

## INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF CURAÇAO

## ISC WEEKLY

## NEWSLETTER



**International  
School of  
Curaçao**

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**STICHTING PRINSES  
WILHELMINA FONDS**

VOOR DE KANKERBESTRIJDING

*Above: PWF- Throughout  
the month of September*

## Dates to remember:

September 28-October  
2: Siman di Kultura

September 28: Online  
progress reports

October 2: Early  
dismissal

October 5-9: Regatta  
Break (School Closed)

October 14th: PSAT  
test for grades 8,9,10,11

October 23: United  
Nations Day

October 30: PTA  
Halloween Carnival

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

## From The Director

Dear ISC Community,

Thank you to everyone who contributed to the bake sale last Friday. With your help, over 2,000 Naf was raised and will be donated to Prinses Wilhelmina Fonds.

Next week school will be closed for the Regatta Break. If you and your family are leaving the island prior to the beginning of the vacation, be sure to pick up an official letter from the school in order to process the "leerplicht" with the government, if you haven't done so already. Their policy states that a student may only miss 5 school days outside the regularly scheduled vacation days designated within the school calendar.

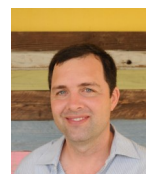
Please remember that this Friday is an early dismissal day. Students in elementary and middle school will be released at 12:00. High school students will be dismissed at 11:45, the time they normally begin their lunch period. Mrs. van Grieken has also posted a message on page 11 regarding the schedule on days of early dismissals for middle school students.

During the week of Regatta there will not be a newsletter sent out. We'll get another one out the week of October 12th, which is also the last academic week of the first quarter. Students, be sure to stay on top of all your school work and finish the quarter on a high note!

Safe travels if you are leaving the island and we'll see you all back in school on October 12th.

Sincerely,

Douglas Vaughan



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

## From the PTA

Dear ISC Community,

We would like to invite you to join our next PTA meeting:

Date: **Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup>**

Time: **2.15pm**

Place: **Iguana Room 1.**

During the meeting we will be evaluating our previous events, talk about new ideas and discuss the following upcoming events: UN Day (October 23), Halloween Carnival (October 30), Musical: Into The Woods (November 20 -21). For October's full Agenda please visit us online at ISC's website.

We hope will see you there!

Estimada Comunidad de ISC,

Nos gustaría invitarlos a nuestra próxima reunión del PTA:

Fecha: **Jueves, 1 de octubre**

Tiempo: **14:15**

Lugar: **Iguana Habitación 1.**

Durante la reunión vamos evaluar nuestros eventos anteriores, hablar de nuevas ideas y discutir los eventos: Día de las Naciones Unidas UN Day (23 de octubre), Carnaval de Halloween (30 de octubre), Musicales: Into The Woods (20 de noviembre -21). Para el Agenda completo de octubre por favor visítenos en el web de ISC.

Nosotros esperamos verlos!

## MESSAGE FROM THE PTA HALLOWEEN COMMITTEE:

Join our Halloween Committee and be involved in planning, organizing, and improving one of the best ISC events: the annual ISC Halloween Party!

We promise it will be fun and well organized. We have some new ideas as well as the standards we do every year and are always looking for further ideas and suggestions from you. Those students who join the committee can earn CAS hours.

Any type of help and involvement is greatly appreciated. There are many ways to help with the Halloween party and any help or involvement, big or small, is always welcome.

Sincerely,

ISC PTA  
Halloween Party Committee  
[pta@isc.cw](mailto:pta@isc.cw)



## MENSAJE DEL COMITÉ DE HALLOWEEN PTA:

Por favor únete a nuestro Comité de Halloween para participar en la planificación, organización, y mejorando unos de los mejores eventos del ISC : La Fiesta de Halloween en ISC!

Prometemos que será divertido y bien organizado. Tenemos algunas ideas nuevas, y vamos hacer una cosas mismas de todos los años. Siempre estamos buscando nuevas ideas y sugerencias de ustedes. Los estudiantes que participan en el comité pueden ganar horas de CAS .

Cualquier tipo de ayuda y la participación es muy apreciada. Hay muchas maneras de ayudar con la fiesta de Halloween y cualquier ayuda o participación, grande o pequeña, es siempre apreciado.

Saludos,

ISC PTA  
Halloween Party Committee  
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## From the PTA

40 days until ISC Halloween Party!!

