FAMILY FUN DAY

When: 13th Sept 2014
Time: 10:00am—3:00pm

Our College is holding a Family Fun Day.

We welcome everybody to come have a look at our college and enjoy a fun day out with family, friends and the community
• Novelty games with prizes
• Jumping Castle
• Petting farm
• Sausage sizzle
• Bessemer Cookware
• Islamic Clothings
• Tea & Coffee Café
• Henna /face painting
• And loads of fun for the whole family

Reminders from Admin gc.admin@aiic.qld.edu.au

School, bus fees and other charges
As the term is coming to an end, please bring the fees up to date. Thank you to parents who paid the fees.

Library books—please remind your child to return the library books on the due date. Also, please remind your child to take good care of the library books to make available for all students to read.

Absences—if your child is not attending school on that day, please call or email the school.

Records—please update the School Office of your contact details.
Assalamu Alaikum Wa Rahmatullahi wa Barakatuhu

It is amazing to think that we are three quarters of the way through the year already. We have so far had a wonderful time with many exciting activities and we are looking forward to another fun filled and interesting rest of term three.

It was such a pleasure to see so many dedicated parents come to parent interview evening. Please continue to read at home regularly as it does make a difference. It is extremely important that the children continue to practice their sight word lists. This will help to build their fluency and confidence in both reading and writing.

The students have completed studies on mini beasts and life cycles. We are focusing on ‘the farm’ now. This term we have had an incursion where the farmer brought his animals to the school. The students had the opportunity to go on horse rides, touch and hold some animals. They had a lot of fun.

Enjoy the rest of the term and Insha Allah we will see you all again soon.

Jazzak Allah Khayran

Mrs Azara Khan
Assalamu alaikum Wr Wb

Dear Parents / Caregivers

It is hard to believe we are very close to the end of Term 3. This term has an exceptionally busy term across 4 to 6 year groups with a diverse range of activities taking place. I would like to extend my thanks to all the parents who lend support either in the classroom or externally. I’d also like to welcome 5 new students to the school this Term. Their presence has brought joyful vibe to our classroom.

The children have been developing their number sense by practising number patterns, different angles and shapes in Mathematics. They have also used large shape beads to learn about repeating patterns. Our vocabulary and communication skills are being developed by explaining their thoughts, feelings and talking about our work and play experiences. Through inquiry research, students have enjoyed investigating the environmental aspects of ‘Sustainability’. They have researched climatic zones, vegetation, animal adaptation and natural resources to determine why population distribution and density varies around the world. Students have been working on the ‘Sea Country’ project since the beginning of Term 3. This project developed their skills in terms of designing skills, calculating various types of materials, gathering resources, utilising resources cooperating best with the environment and implementing their ideas properly. This project provided unique opportunity to children to expand their creativity and imagination. There have been challenges along the way which was part the learning process. Students indeed have done a fantastic job implementing their ideas and thoughts related to real life. So I’d like to congratulate them for doing an exceptional work.

Since beginning of this Term, our children began rotation activities in both Numeracy and Literacy lessons. This was a great practice for utilising our quality classroom time as well as implementing their knowledge in various subject areas. We, InshaAllah, will continue this process to achieve higher results.

Our aim for the next 3 weeks of Term 3 is to revise previous concepts of this term both in Numeracy and Literacy. We are going to do this as one-one session and doing extension worksheet. The weekly assessments have also been great indication showing both strengths and weaknesses of students in those subjects. Therefore, we are going to concentrate on the areas which students need to improve for the next 3 weeks of the Term. Students received ‘Spelling word list’ which includes home work for each week. They have done a great job doing their homework completely and returning them on time. So, I’d like to congratulate to all the students for great effort.

It’d be highly appreciated if parents could also supervise children’s homework and inform me about any area that needs to be improved. We will be working on those areas during the next 3 weeks to ensure that students have gained a strong foundation in mathematics and English.

I wish all my students a successful and fruitful Term. It, Inshallah, will be full of more adventures and exciting developments, as the children grow and change so quickly with every passing day!

Mr. Amirali Mirhashemi
Years 4-6 Classroom Teacher

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Assalamu’alaikum Warahmatulahi Wabarakatu

The highlight of this term was our wonderful camp on Moreton Island held in week 6.

Mrs Neville, Mrs Kasim, Brother Ali and ten Year 7 to 9 students left on Monday morning and headed for the Port of Brisbane where we were greeted by our Moreton Experience camp organiser, Alan. We crossed over to the island on the My Cat ferry.

We all had a great time. Our students were well behaved and excellent ambassadors for the school. I would like to thank Mrs Neville for her hard work in organising the camp. I would like to thank Brother Ali for accompanying us, and Alan, from Moreton Experience for an excellent camp, delicious food and educational tours of this beautiful and precious island.

Mrs Kasim
Assalamu alaikum Wr Wb

Al-Fawaid

“So also if the father, who is compassionate towards his son, knowing what is good for him, sees that some bad blood has to be removed from his son for his own good, by incurring severe pain by cutting his skin and cutting his veins. If he knows that his cure lies in cutting off one of his limbs, he does so and does all of this out of compassion and mercy to his son. If he sees that the betterment of his son lies in him withholding something from him, he withholds it from him, and is not lavish towards him because he knows that this causes his corruption and destruction and he often withholds from his son what he desires for his own.

So, if the wisest of all judges, the Most Merciful, the Most Knowledgeable, who is more merciful towards His servants than they are to themselves or their parents are to them, sends down upon them that which they dislike, then it is better for them than Him not sending it upon them, rather it is a benevolence and kindness to them. For if they were left to choose for themselves they would be incapable of knowing, intending or doing that which benefits them, but He - how perfect He is - has taken charge of managing their affairs according to His knowledge, wisdom and mercy, whether they like or dislike it. This being known to those who believe with certainty in Allah's Names and Attributes(1), so they do not find fault in any of His laws. This is hidden to those ignorant of Allah, His Names and Attributes, so they disputed with Him in His regulations and found reproach in His wisdom and did not submit to His decisions, but rather opposed them with their corrupt intelligence, false opinions and unjust behaviour. So they did not know their Lord nor did they achieve that which benefits them. And Allah is the One who bestows.

Hence when the servant succeeds, by way of this knowledge, he lives in a Paradise in this world before the Hereafter, whose comforts can only be compared to the comforts of Paradise in the Hereafter. Verily he does not cease to remain pleased with his Lord and this pleasure is the Paradise of this world and a comfort to those who have knowledge. Indeed his soul is content with all that it encounters from the decree which Allah has chosen for him, and his soul is at peace with His religious laws and this is pleasure with Allah being the Lord, with Islaam as the way of life, and Muhammad (saw) as being the Messenger, and whoever has not achieved this has not tasted iman.”

"And it may be that you dislike a thing which is good for you and it may be that you like a thing which is bad for you. Allah knows but you do not know” (2:216)

(1) By this, it means that if one truly believes and recognises the Attributes of Allah swt then the individual trusts in His decree.. for example we know that He is the Just then we have confidence in His justice, that He would not decree it if it were not the best for us.

Jazakallah khair,

Imam Yousuf Hussein
Arabic /ISL Studies Teacher