



Message from the Principal - Toddlers, Early Years & Primary



Rachel Crossland
Early Years & Primary Principal

Dear Parent/Guardians,

This morning at drop-off we were greeted by lots of scientists, doctors, nurses, anesthetists, pharmacologists, microbiologists, (and some astronauts)!! This was all in the name of SCIENCE!

This week has been dedicated to the wonder of science, invention and innovation with all classes asking the BIG questions about our earth and beyond. Science Week was a vibrant celebration of creativity and engineering. The week focused on hands-on learning and inspiring the next generation of thinkers.



All about Science from Mr Simon



The Main Challenge: Students from Year 1 to Year 6 took on the ambitious task of building Rube Goldberg Machines. These complex, chain-reaction devices challenged students to use physics and innovation to complete simple tasks in the most indirect and creative ways possible.

Daily Inspiration: Every afternoon between 12:50 PM and 1:20 PM, students gathered for screenings of various science experiments. These sessions were designed to spark curiosity and provide creative "blueprints" for their own inventions.

The Grand Finale: The week concluded with a school-wide showcase. Each class presented their finished Rube Goldberg machine, providing formal explanations and live demonstrations of the scientific principles and innovative "hacks" that made their inventions work.

As the Head of Science, I am incredibly proud of the ingenuity displayed during our Science Week, "The Power of Invention and Innovation." Seeing our students from Year 1 through Year 6 collaborate on their Rube Goldberg machines was a true testament to their resilience and problem-solving skills. From the midday experiment screenings that sparked new ideas to the final, exhilarating demonstrations, the campus was buzzing with scientific curiosity. These projects did more than just teach physics; they proved that our students have the creative vision to turn simple materials into complex, innovative solutions. Congratulations to all our young inventors for making this week a resounding success!





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The event successfully turned the campus into a hub of scientific inquiry, proving that at SBS, the power of invention starts with a single, creative spark.





Science Dress-Up Day Photo Highlights





Science Week Photo Highlights





Historic U13 Mixed Basketball Team Championship



BASIS International Basketball Festival

Last Saturday marked a historic moment for SBS as our U13 Mixed Basketball Team wins our first-ever sports championship. From a new school in August 2025 to champions in April 2026—this is truly special.

Our players showed great resilience, pride, and heart throughout the tournament, competing with excellent sportsmanship in every game.

Facing bigger and more established schools, the team stayed composed, played together, and our defense made the difference.

Tournament Results:

- SBS def. BASIS International School — 29–9
- SBS def. RIS Ratchapruek — 9–8
- SBS def. RIS Minburi — 14–0
- SBS def. Anglo Singapore International School — 14–9

We are incredibly proud of our SBS Tigers—a moment that will always be part of our school's history. Thank you to all our coaches, parents, and staff for your continued support and belief in the journey.





Piano Passion!

Congratulations to our wonderful Friday morning 'Buskers' following a delightful performance this morning. They all played beautifully and it made a wonderful start to our Friday.





Spotlight on Aki (Y3)

We have spoken to Aki and his family this week to find out a little more about how his piano playing passion has grown.

'At 4 years old, Aki started learning at KPN Music Academy. But wanting to improve faster, he requested a personal piano coach to teach him at home. As a young child he practiced hard every day. Soon he was able to play 3–4 octave scales, control his dynamics, improvise on pieces he knew well, and handle difficult broken chords with ease.

Aki's heart belongs to classical music. He doesn't just play the notes; he understands the story behind each piece. Passacaglia feels deep and timeless under his hands. River Flows in You flows from him like calm water, soft, peaceful, and full of feeling. Every song he plays, he plays with meaning, just as anyone who has heard him play at school would know'.

Aki has entered a performance clip into the 2026 Inaugural ASEAN International Youth Piano Competition, his first step landing international youth piano competition in the ASEAN region. We wish Aki the very best of luck!





‘Feeding Frenzy’ at the GREAT House BAKE Sale!

Please see the attached flyer regarding our amazing House Charity Bake Sale next Friday (8th May 2026). Cake Coupons will be available for purchase all next week (QR code or cash) from the Main Reception.

All proceeds will go to Wat Mai Si Muen Orphanage, and don't forget, the House that makes the most sales will win a yummy amount of House Points!

Enjoy the baking experience - we look forward to tasting your yummy cakes & cookies next Friday!



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The Biggest House Bake Sale Ever!

