

UISZ Community Summary – Week 11



INTRO

Last Friday morning Primary and Secondary students - as well as teaching staff - held a Halloween parade around the outdoor gym - scaring everyone in their path with their spooky and terrifying outfits. Everyone had a lot of fun and some students were reluctant to take their costumes off afterwards!















WEDNESDAY ASSEMBLY

The past month of October saw many student award winners in various categories who were presented with award certificates during the Wednesday Assembly...

Sports Awards



Boarding Awards



Service Awards



House Awards



Arts Awards



MYP Learner Profile Award



DP Learner Profile Award



Merit Achiever Awards



Star Teacher of the Month Award - Ms Dina

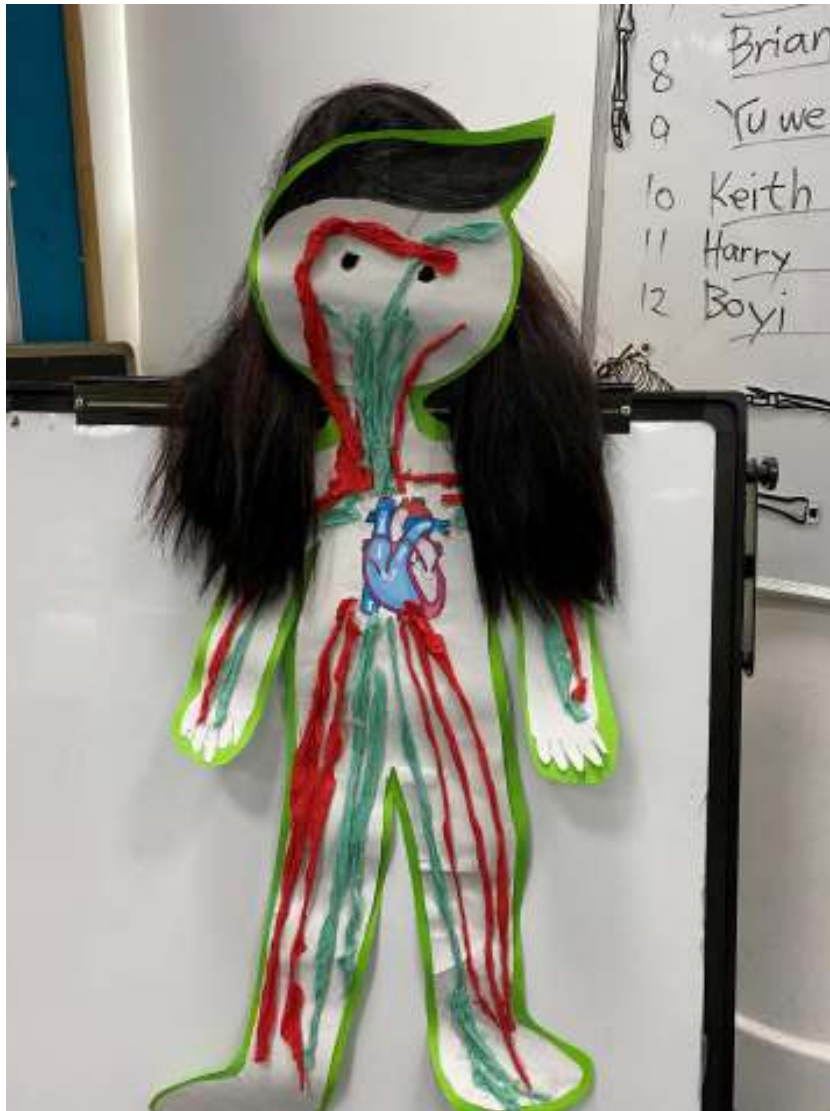


PYP

Message from Ms Valen / Y5 Teacher

In our past Unit of Inquiry students explored the body systems. They began unravelling what they already knew about the human body and collaborated on how they could learn more about it. They came up with an action plan by grouping themselves and choosing a body system to investigate further that they would later share their knowledge through an oral and written report. They created life-sized visual body systems. As they explored the body systems further, they soon became more curious and lots of hypotheses arose. To answer their curiosity, they performed a variety of experiments and even created models of the heart and lungs to see how they function.









MYP

Message from Ms Dina

MYP grade 10, are studying about Climate Change. In one of our activities, we were using compass education to look at the climate change from four different perspectives and visualize the interconnection within four areas: nature, economy, society, and wellbeing. Two weeks ago we also had virtually connected with another international school students from Abu-Dhabi to share our learning experience and common concerns.