But it is never too soon to start preparing. This year, we will have a fun addition to our fun packed party : Trunk or Treat !! For those who aren't familiar with trunk or treating, it is a safe and fun way for the children to experience a bit of trick or treating, but with car trunks instead of houses.

We will need parent and teacher volunteers for this. We need 10 trunks and we will have the trunks parked in the gym parking lot. Please let us know if you'd like to participate by sending us an email. There will also be a prize for the best decorated trunk, so bring it!

Here is a Pinterest link to give you some ideas of Trunk or Treat to spark your creativity.

[https://www.pinterest.com/search/pins/?rs=ac&len=2&q=truck+or+treat&term\\_meta\[\]=truck+or+treat|autocomplete|0](https://www.pinterest.com/search/pins/?rs=ac&len=2&q=truck+or+treat&term_meta[]=truck+or+treat|autocomplete|0)

We will also be having fun contests with great prizes for the scariest, funniest, and most original in the following :

Costume contests:

ages 2-3-4	3 prizes
Ages 5-6-7.	3 prizes
Ages 8-9-10.	3 prizes
MS students.	3 prizes
HS students.	1 prize
Adults.	1 prize

Also, great prizes for the following contests:

- Carved pumpkin contest
- Best witch contest
- Best decorated witch hat
- Best decorated broom

PTA will be selling witch hats a few weeks before the big event so no worries about finding one for the contest.

We are also on Facebook this year! Please check it out and share on your wall and invite your friends! Keep checking the page for updates and info. Link : <https://www.facebook.com/events/897532490330234/>

Sincerely,

PTA (pta@isc.cw)

Solo faltan 40 días para la fiesta de Halloween de ISC !!!

Nunca es demasiado tarde para prepararse. Este año será especial ya que tendremos un nuevo juego además de todas las actividades divertidas que siempre ofrecemos: "Trunk or Treat" (Maleta o Dulces)

Para aquellos que no están familiarizados con esta actividad, "Trunk or Treat" es una manera segura y divertida de que los niños vivan la experiencia de "Treat or Trick" (Dulces o Travesura) pero visitando la maleta de un automóvil en lugar de casas.

Para esta actividad necesitaremos la ayuda de padres y maestros. Se requieren 10 automóviles con maleta para el día del evento. Los voluntarios deberán estacionar sus vehículos en el estacionamiento del gimnasio. Por favor, déjenos saber si desea participar enviándonos un correo electrónico a [pta@isc.cw](mailto:pta@isc.cw) . También habrá un premio para la mejor maleta decorada al estilo Halloween.

Aquí encontrara un enlace al sitio Pinterest para darle algunas ideas de "Trunk or Treat" (Maleta o Dulces) que despertaran su creatividad.

[https://www.pinterest.com/search/pins/?rs=ac&len=2&q=truck+or+treat&term\\_meta\[\]=truck+or+treat|autocomplete|0](https://www.pinterest.com/search/pins/?rs=ac&len=2&q=truck+or+treat&term_meta[]=truck+or+treat|autocomplete|0)

También vamos a tener divertidos concursos de disfraces con grandes premios para el más espantoso, más divertido y más original:

Estudiantes de grados 6-8	3 premios
Estudiantes de grados 9-12	1 premio-
Adultos	1 premio-

También, grandes premios para los siguientes concursos:  
Tallado de calabaza, Mejor Bruja, Mejor Sombrero de la bruja (decorado),  
Mejor Escoba de bruja (decorada)

PTA estará vendiendo sombreros de brujas unas semanas antes del gran evento así que no se preocupe en tratar de encontrar uno para el concurso.

Este año estamos en Facebook! Por favor, visite y comparta este evento en su muro y extienda esta invitación a sus amigos! Visite nuestra página para noticias y más información.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/897532490330234/>

Atentamente,

PTA (pta@isc.cw)



## Alumni Announcements

Below is an excerpt from the Hilton Barbados August newsletter, in which ISC's 2008 alumnus Dexter Moreno is co-featured. With his permission, we are proud to share his accomplishments with the ISC community. Congratulations to Dexter!

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### ELEVATOR PROFILES



Hilton Elevators: DEXTER (left) & RYAN (right)

**What is your background, How old are you and how many languages do you speak?**

DEX: My name is Dexter Moreno and I was born and raised in Curacao. I am 26 years old and I speak four languages, which are Dutch, English, Spanish and Papiamentu. Papiamentu is our own local language which is spoken only on a few islands in the Caribbean.

