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A Premier Learning Institution

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Vision

SSIS is a Premier learning institution with national and international recognition developing lifelong learners and leaders with competencies, global perspectives and hearts of service in a culture of academic and values excellence.

Mission

We are committed to provide quality international education through the 5Cs: Competence, Character, Commitment to Achieve, Collaboration and Creativity.

We seek to develop lifelong learners and leaders.

We prepare learners to respond to the needs of the 21st century.

Theme of the Year

Understanding the Humanity Within through the 5Cs: Competence, Character, Commitment to Achieve, Collaboration and Creativity.

SSIS Basketball Varsity Team in Jakarta, Indonesia



Stonyhurst Southville International School congratulates our Basketball varsity team for a successful participation at the recently concluded Asian International Schools Activities Conference (AISAC). Our Basketball Varsity, together with some representatives from the Batangas Campus, flew to Indonesia on October 27 to join the league held in Jakarta. There were 7 teams that participated in the league. Representatives from the Philippines were Stonyhurst Southville International School and our sister school, Southville International School and Colleges, while Indonesia was represented by Global Jaya International School, Raffles International School, SWA International School, St. Laurensia International School, and Pembangunan Jaya International School.

The trip was a good experience for our students as they met new friends and learned better the value of discipline, teamwork, independence and fair play through their interaction, games, and other activities done with students from other international schools.

AISAC is an organization founded by Southville International School and Colleges (SISC) and Global Jaya International School (GJIS). GJIS, like SSIS is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) and offers the International Baccalaureate Program.

The AISAC was established with an objective of providing a cross-cultural experience to our students through sports. This year, the sports that are included are basketball, volleyball, and football.

Led by Coach, Julius Panaligan, the SSIS Basketball Varsity team is now preparing for the League of Southern Manila Schools (LSMS).



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Being Tolerant and Empathic

Talking to your children about tolerance and giving them examples of preferred behavior will help them appreciate the meaning of empathy.

Here are some tips on teaching children how to be tolerant and empathetic:

1. Answer honestly and with respect all kinds of children's questions about differences. Parents who want to teach their children tolerance must show respect for other people as well.
2. Be careful with the language you use. Children always learn from what they hear, so be careful when talking with different people. Do not make jokes that offend differences.
3. Be selective in choosing books, toys, music, art, and video for your children. Remind your children that all people should be treated the same even if mass media says otherwise.
4. Appreciate all kinds of differences in your own family members. Show children how to appreciate a difference in ability, interest, and style.
5. Inform your children that tolerance does not mean respect for bad behavior. Children should be told what kind of behavior should be rewarded and what should not be respected.

Thank you

The SSIS Student Council would like to thank everyone who had given donations for the victims of the recent typhoon that hit the country. The donations already reached Calumpit and Hagonoy, Bulacan through the help of our sister school, Southville International School and Colleges. We are truly grateful for your assistance and cooperation.

First Holy Communion on November 25, 2011

In response to the school's thrust in character formation and values excellence, Stonyhurst Southville International School includes in its annual activities the conduct of the First Holy Communion for its Catholic students which will be held on November 25, 2011 in Sto. Niño Parish Church. Consequently, we have students who are candidates to receive the Sacraments of Holy Communion and Confession. They come from Level 3.

Guided and mentored by the school's Director for Religious and Values Formation of SSIS Catholic Students, Mrs. Elsie Rabago, the preparations for the First Holy Communion shall immerse the children to catechism that will be conducted by Tr. Joli. Likewise, the students and their parents will also undergo recollection prior to their First Holy Communion.

Special Note:

The First Holy Communion is also offered to students from other levels who have not received the sacrament. Please inform Tr. Joli so that we can include your child in the preparations.

SSIS Student Council Organizes its 2nd Christmas Night Bazaar

In celebration of the Christmas Season, the SSIS Malarayat Student Council will be organizing its 2nd Christmas Night Bazaar, which is slated on December 2, 2011.

The bazaar is one of the school's entrepreneurial activity which is part of the requirements of the Business Course of Upper School, and the Math Class of Lower School. However, to make the event more exciting, we are inviting parents to participate as well, and bring their friends as we make it an open-house celebration.

A more detailed letter as how to register and join the bazaar will be given soon. But please do not hesitate to call us anytime for inquiries.

National Bookstore will be in SSIS for a week-long book fair on November 14-18, 2011. There will be a wide variety of books and school materials to choose from. The fair is open from 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. you may also bring friends with you who would like to visit and buy from the book fair.

SSIS Joins the Youth Leadership Training

Stonyhurst Southville Internaitonal School participates in the upcoming Youth Leadership Training that will be conducted through a series of activities by the Lipa City Community Affairs Office. The training will prepare the participants to the Youth Week Celebration from December 5-9, 2011, a much relevant and important event which will expose them to various learning experiences that can help in their total growth and development especially in the aspect of leadership.

The school will be represented by Yumi D. Tokoyo and Mary Eunice V. Lara from US III Argentina.

Antigs Won in Tae Kwon Do



Jose Carlos Antig, L4 South Korea and Amilia Elizabeth L. Antig added honor to the school as they won in the Region 4-A New Face of the Year Tae Kwon Do Championship held in SM City, Batangas on October 15, 2011.

Jose Carlos represented the Grade School Boys Novice Divison, Group II Category and Amilia Elizabeth participated in the Grade School Girls Novice I Division, Group I Category, where they won Silver and Bronze medals respectively. The Antig siblings currently train under Coach Randy Macaraig of the Power Haus Gym.

Congratulations! We are proud of you!

Soaring High at Five!

In February 2012, Stonyhurst Southville International School Malarayat Campus will celebrate its 5th year Foundation Anniversary. In a short space of time, we have seen the great and significant improvements of the school. From academics, school activities and programs, to facilities, we have soared high. For this reason this we will celebrate! Exciting activities and program await the entire community. Details will be released in the next few weeks.!

SGEN Applauds for Global achievers

SSIS congratulates Ms. Gwendolyn Ruais for winning the 1st runner-up title in the recently concluded Miss World competition held in London, United Kingdom.

Ms. Ruais is a graduate of Bachelor of Science in Business Management from the Southville Foreign University, sister school of SSIS and a part of the Southville Global Education Network (SGEN).

IMPORTANT DATES

November 14-18, 2011

National Bookstore Fair

November 16

Muffi Day

Theme: Book Character

November 17

First Communion Catechism

November 19

Recollection for students and Parents

(Participants of the First Holy Communion)

November 22-24

Second Term-2nd Long Test

Mr. Anthony Paul M. Calado
Head Master / Principal

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Student's Name

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Parent's Signature