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It is easier to build strong children than to repair broken men.

**Frederick Douglass** 

Dear Parents,

The last few days have seemed very quiet around Akacjowa as the majority of pupils are away on Green Camp. Though low numbers, there has been a very interesting week of lessons, games and excursions for the remainers and I thank Anna Witańska and her team for a well-planned range of activities. The pupils also received a small token, for Children's Day, a baseball cap in house colours to ward off the rays of the sun on this beautiful week. It has also been a week free of external examinations: this week coincides with the British School half-term but many A-level **BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL WROCŁAW** 

# NEWSLETTER

WEEKLY SCHOOL INFORMATION, EVENTS AND NEWS



and/or attending sessions.

day accompanying the campers to the date. However, I have come their destination and I had the to appreciate it since residing in opportunity to see accommodation, canteen facilities. We are very pleased at resources and to contemplate how the camp has gone to date. that many children in the world There has been a full programme are less fortunate than those in of outdoor pursuits, trips, evening our care. The UN goals set for entertainment with the backdrop child education, for the abolition of beautiful mountains and lakes. of child labour and children in The pupils also had opportunities the to interact with our sister school complete and many children are pupils and we are looking forward deprived a childhood. to providing further opportunities for such integration.

Poland dates back to the early activities throughout the city. 1950's when the communist authorities at that time introduced the celebration that had begun a few years earlier in

pupils have been in studying Moscow. It turned out to be a revision very big success and has an established place the on calendar. Growing up in Ireland I I visited Camp Radków on the first had no knowledge of the day or the Poland and it is an occasion to and pamper our most military are

I wish you all a weekend of happiness with your children and The tradition of Children's Day in there are many child-focused



Best regards, Tom McGrath **Head of School** 



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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Morning briefing All Staff Members 8.20am – 8.30am ICT room  Primary Staff Meeting 3.40pm F1 room, big villa  Secondary Staff Meeting 3.40pm F3 room, big villa	6	Morning briefing All Staff Members 8.20am – 8.30am ICT room  Savoury Snack Day Year 8  "Healthy life" – session for Parents run by Verity Duncan and Marcin Kwasiuk 2.30pm School garden  Year 3 Foxes – Trip to the Iron Age Fort at Biskupin	Year 3 Foxes – Trip to the Iron Age Fort at Biskupin  Year 4 both groups - trip to the Land of Dormant Volcanoes in the Kaczawskie Foothills  Year 5 Coyotes – Trip to Kraków	Primary School Assembly 8.35am  Secondary School Assembly 10.30am  Year 3 Foxes – Trip to the Iron Age Fort at Biskupin  Year 4 both groups trip to the Land of Dormant Volcanoes in the Kaczawskie Foothills  Year 5 Coyotes – Trip to Kraków  Year 13 – Graduation Ceremony 10.30am	10 PTA Family Day 1.00pm – 4.00pm	11
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#### **REMINDERS FOR PARENTS**



Please take care when parking around the school.

Avoid blocking entrances to neighbours' houses and driveways.

DO NOT PARK ON THE ZEBRA CROSSINGS!

#### 1. Korean Coordinator

Mr Hae Sung Lee, our Korean Coordinator is available in the Korean room on:

Mondays: 8:00-10:30 / 12:05-15:30
Tuesdays: 8:00-9:25 / 11:20-13:50
Wednesdays: 8:00-9:25 / 12:55-13:50
Thursdays: 10:10-10:30 / 12:05-13:05
Fridays: 8:00-9:25

Contact details:

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#### 2. School doctor

School doctor will not be available for parents and staff on June 8<sup>th</sup> .

#### 3. Linguistic competition

Dear Parents and Students,

Please note, that the linguistic competition about France and other French-speaking countries (Part II) is postponed until June 26<sup>th</sup>.

