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We are committed to provide quality international education through the 5Cs:

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RAFAEL LANDICHO dominates an International Competition

"There is really no secret for winning, but a consistent effort to train yourself to achieve more." Thus, Juan Rafael Landicho, a Sixth Grade Valiant Knight, emphasized after bagging the **Gold Award** in the International Teenagers Mathematical Olympiad (ITMO) held at Waterfront Insular Hotel in Davao City, November 8-12.



Landicho, Juan Rafael M.

Rafael Landicho received a Gold Award and defeated the other contestants from different countries in the Individual Competition. Moreover, he was part of the Red Team of the Key Stage 2 (Category for Grades 5-6 participants) which won the Champion in the Group Competition and First Runner up in the Team Contest.

Close to 500 contestants and coaches from 16 countries around the world arrived in Davao for the ITMO. The said event was participated in by delegates from Bulgaria, Cambodia, China, India, Indonesia, Iran, Malaysia, Mongolia, Nepal, South Africa, Russia, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam and the Philippines, according to Dr. Simon Chua, Chief Operating Officer of contest organizer Mathematics Trainers Guild Philippines (MTG).

Landicho highlighted that consistent training helped him a lot to achieve such numerous feats. He is attending the Mathematics Trainers Guild (MTG) at the Hope Christian School Manila and at the Arellano University.

"My mom also helped me a lot in preparing for the competition because she always tells me that relaxing my mind will help me to process information better," Landicho added.

BERNADETTE LANDICHO finishes ITMO with flying colors

Maria Bernadette Landicho, Fifth Grade Valiant Knight, bagged a Silver Award in the International Teenagers Mathematical Olympiad (ITMO) Parallel Session held at Rizal National High School, November 11.



Landicho, Ma. Bernadette M.

This competition was participated in by different students from the National Capital Region (NCR) and Southern Luzon.

JERICKO CARINGAL RECIEVES MERIT IN



Jose Jerikko Caringal, Fourth Grade Valiant Knight, showed his prowess in arts as he brought home the Sixth Place in the Cha-Ching Poster Making Competition held last November 26.

Along with the recognition that Jerikko received are a certificate and P3000.00 worth of cash prize awarded by Cha-Ching.

Cha-Ching is a financial literacy program developed to help instil money-smart skills in primary age children.



Caringal, Jose Jerikko C.

SSIS Batangas has a tie up with Cha-Ching which is integrated in the Financial Literacy Program of the school. The school aims to have positive attitudes towards making informed money decisions.

LET THE GAMES BEGIN!

The school would like to inform everyone that the opening of this year's Intramurals will be on November 21, 2017 and the Awarding Ceremonies will be on November 24, 2017. During the Opening Ceremonies on the first day, the parade of the different teams will be conducted as well as the search for Mr. and Ms. Intramurals 2017. Moreover, on November 22-23, the ball and board games will happen simultaneously. Futhermore, on the last day,



INTRAMURALS

the Finals will be done in the morning and the Awarding Ceremonies will begin in the afternoon.

In preparation for the big events, each team will meet on November 20 to settle the final list of players and to practice each team's cheer.

The Intramurals is just days away!

The intramurals shirt of the students are now available at the accounting office. We would like to emphasize that intramurals shirts are different from the payments of jerseys. Jerseys are initiatives of each team. Moreover, a letter will be given by the team captain together with the price of the jersey.

Intrams shirts will have to be worn on the opening on November 21, and on the closing on November 24, while color coded shirts will be worn on the other days. The students may wear any pair of shorts or jogging pants as long as the length of these do not violate existing rules on attire.



Ivan Cultura cops Silver in Taekwondo

John Ivan Cultura, a Sixth Grade Valiant Knight, fought the good fight and bagged a Silver medal in the 2017 Tagaytay City Age Group and Poomsae Taekwondo Championship held at the Tolentino Sport and Activity Center, in Tagaytay City, on November 11.

With six categories in the competition and with more than 30 participants/competitors, Cultura was able to prove that he is a tough player to defeat.

"Through constant practice, I was able to improve my skills in Taekwondo," Cultura claimed. This success is his third recognition in Taekwondo for this year.





SIT BACK, RELAX, AND ENJOY!

ECED SC IN-HOUSE MOVIE VIEWING

ECED Student Council Officers and their Moderator, Miss Erika Saguil, are inviting all the Valiant Knights and their parents and guardians to support their fund raising project. The ECED Student Council is going to have an in house Movie Viewing from November 21- November 24, 2017 at the Second Floor of the Northwing Building. The regular ticket costs P70.00 and the fee of P100.00 is for the ticket which is inclusive of popcorn and juice. For inquiries and reservations, please see Miss Erika Saguil.

