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# Academic News

### **Celebrating Different Nationalities!** As part of the weekly Peers Together class, Ms. Boyd brainstormed with 4B1 and

4B2 what the word "diversity" evokes. The students identified the nationalities that were present in the class and in their families. They divided into groups to research the culture, characteristics and customs, of each country. Every student made a passport to "travel around the world" during group exhibitions and noted what caught their attention most from each place. Conversations naturally emerged about respect for differences and due tolerance. What a beautiful way to apprehend values!

Ms. Kimberly Suárez is our new Secondary Student Services Secretary. One thing she loves most about BVS is the community. From the very first day, colleagues, students, and parents have made her feel welcome. Outside of work, Kimberly enjoys practicing mixed martial arts, going out with friends, and dancing! We are excited to have her as part of our team!

Meet Ms. Kimberly Suárez





## Forming Citizens Wednesday September 26th in Sala Magna

### Under the direction of Ms. Zelaya, Ms. Cisneros, and Ms. Ortega, we will hold a conversation among representatives from Student Council (legislative and executive branches), National Honors Society, and National Junior Honors

Society. This forum will be a hands-on, democratic exercise for secondary students. We will have Facebook live streaming.

Parents



## Report Card Day Friday, September 28th

#### Meetings with teachers from 12:30pm - 3:30pm All students will be dismissed at 11:40am, except Montessori children who do not

come to school on this day because their guides meet with parents all day. Preparatory: Parents who would like an oral report must ask doña Elza for an appointment with the teacher.

grades lower than 70%; in this case, parents must pick them up in school. Parents who would like to meet with a teacher, please ask doña Elza for an appointment.

• <u>1A to 5B</u>: Students will take their report cards home unless they have

Parents who do not make an appointment may come and wait for their space in the teacher's agenda. Please avoid taking teacher's lunch periods from 11:40am to 12:30 pm. <u>Middle School and High School</u>: Students will take their report cards home unless they have grades lower than 70%; in such case, parents

must pick them up in school. It's a first-come-first-served service with the different teachers. Kimberly Suarez will program any meetings with the counselors upon parents' demand.

To receive the report cards, tuition payments must be up to date. Rainy Season Break



#### Vacation! Admissions and Finance will be open during regular office hours.

## school on a regular schedule.

Monday, October 1st to Friday, October 5th

"Yo Humano"

Monday October 1st to Saturday October 6th, from 9:00am to 6:00pm, at BVS

Kindly take note that BVS does not have a day off on October 12th; children come to



### Open to the public General price: $\mathbb{Z}$ 3,500; free of cost for the elderly and BVS students.

#### "Yo Humano" is the largest anatomy exhibition in Central America; with 200 pieces displayed under the modern technique of plastination. This museum allows the observer to travel inside the human body. It is a wonderful experience for academic

and educational purposes. We feel honored to host this amazing exhibit on our

campus. A percentage of the funds earned will go towards the "Fundación Cadena Mayor". Vanessa Barboza, in accounting, will be available during regular office hours (Monday-Friday) to provide tickets for our students. Click here for a video about the experience. **UBER** 



### Parents interested in having their children use UBER must complete an authorization form. You may request the form at the reception desk of our administration building or high school student services. No student will be able to leave the school in UBER

### unless pre-approved. For your decision regarding this service, we recommend reading this <u>article</u>.

Secondary

**BVS Bus Shuttle Service** 12:05pm and 2:20pm

We have spaces available in the shuttles that go to Multiplaza and Construplaza. This service is free as long as the student uses it a minimum of 4 days a week. For more



# information, please contact Virginia Molina.

A Date With Art!

Wednesday, October 10th at 6pm We cordially invite you to attend and enjoy our upcoming IB Art Exhibition. Click here for details.



### Saturday, October 13th, 11:30am-1:00pm, Sala Magna Open to general public We are honored to host this event. Click <u>here</u> to register for this event in advance.

Seating is limited.

**Exploring College Options** 

More College Visits Click here for schedule.

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Every Inspired summer camp shares the same values, but offers completely different experiences which are unique, inspiring, and unforgettable. Click here to see all options.

The trip was postponed to this new date to avoid risks on account of the strike.



## Social Studies Field Trip Thursday November 1st to Saturday November 3rd

## Field Trips Click here for this week's schedule.

Inspired Global Camps: Extraordinary Experiences!

All Things Delicious! Click here for the cafeteria menu. Get to know our cafeteria, click <u>here</u> for more details.



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Montessori A: Nutrition Montessori B-C: **Nutrition for plants** Enrichment: Costa Rican painters: Rafa Fernández, Fabio Herrera, and

Adrián Gómez Report Card Day Friday, September 28th

Meetings with teachers can be scheduled from 7:30am to 11:40am and from

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Come and enjoy our IB TOK presentations. Food for thought! Click here for more

12:30pm to 3:30pm. Please call doña Elza for an appointment.



# A<sup>2</sup> Academics & Activities



## Join the Marching Band!

**TOK Presentations** 

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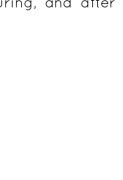
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Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursday, 2:20pm-3:20pm, Cafeteria. Prep A - 12A We are still looking for students to join the marching band. Boys and girls are welcome. Students don't have to be skilled, just have a good attitude and be

willing to learn something new! Contact Ms. Adriana Cordero for more



GO ARMADILLOS!



## Remember to use sunblock and stay well hydrated before, during, and after any physical activity.



## **Upcoming Games Schedule** Click here for schedule.

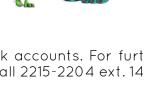
Safety First!

## Movie Night Fundraiser

3rd-5th grade **Important: Payment Options** 

Thursday, September 27th at 5:30pm in the Sala Magna

Starting October 1st We will no longer receive payments to our Scotiabank accounts. For further information, please email cobros@bluevalley.ed.cr or call 2215-2204 ext. 145.



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