## Extra Curricular Activities 2016/2017

ECA	TEACHER	AGE GROUP	WHERE	WHEN	
Puzzle Club	Iza Łuczkowska	Foundation – Y2	Foundation unit Lipowa	Wednesdays 3.40pm – 4.20pm	
Kendo Club	Takaharu Uesugi	Year 1 upwards	Dębowa Gym Dębowa 9b	Tuesdays 3.45pm - 4.35pm	
Football Club	Michał Król	Year 1 upwards	School premises	Fridays 4.00pm - 5.15pm	
Swimming Club Beginners	Marcin Kwasiuk & Jacek Lelewski	Year 1-2 and beginners	SSP72 ul. Trwała 17-19	Mondays 3.50pm - 4.35pm	
Basketball Club	Marcin Kwasiuk	Year 1-5	School premises	Fridays 3.45pm - 5.00pm	
Polish Club	Anna Łoboziak	Year 1-6	Year 2 Dragonflies classroom small villa	Tuesdays 3:40pm - 4:20pm	
Explorer's Club	Agnieszka Peck	Year 3-6	F1 room big villa	Fridays 3.40pm – 4.20pm	
Swimming Club intermediate and advanced	Jacek Lelewski	Year 3-11	SSP72 ul. Trwała 17-19	Wednesdays 4.35pm – 5.20pm	
Creative Writing	Gene Goldman	Year 4-6	G7 room big villa	Thursdays 3.40pm - 4.20pm	
Computer Club	Magda Cempura	Year 4-6	ICT room big villa	Thursdays 3.40pm - 4.20pm	
Basketball Club	Marcin Kwasiuk	Year 6 upwards	SSP72 ul. Trwała 17-19	Tuesdays 4.00 pm - 5.15 pm	
GCSE Polish Club	Ewa Gołąbek	Secondary	S2 room big villa	Wednesdays 1.20pm – 1.45pm	
Secondary Orchestra	Jakub Stefaniszyn	Secondary	G10 room big villa	Thursdays 1.10pm – 1.45pm	
Singstar Club	Jakub Stefaniszyn	Secondary	G11 room big villa	Fridays 1.10pm. – 1.45pm	
School band	Jakub Stefaniszyn	Secondary	G11 room big villa	Fridays 3.35pm – 5.00pm	
GCSE French Club	Magda Mrozowska	Secondary	S6 room big villa	Wednesdays 1.15pm – 1.50pm	
Debating Club	Tom McGrath	Secondary	G6 room big villa	Fridays 4.30pm. – 5.30pm	
Computer Animation Club	Ian Carr-de Avelon	Secondary	ICT room big villa	Fridays 1.10pm. – 1.50pm	
Polish for Parents Beginners	Anna Sawiel	Parents : )	EAL Room small villa, first floor	Tuesdays 1.50pm – 3.30pm	
Polish for Parents Intermediate	Ania Sawiel	Parents : )	S7 room big villa	Thursdays 1.50pm – 3.30pm	
English for Parents	Iwona Sokołowska	Parents : )	G10 room big villa	Tuesdays 2.00pm – 3.25pm	

## **News from Head of Primary**



It was a quiet but a busy week in the Primary School. While most of our students enjoyed Camp Radków, following the lead of Mr. Marcin, we had some adventures here, in Wrocław. On Wednesday we went to the Wild, Wild West (or Bielany, in this case) to meet the Native-American Indians and learn their customs. We sang, danced,

played the drums, went through a maze and shot arrows. We enjoyed bison hunting and looking for for the secret codes. There was also the face-painting, Indian football and much more!

On Thursday the upper Primary visited Humanitarium, a science museum and had a workshop on soap making. We celebrated the International Children's Day and pupils got house-coloured hats (okay, Lupus is rather orange, I know).

On top of that, each class spent a lot of time on reading, writing and mastering their maths skills. It was a time for quieter pupils to come out of their shell and take the floor. There was even homework:-)

On Friday we met for a very small, singing assembly, led by Mr. Maciek, who miraculously found the way back from Radków to BISC.

The Stars received their diplomas:

Foundation Bees and Bears – whole class: )
Year 1 Rabbits – Hee Seo and Jun Woo
Year 2 Dragonoxes – Charlie and My Tra
Year 4 Showls – Saket, Akshaya and Mihir
Year 5 Wolveyotes - All Wolveyotes

Wishing you a nice weekend and looking forward to seeing everyone safely back,

Anna Witańska Head of Primary

## **News from Head of Secondary**



The hallways were rather quiet for the secondary students who remained at school this week. Classes continued with combined year groups and a more relaxed atmosphere was enjoyed by all. A few pictures from Green Camp appeared on Schoology to ensure all of us here at school that the students were having a terrific

time. I look forward to hearing about all of the events that took place at Green Camp on their return.

Enjoy your weekend,

Joe Peck Head of Secondary

#### **News from Polish School**



W górę i w dół...

Głównie w tych dwóch kierunkach poruszali się uczniowie naszej szkoły przez ostatni tydzień. Nic dziwnego, skoro większość z nich spędziła ten czas na Zielonej Szkole w Radkowie.

Świeże powietrze, długie spacery, piękne widoki - wszyscy byliśmy oczarowani Skalnym Miastem,

Błędnymi Skałami i Szczelińcem - ale to nikogo nie dziwi, Góry Stołowe zachwycają każdego.

Nie każdy jednak, w ciągu niespełna pięciu dni, może dodatkowo tworzyć małe rękodzieła, uczyć się tańca, przedstawić swój talent (gratulacje dla Julki i Magdy :), pójść na dyskotekę, grać w liczne gry zespołowe, pojechać na trzygodzinną wycieczkę rowerową, wspinać się na skałki i pływać kajakiem... Żeby to wszystko naraz zrobić potrzeba niespożytej siły, którą mają tylko herosi, dzieci (lub ewentualnie ich nauczyciele :).

