

September 26, 2008

Dear Parents, Faculty and Staff:

Throughout this week, we enjoyed watching the High School students celebrate "Spirit Week," especially seeing them in interesting outfits each day! This evening they will end the week with an ice breaker dance at Godbout Hall from 6:30 to 10:30 PM. I'm sure they will have lots of fun in good spirit this evening!



Our staff and students are busy getting ready for some major events at the school during the next few weeks. On Friday, October 10, there will be a Global Issues Summit running throughout the day at RIS to share the community service projects our school members are involved with, to share ideas from professionals around the country, and to inspire our school community in ways to make our world a better place to live. Parents are welcome to come and see the exhibits.

Also, our school is very proud to be hosting the prestigious Theatre Arts Program, Symposium (TAPS) in association with the International Schools Theatre Association (ISTA). The event runs from the 20th to the 23rd November here at RIS. Schools from many countries will participate in this event. We are looking for parents who can host about 85 visiting students. If you are interested in hosting students, please contact Deborah Yogachandra at (deborahy@rism.ac.th). We need about 40 to 45 parents as hosts.

As you are aware, last week RIS participated in the International Day of Peace ceremonies conducted by the United Nations at Chulalongkorn University. Our famous Tapestry of Peace created by students, faculty and staff was on display during the event. Dignitaries from the United Nations, ambassadors and respected members of many Thai universities were on hand to view the tapestry. It was a very proud moment for the entire RIS/RIST family.

Finally, I would like to encourage all the parents to visit our website (www.rism.ac.th) to read the bulletin of each section and keep abreast of all the activities and announcements that your child is involved with on a daily basis.

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

Peace,

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Head of School