Climate Change isn't only negatively impact nature, it influences economy, effects society and wellbeing all at once. We are learning to become responsible citizens and we believe we can all stop Climate Change, if only we understand it.







DP

Message from Ms Boezzeti / DP Coordinator

Diploma Programme students finalized their Extended Essays during a special tutorial provided by the school to all DP students. Taking care of our students' well-being and mindset at this stressful period of their academic lives the canteen has provided them, with delicious snacks for the stretch of the day study period.



BOARDING

Message from Ms Moony / Assistant Head of Boarding

With the exciting Halloween coming at the end of October - last week during boarding activity time - boarders were busy decorating the boarding house with pumpkin lanterns, bats, skeletons and scary masks --- they love to live in a magical house!





On 29th October, we enjoyed a wonderful Halloween evening in boarding. With many day students joining the boarding Halloween party, we had 89 boarders on this night to make the boarding house full of vivid laughter! All students dressed in their exquisitely prepared costumes with terrifying make-up on their faces. They first enjoyed some fun activities such as paper-box, charade games, balloons pumping that organized by the boarding council. At 5:30, it came to the highlight that all goblins had been looking forward to --- Trick or Treat around the staff residential area! Boarders were divided into five groups, following five different routes. They marched around the Dragon House and the Phoenix House to knock at the teachers' doors, and they were greeted by the staff who also dressed in ghost-like costumes. After the walking tour, every kid's candy bag was filled up with candies --- what a sweet evening!



After dinner, the camp fire was set up outside the Dragon House open area! With the gentle autumn evening breeze, students, residential staff and their families were sitting around the warm fire, chatting and enjoying the toasted marshmallow. At the same time, inside the boarding house another popular activity was attracting a long queue of students --- the Haunted House!

The Haunted House project this year was completely designed and carried out by the boarding council students. The Dragon 1, Dragon 2, Pool Room and Dance studio were all decorated into dark horrible space! With rounds and rounds of exciting screaming coming out from the Haunted House, all boarders enjoyed a most terrifying but fun tour!



After an hour of movie time, the boarding Halloween evening was concluded by the award presentation! The Most Popular Costumes Award this year was generated by voting from all boarders! Congratulations to the following students who won a prize!

First Prize: Circle

Second Prize: Sandy

Third Prize: Kai Sally Charlotte Lana Helena

Well done winners and a big thank you to all staff and students involved for making such a wonderful evening!



随着十月末临近，我们迎来了激动人心的万圣节。上周寄宿生们利用宿舍的活动时间，忙前忙后地布置我们的宿舍楼---南瓜灯笼，蝙蝠，骷髅骨和恐怖面具----孩子们太喜欢住在魔法房子里了！

10月29日晚上，宿舍楼里迎来了精彩的一夜！随着不少非寄宿生加入到宿舍的万圣节派对中，我们当晚一共有89名学生共同营造了宿舍楼里欢声笑语的氛围。所有学生都穿起了他们的万圣节服装，并在脸上化上恐怖的妆容。他们首先参加了一系列由学生宿舍委员会组织的游戏，比如纸盒游戏，猜词游戏，打气球游戏等等。到了五点半，我们迎来了所有小鬼们最期待的重点环节-----在教职工宿舍区里玩“不给糖果就捣蛋”！寄宿生们被分成了五组，分别走五个不同的路线。他们在 Dragon House 和 Phoenix House 两个区域里敲老师们的家门，并得到了同样身着鬼怪服装的老师们的热情迎接。走了一圈下来，每个孩子的糖果袋里都装满了糖果----这真是一年中中最甜蜜的一夜了！

晚饭后，Dragon House 宿舍楼外的草坪上，篝火已经燃烧起来了！在秋夜柔和的晚风中，学生，老师和教职工家属们围坐在温暖的篝火旁，边烤棉花糖边闲聊。与此同时，在宿舍楼内，另一个重头戏项目也吸引孩子们排起了长队-----鬼屋！今年的鬼屋完全由宿舍学生委员会的同学们设计和执行。Dragon1 房，Dragon2 房，桌球房和舞蹈室都被布置成

黑暗恐怖的密闭空间！随着一阵一阵的尖叫声从鬼屋里传出来，所有的寄宿生们都享受了一趟既惊悚又趣味十足的旅程！

OUTRO

As you can see from this week's stories it's been another busy week on campus as students recover from the Halloween celebrations and focus back on their studies. So much to do and so much to learn as we march onwards through the second half of the first term towards the December summatives. We wish all students and their parents a pleasant and relaxing weekend.

Warmest wishes,

UISZ School & Boarding Community

