



## April Calendar

1-7	March Fees paid at Eastern Bank
7	End of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter
9	Volleyball Day
10	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter begins
13	Progress Reports issued
14	<i>NO SCHOOL</i> - Bengali New Year
16, 17, 19	Senior Projects
19-21	ACSI Accreditation Team at WCA
24-25	<i>NO SCHOOL</i> -Easter Break
28	MS Talent Show
30	Inter-School Chess Tournament
May 1	<i>NO SCHOOL</i> —May Day

### I. Debate

We are grateful for the opportunity to join the annual Drishti Debate competition in Chittagong. It was held this past weekend, and we were able to send a team consisting of Sareem Alam, Sadia Islam, and Rashed Rahman. Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> April, the event was held at Kaptai and we thank Dr. Prince and Mrs. Rahman for going along with the team and helping them out. The team both won and lost and, though they were close, did not make the finals. Sadia was adjudged best speaker for one of the debates. Nonetheless, we are proud of them for representing our school in this way.

### II. Progress Reports

As the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter comes to a close, we want to encourage all of our students to finish strong. There is one quarter remaining in the school year, so all students should work hard to stay focused as the hotter days come upon us. Seniors will also be preparing for their AP Exams, which will be the first week of May.

### III. Senior Projects

Senior Projects are coming this month just as they do every April. Our Seniors work hard in presenting problems and solutions to

some of this country's most pressing needs. These projects are always interesting and thought-provoking. We encourage the underclassmen to attend some of the presentations since they too will be presenting in the future. Parents are always welcome to attend as well. A separate notice will go home later this month with the times and titles of the presentations.

### IV. Fun Fair Fundraising

We thank our extended WCA family every year for their help and contributions to our Fun Fair that happened at the end of January. This year we were able to raise over 1.48 lakh Taka profit, which will be used to continue to upgrade the school computer labs and music department. Thank you again for all of your donations and money spent at the Fun Fair!

### V. WCA Chess Tournament

The first annual WCA Chess tournament was held on 2 April for students from Class 3 to 12. The top 5 winners in each age category will compete in an inter-school chess tournament at the end of this month.

### VI. Congratulations, Mrs. Chaman!

The Manusher Jonno Foundation recently published a book celebrating famous women of Bangladesh who have contributed something significant in the last 100 years. These women were from many sectors: business, education, law, politics, the arts, etc. It is very exciting to note that one of the women chosen for the "Arts" section was our very own art teacher, Mrs. Niloofur Chaman. Congratulations, Mrs. Chaman, we are proud of you.

### VII. Thank you, PHP Group!

We would like to thank the PHP Group for the exciting Cricket World Cup event that they sponsored for our students. Thanks for the cool caps!