RYN: I was born in Toronto, Canada but raised in Barbados from 2 months old until I was 16 then I departed for school in Toronto, Canada and Barcelona, Spain respectively. My 1<sup>st</sup> language is English and Spanish is my 2<sup>nd</sup> language. I speak basic Portuguese but I am fluent in BAJAN!!! I am 27 years old.

**What countries did you study/work in before?**

DEX: I did my Bachelors in Hospitality and Tourism Management in the Netherlands and I have always worked and studied at the same time. Places I have worked in while studying are: Aruba, Barcelona, Orlando & St. Maarten.

RYN: I studied in Barbados, Canada and Spain. I have worked in Barbados, Canada and Panama. I have a Bachelors in Business Studies and a Masters in Tourism & Hospitality Management.

**What departments have you worked in before and which did you enjoy most?**

DEX: Most of my time working in a Hotel was spent in Food & Beverage, but I have also worked in other areas such as Guest Services, Front Office & Sales. The department I enjoyed the most was Food & Beverage, because in this department I was able to engage with the guests on a daily basis ensuring that they are enjoying their stay.

RYN: I have worked in every department in a hotel except for Recreations and E-Commerce. I have enjoyed Marketing & PR within the Sales & Marketing department the most.

**How did you hear of the Elevator Program**

**and how did you become 1 of the 8 Elevator Graduates of 1,000 applicants throughout Caribbean and Latin America?**

DEX: I didn't know of the program until the Hilton approached my school in order to give a presentation regarding the Elevator Program. After the presentation I decided to apply to the program. I had started the application in October and had to do an interview with the HR Manager in Curacao, a phone interview with one of the Miami Regional Office (MRO) Managers, an English and Math online test and then in February I was invited to join 11 other candidates to an Assessment Center in Miami where we continued the process with an interview with another MRO Manager. We had to do different role plays and several group projects. On April 12, other candidates were invited to the Assessment Center and out of the 24 candidates that were invited to Miami, I was selected as one of the eight Elevator Graduates.

RYN: I had never known of the program while I was at school, but I had applied to Hilton previously but I wasn't accepted as I still had 6 more months of school to go. However, they kept my CV on file and 2 years later Ms. Ria Barker called me at work to invite me to a presentation from Ayesha Williams from the Hilton Miami head-office. The first stage was a brief interview with Ayesha and Ria, then the 2<sup>nd</sup> stage was a group assessment with other Barbadian students where the emphasis was on how to communicate and lead under pressure as we were given a task of building the highest tower with a newspaper and tape. The 3<sup>rd</sup> stage I was asked to write a cover letter in a 2<sup>nd</sup> language. For the 4<sup>th</sup> stage, I had to complete a Math & English exam, 30 questions in 30 minutes of each and before I knew it, I was in Miami at the 5<sup>th</sup> and final assessment center competing with 23 other finalists split into two groups. Within a week or two of the final assessment center, I was accepted as one of the eight Elevator Graduates, and the 1<sup>st</sup> from Barbados and an English speaking island since Ayesha herself.

**Which department do you see yourself working in, in the future?**

DEX: If we are going to look into the future, then I see myself as the next General Manager for the Hilton Company.

RYN: In the very near future I see myself working in the Sales & Marketing department as a manager then director but in the next 5 years I believe I will be a General Manager for a Hilton brand within the region.

**What countries would you like to work in after you have completed the Elevator Program?**

DEX: I have not made my decision yet where I would like to work after the Elevator Program, but I am thinking about Colombia or Brazil.

RYN: My decision isn't concrete, but I have been thinking a lot about

Colombia, Dominican Republic, Brazil and Barbados. I would love to gain international experience that I can sometime bring it home to Barbados and be a greater asset to the team, but the Hilton Barbados Resort stands out above many in the region as a great place to work, from my experience.

**Outside of work, what are your favorite hobbies?**

DEX: My hobby is sports. I love to play and watch all kinds of sports. I am not necessarily the best in all of them, but I will always make sure to work hard in which ever sport I play.



RYN: My hobbies are water polo, beach football, scuba diving, football and liming with friends and family. I also love to help develop programs for kids and communities.

**Tell us more about your interest apart from Tourism.**

DEX: Other interests that I have grown to love is art. My mother is an artist and I have always appreciated the work she does. I look forward to the future when I am able to start collecting art.

