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#### **JOD MAI KHAO - ASCOT NEWSLETTER**

# $\begin{array}{c} \mathsf{MESSAGE FROM} & \diamondsuit \\ \mathsf{HEAD OF SCHOOL} & \diamondsuit \\ \end{array}$

In my younger years, my mother would frequently remark on how swiftly time passes. As a child, I couldn't quite grasp this concept since birthdays and Christmas holidays always felt like distant events. However, now that I'm older, I find myself sharing my mother's sentiment. I often ponder where time disappears to, and recently, I found myself questioning how we have already progressed so far into Term 3 of this academic year.



As we start our downward run to June 29 (the last day of the academic calendar) there is so much to be grateful for, and in the same breath, so much to plan for and prepare for. Our Year 13 students have now completed their exams and will only return to campus for their Graduation. Our Year 6 students are eagerly working on their PYP Exhibition (the culmination of their time in the Primary School) and our EY3 students have begun their Transition to Primary School Programme.

As the school year draws to an end, we say goodbye to many of our beautiful friends and teachers as they embark on new and exciting adventures. This year we bid farewell to the following staff members:

- Rhiannon Fraiia Rhiannon will be starting a new adventure teaching and living in Vietnam.
- Susan Rodehaver Susan will be taking a year's leave as she travels to the US to support her family.
- Danni Blumenthal will also be moving to Vietnam to take up a new teaching position.
- Harry Rogers Harry will be starting a new teaching adventure in Australia.

We are always excited to see our teachers seek new experiences and challenges and we wish them well and thank them for their contributions to our school and our students' lives.

Shortly, conversations will begin in relation to student placement for classes. It is for this reason we are asking all families to complete the re-enrollment process so that as a school we can ensure classes are best prepared for the next academic year. If you have not already completed this process, please access the Parent Portal - <u>https://ascot.parents.isams.cloud/api/homepage/</u> to do so. Similarly, if you know you or your family are leaving Ascot, please do let us know. This can be done by contacting Admissions - <u>admissions@ascot.ac.th</u>

### **NEWS FROM SCHOOL**

#### **Early Years**

Our early years are exploring all types of systems. This has involved at systems in the classroom, library, shops and many more. They are developing the understanding that systems have different parts that work together.

Whilst at home or around Bangkok you may hear your children say that something is a system, if they do, let the teachers know. An example was some of the students talking about engines, they knew different parts of an engine so decided it was a system.









Each week the students have been focusing on different attributes of the learner profile. They think about these in assembly. We are trying to develop an understanding of the learner profile attributes across the whole school. The learner profile attributes are:

inquirer

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- knowledgeable (มีความรอบรู้)
- thinker (นักคิด)
- communicator (นักสื่อสาร)
  - principled
  - open-minded (มีใจกว้าง)
- caring
- risk-taker
- balancedreflective
- (มีความสมดุล) (รู้จักสะท้อนตนเอง)

(มีหลักหาร)

(มีความเอื้ออาทร)

(กล้าเผชิญสิ่งใหม่)

(นักแสวงหาความรู้)



## **NEWS FROM SCHOOL**

#### Primary

We have been enjoying hosting parents in our learning galas again, it is great to be able to share learning with the community. Parents have seen examples of learning from across the curriculum including maths, language, units of inquiry and performing arts.





Our units of inquiry have been in full swing over the last few weeks. Year 1 have continued to explore the different roles within communities. Year 2 have been finding out about what makes a city, looking at Bangkok as our home city. Year 3 have had several guest speakers to support their unis on natural disasters and resolving conflict. Year 4 are currently exploring forces and energy in their units and have been involved in a whole range of STEM challenges. Year 5 are currently researching their chosen ancient civilisation. Finally, the Year 6 PYP exhibition is well underway with students inquiring into their chosen topics which are connected to the UN sustainability goals and include animal welfare, inclusion and equality, health, environmental issues, sport and art.



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## **NEWS FROM SCHOOL**

#### Secondary

**Kids Lit Quiz -** On Monday 15 May, Ascot sent two teams of Year 8 students to compete in the Kids Lit Quiz at Bangkok Patana. The students answered questions on a wide variety of children's literature such as authors, titles and storybook characters. Our students had a great day competing against schools from all over Thailand and said they're looking forward to next years event already!









Year 13 IB Update - A huge congratulations to our Year 13 IB students, who have now finished all of their IB exams! To celebrate this occasion, the graduation ceremony will be held in school on Tuesday 13 June starting at 4:00 pm, more details will be sent to students and parents very soon. The IB results will be available for students on Thursday 6 July.

**Y10 and 12 Mocks** - The Year 10 and 12 students start their mock exams this Friday 26 May and finish on Friday 2 June. These mock exams are a great opportunity for the students to gain experience of sitting full length exams and practising their timing. They have a hectic schedule during this week and must make sure they're planning their revision for each subject appropriately and getting enough sleep each night is crucial!







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UPDATES FROM THE AFA ASCOT FOOTBALL ACADEMY & SPORTS ACADEMY

Welcome to Term 3,

As the school year/Term 3 progresses, we wanted to inform you about the many after-school sports activities available for your children. These activities provide a great opportunity for your child to explore new interests, develop new skills, and make new friends.

