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VICE-PRINCIPAL'S ARTICLE

CHOOSING A ROLE MODEL: INSIGHTS FOR PARENTS

Having a role model may have a significant influence on a child's growth and development. A positive role model can inspire and guide children to navigate life's challenges, build self-esteem and confidence, and learn valuable life skills such as perseverance, resilience, and empathy. Children who have someone to look up to are more likely to make wise decisions and work hard to attain their goals. Furthermore, a role model may help children acquire a sense of purpose and direction, which is essential for their academic and life success.

Choosing a role model for your child is a critical decision that can have long-term impact on their development. When considering role models, it's important to look for individuals who embody qualities that align with your values as a parent. Consider, "What qualities do I want my child to emulate?", "What message do I want my children to take away from the narrative of their role model?"

As an educator, I have seen children struggle with finding positive role models. Some are drawn to popular celebrities or athletes, while others look up to family members or peers who may not be the ideal influences. This is why it is important for parents to have open and honest conversations with their children about what makes a good role model and to help them identify individuals who embody those traits.

Nadia Nadim is one individual who I feel is a good role model for children, especially girls. Nadia's story is one of incredible perseverance and determination. She was born in Afghanistan during a time of enormous unrest, and her family had to flee the country when she was 11 years old due to the oppressive regime of the Taliban. After a dangerous journey, they arrived in Denmark, where Nadia began playing football as a way to cope with the difficulties of her new life.

Despite the challenges she faced, Nadia never gave up on her dream of becoming a professional football player. She worked hard and soon grabbed the attention of scouts from a local club, where she began playing at a high level. From there, she continued to excel in her sport, eventually earning a spot on the Danish national team and playing for some of the world's best clubs. Nadia has scored nearly 200 goals in professional football and represented the Danish national team on 98 occasions.

What makes Nadia a good role model is not just her athletic accomplishment, but also the qualities she embodies that make her a positive influence on young people. Aside from being a fantastic footballer, she understands the value of education. Unbeknownst to many, Nadia is a qualified reconstructive surgeon, who also happens to speak nine languages. She was named the Dane of the Year 2017 for her off-the-field humanitarian work in promoting education, gender equality and advocating for other refugees throughout the world. She was ranked No. 20 on Forbes' "Most Powerful Women in International Sports" list.

Nadia's story is not just about football; it's about overcoming adversity, standing up for what is right, and the importance of education. She is an example of a role model who may inspire and motivate children to be the greatest versions of themselves. We can help our children develop into confident, responsible, and successful persons by presenting them with great role models who represent traits we respect and value.





VICE-PRINCIPAL'S ARTICLE

Let us work together as parents and educators to help our children find the right role models and to support them in their path to success.



Nadia Nadim

Shared by:

Shirin Salleh Vice-Principal





HUMBEE AY 2022 - 2023

HumBee AY22-23 has come to an end!

Last Monday, April 10, 2023, we celebrated the awarding ceremony for our most exciting lower secondary humanities competition, HumBee.

During the second edition of Humbee, which was conducted on 28 November until 10 March, we saw how the teams came together to show mastery of their geography and history skills. All in all, they were challenged to demonstrate teamwork and have fun at the same time.

During the first round, students went through several games like Kahoot and Jeopardy to solve different tests and riddles. The excitement of the final rounds was witnessed by all of the Y7 and Y8 cohorts during the semifinal and final celebrations. During the second round, we celebrated on a platform called 'Geoguessr', and introduced the kids to ancient civilizations such as Rome and others involved in the Silk Road. Students were presented with different videos and maps where they had to find clues spread over different places to find their accurate location. Striving for accuracy, gathering information through all senses and communicating with clarity and precision are the three Habits of Mind that the HumBee Committee tried to tap into continuously during the event. All students were motivated to practice for success.

After these breathtaking and stimulating sets of tests and games, we are proud to announce the winners for this HumBee Second Edition:

In third place, we have 'TEG' from Y8I, consisting of Brendan Hartono, Joshua Ephraim Liu, Maxell Taniwan, and Nathaniel So.

In second place, we have the Green Trio' from Y8A, composed of Amanda Kaela Affandy, Kief Kurniawan, and Yi Jia Navarro Ng.

And finally, this year's overall winners are The Chair' from Y7P, consisting of Abraham John Susanto, Dexter Torano Tjoa, and Nicholas Haskell.

Our sincere congratulations to all, winners and participants for their great effort shown during this exciting competition. We look forward to seeing you next year with more exciting games and surprises.

Mr Jorge Robles Ariza

HumBee PIC on behalf of the HumBee Committee.





HUMBEE AY 2022 - 2023 GALLERY











SC: PROM 2023

On the 8th of April 2023, the Student Council hosted Prom for Y7-Y12 students. The aim was to celebrate the accomplishments and achievements of the graduating Y12 students. The theme for this year is 'Floating Lights'.



