

LS DRAGON BULLETIN

SCIS Mission: To develop inquiring, knowledgeable and caring learners who contribute positively to their communities.

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Important Dates

October Break - Oct. 2-6

Professional Development Day - Oct. 9 (no school for students)

UN International Day - Oct 20

International Food Fair - Oct 21

Important Contacts

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Our Room Parents working with Ms. O'Brien to decide how to best serve our students.

The PYP- Janette Haggith

In last week's Dragon News we talked about Action in the PYP. Here are six ways students may demonstrate action:

Being – Have you BEEN a different person? Changed your behaviors? Been more patient? More respectful?

Feeling – Have you FELT differently? Empathized? Loved? Felt inspired? Worried? Admired?



PAFA Connect

Market Day, Oct. 12,
11:30-2:30, HQ Main
Campus Courtyard

International Food Fair
(IFF), Oct. 21, 11:00-3:00,
HQ Main Campus Field

PAFA General Meeting,
November 30, 11
am, HQ Main
Campus

Holiday Market,
November 25, HQ
Main Campus
Courtyard

PAFA Contacts

Jo Garvey and Chiara Ghidoni



Doing – Have you DONE something? Given? Helped? Picked up?
Turned off?

Thinking – Have you THOUGHT differently? Changed your mind?
Wondered? Inquired?

Having – Do you HAVE more of something? More knowledge?
Respect? Care? Determination?

Saying – Have you SAID something? Explained? Informed? Told?
Discussed? Debated? Asked? Thanked?

Please share any action your child demonstrates at home from what
they are learning in class with your child's teacher.

School Photos Are Ready

Simply go to:

www.intlphotography.com

Use the password: **scishq0917**

Within the galleries you will find links to both your Individual
School Photos. Galleries are organized by Grade and Teacher/
Advisor/Homeroom. All online orders will be shipped to your
school for distribution. Please provide your full name (name on
passport) when prompted on final order page.

**ORDER TODAY! Prints Only Available Through October
15th 2017. (Digital Downloads will still be available after the
date above).**

United Nations International Day

We invite Parents to our SCIS HQ-Main's United Nations
International Day celebration on October 20, 2017!

The parade begins at 8:15 am on the field, and is followed by
speakers and student performances.

We are seeking student speakers and performers from the
Upper and Lower Schools. We encourage the community
members to find ways to bring our UN International Day into
our classrooms and learning. We have four topics on which we
will be focusing this year: Peace; TOGETHER to promote
respect, safety and dignity for refugees and migrants; The

Universal Declaration of Human Rights article 26.2: The Right to Education; Sustainable Tourism for Development.

If you are a parent who is interested in speaking about any of this year's topics, please contact Vice Principals Kristie O'Brien (kobrien@scis-china.org) or Lennox Meldrum (lmeldrum@scis-china.org)

International Food Fair, October 21, HQ Main Campus. 11am to 3pm

Pre-sale for IFF tickets begins today! ECE and Lower School students will bring home envelopes with order forms. Check their book bags! Parents can order packets of 11 tickets for RMB 100. **Please return the envelopes to school by October 13.**

There are 20 regions/countries participating at this year's IFF. There will be music, performances, cuisines from all over the world and games! Voucher books will be sold at ¥100 for 11 tickets. Come and enjoy the wonderful fair with your family and friends!

EAT, VOTE to Win! Everyone will be invited to play the game at the fair — "Fav Of The World Friendly". There's a ballot in each voucher book sold. Please fill in your info on the ballot and vote for your favorite dish among all the participating dishes at IFF. We will draw a number of lucky names out of the winning dish's box to win prizes!

The money PAFA raises from IFF is used for extra-curricular and enrichment activities for SCIS students and families. And, a portion of the proceeds will go to Heart to Heart. This is a Shanghai based charity which provides corrective surgeries to Chinese children from all over China with congenital heart defects whose parents are unable to afford the surgery. For more info go to www.h2hsh.com.

We are pleased to announce that we are taking part in the Giving Tree 2017!

The recipients of the Giving Tree are students at migrant schools in Shanghai and nearby provinces who live in basic conditions, learn in large class sizes with with limited resources, and whose families often struggle to meet basic needs.

It's easy to get involved! Giving Tree provides us with empty bags, information on each recipient (age, height, favorite color, preferred gift/toy), and arranges a ceremony where the bags are distributed at the school. The goal of the program is to inspire the children to pay it forward.

In October, you will have the opportunity to give back to China by filling a bag with school supplies for a child. More information will be sent out after the break with information about how you can be involved in changing children's lives.

For more information about Giving Tree, please visit www.communitycenter.cn/givingtree.