We have a wide range of sports activities to suit every interest, such as football, soccer tots, basketball, volleyball, badminton, table tennis, fitness, muaythai, dance,



cheerleaders, ballet tots, cheer tots, acrobatics, creative club, music club basic guitar, and chess club. All activities are supervised by our trained staff/coach and are designed to be both fun and educational.

We strongly encourage you to consider enrolling your child in one or more of our afterschool sports activities. Not only will they have fun and make new friends, but they will also be developing important physical and social skills that will serve them well in the future. If you have any questions or would like more information about the activities available, please do not hesitate to contact us via email: <u>amaral@ascot.ac.th</u> and or via line app: coachfelipeamaral. We look forward to helping your child make the most of their school experience. Please have a look at our Term 3 Schedule below.

#### **Upcoming Football Tournaments and Leagues**

- They Can Play Soccer Girl Tournament U15 girls - Hua Hin @ True Arena Sports Center Hua Hin
- Asean Cup Sriracha 7 aside U10 / U12 -11 aside U16 @ Assumption College Sriracha
- Bangkok International Super Cup 2023 -Summer Edition U10, U12, U14, U16 @ National Training Center Nong Chock
- Youth Cup Pattaya Planet Football 9 aside U14 and U16 @ FC Planet Stadium
- Youth Cup Pattaya 7aside U10 and U12 @ FC Planet Stadium
- OAZ League 11 aside U13 and U15 @ OAZ Stadium

#### Other Sports Tournaments and Leagues

- TISAC Badminton U11. U13 and U13 @ St Andrews 107
- TISAC Table Tennis U11, U13 and U13 @ Sathorn
- Fundamentality Basketball Cup U11 @ Ascot
- Fundamentality Basketball Cup U13 @ Ascot
- Fundamentality Basketball Cup U15 @ Ascot



**TERM 3 ECAS** Ascot Football Academy Ascot Sports Academy



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dance (Y4/5/6) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Cheer Tots (EY) 2:40 - 3:20pm	Ballet Tots (EY) 2:40 - 3:20pm	Soccer Tots (EY) 2:40 - 3:20pm	Cheerleaders (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm
Basketball (PY) 3:30 - 5:30pm	Acrobatics (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Fitness (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Creative Club (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Chess Club (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm
Football Girls (SY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Badminton (PY) 4:00 - 5:30pm	Basketball (PY) 3:30 - 5:30pm	Music/ Instrument Club (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Muay Thai (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm
Badminton (SY) 4:00 - 5:30pm	Football (PY) 4:00 - 6:00pm	Football Girls (SY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Table Tennis (PY) 4:00 - 5:30pm	Football (PY) 4:00 - 6:00pm
Football (SY) 4:00 - 6:00pm	Fitness (SY) 3:30 - 4:30pm	Football (SY) 4:00 - 6:00pm	Football (PY) 4:00 - 6:00pm	Dance & Fitness (SY) 3:30 - 4:30pm
	Basketball (SY) 4:00 - 5:30pm		Fitness (SY) 3:30 - 4:30pm	Volleyball (SY) 4:00 - 5:30pm
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We are excited to announce the launch of our two incredible summer camp programs for 2023 at Ascot School!

- 1. **Summer Camp 2023**: This camp is specially designed for children aged 3 to 12 years old. With engaging activities and fun-filled adventures, our summer camp runs from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm daily, offering a fantastic opportunity for children to make new friends, explore their interests, and have a blast! Every Thursday, we have exciting trips planned to enhance their summer experience.
- 2. **Multisports Camp 2023**: Calling all sports enthusiasts aged 9 to 17! Our Multisports Camp is perfect for those seeking an action-packed summer filled with sports and friendly competition. From 8:00 am to 2:00 pm daily, participants will have the opportunity to hone their athletic skills and enjoy thrilling tournaments or trips every Friday.

Both camps are available at the exclusive rate of **<u>8,500 baht per week for Ascot families</u> <u>only</u>**. Don't miss out on this amazing offer!

To sign up for either camp, please contact our friendly Front Office or Finance team. They will be delighted to assist you with the registration process.

For more detailed information about the camps, including schedules and activities, please visit our website at <u>www.ascot.ac.th/en/ascot-camps</u>. Alternatively, you can simply scan the QR code provided.

We look forward to a summer filled with fun, adventure, and unforgettable memories at Ascot International School!





# ASCOT SUMMERS

4 Weeks Program Indoor & Outdoor Activities for 3-12 Years Old

FROM 8:00AM - 2:00PM

#### **Ca**mp Weeks

Week 1 3-7 July 2023 Week 2 10-14 July 2023 Week 3 17-21 July 2023 Week 4

24-28 July 2023

#### **Our Activities**

- Storytelling
- Water Play
- Excursions
- 📀 Arts & Crafts
- 📀 Music & Dance
- Experiments

#### Sign up now!

B,500 per week







# **CLASS OF 2023**



## ASCOT AUDITORIUM 3:00PM ONWARDS CEREMONY AT 4:00PM

