



Note from the Principal

The last week of February is upon us. It is hard to believe the semester is going so quickly. By the time you receive this news letter the high school girls and boys basketball teams will have headed to Bali for the IISSAC tournament. May they play hard and have fun. It has been great to see everyone dress up this week for spirit week. If you haven't seen it parents, we have had student in pajama, crazy facial hair, and lots of twins.

In addition to all the sports fun, the elementary hosted an Inter-school Spelling Bee with Cahaya Bangsa, Al Irsyad, and Al Azhar. This is the biggest Spelling Bee we have hosted to date and are excited to see the schools come together. After the spelling bee, our 3rd and 4th grade classes will go back with the Al Irsyad students to their school for more activities designed to build relationships and understanding between our two schools.

A final reminder for upcoming big events is student-led conferences. They will be next Thursday and Friday, March 3rd and 4th. This is a great time for the elementary and middle school students to talk with their parents and share their progress throughout the school year. Our hope is that through events like this we can strengthen the communication between the student, the parents, and the school.

Well, that is all from the desk of the elementary principal. Next week Mr. Cooley will be back from recruiting, and Mr. Simano will be back the following.

Have a wonderful weekend,
Charity LaMertha
Elementary Principal

MARCH	
3	Student-Led Parent Conferences
4	No School/Student-Led Parent Conference
5	Seclusion Day National Holiday
11	Elementary Sport Day (afternoon)
14	Math Olympics (Pi Day)
18	Re-enrollment Closed
18	Half Day/ Third Quarter Ends
21-25	Spring Break
28	FOURTH QUARTER BEGINS
31	Third Quarter Reports Cards Go Gome

Hello Parents,

Parent Conferences are coming the first week of March (March 3rd and 4th). For middle school parents, these will be student led conferences and are mandatory for parents to attend. Your child's middle school homeroom teacher will be sending out a sign up sheet for you to schedule a time that will work for you. For our high school students, the conferences are open, "drop in" at any time. The conferences will be Thursday afternoon/evening and Friday morning the 3rd and 4th, from 3:30pm to 7:00pm on Thursday and 8am to 11am on Friday morning. This is a great opportunity for all parents to come in and check on their child's progress. No school for students on Friday, March 4th.

Daniel Cooley
Secondary Principal, BAIS

Dear Parents of Elementary students,



On Friday, March 11th from 12:00 to about 2:30 we will be having **Elementary Sports Day**. We would love for you to come out to the school and see your child compete in track and field type events (running, jumping, throwing, and an obstacle course). Your child will be placed on one of two teams and be competing against other students their own age. More detailed information coming out soon.

Jason Phillips
PE teacher

ATHLETIC NEWS



The Lady Eagles played against a rough and tough team, SMA 9, last Friday night. SMA 9 was called for 18 fouls in comparison to our 4. Three of our girls suffered head injuries during the game. Although we lost with a score of 33-50, it was definitely a learning experience and a good practice for the upcoming tournament. Sarah was high scorer with 19 points, followed by Eun Young with 8, Melody with 5, and Lena, 1. Melody snagged a 3 pointer during the game, which will hopefully be the first of many more to come.

Tuesday's game was a much needed victory after last Friday's defeat. The Lady Eagles beat SMA 4 (from Cimahi) with a score of 42-2. It was encouraging to see everyone get to play and almost everyone had a chance to score as well. The points were spread out nearly evenly: Sarah – 6; Melody – 6; So Yeon – 5; Caris – 4; Nancy – 4; Nayen – 3; Bora – 2; Eun Young – 2; Lena – 2; Kelly – 2; Amie – 2; Hyun Ji – 2; Evelyynn – 2. And though Christy and Emma didn't score, they both played so hard and shared in the team's success. Please pray for both basketball teams (boys and girls) as we travel to/from and play in the IISSAC tournament!

BASKETBALL PLAYERS, MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

If you are a high school basketball player, you are invited to the end-of-season basketball PARTY on Friday, March 11, 2011, in the MPR. Boys – bring salty snacks. Girls – bring sweet snacks. Coaches – bring drinks. Paper products will be provided, too.



PACE UPDATE

ESPECIALLY FOR MOMS 😊

On Monday, Feb. 28th from 1-3 p.m. we will gather at Linda Setiadi's house (Jl. Pita Maha no. 36) for a time of fellowship and to talk about the upcoming Family Fun Festival. Hope you can come!

FAMILY FUN FESTIVAL!!! SAVE THE DATE!!

WHEN: Friday, April 8th, 11:30-4:00 pm

WHERE: BAIS Campus

WHAT: 11:30-12:30 Lunch in the Senior Cafe (otherwise known as the Sports Hall 😊)

12:30-3:00 Carnival Games for all Ages (classrooms)

3:00-4:00 Parcel Auction and Entertainment

HELP NEEDED: Would you be willing to make a donation for our door prizes or the auction? Or maybe you can help gather prizes for our carnival games. Are you creative and could help us put the auction parcels together? There are lots of ways to get involved and help out for this BAIS community event. If you are interested and willing to help, please send Jane Milam an sms (0812-208-2023).

COMING IN MARCH . . . DIALOGUE WITH THE DIRECTOR

student council NEWS

PICNIC DAY

March 8th during secondary lunch

All middle school and high school students please join us for picnic day!

We will gather during lunch on the oval in front of the school.

This is Indonesian potluck style. Bring enough lunch for yourself plus some to share with three others.

See Mook Ratanapenchart (Grade 9) for more details or questions.

SEE YOU @ THE POLE

See you at the pole is an international event where Christian students gather at their school's flagpole to pray for their school, the nation, and the world. Student Council would like to invite anyone interested to join them on Wednesday, March 9th at 8am at the flagpole. This is a late start day so we will gather and pray together before school begins at 9:00.

TALENT SHOW

Mark your calendars! The second annual BAIS Talent Show will be on April 21st.

Begin preparing your acts now! The talent show is coming!

Sign-up to participate by March 11th with Wesley McKinley.

Auditions will be held March 28th- April 1st.

