

October 3, 2008

Dear Parents, Faculty and Staff:



First of all, my heartiest welcome back to Father Travis, who spent a few days recuperating in the hospital. It is so good to have him back on campus full of vigor, and this morning he was so happy to conduct our all-school assembly.

This week was an exciting time for students in the Middle School. The students spent a few days in the neighboring provinces on an educational tour. Sometimes some of the best learning takes place outside of the classroom! I want to personally thank all the faculty and staff members who organized and chaperoned this trip.

These few months are also a very busy time for our High School Counseling Department who have been organizing College Fairs and welcoming staff from colleges from abroad to our campus, providing information for our High School students as they search opportunities to pursue a higher education.



Today, I had the pleasure of attending the Korean Festival activities on campus.

October 3 is known as National Foundation Day in Korea which commemorates the foundation of the Korean nation. The parents of our Korean students organized today's event and the food and performances were very impressive. A big thank you to our Korean parents for organizing the Fair and letting us celebrate along with them their culture, food and fun!

Please mark your calendar for Friday, October 10. The Global Issues Summit will be running throughout the day at RIS. We have invited some very interesting motivational speakers, and booths from various organizations will be set up that day, Please come and join us.



Our parent body is very busy preparing for the International Food Fair 2008, which will be held on Wednesday, October 15, 2008. This is one of our major events of the year organized by the Parent Auxiliary of RIS and highlights ethnic foods, cultural exhibits and performances from students. How about giving yourself a break and a chance to relax and spend a day with your child at RIS, enjoying the food, the music and the beautiful campus environment.

Well, that's all for this week. Have a super weekend!

Peace,

Fr.Pattarapong Srivorakul, C.Ss.R.

Head of School