



Hay Al-Sharooq International School Keeping in touch...

Whole School Headlines: 06/12/18

NATIONAL PRIDE

On Monday, 19 November, Hay Al-Sharooq International School was deeply proud to celebrate the 48th National Day of Oman and the birthday of His Majesty Sultan Qaboos.

With weeks of rehearsals and preparation behind them, expectations were high when the special day came at last. The entire school community made a tremendous effort, regardless of nationality, to dress appropriately in dishdashi and kumma, and elements of national dress from various parts of Oman. To start proceedings, the whole School showed off their finery in a parade around the campus, after which parents and children took their sets in



the multi-purpose hall for the morning's entertainment. The programme was packed with music, performance and speeches from across the School and professional musicians from the Band Alajaial. Groups from KG2, Grades Two, Four, Seven, Eight and Nine performed, sang and danced. The Principal gave his

first public exhibition of his command of Arabic, and towards the end of the celebration, Grade Eleven student Wajdan Al-Habsi (pictured below) gave a particularly stirring rendition of a poem celebrating the Sultanate.

The proceedings ended with the presentation of prizes to the three successful artists who won the National Day poster competition. Congratulations to Najoud Al-Mahyijari who was the overall winner. We thank all those who took part, both as performers, organisers and supporters to create a day which was enjoyed greatly by one and all.



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EXAM SEASON

As the end of term approaches, examination season is upon us once again. Next week, all students from Grades One to Eight will take their seats in the exam halls to be put through their paces.

All exams during the following week will take place in the morning, following the exam timetable which has already been distributed by email. Learning Guides and revision material are accessible on the school website. Students may leave the school afterwards to revise at home, although support lessons will



carry on at School. Busses have been arranged to bring the children back home should they wish. **Please be aware that after-school**

clubs will not take place during this week.

Furthermore, in order to support their learning and preparation for their exam season to come in the next term, we are delighted to inform you that the students in Grades Ten, Eleven and Twelve students will be the first to receive their school iPads. This new equipment can be used in class and at home to access material supplied over Skolaro, our virtual learning environment and help facilitate use of educational apps and conduct research on-line.

We wish all the students the best of luck with their examinations, and look forward to gaining more insight into their progress to date.

GRADE 11 SUPPORT RECORD-BREAKING BLOOD DRIVE



HASIS has a new trophy in the cabinet, and this is entirely down to the efforts and involvement of our Grade Eleven students in the National Blood Drive which took place on 27 November.

From 8.30 am to 5 pm, our students volunteered their time in the Sur Hospital to support the record-breaking attempt to gather the more blood in just eight hours than ever before. The students were tasked to help medical professionals receive and register the details of those members of the public who came to give blood.

Over the course of the day, five thousand, five hundred and fifty-five individuals gave blood, which both brought the record to Oman, but also gathered much needed supplies of blood for the hospital. HASIS was the only school involved in the Blood Drive from the Sur community, and we are very grateful for the effort and involvement of all the students.





The next two weeks at HASIS...

	Fri 7		
	Sat 8		
WEEK 13 Dec	Sun 9	07:20-07:30 15:00-15:30	Internal Examination Week – Grades One to Eight No After School Activities this week Flag Raising Assembly, <i>AstroTurf</i> Staff Briefing and notices, <i>Multi-Purpose Hall</i>
	Mon 10	07:20-07:30 14:30-15:30	Flag Raising Assembly, <i>AstroTurf</i> Housemasters and Housemistress meeting, <i>Conference Room</i>
	Tues 11	07:20-07:50 15:00-17:00	Flag Raising Assembly, <i>AstroTurf</i> Senior Leadership Team, <i>Boardroom</i>
	Wed 12	07:20-07:30 15:00-15:45 19:00-20:30	Flag Raising Assembly, <i>AstroTurf</i> Whole Staff Training, <i>Multi-Purpose Hall</i> Curriculum Evening: Communication, Welfare and Behaviour Manage-
	Thurs 13	07:20-07:40	Flag Raising Assembly (all students), <i>AstroTurf</i>
	Fri 14		
	Sat 15		
WEEK 14 Nov	Sun 16	07:20-07:30 Various 15:00-15:30	After School Activities Recommence Flag Raising Assembly, <i>AstroTurf</i> <i>House Matches, Sports Hall</i> P1 and 2 – G1 P4 and 5– G2 Staff Briefing and notices, <i>Multi-Purpose Hall</i>
	Mon 17	07:20-07:30 Various	Flag Raising Assembly, <i>AstroTurf</i> <i>House Matches, Sports Hall</i> P1 – G8 Girls P3 and 4 – G3 P7 – G7 Girls
	Tues 18	07:20-07:30 07:20-08:00 Various 15:00-17:00	Flag Raising Assembly (Grades Four to Twelve), <i>AstroTurf</i> House Assembly (Grades One to Three), <i>Multi-Purpose Hall</i> <i>House Matches, Sports Hall</i> P1 and 2– G4 P4 – G7 Boys Senior Leadership Team, <i>Boardroom</i>
	Wed 19	07:20-07:30 Various 15:00-15:30	Flag Raising Assembly, <i>AstroTurf</i> <i>House Matches, Sports Hall</i> P2 – G6 Girls P4 – G8 Boys P6 and 7 – G5 Boys Whole Staff Training, <i>Multi-Purpose Hall</i>
	Thurs 20	07:20-07:30 Various 10:30-12:10 12:30	Flag Raising Assembly, <i>AstroTurf</i> <i>House Matches, Sports Hall</i> P1 – G6 Girls P2 – G9, 10 and 11 Boys – Outdoors P2 – G9, 10 and 11 Girls – Sports Hall Whole School End of Term Assembly, <i>Multi-Purpose Hall</i> Student Departure (Busses and Car Collection)
	Fri 21		
	Sat 22		

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