER TO THE PATTERN OF THIS WORLD
BUT **BE TRANSFORMED**
BY THE RENEWING OF YOUR MIND.
THEN YOU WILL BE ABLE TO
TEST AND APPROVE WHAT GOD'S WILL
IS- HIS GOOD, PLEASING AND
PERFECT WILL.
ROMANS 12:2 NIV

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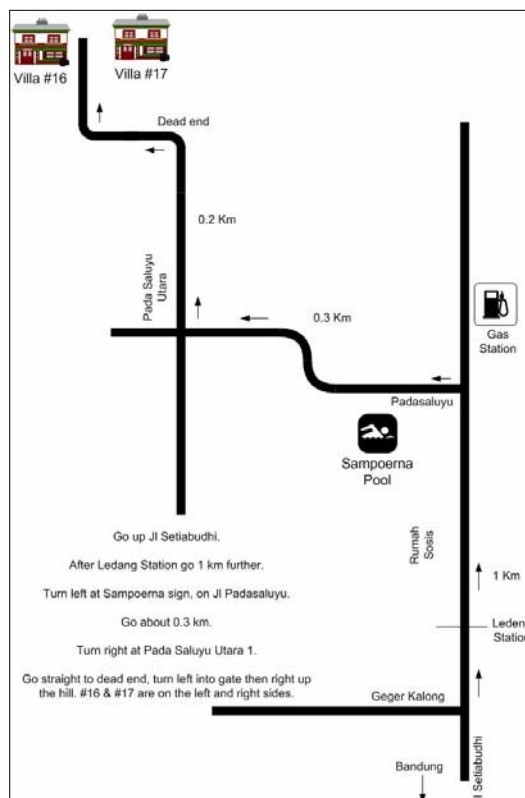
More than meets the eye...

When: November 13th - 15th 2009

Where: Villa Lantera

Sign Up deadline **OCTOBER 28**

See Mr. Durham for sign up/
permission slips!!!!



CAFETERIA NEWS



The lunch order for December 2009 - January 2010 will be distributed on November 16th 2009. On December 16th, the cafeteria will serve a Special Christmas Lunch for 40.000/meal. For students who pay for meals every day in December, they will get a 50% discount on the Special Christmas Lunch. **Don't forget to return the Lunch Order for December 2009-January 2010 by the latest on November 23rd 2009**

School Cafeteria