



International School of Bologna

Parents Newsletter



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Week 17

Friday, 20 January 2012

PARENTS NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents,

Open Day

On Thursday, we had a very successful Open Day for potential parents. Thank you for referring parents to our school. The prospective parents were hosted and guided by students in ES4/5 who did an excellent job both as guides and as examples of wonderful PYP students.

Head Lice

Our students are experiencing recurring problems with Head Lice. In order to eradicate this problem, I need all the parents to check their child(ren's) hair over this weekend and treat them if there is any indication of a possible problem. Your understanding and cooperation in this matter is appreciated. Please see the attached permission form regarding this matter. I would appreciate it if you could kindly complete the form and return it by Wednesday next week.

Please also see the attached letter from our school Doctor regarding treatment at home (in Italian). This letter will be translated into English some time next week.

Playground Use

There continues to be unsafe play on the playground, particularly afterschool each day. Mr. Newell had posted signs regarding safe play on the climbing frame /slide and I would like to ask all of you to please read these signs and regulate the play of your children while they are in your care afterschool.

It would be unfortunate if I needed to close the playground for afterschool play for a period of time, but this is the only alternative available if I am unable to gain your cooperation in this very important matter concerning the safety of all of our students.

Registration for Next Year and Tuition Fees

Tuition fees for next academic year should be finalized in the next few weeks. After this, we will open registration for the next school year. At the moment, I anticipate that there will be very few places in some grade levels. In addition, I expect the new reception places to be taken quickly. If you are one of our current parents, you have a child that will be three by December 31st 2012 and you are planning to register him/her for the Reception Class for next year then please give Mrs Lassiter your name and child's name next week. Once we are ready to receive new registrations, you will be contacted first.

Reminder of Information Meetings

Please be reminded that we have two upcoming information meetings on January 26th. The information meeting regard the ES1 class will be held at 9am and the information meeting regarding MS1 will be held at 2:30 pm.

All parents are invited to attend both sessions.

ANT Calendar 2012

Please remember that Ms. Susan still has copies of the ANT 2012 calendar, featuring our students on the page for the month of June, for sale at € 10 each. This money will be used by ANT to help tumor patients and their families.

Parent Association News

- The Minutes from the January Meeting, which took place on January 17, will be posted soon on the ISB intranet. Issues discussed included a potential parking option, bringing lunch from home, middle school curriculum, school cleanliness, garden rules and supervision.
- Read "Gabriella, Clove and Cinnamon" by Jorge Amado for the next Ladies Book Club meeting on January 31 at 9:30 am. E-mail ilazuc@gmail.com for more details.

The Executive Committee

With best wishes,

Denise Walsh
Head of School
International School of Bologna

Menu

Early Years
23 – 27 January

Monday

Pasta al tonno
Straccetti di manzo al limone
Macedonia di verdure all'olio

Tuesday

Pasta al ragù
Frittata alle verdure
Insalata verde

Wednesday

Pizza margherita
Prosciutto crudo e formaggio
Sedano e finocchio

Thursday

Passato di verdure, legumi e pastina
Polpettone
Carote gratinate

Friday

Risotto alla parmigiana
Filetto di pesce gratinato
Purè di patate

Menu

Elementary, MS
23 – 27 January

Monday

Pasta al pomodoro
Formaggio Robiola
Fagiolini all'olio

Tuesday

Pasta alla crema di verdura
Prosciutto crudo
Patate al forno

Wednesday

Pasta prociutto e piselli
Petto di pollo al rosmarino
Carote a bastoncini

Thursday

Zuppa di lenticchie con pasta
Timballo di patate
Cavolini di Bruxelles gratinati

Friday

Pasta al ragù
Filetto di pesce dorato
Insalata e radicchio