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Upcoming Dates

Saturday 17th October: PSAT Examinations

Monday 19th October: BSCR Boys' Football U9s Vs. International Christian School

Wednesday 21st October: Last day of classes for Year 11NB

Thursday 22nd October: Last day of classes for Year 12IB

BSCR NEWS - GENERAL

Athletics Success

Congratulations to the BSCR Athletics team on their participation in the recent Kids Athletics Tournament in San Isidro, Heredia. This was our second participation in a FECOA (Costa Rican Athletics Federation) endorsed tournament, which has allowed our school to enter the official FECOA Kids Athletics team rankings.



BSCR NEWS - EARLY YEARS & PRIMARY



T4 Nations Cup - Karting Championship

Congratulations to Felipe Nanne (Year 4) on his participation in the recent T4 Nations Cup, which was held in Valencia, Spain. Felipe, who was representing Costa Rica, competed against the top 40 drivers from around the world!

Anti-Bullying Ambassadors Workshop

With our final Anti-Bullying Ambassadors workshop of the 2026 school year, we want to recognize and celebrate everything our students have learned throughout this experience. Through workshops covering the differences between conflict and bullying, recognizing and managing emotions, assertive communication, and conflict resolution, our ambassadors have developed key skills such as empathy, respect, communication, and peaceful conflict resolution. We are incredibly proud of their commitment, enthusiasm, and outstanding performance this year. We hope this experience has been truly special and enriching for each of them, helping them grow as young leaders and understand the importance of making a positive difference in our school community. Thank you, dear ambassadors, for helping us build a school community where everyone feels safe, respected, valued, and included! Continue to be examples of kindness, respect, and camaraderie. We are so proud of you!



Cultural Week

During the week of October 6-12, the Primary School Library hosted a fantastic cultural week that allowed both children and adults to take a journey around the world, visiting Venezuela, Nicaragua, North Macedonia, and Greece. This tour was led by teachers Carlos Marcano, Jacqueline Romero, Irena Zlatkova, and Katingo Vatis, respectively. Along the way, we learned about the geography, literature, history, cuisine, famous landmarks, traditions, customs, and mythology of these beautiful countries, all while celebrating global cultural diversity and fostering respect and appreciation for each culture. It was a wonderful week! A huge thank you to the teachers who shared their countries with us, as well as to every student and staff member who attended. We hope you enjoyed it and learned a great deal!



Y8B Service Learning Project

This week, Y8B had the opportunity to visit the Monserrat School, an institution with which we have been developing Service Learning projects for several years. This ongoing partnership has allowed us to support and participate in various initiatives to improve the school's infrastructure and facilities. During the visit, the students carried out painting and maintenance work on the school grounds, including the perimeter wall and the play area. They also organized activities to encourage English learning through play, as the school currently lacks a teacher for this subject. This project enables us to understand the challenges faced by a single-teacher school while fostering empathy, social awareness, and the value of learning through service among our students.

