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Upcoming Dates

Saturday 8th November: Day 1 of Panamerican School Model United Nations
Sunday 9th November: Day 2 of Panamerican School Model United Nations

Monday 10th November: Start of Year 11 End of Year Exam Week Monday 10th November: Year 7 to Year 12 Girls' Football match

Tuesday 11th November: Year 3 Artisanal Fair

Wednesday 12th November: Year 1 trip to Museo de Los Niños

Thursday 13th November: Year 3 trip to Costa Rica Animal Rescue Centre

Saturday 15th November: Day 1 of Lighthouse School Model United Nations

Saturday 15th November: Taekwondo Belt Changing Ceremony

Sunday 16th November: Day 2 of Lighthouse School Model United Nations

Monday 17th November: Start of Year 6 to Year 9 Exam Week

Wednesday 19th November: Year 12IB Graduation

Friday 21st November: Last day of classes for students in Year 10 and Year 11

Wednesday 26th November: Last day of classes for students from Early Years 1 to Year 9

BSCR NEWS - GENERAL

Artisanal fair

Please come and support students from Year 3 who will be selling their homemade gifts on Tuesday 11th November during lunch time. All proceeds go to their Service Learning Project which is aimed at supporting the Costa Rica Animal Rescue Centre. Thank you in advance for your support.

2025 Yearbook

Dear parents, we are pleased to inform you that this year we will be providing a physical copy of the 2025 Yearbook to every student at the British School. We will be distributing them during the last week of classes, from November 25th to 28th.

BSCR NEWS - EARLY YEARS & PRIMARY

Year 2 Boys. Basketball Champions

Congratulations to the following boys in Year 2 who gained first place in the recent Festival Deportivo Humboldt-Schule: Julián Gonzalez, Lucas Mora, Manuel Arroyo, Alejandro Bonilla and Agustín Del Río. This is a fantastic achievement and we are very proud of them!

Torneo de la Amistad

Congratulations to the Y2 Boys Football Team who won the prestigious Torneo de la Amistad over the weekend. Well done boys, we are very proud of you all!





BSCR NEWS - EARLY YEARS & PRIMARY

Library Challenge

This year, all primary classes participated in the Library Challenge. In this challenge, throughout the year, each class accumulated points between 0 and 5 according to 7 parameters that are linked to the school's values. The parameters are: Silence during reading times and activities; leaving shelves tidy after taking out or putting away books; returning books on the due date; presenting the ID Card; returning books in good condition; maintaining order and cleanliness; creativity, honesty, and active participation in the activities carried out in the library during visits.

We want to congratulate this year's winning class, with a total accumulated score of 432 points: Year 2B!. We thank and congratulate all the teachers and students for their commitment, disposition, and effort throughout this year. Which class will win in 2026?

We request the collaboration of parents and guardians to verify that students return all primary library books they have at home before November 26th. Books not returned within this deadline will be sent for collection/invoicing. We invite all students, boys and girls, to design a moustache using recyclable materials or drawn and bring it on Friday, November 21st, for the celebration of International Men's Day.



BSCR NEWS - SECONDARY

PAGMO Olympiad - Silver Medal Winner!

We are delighted to extend our warmest congratulations to our Year 9 student, Luisa Rodríguez Soto, who achieved the remarkable feat of winning a silver medal at the 2025 Pan-American Girls' Mathematical Olympiad (PAGMO), held last week in Fortaleza, Brazil. PAGMO celebrates the talent and brilliance of young women across the Americas, fostering excellence, collaboration, and a shared passion for mathematics. Each edition brings together outstanding students from different countries, united by their love of solving challenging problems and building lasting friendships. We are incredibly proud of Luisa's outstanding performance and dedication. Congratulations once again on this exceptional achievement!



House 3D Pumpkin Competition

Congratulations to the following students on their performance in the House 3D Pumpkin Drawing Competition:

Year 6-8		Year 9-12	
1st Place:	Barva - Leticia Chavarria (Year 6)	1st Place:	Poás - Lucía Ceciliano (Year 9)
2nd Place:	Barva - Luck Tang Chen (Year 6)	2nd Place:	Barva - Conjunto Matías Ugalde
3rd Place:	Poás - Maria Fernanda Murillo (Year 6)		v Nina Brohl (Year 9)

4th Place: Arenal - Johnny Wu (Year 7) 3rd Place: Irazú - Catalina Mora (Year 9)