To był z pewnością niezapomniany czas. Dziękuję zatem wszystkim cudownym dzieciakom i nauczycielom, dzięki którym pozostaną w nas piękne wspomnienia.

Pozdrawiam serdecznie.

Dyrektor Szkoły Magdalena Mrozowska

May in Foundation: Transport, People who help us, PJ's day, Indian Village, Transport Museum



# **HOUSE SCORES 2016/2017**









1<sup>st</sup> Place 2<sup>nd</sup> Place 3<sup>rd</sup> Place 4<sup>th</sup> Place

	Cygnus	Phoenix	Lupus	Pegasus		
HOUSE SCORES						
Weekly Points	2	4	1	3		
Weekly Winner						
Total Points	79	73	77	71		
Weekly Merits	269	585	211	370		
RANKING	1 <sup>st</sup> PLACE	3 <sup>rd</sup> PLACE	2 <sup>nd</sup> PLACE	4 <sup>th</sup> PLACE		
Primary House Captains:						
	Cygnus Phoenix Lupus Pegasus					
	<b>Gayeon Lee</b> Year 6 Wolverines Wolverines	<b>Magda Sawicka</b> Year 6 Wolverines	<b>Jack Kidd</b> Year 6 Wolverines	<b>Madhav Sathish</b> Year 6 Wolverines		
Secondary House Captains:						
	Cygnus	Phoenix	Lupus	Pegasus		
	<b>Yunhwa Jung</b> Year 10	<b>Yejin Lee</b> Year 10	<b>DongMin Seo</b> Year 9	Jeong Min Hong Y11		
Secondary House Vice Captains:						
	Cygnus	Phoenix	Lupus	Pegasus		
	Borys Rusko Year 7	Alicia Marie McInerney Year 7	Nada Mikati Year 7	<b>Anastasia Lacroix</b> Year 7		

## **PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION 2016/2017**





PTA BISC Wroclaw on Facebook: goo.gl/WNw25e pta@bisc.wroclaw.pl

#### 1. Bake-a-Cake and Savoury Snack Days

The Bake-a-Cake and Savoury Snack Days in Year 2016/2017 are as follows: June  $7^{th}$  2017 – Year 8

#### 2. Family Carnival.

Save the date! On Saturday June 10th we will be having a family Carnival with games, food, & crafts. More information to follow. 1.00pm – 4.00pm, music, games, crafts, Bisc Factor performances

Yours,

PTA

## Lunch Menu for June 2017 – Weranda Smaków

#### Dear Parents,

To place an order and also to pay for it you must do this online:

- 1. Please register at https://system.masterszef.com.pl/Rejestracja/BISC
- 2. Please place your order for the whole month. You do not have to order items every day but you need to complete the order form online and please save afterwards.
- 3. If you have any questions about the "MASTERSZEF" system, please contact Mrs Joanna Wierzejska, Project Manager by e-mail (jwierzejska@masterszef.com.pl) or by the phone (22 110 50 07).
- 4. Please note that the menu for June is now available online.

Weranda SMAKOW	05.06	06.06	07.06	08.06	09.06
S M A K Ó W					
Soup	Asparagus soup	Potatoes garlic cream	Sweet potatos cream	Broccoli soup	Spinach and leek cream
	Vegetable soup	Ukrainian borscht	Champignon soup	Broth with noodles	Cauliflower soup
Main course	(Vege) Roasted courgette filled with vegetables, potatoes, pickled cabbage salad with carrots and apples	(Vege) Pasta with oven- roasted vegetables and shredded yellow cheese, beetroot salad	(Vege) Polish potato dumplings with tomato sauce and beans, carrot salad	(Vege) Chickpeas goulash with vegetables, bulgur, oven baked radishes	(Vege) Burrito filled with vegetables, coriander and mexican salsa, chinese cabbage and tomato salad
	(Meat) Pork loin with gravy, potatoes with parsley, pickled cabbage salad with carrots and apples	(Meat) Spaghetti bolognese, beetroot salad	(Meat) Polish potato dumplings with tomato sauce and chicken meat, carrot salad	(Meat) Pork goulash, bulgur, oven baked radishes	(Meat) Burrito filled with beef, coriander and mexican salsa, chinese cabbage and tomato salad
	(Fish) Pollock fillet breaded in sesame grains, potatoes with parsley, pickled cabbage salad with carrots and apples	(Fish) Pasta with tuna and corn kernels, beetroot salad	(Fish)Polish potato dumplings with tomato sauce and salmon, carrot salad	(Fish) Bulgur with salmon and vegetables, oven baked radishes	(Fish) Burrito filled with tuna and corn kernels, chinese cabbage and tomato salad

# AROUND BISC WROCŁAW



















