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JOD MAI KHAO - ASCOT NEWSLETTER

MESSAGE FROM HEAD OF SCHOOL

Donnah Ciempka

February is the season of love and as Head of School, my heart is filled with gratitude and love for the Ascot Community.

On Thursday February 9th, we filmed a promotional video for our school and I had the privilege of seeing our students talk about their learning experiences and what makes Ascot "A School Like No Other". Our students shared the love of learning and that they know themselves as people and learners. This is the purpose of education, to create lifelong learners who can make a difference in this world.

On Friday February 10th, we held our second Open House and welcomed over 30 groups of visitors to our school. The highlight of this time was seeing Ascot through the eyes of potential learners and community members. Seeing our students immersed in their learning, engaged and curious, and being able to share their experiences once again reminded me of the unique opportunities our learning community is afforded.

Finally, on Saturday we hosted our Valentine's Charity Fair. This was a glorious day where all elements of our community came together to raise funds for their chosen charities. Seeing our entire student body contribute in their own way was amazing. From our tiny ballerinas, to the Primary student art, student and parent performances to our Year 12 CAS projects. The Ascot Family came together to take action and together we raised almost 50,000 baht for charity!

"Community is about doing something together that makes belonging matter." - Brian Solis



NEWS FROM SCHOOL



Early Years

Our students continue to discover and document new learning within and beyond the classroom. There was great excitement when students began using the Bee bots in one of the classrooms.

The learner profile is developed throughout our school. Our students have been getting together each week focusing on the learner profile attributes. The aim is to help our learners in EY to begin to understand the attributes and, so far, have explored being caring, a communicator, open-minded, a thinker, an inquirer and reflective. The students will come back to these attributes throughout their time at Ascot.



Lastly, we have seen a lot of creativity throughout the classes. All of the students were involved in creating pieces for our Valentine's fair. Each of these were auctioned to support the schools we work with, a wonderful way to show that our actions can make a difference to others.

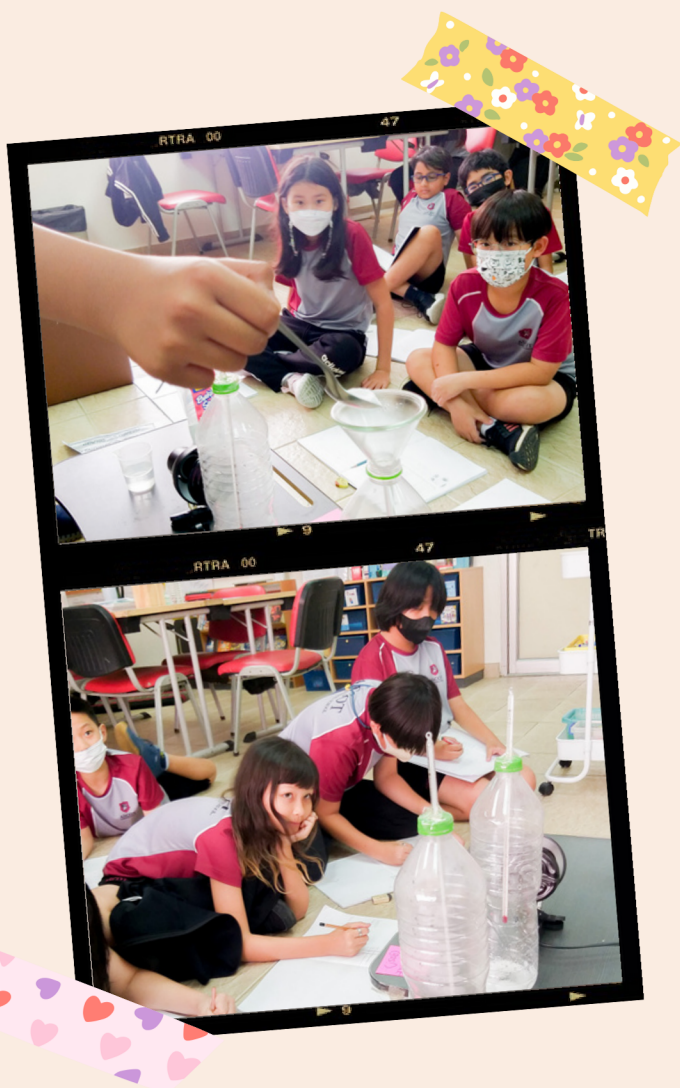


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Primary

The Valentine's Fair was a wonderful community day, and so many of our students were risk-takers, presenting their skills confidently. All the students were busy creating pieces for the auction before the fair.

Our units of inquiry continued, and learning is deepening. Scientific experiments are one way learners research and learn about the world. Students across the PYP interact with science through our units of inquiry. Year 3 and Year 6 are focusing on thinking like a scientist in their current units.



As a school, we are thinking carefully about our learning spaces and how they help our students to engage in learning. Flexible learning spaces support inquiry, help students to focus and allow students to have a greater voice in their learning.



NEWS FROM SCHOOL

Secondary

Year 9 options - Students have completed their top IGCSE subject choices and we will now be creating the option blocks for next year. These will be presented to the students and sent via Toddle to parents in the week beginning Monday 27 February. After that, the students will have two weeks to discuss their options with their teachers before making a choice.

