Leaving ISA? We would love your feedback using this short <u>form</u>; it should only take 5 minutes and will help us improve as a school. Thank you!

14 June

- 1. Leavers files. Please follow these instructions to transfer all your files to a personal Google Account. Your ISA account will be disabled on 1 August. See IT for assistance.
- 2. Language Trips. Last week this letter went out to Grade 8, 9 and 10 families.

13 June

- 1. Grade 5 Celebration Assembly. Starts Promptly at 8.30am in the QET.
- 2. **Library books** please make sure you and your child have returned all overdue library books, and paid for any lost book fees. All students/parents who are continuing at ISA next year are welcome to borrow library books over the holiday. The library will close at 11am on Thursday, and reopen at the start of the next school year.
- 3. Youth Philanthropy Initiative. Last week, this letter went out to Grade 9 families.
- 4. Language Trips. Last week this letter went out to Grade 10 families.
- 5. **LOST PROPERTY ON DISPLAY TODAY!** Current lost property will be on display this afternoon 2.45-3.30pm at the student entrance to school. Come by and reclaim your lost items before the summer break. Our online service will close at 3pm on Monday 13th June. Anything found thereafter will still be available for self collection from the lost property shelves until the end of the school year. As usual, unclaimed items are donated to AberNecessities.

10 June

- 1. Virtual Coffee with the Head of School. 10am. Link <u>here.</u> Feel free to join us for an open chat feel free to ask questions about why and how we do things.
- 2. Last Day. Thursday 16 June, 11am school ends.
- 3. **Portuguese home language class** we are looking at offering this weekly class after school next year, for students who already speak the language at home. It would be taught by an external tutor, for an additional fee. Please email Luizaluizazoratti@gmail.com if you are interested. More information about our home language classes here

9 June

- 1. **IB Introduction Day.** Yesterday, this letter went out to Grade 10 families.
- 2. **Business Office.** Please ensure you have paid all fees including lunch accounts etc in full by 14 June to ensure all end of year reports are released.
- 3. **Canteen.** Please remember that lunch accounts must be kept in credit at all times.

8 June

1. Language trips. Grades 8,9 and 10 families, please fill in this <u>form</u> if you are interested in trips to France and Spain taking place in January 2023.

7 June

1. **Elaine Knowles' retirement:** If you would like to write a message of well wishes for Elaine, there are notelets in reception. If you would like to contribute to a retirement gift for her, please use this paypal <u>link</u> or you can give cash to Carol. Please complete these by Friday 10th June.

6 June

- 1. PTO Meeting. This morning, 9.30am to 10.30am. Join via this link.
- 2. Message from the Newburys. Please follow this link.
- 3. Yearbooks have arrived. If you ordered one contact Zou Fraser for pick up details.
- **4. Summer of Code.** DressCode UK is running a summer coding contest for secondary school aged students. Plenty of prizes to be won! The last date for entry submissions is July 31. Visit this link or email Shashi Krishna for more details.

27 May

- 1. Middle School Volleyball. Next wednesday is the last day.
- 2. Head of School Virtual Coffee. Cancelled today.
- 3. **ISA 50th Anniversary Garden:** We need your help! A group of ISA staff and students are currently creating a garden design for a 50th Anniversary Garden. We would love to involve parents with horticultural/landscaping or CAD expertise to help us with the design. If you would be interested in joining us please email smcwhirr@isa.aberdeen.sch.uk.

26 May

1. **Library Books.** Please ensure your family return all library items by TOMORROW. Families who are continuing at ISA next year can then check out new library books for the summer holiday - anything checked out from 30th May onwards will be due back at the start of the new year in August. More information here

25 May

- 1. September Field Trip. This letter went to Grade 11 families yesterday.
- 2. Circuit class. Thursdays 07:00-07:50 (Large gym). For staff and Grades 11 and 12

24 May

- 1. University Research Workshop. This letter went out to Grade 10 parents yesterday.
- 2. Author Visit. Kasia Matajasek is visiting Preschool today more information here
- 3. **Retirement.** Elaine Knowles is retiring at the end of this school year, after 26 years at ISA. We are planning a few different tributes for her, and would like to invite you to be involved if your child was her student. Please complete this <u>form</u> by Friday 27th May. If you would like to contribute to a retirement gift for her, please use this paypal <u>link</u>

- 4. **Food Drive.** May 23 to 27. To help ensure that those without a home or those with a reduced income can eat, please send the following foods to school with your kids: Canned food, bread and other baked goods, biscuits, Snack foods (crisps, dried fruits, nuts, Juice, Precooked packaged pasta (avoid dry pasta). Thank you for all your help!
- 5. **Elementary Spring Concert.** Information here. Live Stream Link

23 May

- 1. **Next Year Intentions.** To help with our planning for next academic year, and if you haven't already, please complete the 'Intention Form 2022-2023'. If you are definitely withdrawing at the end of this academic year please ensure that you have completed the withdrawal form by logging into the Powerschool parent portal and have followed the Leaving procedure.
- 2. **Mile Run (Grades 6 to 10).** Tomorrow 8.30 9.30am. Lower Pitch. Students should come to school in trainers. Parents welcome to cheer them on.
- 3. PTO PRIORITIES! Thank you to everyone who came forward to join the PTO! We couldn't achieve all that we do without your commitment. The PTO are now seeking applicants for President and or VP, Fundraising Coordinator and Booster Coordinator as a priority! If you are thinking about getting more involved pop over to the PTO Hub here for further information or email the PTO directly. Alternatively complete our PTO Board application here. Research suggests that volunteers aren't just helping the communities they serve, they actually experience a BOOST IN THEIR OWN MENTAL HEALTH!

Novius energy - a portal to monitor usage AES solar - getting quotes. Doing a feasibility study. 0% interest loans are available. Filling in cavities with foam -

A valve that switches - can turn off the heating without the water Heat tech and combustion services

Heat source pump - geothermal.

Galetech specialise in historic granite buildings.

Filming all the windows - just the panes.

Tim Groves at Bursarnet.

Share bus routes Stonehaven train - pick up from the station. Mornings only?

Child protection committee meets in June.

Ukranian pupil support.

Where we have space for one year then pays. Only current Gordon's families. Admissions around social and emotional wellbeing and level of language. PTO paying for the extras. Redraffted the enrollment agreement so it is fixed term. Translations to Ukranian.

Friday 3 March - results day

2023 - 24 term dates.

ACAS harrassment training