Sticking to the 'Tangled' inspired theme, the ballroom at Goodrich Hotel was swathed in rich purple fabrics and twinkling lights. Outside the ballroom, participants were greeted with a message board, allowing them to leave messages and well wishes for the commencing and graduating batch. Inside, two swirling staircases led upstairs to a balcony, where an elaborate buffet was laid out for students to enjoy.

At 6:00 pm, the doors opened to allow the excited participants to enter the whimsical setting. Everyone was dressed to impress, from regal dresses to elegant tuxedos. Excited chatter filled the room, melding with the beautiful music playing in the background. As everyone chose their seats at the long table decorated with flowers and candles, the light dimmed, signalling the official start of the event.

After a warm welcome from the Student Council, participants were free to mingle and enjoy their time. Many chose to enjoy the free amenities provided, such as the photo booth, where they could capture precious memories of this magical evening. Participants were also encouraged to vote for the winners of the following awards: Prom King & Queen, Best Bromance, Best Dress, and Best Suit.



As everyone settled down, the winners of the long-awaited awards were announced. From the beautiful outfits of Gracelyn Atmadja and Joshua Sundojo to the Best Bromance winners, Denzel Mardjuki and Stuart Tioniwar. Every award was met with great applause and much cheerful laughter.

Finally, the long-awaited winners of the Prom King & Queen were announced. The winners, Callista Gandha and Viggo Sugih were presented with matching crowns and sashes.



As the night grew old, many of NationalHigh's talented students stepped up to perform songs and duets, accompanied by instruments, signaling the perfect end to the evening.

As Rapunzel from the Tangled movie once said, this was indeed the 'Best Day Ever'. As Hook Hand from Tangled once said, 'Go, live your dream'. All the best to the graduating and commencing batch of 2023!

Shared By: Chelsea Sianandar (Y10T)





TORONTO UNIVERSITY VISIT

The University of Toronto brought a taste of the business world to NHJS with their Shark Tank and Apprentice-style workshop, igniting the entrepreneurial spirit in our future leaders!



BUILDING A STRONGER COMMUNITY THROUGH PARTNERSHIP AND COLLABORATION

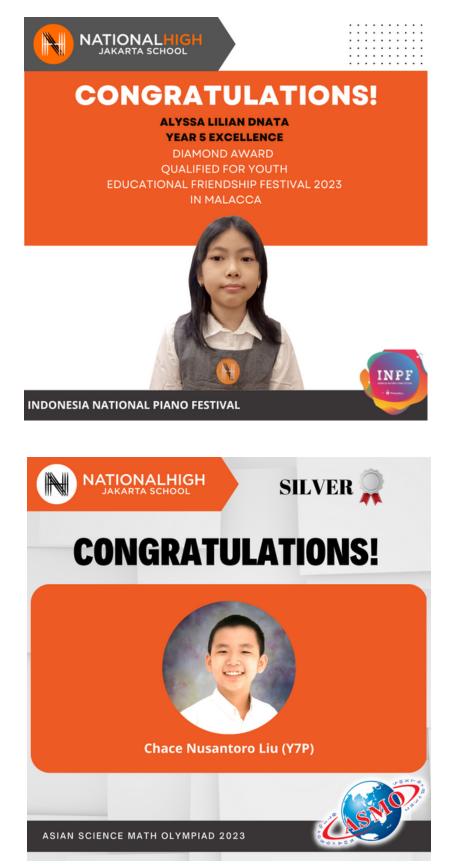
Our heartfelt appreciation goes to **PT. SUMBER ANEKA KARYA ABADI** for their unwavering support in our teaching and learning. Their generosity and commitment will significantly impact our students' academic progress. Wishing you continued success!







ACKNOWLEDGEMENT







ANNOUNCEMENT

Change in Cuti Bersama Dates Hari Raya Idul Fitri 2023

With reference to Surat Keputusan Bersama (SKB) Perubahan Hari Libur Nasional (Harlibnas) dan Cuti Bersama 2023, which we received from the Indonesian Government on 29 March 2023, please note that the dates for Cuti Bersama (Joint Leave) Hari Raya Idul Fitri 2023 have been rescheduled to 19 April 2023 (Wednesday) until 25 April 2023 (Tuesday).

We understand that this change may cause inconvenience to families who have already made plans based on the original Cuti Bersama dates. Therefore, we have decided to conduct home-based learning on 26 April 2023 (Wednesday) to accommodate the students.

In case any student is unable to attend the home-based learning, they can access the recorded lessons and learning materials from the Google Classroom to help them catch up with the day's lessons.

For students who will be sitting for the CAIE AS Level Global Perspectives & Research examination on 26 April 2023, the examination will proceed as planned.