RYN: I love to travel and see the world. I have been travelling since age 5 for sport and it has given me an opportunity to learn about so many cultures, their history and languages. I also love the Latin American cultures, as many of them are similar to ours in the Caribbean just in another language. I also love to scuba dive and be at peace under the sea with the water and its nature.

**If you could highlight the benefits of the Elevator Program and your experiences, what would be the most memorable of them all?**

DEX: The highlight and the best experience of the Elevator Program is all the people I meet. I am traveling the world and meeting new people everyday and I learn so much from each one of them. I also learn a lot from the different culture of the places I visit and they are all very unique and beautiful.

RYN: The best experience for me, is that I meet so many persons from various cultures, backgrounds and upbringings. I have been able to learn so much from different persons and I have also learned a great deal of patience and other skills that have helped me to become a better Manager. The most memorable so far, would be my final day in Panama with the group of foreigners that I spent 9 months with, as they celebrated my time with them and they all shared feedback on how I have grown and they also surprised me with a Panama Football Jersey as a lasting memory and cake.



## United Nations Day

Dear Students, Parents, Faculty, and Staff,

The International School of Curacao will hold its annual United Nations (UN) Day on Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon in the Gym/Auditorium and then from 12:00 noon to 02:00 p.m. on the High School Campus. Dismissal will be at 2:00 p.m. for all students. This will be a special school-wide event.

The Elementary, Middle and High School students will all come together to participate in our celebrations. We will start with an assembly showcasing the diverse cultures represented at ISC through a variety entertainment program of dances and songs presented by students and community members. The assembly will be followed by our most popular International Food Festival, which will take place on the High School Campus

As always, we count on parents' contributions for food in the different booths. We request each student/parent to bring one to two dozen finger foods representative of his/her country, preferably in a disposable container. Please provide disposable plates, cups and spoons/forks as required for the service of your food item and also ensure that you label your contribution with your complete name and country/region represented. If your food item should be kept refrigerated, either deliver it just before serving time or label it "Keep Refrigerated". **The food should be delivered between 10:15 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.** to the receiving station which will be set up in the classrooms: Mendeleev Lab or Einstein Lab in the High School.

There will be booths, located on the high school campus, for the following countries/regions of the world (to be confirmed): Curacao, The Netherlands, USA, Venezuela, India, Lebanon, Colombia, Portugal, Europe, Puerto Rico, Asia, China, Japan and Rest of the World. **IMPORTANT:** there will be a Country Representative Meeting this Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup> at 1:15 p.m. in Room 9 (High School Campus). Please attend to receive more information on hosting a booth at our International Food Festival.

We encourage the entire school community to come dressed in their national outfit, or wear the colors of their country's flag. This is a perfect opportunity to celebrate the diversity within the ISC community as well as all the cultures of all our students.

We would also like to encourage students, parents, and teachers to organize a typical dance from the different countries represented at ISC. If interested to perform a typical dance of your country, please contact Ms. Sabina Evertsz - Destrade Mora at [evertszs@isc.cw](mailto:evertszs@isc.cw).

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact us at [unday@isc.cw](mailto:unday@isc.cw)

Thank you in advance for your help in making this a rewarding, educational, and memorable event for us all!



## UN Day Photography Contest

Are you an ISC High School student who loves photography?

Then submit a digital photograph which displays your interpretation of one of the United Nations International Themes for 2015:

1. Light and Light-based Technologies

2. Soils

Show us your talent and creativity!



**1. Eligibility:** This Contest is open to all students in **grades 9 to 12** at the International School of Curacao.

**2. To Enter:** Participants will be required to read and follow the contest procedures and rules. The Submission must not infringe the copyright, trademark, privacy, publicity or other intellectual property rights of any person or entity. We reserve the right to use your entry in all print and electronic media, and to edit it for brevity and clarity. The photograph must include a snippet of one of the themes of United Nations International Themes for 2015 mentioned above.

**3. Judging:** The UN Day Committee members will judge all photos that are submitted on time. Any entries submitted after the deadline will not be considered nor exhibited. All entries will be judged based on the following criteria: Originality 50%, use of light and shade 25% and Photo General Quality 25%. Judges' decisions are final. Judges may reject entries that do not meet contest criteria or are deemed offensive.

**4. Prize:** All approved photographs will be exhibited during our UN Day on October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2015. The contest winner will receive a Gift Card for NAfl. 100.