Year 11 and 13 - All students have received their mock exam results back and should now be talking to their teachers about how they can improve. In term 2.2 we are organising voluntary extra lessons at lunch time and after school to help students in preparation for their exams.

International Women's Day - To recognise and celebrate International Women's Day on Wednesday March 8th, we will invite all secondary school girls to attend a women in leadership special assembly in the auditorium from 9:00 am to 10:00 am. Parents are also welcome to attend.

Reminders - Registration starts at 7:40 am, any student that arrives after this time is marked late and should go to the front office to register. Arriving on time to school is essential as it ensures students have time to prepare for their day.





UPDATES FROM THE AFA

ASCOT FOOTBALL ACADEMY
& SPORTS ACADEMY



Term 2 started with Ascot hosting the TISAC Futsal Tournaments - Primary (U9 and U11). What great results from our teams with both teams U9 and U11 becoming the TISAC Futsal Tournament CHAMPIONS. What an amazing performance from our boys. Well done! We all are very proud of you. Congratulations!

U9

Ascot 7 vs 3 Dusit
Ascot 2 vs 0 SISB
Ascot 3 vs 0 Charter
Ascot 0 vs 0 Regents
Ascot 2 vs 0 Heathfield

U11

Ascot 6 vs 0 Dusit
Ascot 5 vs 0 SISB
Ascot 6 vs 0 Charter
Ascot 6 vs 0 Regents
Ascot 4 vs 0 Sathorn



Our Football teams are also involved in four other big football competitions this Term - Football 7 aside and Football 11 aside, Leagues and Cups. February, March, and April will be our busiest months with matches every Saturday and Sunday. Let's go AFA - "Winning is our Goal".

- * BYDL - Bangkok Youth Development League - Football 7 aside - U10 and U11
- * BIYFF - Bangkok International Youth Football Festival - Football 7 aside - U10, U12, U14, U16
- * TYL - Thai Youth League - Football 11 aside - U13
- * OAZ League - Football 11 aside - U13 and U16



TERM 2 ECAS

Ascot Football Academy

Ascot Sports Academy

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Football Girls (SY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Ballet Tots (EY) 2:40 - 3:20pm	Fitness (Y5/6) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Soccer Tots (EY) 2:40 - 3:20pm	Cheerleaders (Year 1/2/3) 2:40 - 3:30pm
Dance (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Acrobatics (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Glee Club (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Drama Club (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Chess Club (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm
Basketball (Y3/4) 3:15 - 4:30pm	Swimming (Y1/2) 3:15 - 4:00pm	Football Girls (SY) 3:00 - 4:00pm	Swimming (Y5/6) 3:15 - 4:00pm	Muay Thai (PY) 3:00 - 4:00pm
Badminton (SY) 4:00 - 5:30pm	Fitness (SY) 3:30 - 4:30pm	Swimming (Y3/4) 3:15 - 4:00pm	Fitness (SY) 3:30 - 4:30pm	Dance & Fitness (SY) 3:30 - 4:30pm
Football (SY) 4:00 - 6:00pm	Badminton (PY) 4:00 - 5:30pm	Table Tennis (SY) 4:00 - 5:30pm	Table Tennis (PY) 4:00 - 5:30pm	Volleyball (SY) 4:00 - 5:30pm
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UPCOMING EVENTS



- 17 Last day of Term 2.1
- 27 First day of Term 2.2



- 6 Makha Bucha Holiday
- 8 International Women's Day
- 13-17 School Photos
- Book Week
- 21 Harmony Day
- 28-29 Parent-Teacher Consultations
- 31 House Colours Day



- 1 Girls' Scholarship Exam
- 5 Last day of Term 2.2/
Songkran Celebration
- 6-23 Songkran Holiday
- 24 First Day of Term 3



- 4 Coronation Day Holiday
- 12 Term 3 Open House



INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY (MARCH 8) IS A GLOBAL DAY CELEBRATING THE SOCIAL, ECONOMIC, CULTURAL, AND POLITICAL ACHIEVEMENTS OF WOMEN. THIS YEAR, ASCOT WILL BE HOSTING A WOMEN IN LEADERSHIP PANEL AND INVITING ALL SY GIRLS AND THEIR MOTHERS, GRANDMOTHERS, AND SISTERS TO THE EVENT.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

MARCH 8TH - INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY



Join us
in celebration of

International Women's Day

08 March | From 9:00am

9:00am Welcome from Head of School
9:10 am Discussion Panel: Women in Leadership
9:40am Cupcakes & Conversations

Year 6 to Year 13 Girls
Mothers, Grandmothers, Sisters



Join us for a day of celebrating women at Ascot International School Auditorium. International Women's Day is celebrated on March the 8th across the world in recognition of women and women empowerment. This year at Ascot, we will be hosting a panel discussion on women in leadership, moderated by our Head of School, Mrs. Donnah Ciempka.

All Year 6 to Year 13 girls are invited to attend this event, as well as their mothers, grandmothers and sisters. Please join us in celebrating women for women and enjoy some cupcakes and conversations as a community.