

From the Elementary Principal's Desk

Dear Parents,

Happy Chinese New Year. As many of you may be aware, I am back in the office after 3 months maternity leave. I want to say thank you for all the cards, gifts, visits, and words of encouragement while I was gone. Baby Cahyani, Manatap, and I have been truly blessed by our BAIS family.

Now that I am back, I am working hard to catch up on some of the things I missed 2nd quarter. One of the major areas of focus is curriculum. This year we are evaluating our ELD program and our English classes. During the month of February a survey will be going out to ask for feedback on the strengths and areas of improvement needed for the English program. Please be on the look out for that email. We would welcome all of your feedback.

In addition to the English review, we are also in the process of making major decisions regarding the math program at BAIS. We are currently looking at things like math course offerings, textbooks and materials, as well as philosophy and procedures. We plan of explaining the new changes to the math program once the committee is finished later this school year.

Outside of the curriculum review process, no major things are on the horizon for the elementary. We do have 1 need though that I would like to remind people of. Starting in March, our 4th grade teacher, Mrs. Julian, will be going on maternity leave. We are still looking for a long term substitute that can help teach the 4th grade at least part of day during 4th quarter. If you or someone you know is able to help us with this need, please talk with one of the administrators. We welcome any help with this need.

Those are all the announcements from the desk of the elementary principal. Take care and have a wonderful weekend.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Sianturi

Week Without Walls

No walls. We are serving others!
Where can we go? What can we do? Who can we serve?

- Please submit your ideas by Feb. 3rd
- **BAIS Staff:** Please add your ideas to the Google Doc that was shared with you via email
- **Parent Community:** Kindly email your ideas to StevenNewell@baisedu.org or LinnetteVasquez@baisedu.org

Thank you for helping us create sufficient opportunities for service for our BAIS students, teachers, and staff!

~ *The WWW Committee*

JANUARY	
28	Chinese New Year
FEBRUARY	
1	Late Start
6	Progress Report Available Online
14	Spelling Bee
15	Late Start
24-26	IISSAC Basketball

Sound of Music Announcements

2/1 (4:30-6:30)	Scene 10	Max Von Trapp Children Maria & Captain Von Trapp Frau Schmidt Zeller Schreiber Franz Ralf
2/4 Saturday practice	Scenes 1-7 (Act 1) 9-11 Music Practice (all singers*) Sound/Lighting Planning 11-12 Lunch Break (Bring your own lunch). 12 - 3 Scenes 1-7 Practice (all performers)	Sound and Lighting Crew must be here. The Nuns Maria Captain Frau Schmidt Franz Von Trapp Children Rolf Max The Nazis The Party Goers

BUSINESS OFFICE

Reenrollment Reminder
Before the Christmas holiday, we have sent the 2017-2018 Reenrollment Form. Please complete the Reenrollment form and return it with the appropriate fees to the BAIS office on or before **Friday, March 3, 2017**. The Reenrollment form can be collected in the school office, on the school website, and is also attached in the email you received for this edition of the BAIS BUZZ. Your child's reenrollment for the **2017-2018** school year is secure when this form and the accompanying payment

have been received. Payment can be made by bank transfer or cash to the finance office.

The bank account information is the following:

Bank Name: PT Bank Permata
Bank Address: Jalan Merdeka No. 66, Bandung
Account Name: Yayasan Bandung Alliance Intercultural S
Account #: 809-01-8415
Swift Code: BBBAIDJA

Please note after March 3, 2017 your child's seat in class is no longer secure. Some classes are close to their student limit, so please reenroll promptly to ensure your student's seat. The 7,000,000 IDR non-refundable reenrollment deposit will be applied towards the student's fall 2016 tuition. After March 3, 2017, only 5,500,000 IDR of the 7,000,000 IDR deposit will be applied towards the student's fall 2017 tuition.

We appreciate your support! If you have any questions, please stop by the office at any time.

BAIS CFO



BAIS COMMUNITY PRESENTS
INTERNATIONAL DAY BAZAAR!
Hi there! PACE will be sponsoring the Bazaar again this year. We are delighted to invite vendors who would be interested to participate in our event!
Venue: BAIS Date: 03 March 2017
Time: 2.45pm-5.30pm (prior to the music concert)
Price: IDR 150.000 per table
(additional donations are greatly appreciated)
If you or someone you know would be interested in hosting a vendor table, please RSVP
Soesanti Oeij 0811235828



BAIS COMMUNITY
International Day Festival
03 MARCH 2017
CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES FOR K- 5TH GRADE
2:45 - 4:45
INTERNATIONAL DAY BAZAAR
2:45 - 5:30
FOOD & FELLOWSHIP
2:45 - 5:30
MUSIC CONCERT
6:00
Register for children's activities in the office By February 24