**5. Conditions:** ISC is not responsible for lost, late, or unintelligible entries, lost connections, miscommunications, failed transmissions, other technical difficulties or failures. By participating, entrants consent that their work may be reproduced in print and online. Students may only submit one photograph. Entries exceeding number allowed will not be considered. (Multiple small photos on one 8.5" x 11" sheet are not allowed.)

Original photos may be cropped for better composition. Minimal manipulation of digital images is acceptable. Small adjustments to brightness, color balance, contrast, and sharpness is acceptable. No other digital manipulation of an image is allowed.

### How to do it?

An electronic file of your photo must be submitted by email to [unday@isc.cw](mailto:unday@isc.cw) File Size: **4MB** max. Your digital photo should be High-resolution / 180 - 200dpi / **JPEG** file. Attach the following information with your entry:

-Your Name

-Age

-Grade

-Parent/Guardian Name

-E-mail

-Photo Caption (Title of Photo) (optional)

-The following statement: "I certify that this photograph has been taken by me."

-Short paragraph explaining your interpretation of the chosen theme.

PHOTOS WITHOUT IDENTIFYING INFORMATION CAN NOT BE ENTERED IN THE CONTEST.

Entries should be submitted before 3:30 pm on Monday, October 19th, 2015.



## From the Nurse: The Importance of Sleep



### The Importance of Sleep

*“So you won’t be tired tomorrow!”*

It’s a reasonable explanation to when your child asks why they need to go to sleep. We educate our kids on the specifics of why it’s important to get plenty of exercise, why they need to brush their teeth after meals and why they need to eat their veggies. So why not explain to them in more depth why they need their sleep?

Sleep is a crucial part of our health for people of all ages. It’s a time when our bodies are at rest and can really focus its energy on important functions. There’s a positive impact on both our physical bodies and our emotional minds.

#### So what happens during sleep?

1. **Healing** – Our body is healing our heart and blood vessels; it is a time when our body is also healing our muscles and skin.
2. **Growing** – While we sleep, our muscles, bones and skin are growing
3. **Fight Illness** – While we sleep, our immune system has a better opportunity to do its job in fighting off illnesses and keeping us healthy
4. **Solidifying memories** – when we sleep, our brain is reorganizing its “memories “of the day. Getting rid of insignificant ones and refining the relevant ones and putting them into long-term storage. That means sleep helps your brain remember what it has learned that day!
5. Sleep allows us to pay better attention and concentrate during the day. It also helps us to critically think and improves our problem solving skills

#### The effects of not getting enough sleep

Besides not fulfilling the functions stated above, students who aren’t getting enough sleep:

1. Suffer in their social-emotional health. Sleep deficient children and teenagers may have issues getting along with others, they may be sad/depressed, unmotivated, have mood swings, be angry or impulsive.
2. Are not as productive, not as alert
3. Weight gain – loss of sleep has been found to stimulate your appetite and specifically cravings for high-fat, high-carbohydrate foods.
4. As you get older, sleep deficiency has been linked with obesity, diabetes, heart and kidney disease

#### How much sleep should your child be getting?

The National Sleep Foundation recommends the following hours of sleep per night:

- Preschoolers (3-5) – 10-13 hours
- School age children (6-13) – 9-11 hours
- Teenagers (14-17) – 8-10 hours
- Young adults (18-25) – 7-9 hours

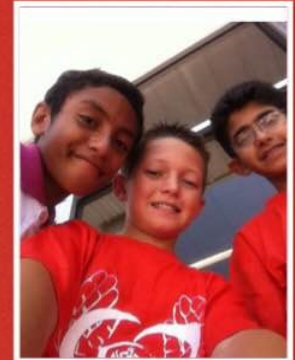
For a healthy school,

Marla Gomes Casseres

School Nurse



# PRINCESS WILHELMINA CANCER DRIVE



**MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS HAVE BEEN VISITING VARIOUS SUPER MARKETS ON THE ISLAND IN THEIR ATTEMPT TO HELP RAISE FUNDS FOR THE PRINCESS WILHELMINA CANCER DRIVE.**

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## Curaçao Clean-Up Survey

As participants in the clean-up on the 19th of this month, ISC received the message seen here at the right, directly from Curaçao Clean-up. To support their vision of improving the annual clean-up and keeping Curaçao clean, please consider taking their survey, particularly if you were active in the event.

Kind Regards,

-D. Vaughan

Dear volunteer,

Thank you for participating in the Curaçao Clean Up 2015! Because of your help, we made Curacao a cleaner and more beautiful place. We would love to hear more about your experience during the Curaçao Clean Up 2015. Please, [click here](#) to fill out the survey and share your opinions with us.

