AsalaamuAlaikum Wa Rahmatullahi Wa Barakatuhu

Alhamdulillah we have come to the last term of 2013 academic year. Term 3 was a very successful one. I would like to take this opportunity of thanking our parents, staff and students for the great improvement in our NAPLAN results in years 3 and 5. Overall our term end results in the continuous assessments showed a marked improvement in student’s outcomes.

Our year 12 students are currently completing their final assessments. I wish them well in their final weeks of school as they will be entering their tertiary education next year InshaAllah.

Term 4 is a short term of 9 weeks. Please refer to the calendar of events for this term’s activities.

Our college fete was held on Saturday, 12 October. Thank you to our Parent’s Advisory Committee for coordinating the day as well as parents and community members who supported us. InshaAllah we hope to work towards a bigger and better one for next year.

This Sunday is our college open day and an Eid BBQ lunch. We invite parents to come and join us and participate in the open day. This will provide you with information on next year’s curriculum and programs InshaAllah. I look forward to meet all parents on Sunday. This is an important day to work in partnership with you for the improvements of our college.

Mariam Banwa
Acting Principal

DATES TO REMEMBER FOR OCTOBER/NOVEMBER

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I love my Teacher

Friday, 25 October 2013
World Teacher’s Day
In term one the students did a lot of exciting things with Ms Zhu. Unfortunately, she left at the end of the term.

In term two we continued and had lots of fun learning new things. In Mathematics, we did a Master chef Competition and made pikelets. Year 2U was invited to be our judges. It was an amazing experience for our students and they enjoyed themselves. In Science we studied about materials and went on an excursion at the Science Centre. The students had fun and enthusiastically looked around the place. The students also enjoyed learning the History of Australia.

In the third term, we studied Poetry in English and learnt how to appreciate it. We had a great time reciting our choice of poem and analysing it. We also enjoyed ourselves on the Sports Day and Jump Rope for Heart.

This term, we are studying Earth and Space Science. We look forward to having heaps of fun on the Excursion, Spelling Bee, Drama Day and Debating. In English we will learn how to write a persuasive text.

Apart from the above, some of our students really did well in the ICAS Competition. Some of our students achieved Credit and Distinction certificates. Sadikur Islam also did exceptionally well in the Quran Competition. These students have really made our class proud.

We also welcomed some new students to our class during the year. They did not take long to settle down and became a part of our class in no time. We shared a lot of joys, fun and laughter.

**LIBRARY BOOKS**

We need volunteer parents, older sisters, brothers or anyone who can help us with covering library books and class readers. Please help us with spending your time in our library Monday, Wednesday, Friday any time between 9:30 am and 2:30 pm. Training, tea, coffee will be provided.

Contact Mrs Ertan on Tel: 07 33721400
Year 5 students visited the planetarium and the skydome. Thank you to Ms. Kenneh who accompanied us on our excursion and she was very happy with students’ behaviour. They made a tour of the Botanic Garden and enjoyed a small break between the beautiful natures.

Thank you to Mrs Abdel Rahman who accompanied also Year 5 students to “the Gordon Hookey Kangaroo Crew” at the Queensland ART Gallery of Modern ART (QAGOMA). The Children’s Art Centre presents ‘Kangaroo Crew’, an interactive artist project created especially for children and families by Indigenous Australian artist Gordon Hookey, from the Waanyi people. Children were able to engage with the project through hands-on and multimedia interactives, and a story book published by the Children’s Art Centre, illustrated with more than 20 paintings by the artist.

Year 5 students joined the upper primary when the fire ant team visited our college. They were very excited meeting “AKA” the dog that plays an excellent role finding the fire ants and saving our lives.
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- Meet teachers & Imams
- Visit Campus Facilities
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EID-UL-ADHA (QURBAN) BBQ

All Welcome ~ Eid Mubarak

Sunday, 20 October 2013
10:30 am to 2:30 pm

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Don’t forget to visit Ali-Gator Book Fair during EID-UL ADHA BBQ on Sunday, 20 October

Library fund raiser