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Upcoming Dates

Tuesday 28th July:	Art & Music Open House (Year 7 and Year 8)
Wednesday 29th July:	Secondary Parent-Teacher meetings
Thursday 30th July:	UCR Vocational Fair (Year 11NB and Year 12)
Thursday 30th July:	Boy's Year 3/4 & Cat D. Football Vs SEK
Saturday 1st August:	Taekwondo Club - Father's Day Activity



BSCR NEWS - GENERAL

Welcome to Semester Two

We would like to send a warm welcome to Semester Two to all returning students, families and staff members. We would also like to give a BSCR welcome to our new students and families as well as to the following new members of our faculty: Ms. Lisa Bickford (Secondary - Maths), Mr. Thomas Holland (Secondary - Humanities), Ms. Lucía Poveda (Year 4 Teaching Assistant), Ms. Andrea Bradley (EY2B Teaching Assistant) and Ms. Yuliana García (EY2A Teaching Assistant). We look forward to a positive and enjoyable 18 weeks of high-quality learning!

BSCR NEWS - EARLY YEARS & PRIMARY

Chess Success

Congratulations to Atharv Marwaha on finishing in first position in the U9 category of the Campeonatos Nacionales Categorías Menores Impares 2026, which was organised by FCA (Federación Costarricense de Ajedrez) and took place in the National Stadium. This is a highly prestigious event from which the winners move on to be part of the National Chess team of Costa Rica and represent the country both nationally and internationally.



Parent-Teacher Meetings

Parent-Teacher meetings for all Secondary students will take place on the afternoon of Wednesday 29th of July. For that reason, classes for all Secondary students will end at 12 noon on that day. Please note that classes and clubs will operate as normal for all Primary and EY students. To sign up for a meeting with your son/daughter's teacher please follow the instructions sent in the email on Tuesday 22nd of July.

Olimpiada Costarricense de Informática

Congratulations to the following students on their qualification to the second round of the Olimpiada Costarricense de Informática (OCI): Abdelkarim Amro Eltaib (Year 8), Danny NG (Year 8), Emiliano Robalino (Year 10), Luisa Rodriguez (Year 10).

Olimpiada Costarricense de Matemáticas (OLCOMA)

Congratulations to the following secondary students who are in the Top 30% in Costa Rica in the first elimination round, thus earning the privilege to go on to the second elimination round. Well done: Alessandro D'Arsié (Year 7), Thomas Gray (Year 10), Fabio Silva (Year 7), Emiliano Robalino (Year 10), Kevin Brown (Year 9), Luisa Rodriguez (Year 10), Judy Wu (Year 9).

Kangaroo Int'l Math Competition National Medalists

Congratulations to our secondary students who earned national medals in the International Math Competition: Kangaroo. Great job!

Bronze: Alessandro D'Arsié (Year 7), Judy Wu (Year 9)

Silver: Naima Álvarez (Year 8), Kevin Brown (Year 9), Daniel Brampton (Year 11), Harold Wang (Year 6)

Gold: Emiliano Robalino (Year 10), Luisa Rodriguez (Year 10)