The following are the schedule and the movies which will be shown on the said dates:

NOVEMBER 21

Extra Terrestrial 11:30-1:20
 The Karate Kid 11:30-1:00
 Nanny McPhee 1:30-1:20
 Air Bud 11:30-1:10

NOVEMBER 22

Eight Below 11:30-1:20
 Mr. Poppers Peguin 11:30-1:00
 Most Valuable Primate 1:30-1:20
 Elf 11:30-1:10

NOVEMBER 23

The Tooth Fairy 11:30-1:20
 Spy Kids 11:30-1:00
 Hachiko 1:30-1:20
 Marley and Me 11:30-1:10

NOVEMBER 24

Eight Below 11:30-1:20
 Mr. Poppers Peguin 11:30-1:00
 Most Valuable Primate 1:30-1:20
 Elf 11:30-1:10



THREE VALIANT KNIGHTS RECEIVE RECOGNITIONS IN ICAS

Once again, the Valiant Knights prove that their abilities to succeed in different fields are not limited.

In the recently concluded ICAS English, Alfonso Rafael Ofreneo, Sixth Grade Valiant Knight, received a **Distinction awards**. Moreover, Juan Rafael Landicho, Sixth Grade Valiant Knight, bagged a **Credit award** while his sister Maria Bernadette Landicho brought home a **Merit award**.



The ICAS English assesses reading and language skills in a range of contexts. The following aspects of texts are assessed and reported: reading for meaning in literary texts and factual texts, textual devices, syntax and vocabulary.

The First Holy Communion of the 27 Fourth Graders of SSIS is set on December 01, 2017, 9:00 a.m. at the Parish of the Most Holy Trinity. This sacrament is going to be facilitated by Msgr. Rafael "Boy" Oriondo.

All the Catholic students from Third Grade to Sixth Grade are invited to join the said activity. Moreover, the Non-Catholics are excused from this event and may not report to school anymore. This is going to be a half-day activity.

The Holy Communion or the Lord's Supper (among other names) is a Christian rite that is considered a sacrament in most churches and an ordinance in others. Holy Communion is the receiving of Jesus Christ in the sacrament of the Holy Eucharist.





PARENTING CORNER

**Help your child
develop sportsmanship**

The school would like to thank the overwhelming support of the parents in the First Term Student-Led Parents and Teachers Conference (PTC). Indeed, working hand-in-hand with the parents will contribute a lot in making the students achieve more.

After reaping the fruits of their hard work during the First Term, the students are going to take a break from academics and develop their skills in different sports events. Intramurals is just around the corner and instilling the value of sportsmanship to the kids is necessary.

The following are some ways on how you can develop sportsmanship among your children:

1. **Be your child's role model.** Offer praise and encouraging words for all athletes, including your child's opponents. Never openly berate, tease, or demean any child athlete, coach, or referee while attending a sporting event. When attending athletic events or watching them on TV with your child, refrain from criticizing or condemning athletes' performances.
2. **Identify your agenda.** Be honest with yourself about why you want your child to play organized sports. What do you want her to gain from the experience? Are your intentions based on providing her with pleasurable, social activities that develop a better sense of self-worth, skills, and sportsmanship? Or do you harbor dreams of her turning her topspin forehand into a collegiate scholarship, or riches and fame? A child's participation in sports and the importance attached to it should not be driven by a parent's desire to use her child's sports accomplishments for ulterior purposes.
3. **Set the rules.** It's ultimately your responsibility to teach your children good sportsmanship, both as a participant and as a spectator. If you observe your child engaged in poor sportsmanship, regardless of whether his coach corrects him or not, you must discuss your child's misbehavior and insensitivity with him after the game.

There's no great secret to teaching sportsmanship. We're the adults and the kids are watching. Set the example, and the ducklings will follow.

REFERENCES:
<https://www.familyeducation.com/life/good-sportsmanship/teaching-good-sportsmanship>
<http://activeforlife.com/teaching-sportsmanship-to-kids/>

IMPORTANT DATES

November 20

Values Convocation
Preparation of Teams for the Intramurals

November 21-24

Intramurals

November 25

Holy Communion Recollection for Students and Parents
Reading Marathon for Grade 2-Resourcefulness

November 18

Reading Marathon (Grade 2-Industry)

GROWTH MINDSET Quote of the Week

Not because you haven't found your talent yet, doesn't mean you don't have one.

VALUE

OF THE WEEK
Keeping Commitments
without being Pressured

GRIT Quote of the Week

"Never let the odds keep you from doing what you know in your heart you were meant to do."

- H. Jackson Brown Jr.

ANTHONY PAUL M. CALADO
Principal

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() I have received and read Students and Parents' Bulletin No. 17 A.Y. 2017-2018.

Student's Name

Level/Section

Parent's Signature