Friday 8 May 2026

Instructions:

1. Bring your cakes & cookies to the House stalls in the Early Years Playground
2. Buy your CAKE COUPONS from the Main Reception each morning starting TODAY (QR code or cash purchase only).
3. 5 coupons for 100BHT (20BHT = a small cake/slice; 60BHT = a medium cake/slice; 100BHT = a whopper!)
4. Feeding Frenzy Times: Break time; Lunchtime; After School on Friday 8th May

 **Buy your Cake Coupons at Main Reception**
5 Coupons = 100 THB

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Congratulations to Proudanda in Y6



Congratulations to Proudanda in Y6 who participated in a volunteer activity as a solo piano performer at the Children's Museum, 19 April 2026

This was a wonderful activity which provided a valuable opportunity for Proudanda to use music to bring joy to children and visitors, as well as to develop her confidence and sense of community contribution. What a great way to show our SBS Core values!



What's coming up?

Year 1 & 2 Sports Day



GLADIATORS

DATE: WEDNESDAY 6 MAY

TIME: 8.00AM - 10.40AM

VENUE: SBS BANGKOK ARENA

'READY...SET...CONQUER'!

Don't forget that this eagerly awaited event takes place on Wednesday 6 May (if inclement weather we will postpone until Wed 13 May).

Parents - we are also inviting you to participate in our first EVER parent Race, (well, it's more like a pull than a race), so Mums, Dads and Grandparents, make sure you wear your trainers!



Upcoming events

- Mon 4 May - Y6-8 Expedition Parent Information Morning (8.15am-9.15am)
- Tues 5 May - Proposed Y4-5 Expedition Parent Information Morning (8.15am-9.15am) TBC
- Wed 6 May - Y1 & Y2 Sports Day: 8.00 - 10.40am
- Fri 8 May - The GREAT House BAKE Sale (1.30-5.00pm) Please drop off your cooked creations at drop-off, they will be stored in our kitchen until the 'Feeding Frenzy'
- Mon 11 May - Fri 15 May - 'Heart and Sole' Week.
- A week of enrichment movement activities during the school day to highlight the positive effects of exercise and movement on the body and mind. (More information to follow).
- ***Mon 11 May - Y4-5 Expedition Parent Meeting 8.30-9.30am (Please note change)**
- ***Tues 12 May - Y1-Y3 'Week Without Walls' Parent Information Morning (8.00-8.30am) (Please note change)**
- ***Tues 12 May - Y6-8 Parent Meeting Y6-8 (8.30-9.30am) (Please note change)**
- Wed 13 May - Rain-Out date for Y1/2 Sports Day. Only if postponement on Wed 6 May
- Fri 15 May - S.T.R.I.D.E House event to close Heart & Sole week. (More information to follow)
- Mon 18 May - Assessment Week begins (Y3-8)
- Mon 18 May - Provisional date for Expedition Parent Final Q & A
- Mon 1st June - Y1-3 'Week Without Walls' begins. More info to follow.
- Wed 3 June - Public Holiday (School Closed)
- Fri 5 June - Report 3 published to parents
- Mon 8 June - Y4-5 Expedition to Khao Yai (returning on Thurs 11)
- Y6-8 Expedition to Sam Roi Yot (returning on Fri 12)
- Mon 15 June - Winning House Surprise Reward Day
- Fri 19 June - Final day of Term - 12.00pm finish

Reminders

Parent Handbook

May I politely signpost you to the Parent Handbook which is a very useful reference for you. It contains a wealth of information on our policies and processes.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1t248w_jyKYIAtYjVYcdLc0ICLPfx835p/view?usp=sharing

Communication Protocols

Line Application - This is only to be used if you wish to connect with our Admissions team. Primarily this is used by prospective parents wishing to know more about the school, so busy traffic through this channel can mean a delay in response time. Please do not use the Line Application other than to discuss Admissions related issues.

Email - Google Mail (and Google Chat) - Other than a phone call or face to face meeting, this will become the only way of communicating with:

Finance (finance@sbsbangkok.ac.th);
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Principals (gcrumbie@sbsbangkok.ac.th and
rcrossland@sbsbangkok.ac.th);
Head of School (ncrossland@sbsbangkok.ac.th).

Closing Note

From Excellence on the Basketball court to high energy experiments in the laboratory the last 7 days has been packed full of new opportunities, new learning and new experiences. It has truly been a week of firsts! We look forward to seeing you all on Monday, recharged and ready to go!

Warm regards,
Rachel Crossland
EY and Primary Principal



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