

From the BAIS CFO's Desk

Dear BAIS Community,

It is my pleasure to be able to join the BAIS Community again this school year. My family and I just returned from being in the States for a year. During that time, I had the opportunity to serve in a similar role at another Christian school. Since I was new at the school, I noticed areas around the campus that had room for improvement.

This reminds me of when I first arrived at BAIS in 2012. While I was new to the school and the campus, I noticed areas where there was room for improvement. For example, the temporary metal fencing used to barricade students from entering the back half of the complex was also blocking the beautiful view that we now enjoy. Or the blue security walls that were white and showing years of rust and rain stains on them. My point is, I was a set of fresh eyes then.

One of our goals at BAIS this year is to make certain we have the opportunity to hear from our parents more. I will be contacting parents of new students within the next week to set up a time when they can be our "fresh eyes" around the campus. I hope you will be able to spend some time walking around the campus and then enjoy coffee or tea with me afterwards. I look forward to getting to know our new parents better.

Sincerely,
Mr. Mark Boccaccio

PACE NEWS,

Dear parents,
From the fundraising events held by PACE last school year, we have collected Rp. 9.617.000,- in the PACE account.

We have spent the fund for:

- 1 showcase fridge for kitchen	Rp.3.500.000
- 1 showcase fridge for senior store	Rp.3.500.000
- 1 water dispenser for security	Rp. 900.000
- 1 microwave for TRR	Rp.1.615.000
- 1 toaster for senior store	Rp. 185.000
TOTAL	Rp.9.700.000

Thank you
Regards,
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SEPTEMBER	
1	Idul Adha National Holiday
4-15	MAP Test
6	Late Start
15	Staff Retreat/Half Day
18	Mid Quarter Grades Updated on Power School
20	Late Start
21	1 st Muharram National Holiday
OCTOBER	
4	Late Start
6	Writing Assessment Grading/Half Day
13	First Quarter Ends/Half Day
16	Second Quarter Begins/I Love to Read Begins
18	Late Start
20	Report Cards Go Home
26-27	ISSAC Soccer at Wesley

SAT TEST UPDATE

Dear Parents of 12th graders, 11th graders, and 10th graders,
I write to give you an update about the October SAT. At this time, BAIS registrations (number of open seats) are full. BAIS is working with College Board to increase the number of seats on offer. For now, if your student would like to register, please sign up on the waiting list. I will update you as soon as possible.

Also, Elite Educational Institute in Bandung would like to offer an SAT Diagnostic Test at BAIS in September. It is a 4+ hour assessment so it does take some time. The target audience for this is 10th graders but 11th and 12th grade students are welcomed to attend. BAIS would like to host this on a Saturday in September from 9:00am-12:00noon. There is no cost to attend but we need to have a minimum of about 15 students for Elite to come and deliver the test. Please let me know if you have a specific date of preference. Campus is closed September 16 for the staff retreat but other Saturdays are possible.

Thanks for your continued partnership and support. Please don't hesitate to call, email, or set up an appointment if you have questions, concerns, or suggestions.

Blessings,
Mr. Thomas

SCHOOL COUNSELOR NEWS

We are so excited to offer several opportunities to hear from universities around the world. On Wednesday, September 6 from 12:40-1:40, an official representative of four Universities of Applied Sciences in the Netherlands, which are The Hague, HAN, Fontys, and NHTV Breda, will give a presentation and answer questions about education in the Netherlands and available scholarships. The presentation, followed by a question and answer session will be held in Ms. Dickman's room from 12:40-1:40. Students in grade 11 and 12 may sign up with Ms. Wakefield by Monday, September 4 at the latest in order to be excused from half of their 6th period class. Students in grade 9 and 10 may join for lunch only. Parents are also welcome.

Ms. Kelly Wakefield
School Counselor

MAP Testing Schedule			
Grade Level	Math	Reading	Language Usage
K	Sept. 4, 7:45	Sept. 5, 7:45	
1	Sept. 4, 7:45	Sept. 5, 7:45	Sept. 6, 9:00
2	Sept. 4, 7:45	Sept. 5, 7:45	Sept. 6, 9:00
3	Sept. 4, 7:45	Sept. 5, 7:45	Sept. 6, 9:00
4	Sept. 4, 7:45	Sept. 5, 7:45	Sept. 6, 9:00
5	Sept. 4, 7:45	Sept. 5, 7:45	Sept. 6, 9:00
6	Sept. 4, 9:33	Sept. 5, 9:33	Sept. 6, 10:29
7	Sept. 4, 9:33	Sept. 5, 9:33	Sept. 6, 10:29
8	Sept. 4, 9:33	Sept. 5, 9:33	Sept. 6, 10:29
9	Sept. 5, 1:01	Sept. 7, 7:45	Sept. 8, 10:37
10	Sept. 5, 1:01	Sept. 7, 7:45	Sept. 8, 10:37
11	Sept. 4, 1:01	Sept. 7, 7:45	Sept. 8, 10:37
12	Sept. 4, 1:01	Sept. 7, 7:45	Sept. 8, 10:37

Hello Math people!

Do you like to challenge yourself with hard problems?
Let's join **American Mathematics Olympiad 2017!!**

The contest will be held on **Saturday, October 14, 2017** at **Penabur International School Bandung** and it is open for students in **Grade 2 - Grade 9**. If you are interested, please contact me at ritaharsono@baisedu.org by **September 25, the latest**. The admission fee is 200,000 rupiah per student.

Please check this link for further information: <http://amosg.id/registration/>

Thank you, and see you there!

Drama Rehearsal Announcement

Sept 6, 2017 4:00-6:00	Scene One: Goodbye, Emerald City	Wizard, Scarecrow, Tin Man, Lion, Dorothy, Munchkins, White Rabbit
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Elementary Parents, you're invited to a:

Back 2

School

Coffee Break!

Let's celebrate the start of a new year

Hosted by Charity Sianturi

09/04 - 7:45-9:00

OR

09/06 - 2:00-2:45

In the

MPR

at BATS