If you have any questions or comments, please email us at [volunteers@curacaocleanup.com](mailto:volunteers@curacaocleanup.com) or call us on 736-1951 ext 213 or 516-1647.

We hope to hear from you soon.

Vriendelijke Groet/Kind Regards/Saludo Kordial,

LYSAYÉ DE WINDT

## High School News: Introduction of IB French

Dear School Community,

Bon jour! We are happy to inform that a new IB course has been approved by the Board of Directors for the 2016-2017 school year. ISC's High School will start offering IB French ab initio in grade 11 next school year. This new foreign language course will replace IB Spanish ab initio which will only be offered to current Juniors who are taking IB Spanish ab initio and will need to finish up their second year of the course.

Mr. Ulises Franco will be the IB French ab initio teacher. Mr. Franco is also a French teacher and has extensive experience teaching this foreign language in the US, Jamaica, and Venezuela. We are sure students will enjoy Mr. Franco's French class as much as they enjoy his Spanish classes.

Below you will find a brief description of the ab initio course from IB:

"The IB DP language ab initio course is designed to provide students with the necessary skills and intercultural understanding to enable them to communicate successfully in an environment where the language studied is spoken. This process encourages the learner to go beyond the confines of the classroom, expanding an awareness of the world and fostering respect for cultural diversity. The language ab initio course develops students' linguistic abilities through the development of receptive, productive and interactive skills by providing them opportunities to respond and interact appropriately in a defined range of everyday situations. Language ab initio is available at standard level only."

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Ms. Sini Murali or me.

Cordialement,

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High School Principal  
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Mrs. Sini  
IB Coordinator  
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Join us!

**Siman di Kultura @ ISC**

flag ceremony      kultura fair

Monday Sept. 28  
@ 8am High School side

FRIDAY  
OCTOBER 2ND  
@ 11:30  
COVERED AREA

**2015 SIMAN KULTURA**

### A Brief History:

Curaçao's history has brought many cultures together which has created a multilingual community. It can be somewhat rare to find a place in the Caribbean where there are more than two official languages. But in Curaçao, it is very realistic to meet someone who speaks four or possibly more languages. Curaçao's unique history has brought many cultures to the island which has further created a multilingual community where almost everyone speaks Spanish, English, Dutch and Papiamentu.

Today, the history of Curaçao is evident in the Dutch and Spanish architecture of the buildings, the plantation houses or land houses and, of course, the languages. Although much of Curaçao's history is not so pleasant, Curaçao has become an island that invites and unites many cultures.

The flag of Curaçao is a blue field with a horizontal yellow stripe slightly below the midline and two white, five-pointed stars in the canton. The blue symbolizes the sea and sky (the bottom and top blue sections, respectively) divided by a yellow stroke representing the bright sun which bathes the island. The two stars represent Curaçao and Klein Curaçao, but also 'Love & Happiness'. The five points on each star symbolize the five continents from which Curaçao's people come.



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## Prinses Wilhelmina Bake Sale

Dear all,

Thank you so much for all the support during our PWF Food Sale. Parents, students and teachers helped us collect a total of Nafl. 2.048, 29.

This collection will be added to all the funds collected throughout the month of September by Ms. Sini and the middle and high school students. All proceeds will be handed over during our UN Day celebration to a representative of PWF.

Without your help, none of this would have been possible.

Thank you!

Ms. Nina



## Middle School Notice Regarding Early Dismissals

Dear Middle School Students and Parents,

Please make note of the class schedule for early dismissal days for this school year.

8:00-11:00 am regular classes

11:00-11:15 am small break in covered area

11:15-12:00 pm F5 class (normally 11:45-12:30)

Thank you and have a wonderful Regatta break,

Mrs. van Grieken

## College Counseling

Flagler College will be visiting us on October 28 at 9:30. All interested 10-12 grade students should come to Kala room. Parents are also welcome. For more information please visit their website: <http://www.flagler.edu/>

**Career Fair:** ISC is looking for professionals in different fields (banking, accountancy, performing arts, engineering, hospitality, architecture, law, medicine, education, psychology, marketing, entrepreneurship, etc) to volunteer and be part of our Career Fair in January! Parents, uncles, aunts, and friends in any professional field who would like to participate as speakers are encouraged to contact Ms. Fig at [figueroam@isc.cw](mailto:figueroam@isc.cw). More information will follow for interested participants.

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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