

# AISN'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Wednesday, February 27th, 2019

## Dates to Remember:

*Monday, February 25th - Friday, March 1st - Internal ERB Testing - Grades 3-11*

*Thursday, February 28th - Personal Presentation Form due*

*Thursday, March 14th - Pi Day; celebration of Mathematics*

*Thursday, March 14th - Board Meeting - 5:00 p.m.*

*Monday, March 25th - Friday, March 29th - NO SCHOOL - Spring Break*

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**First day of school for 2019-20 school year is Monday, August 26th.** The School Board approved the calendar for the 2019-20 school year. Our first day of school will be Monday, August 26th, 2019. While the complete calendar for 2019-20 will not be available mid-March, we did want to let you know the first day of school so you can make your summer plans.

**In a very close match, AISN's Boy Soccer Team Beats AISN Staff:** Last Friday, our AISN staff put up a valiant fight against our high school boys' soccer team, but they were eventually overpowered by the younger players. It was a close match for the first 5 minutes before the high school students started dominating the court. While the final score wasn't officially recorded with FIFA, last count had it at 8-1. The match was good training for the team who will be playing in the West African International Schools Activities League (WAISAL) tournament in Dakar during April. *Congratulations to our high school team members: Khalid, Mohamed Ismail, Mohamed Juwara, Mahfoud, Leon, Ilya, Khalihilna, Moctar Dieng and Ahmed Saleck. And thank you to our staff that risked life and limb to take on our boys: Mr. Andrew, Mr. Papis, Mr. Sidi, Mr. Mensan, Mr. Djigo, Mr. Sidi Yahya, Mr. Alioune.*

**Elementary school soccer match with TLC:** On Monday, February 25th, our elementary students took on TLC in a friendly soccer match. While our students played well, they eventually fell 4-1. *Congratulations to Jaya for scoring AISN's goal and to all our players: Bedredine, Elijah, Charlie, Jiahe, Imaan, Jasmin, Vinciane, Jaya, Mariem H, Yantong, Soukeina and thanks to Ms. Basma for arranging the match.*

**Art Shirt Reminder:** In Art class students are currently painting a mural on a wall at the tennis court of the former American Embassy. Since they are working with oil-based paint, students have been asked to bring an old shirt to wear during this painting project to better protect their clothes. Students may leave the shirt in the Art room so they have it for the duration of the activity.

**Forms, forms, forms.....** If you have not returned your personal presentation letter and/or intentions to return for next year form, and/or emergency contact information, extra copies have been included in this week's Wednesday folder. Please make sure they are returned by Thursday, February 28th.

**College acceptances continue to arrive for our Seniors. Congratulations to our students that have been accepted to:** *In the US: California University of Pennsylvania, Drew University, George Mason University, Hult University - Boston, Saint John's University, Suffolk University. In the UK: Hallow University, Hartpury College, Hult University, London City University, Newcastle University.*

**Scholarship Money is also being awarded to our Seniors. Congratulations to our students who have been offered the followings scholarships:** *Academic Promise Scholarship (\$13,000), Legacy Scholarship (\$1,000)*