

BFS WEEKLY WAVE



Important Upcoming BFS Events

December 12, 2011

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December 19, 2011

Christmas Vacation starts

January 10, 2012

School resumes



Birthdays

Dec 9 Sofia Gutierrez(2nd)

Dec 11 Seung Jun Kim(5th)

Dec 13 Sunny Cho(9th)

Dec 15 Keisei Kawana(2nd)

Dec 15 Shota Kobayashi(9th)

Dec 16 John Jo(12th)

A Message from the Principal

December 09, 2011

Dear BFS Community:

At BFS, we are always reflecting on how we are doing and how we can improve the learning for your child. Today, we are attaching a Parent Opinion Survey to get your feedback and suggestions to make improvements to the school.

Please take a few minutes to fill out the Parent Opinion Survey and return it to the school next week. This is your opportunity to tell us what you think would make us even better! We welcome your ideas!

As always, thank you for being partners in our students' journey in education!

Warm regards,
Diane Lund
Principal

The Guiding Light



Just a quick reminder that the Christmas break is quickly approaching, which also means college application deadlines are right behind! Many seniors have already sent in their applications but there are many more to go. I will be at BFS during the first week of vacation to continue working with seniors on their applications. Please see me to make an appointment. Also, we have received the PSAT scores and I will be going over the scores in thorough detail after the Christmas break. We will also be starting the college planning process with the grade 11 students after the mid-terms. As always, if you have any questions regarding your child's academic status please feel free to contact me.

Regards,
Glenn M. Saunders _ Vice-Principal / Academic Counselor

MS CHRISTMAS MOVIE NIGHT

The National Junior Honor Society is proud to continue fundraising for the children in Vietnam with our MIDDLE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS MOVIE NIGHT.

We will be viewing Fred Claus on **Tuesday, December 13, 2011 from 3:30pm – 5:30pm.**

This movie is rated PG.

The cost to view the movie is **5,000 won** and this includes:

Movie

Pizza

Popcorn and other snacks

Drinks

Fun with friends! J



Please see a NJHS member or Ms. Butcher for more details.

MS CHRISTMAS DANCE PARTY

Are middle school students ready to have fun? The National Junior Honor Society is proud to continue fundraising for the children in Vietnam with our MIDDLE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS DANCE PARTY. The Christmas Dance Party includes food, drinks, contests, games, and of course, music. We have our very own Andy Lee DJing some great American and Korean songs.

The Dance Party will be on Thursday, December 15th, 2011, from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm. The tickets go on sale on Monday and the cost 5,000 won.



For more information, please see an NJHS member or Ms. Butcher



NJHS is raising money to sponsor three children in Vietnam. Their names are Duy Duc Vin, Hoang Chung Trieu, and Manh Tuan Truong. Each school division, (elementary, middle, and high school) will have one child to sponsor. We are working through World Vision, and giving these children 35,000 won each month, for the whole year. 35,000 won is all the money that these children need to survive for one month. **If you donate 100 won every week, you can help get these boys get food, water, and education for a month.**

Congratulations!!



A well deserved congratulations goes out to our outstanding 5th grader Seong Woo Bae for earning an Excellence Award for his participation in The Korea Herald Art Competition. We look forward to seeing more fantastic artistic creations from Seong Woo!

Math Club

Math Club will create new Math Team that will prepare students for math competitions! Math Team will mainly focus on solving challenging math problems that can help students be ready for competitions such as AMC (American Mathematics Competition) and other prestigious math events. Math Team is only for high schoolers, but will accept anyone 7th grade or above. For those students who want to join Math Team, please come to Math Club on Monday, December 12th, 2011 after school for more information.

Hockey club

The cold weather's here and that means hockey! Our BFS ball hockey club for grades 4-8 will begin this coming Monday, December 12th at 3:15. We'll meet on Mondays and Fridays from 3:15 to between 4:30 and 5:00. Wear warm clothing--a good coat, a sweater, a hat, sweatpants and gloves. We'll focus on practicing basic skills and then playing games.



During game times, students will wear a helmet. Goalies will have protective equipment as well. Come prepared to follow the coaches, Mr. Engle and Mr. P, learn new skills, and have a great time playing an awesome sport!