

INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF CURAÇAO

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NEWSLETTER



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PTA
Meeting

Come join us!

MONDAY THE 16TH



Dates to Remember:

May 13: Varsity Sports
Athletic Banquet

May 14: ISC GIN
Conference

May 16: Online
Progress Reports

May 20: Spring Concert

May 21: Wine &
Bubbles Fundraising
Event

May 28: GIN Clothing
Drive

June 4: Senior
Graduation

*Our Vision: An
international
education
today for the
global citizens
of tomorrow.*

From The Director

Dear ISC,

It was a quiet Wednesday without students on campus, but it was good to see many of you here for parent-teacher conferences to discuss the progress of your children with their respective teachers. Communication is vital and I hope that you had positive dialogue with each teacher.

This weekend there are two important events. On Friday evening, the athletic department will be hosting the varsity awards ceremony for our athletes and invited guests. The sports season was a huge success and it is time to recognize our student-athletes and their achievements. On Saturday, GIN students will host their first Curaçao conference, which is open to all students on the island ages 11-18. If your child has shown some interest or is simply curious as to what GIN is, please have them register (details on page 5) and make sure they are at the school for the opening session at 9:00 a.m. Current GIN members have been working hard to prepare and the more students, the better.

Wine and Bubbles is coming up quickly! This year tickets **WILL NOT** be sold at the entrance the night of the event, so please stop by the main office to pick yours up soon!

Sincerely,

Douglas Vaughan

Director



Above: Images from last year's Wine & Bubbles Night hosted by The Triangle.

Our Mission: ISC educates students from diverse cultures to have the skills to think creatively, communicate effectively, reason critically, and act compassionately.

Families and friends of ISC are all invited to The Spring Music Concert on Friday, May 20th at 7:00pm. It's going to be an entertaining night filled with great music played by students in 4th-8th grade and High School Band and General Music. All performing students need to wear black pants or skirts with a white blouse or button-up collared shirts.

Spring Music Concert 2016



Friday, May 20th
7:00 pm / ISC Gym

Featuring students from 4th to 8th grade,
HS Music, Band and Choir.



Announcing next year's school musical



Audition: August 17th and 18th
Open to students in Middle and High School

5th Annual Wine & Bubbles Night: Tickets Now Available in the Main Office



Wine & Bubbles Night

Date:

Saturday, May 21st, 2016

Time:

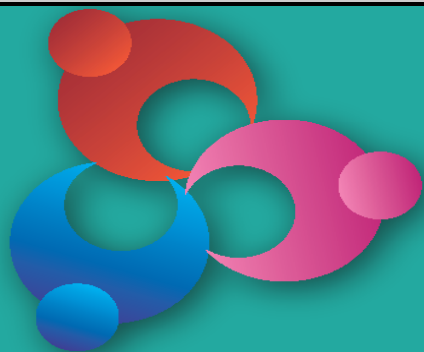
7:30 PM - 11:00 PM

Contribution:

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Tickets available at the Main Office





INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF CURAÇAO Global Issues Network (GIN)

Presents:

Curaçao: Let's Make a Difference!
2016

We invite all youth from the ages of 11 -18 (who attend school)
to be part of Curaçao's First **GIN** Conference

Date:

Saturday May 14th 2016

Time:

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Registration starts at 8:30 am

Location:

The International School of Curaçao (High School Side)

For registration please go to www.isc.cw or scan the QR Code



*With keynote addresses from some of Curaçao's most influential citizens in the
areas of community service*

GIN: Clothes Drive for Local Orphanages

Dear ISC community,

I would like to request your support for the upcoming ISC GIN clothing drive. Our goal is to mobilize ISC students, families, and friends of the ISC community to donate children clothing (ages - newborn to 18 years) for the '**Shopping experience**' scheduled to be organized on **May 28th at ISC**.

Disadvantaged children and children from orphanages will be invited to the clothing store where they will be allowed to shop (pick their own clothing). The store will be set up like a mini version of a clothing department store. Instead of just donating the clothes to the orphanages, we would like to give these children an opportunity to have a shopping experience by allowing them to pick something of their own liking.

In order for this event to become a reality we are requesting donations of any used clothing of your child that is in good condition, please make sure that the clothing is washed and clean. Collection boxes will be set up in all homerooms by our GIN students during this week. From **May 23-28th**, all collected clothing will be sorted by gender and age group.

What we are looking for:

Types of clothing: short, pants, t-shirts, blouses, shoes, dresses, skirts, accessories, toys etc.

What we are not looking for: used socks, underwear, torn or stained clothes

We hope to reach out to these children and make a difference!

Thanking you in advance for your support! If you have any questions, you can email me at chuganik@isc.cw

Regards,

Kavita Chugani

Global Issues Network Coordinator



Shopping Experience

May 28, 2016 at ISC

Donate your clothes
and toys that
are still in good
condition to the
less fortunate



Clothes, toys, accessories, and
shoes needed! No underwear
and socks!



PTA News: Annual Meeting on May 16th!

Dear ISC Parents and Teachers!

ISC's Parent Teacher Association (PTA) is an organization of ISC parents, teachers, staff and administrators who organize events like Family Day, Halloween and Karnival, just to mention a few – for enriching ISC students' school life.

As our school year is coming to an end, we are inviting you to join us at our Annual PTA Meeting. Come and tell us how we did this year! We would love to hear your feedback, answer any questions and receive suggestions!

Additionally, we are also looking for new PTA members for the 2016-2017 school year. The annual nominations and elections will take place at the end of the annual meeting. The positions that will be elected are: President, Vice-President, Treasurer, and Secretary.

During the meeting, supervision for your child can be provided at the library. Please let us know if you require it.

Thank you all for your support this year and we look forward to seeing you on Monday!

Warm Regards,

PTA

PTA Annual Meeting:

Date: **Monday, May 16th at 2.15 pm**

Location: **Elementary School side, Iguana room 1.**

ISC Staff Spotlight: Mrs. Hoevertsz

During last week's break, ISC's 5th grade teacher Mrs. Hoevertsz, led a training session on Singapore Math for teachers at the International School of Suriname in Paramaribo. At the request of the school's director, Mr. Edward Langlais (center, next to Mrs. Hoevertsz), she helped provide valuable training for his staff, who have adopted the Singapore Math program recently, a program ISC currently uses also.



The International School of Curaçao (ISC) is a preK-12, accredited, private, nonprofit, coeducational day school recognized by the local government of Curaçao that provides instruction in English. ISC was founded in 1968 and offers a rigorous academic program in order to prepare students who plan to pursue higher learning at colleges and universities around the world.

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