

Newsletter



International School of Bologna

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Forthcoming dates:

<p>Monday June 14th and Tuesday June 15th, from 9:00 to 10:00 am – ES5 Exhibition Friday June 18th – Final Report sent home Friday June 25th – ES5 Graduation, School Closes at 12:30 p.m.</p>

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Dear Parents,

House Events

As you are aware the ES classes have been divided into three “houses” Colombo, Marconi and Galileo. During the past six weeks there have been two events in which the Houses have met in competition – The Brains of Bologna and ISB’s Got Talent. Next year, in addition to these events, it is envisaged that the House Competition will involved aspects of public speaking, debates and music.

TRASH2FASH

Students in ES 3, 4 and 5 will be involved in their art project TRASH2FASH when they have to “model” their creations in front of an audience. The show, while perhaps not threatening the Fashion Weeks of Paris, Milan or London will create a stir in the haute couture circles of the fashion scene in Bologna. The show will take place Friday 18th at 1: 45 p.m..

School Uniforms

Representatives from the Parents Association and myself met to rationalised the uniform options available to parents for next year. There are no changes to the uniform – just fewer choices. During the course of the next school year some of the uniforms will be gradually phased out and not replaced.

School Reports

The final report for the year will be sent home, by hand on Friday 18th June. If you wish to discuss any aspect of this report please make a time to meet with the class teacher early in the following week

Next Week

In next Friday’s newsletter I will be giving parents some of my thoughts about summer holiday work and the possible options open to them. The final newsletter published on Friday 25th June will contain information and key dates for next year.

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Absent

I will be absent from school on the 21st, 22nd and 23rd of June. Ms. Donna Hancox will be assuming my responsibilities while I am away.

Parent Association Farewell

The Parents Association invites the school community to a “Farewell Gathering” on Tuesday 22nd June at 8:30.p.m. The venue is Palazzo Gnudi (via Riva Reno, 77) and there is a parking at 50 m from the entrance of Palazzo Gnudi.

ES5 Exhibition

As you may know, the ES5 class have spent the last two months preparing their Exhibition unit. This is the last unit they do in the Elementary School and requires them to investigate a local issue they feel is important. The issues they have been looking at this year are: racism, road safety, transport, parks and public spaces and homelessness. The children have put a lot of effort into this and it would be really nice for them if as many of the parents from all the classes could come to see their work and give them their opinions. It is also interesting for you as parents to see the kind of work the children should be producing by the time they finish ES5. We will be doing two sessions for all parents who are interested, in the ES5 classroom on the third floor, from 9 to 10 am on Monday 14th and Tuesday 15th.

There will be a special session for the ES5 parents on the Monday from 2 to 3 pm, with refreshments afterwards.

Class Photos

The photos that were take of the ISB students on Friday May 7th and ordered by the parents have been delivered today. If you were unable to order your copies of the photos, please contact Ms. Elisabeth Garvey via email at garvey@libero.it.

Viability

Parents may have noticed that Via Castelfidardo has reopened to two-way traffic. Parents can enter and exit directly to the San Luigi parking area in Via della Libertà without passing under the traffic camera. The Municipal Police have also informed us that the route specified on the Permission sheet will be valid for all those cars whose plate numbers have been communicated to them by ISB until we receive official communication to the contrary. For any further details, please contact Ms. Lassiter at the front office.

Dates for Your Calendar

June

Friday 18th Final Report sent home (by hand)

Friday 25th ES 5 Graduation
School closes at 12:30 p.m.
Final Newsletter published

With best wishes,

Conal Atkins
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Menu

Early Years 1
14 – 18 June

Monday

Gobbetti olio e parmigiano
Petto di tacchino al rosmarino
Fagiolini all'olio

Tuesday

Riso olio e parmigiano
Paillard ai ferri
Pomodori in insalata

Wednesday

Riso e fagioli
Svizzera alla pizzaiola
Patate gratinate

Thursday

Pennette al pomodoro fresco
Filetto di pesce dorato
Carote filangé

Friday

Ditaloni pomodoro e basilico
Prosciutto stagionato
Insalata verde

Menu

Early Years 2-4
14 – 18 June

Monday

Pasta al pomodoro
Petto di tacchino al rosmarino
Fagiolini all'olio

Tuesday

Pizza margherita
Prosciutto cotto
Insalata verde

Wednesday

Riso e fagioli
Svizzera alla pizzaiola
Patate gratinate

Thursday

Gramigna all'olio e parmigiano
Filetto di pesce dorato
Carote filangé

Friday

Pasta al pomodoro e basilico
Paillard ai ferri
Insalata verde

Menu

Elementary
14 – 18 June

Monday

Gramigna all'uovo al pomodoro
Petto di tacchino al rosmarino
Pomodori in insalata

Tuesday

Pasta al ragù e piselli
Formaggio stracchino
Fagiolini all'olio

Wednesday

Pasta al prosciutto crudo
Cotoletta di pollo al forno
Insalata verde

Thursday

Pasta al tonno
Filetto di pesce dorato
Carote filangé

Friday

Riso olio e parmigiano
Prosciutto stagionato
Patate al forno