

INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF CURAÇAO

ISC WEEKLY

NEWSLETTER



**International
School of
Curaçao**

Dates to Remember:

February 22: ISA testing

February 25: Open House

March 3: Science Fair

March 9-18: IB Mock Exams

March 19: Talent Show



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

From The Director

Dear ISC,

Welcome back and hope you had a restful break!

Thank you to all of the sponsors who helped make ISC's Teener Parade successful as well as all of the parents and staff members who dedicated hours of their time volunteering to ensure the school's entry was a success. If you were unable to make it out that evening, I hope you had a chance to watch it on television; our students performed exemplary and received rave reviews from many onlookers. Further recognition may be coming soon once the official Karnaval Committee announces the many awards to be handed out this coming Saturday.

To the students who participated, congratulations on a job well done. From the beginning of the process to the evening of the parade, it has been a pleasure watching you all come together as a unified group. Each of you dedicated enormous amounts of time to a cause that was bigger than yourself. Apart from academics, this is a prime example of what ISC is about and what we want from our students. It is the same reason we encourage and promote community service activities. It is why we want you to be involved in the many student-led organizations and extra-curricular activities. All of you will have individual successes along the way, which will be important in itself, but the most powerful and meaningful successes are often those that form as a result of teamwork or community involvement. Additionally, relationships you build during such activities, are often the strongest and longest lasting; I'm quite positive some of you have developed and/or strengthened a relationship with one or more of your school peers as a result of being in the parade.

Keep up the good work.

Sincerely,

Douglas Vaughan
Director



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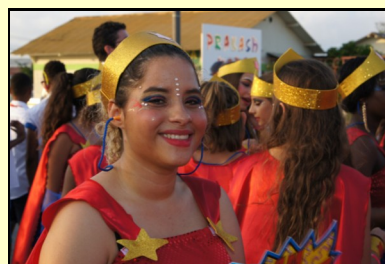
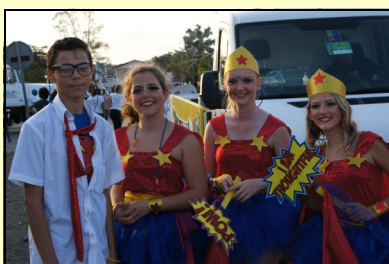
Intentions for 2016-2017

Parents, please take a moment to complete this online form to declare your intentions for next school year.

<http://goo.gl/forms/bfJoPg48eC>

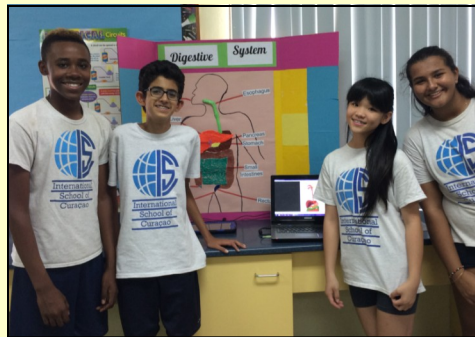
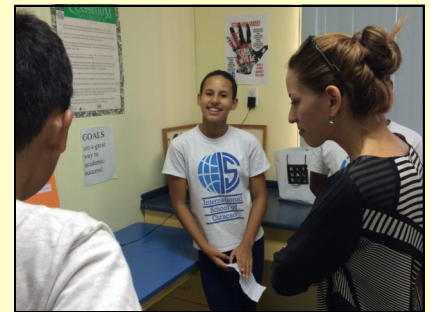
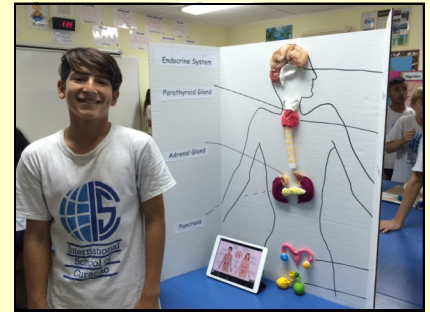
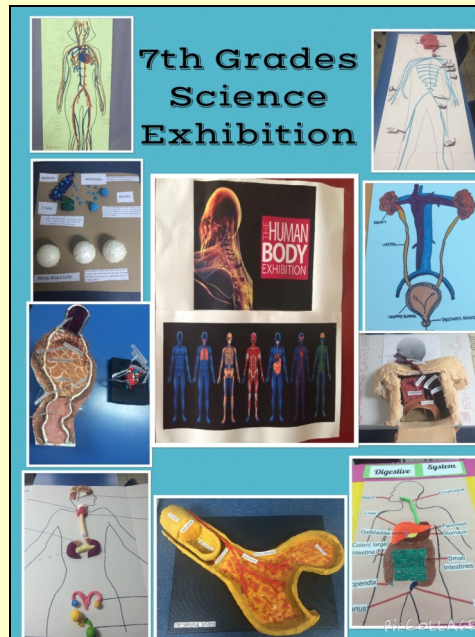
Our Mission: ISC educates students from diverse cultures to have the skills to think creatively, communicate effectively, reason critically, and act compassionately.

Teener Parade 2016: ISC Proved to be Super



Middle School News: 7th Grade Students Present "Human Anatomy Museum"

In Science, the 7th graders have been learning about the human anatomy and the body systems. In groups, they put together presentations of these systems at the 'Human Anatomy Museum'. Parents were invited to enjoy a tour and support the young budding anatomists.



ISC Athletes Nominated for FDOK Sports Award

Last week the Curacao Olympic Sport Federation selected 4 finalist for Male Junior Athlete of the year for 2015. Congratulations to ISC students Jean Paul da Silva de Goes (grade 11) and Gianluca Beaujon (grade 7). Both athletes, through hard work and dedication to their respective sport, have achieved great success locally and internationally. The awards ceremony to announce the winner will be on February 27th. ISC is proud to have such accomplished athletes within our student body and hope one of them will take home the distinguished award!

*From left to right:
11th grade student
Jean Paul da Silva de
Goes, nominated for
windsurfing and 7th
grade student
Gianluca Beaujon,
nominated for tennis.*



I am ISC Exemplar: Unai Goncalves

Middle School student, Unai Goncalves do Estreito, is being recognized for being a positive member of our ISC student body and a prime example of what "I am ISC" stands for. Unai goes out of his way regularly to help others and he naturally does "the right thing!" Congrats, Unai!



Right: Unai Goncalves carrying school materials for classmate Soli-yon Li. Unai also handed in an iPad to the main office that a student misplaced.

"DOUGHNUTS WITH DOUG"

- Every Thursday morning from 8:00-8:30.
- Sign up in the main office or email Ms. Camille (dijkhuizen@isc.cw). Space is limited.
- Sit with the Director and other parents for coffee or tea— and doughnuts.
- Discuss the direction and future of ISC.
- Share your ideas for a stronger ISC.

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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