



**SINGAPORE  
INTERNATIONAL  
SCHOOL**  
*Since 1986*

### IN THIS ISSUE

- **Message from the Principal**
- **Outward Bound Vietnam**
- **Message from the Deputy Principal**
- **Christmas Charity Fair**
- **Teachers Day**
- **Upcoming Events Calendar**



OBV Activities

### VISION

To be an educational institution of excellence from Kindergarten to University Foundation level combining Eastern Values with an International education to produce global citizens.

### MISSION

To provide quality educational programmes in a creative and challenging learning environment, embracing innovative teaching pedagogies to empower every student to become a life-long learner.

### Message from the Principal

Our Year 4 and 5 students have just completed their Outward Bound Vietnam Program. To say that they were excited is something of an understatement. Each of them had decided to undertake a major challenge, by leaving the comfort of their homes and families, by stepping outside of the boundaries of their everyday school life and by taking on new tasks that they had never tried before. In accepting this challenge we hope that each student has grown in self-confidence, self-reliance, and self-belief. Our OBV program is a big challenge for our parents too! We recognize that it is a big moment for parents to step back and allow their children to take these major steps towards independence. It requires a lot of trust and confidence in their ability to look after themselves. We hope that this first experience of Outward Bound Vietnam has not been their last. We believe that these kinds of experiences provide wonderful opportunities for young people to grow as individuals and as members of a team. I hope you had a great time together!

### Outward Bound Vietnam

Our Grade 4 and Grade 5 students had a great, energetic time participating in the OBV program. They played a variety of games that strengthened their teamwork, self-confidence and leadership skills. They participated in activities that helped them grow their strength of character and determination to succeed in the classroom and beyond. We are so proud of our students and teachers that took part in this program.





English Olympics Club

### Message from the Deputy Principal

It is with great pleasure that I get to congratulate our students for their hard work in English. We have several students, chosen by their teachers, who have shown excellent progress in the English language. These students are now preparing for the chance to claim one of the competing spots in the English Olympics Competition.

#### Year 4B

Nguyen Ngoc Minh Quan

#### Year 4C

Pham Le Nhat Nam

#### Year 5B

Tran Bao An Thu

Tran Duc

Nguyen Thi Ha Anh

Dao The Anh

Dao Ba Khoi

#### Year 5C

Hoang Ba Nghia

Nguyen Nam Khanh

Nguyen Quoc Trong

Dang Minh Chau

Truong Ha Anh



# CHRISTMAS FAIR

### Christmas Charity Fair

SIS @ Van Phuc will be teaming up with Hanoi Towers and holding our annual Christmas Charity Fair on Saturday 8th of December from 9:00 am – 11:30 am. Parents are encouraged to come join in on the fun. Our students, teachers and staff are busy planning for the event. The chosen charity this year will be "Operation Smile, Vietnam." This wonderful charity is dedicated to transforming the lives of children who are born with facial deformities. We look forward to seeing you all on the 8th.

### Upcoming Events Calendar

- December 08 : Christmas Charity Fair
- December 13 : Christmas Concert
- December 17 - January 01 : Christmas break
- January 02 : Return to school

### Teachers Day

On November 20, we celebrated Teacher's Day. It was so nice for our teachers to be recognized by parents and students for their hard work and dedication to teaching. Our teachers were very touched by kind words, flowers, cards and gifts as a special honor to them on this day. Thank you for taking the time from your busy schedules to share this day with our teachers. We are very thankful and appreciate all of your support for our school and making our teachers feel special on this day.



Teachers Day