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## Last Month's Highlights



Students model the rotation around the Kaaba during Hajj

Wear White to Support  
International Peace Day.  
We raised **2,637 AED**  
towards our fourth  
school in Nepal via the  
GIVE Initiative.



MHS students celebrated  
International Peace Day



Director of the Commission of International Schools for NEASC, Peter Mott visited CAS to present us with the NEASC plaque.



Congratulations to Melody Traylor, MHS English Language Arts teacher who was selected for the Teacher Appreciation Award sponsored by Smart Education, KDSL Global and UAE Teach Magazine.



Parents pre-viewed our new STEM lab equipment during the Parents Evening.

Dear Parent

Please note the change in the school calendar for November due to IBT testing. Wednesday, November 23rd is now a student day and it has been replaced by Sunday, November 27th that is a no school day.

# CASPA

CASPA met with many returning members and new perspective members on the 8<sup>th</sup> of September. There are new bylaws in place with monthly financial reports based on feedback from our parents.

The mission of CASPA is to raise funds for the activities sponsored by CASPA. The school benefits from these activities as additional experiences for the students only. If you have any specific questions, please feel free to contact President, Safa Nached [caspa.dubai@gmail.com](mailto:caspa.dubai@gmail.com) or Head of School, Tammy Tusek [tammyt@casdubai.com](mailto:tammyt@casdubai.com)

We are excited about the events coming up including Wild Wadi Water night on October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

Are you interested in volunteering for events but can't commit to CASPA? Please email Safa as events are advertised, we can always use friendly faces to make our events the best.

## Don't Miss The MOST FUN Event of the Year!

CASPA is hosting Wild Wadi Night for the 4<sup>th</sup> time this year!! Bring your family and friends to this fun-filled evening of water fun for our CAS Community and their families & friends.

### Sale Dates and Ticket Prices:

03 - 20 October: AED 100

23 - 27 October: AED 125

28 October (the event night) from 6:30 pm to 7:00 pm at the Wild Wadi entrance: AED 200

**\* Kids under 3 years old are FREE**

### Ticket Sale Timings:

The CASPA Team will be selling the tickets from 7:15am to 9:00am and 1:00pm to 3:30pm in **the School Cafeteria** & until 2:30 pm on the early dismissal timing days.

Contact Safa on [caspa.dubai@gmail.com](mailto:caspa.dubai@gmail.com) if you have any questions.

**COLLEGIATE AMERICAN SCHOOL'S  
WILD WADI NIGHT**  
FRIDAY, 28 OCTOBER 2016, 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

**Brought to you by CASPA  
and Wild Wadi Waterpark™**

Tickets on sale on 3 October to 20 October 2016 for AED 100, from 23 October onwards for AED 125 and at the night of the event for AED 200. You can purchase tickets from 7:15am to 9:00am, 1:00pm to 3:30pm at the school cafeteria and on the 28 October at Wild Wadi gate from 6:30pm.

A portion of the funds raised from this Wild Wadi Night will go to CASPA.

WildWadi CASPA WildWadiWaterpark WildWadiDubai

**Wild Wadi  
WATERPARK**  
Jumeirah



## GIVE UPDATE

We have some great developments with our GIVE charity projects. I am happy to share that we have just submitted the funds to construct our third primary school in Nepal with Dubai Cares. We hope to raise enough funds for our fourth school by June 2017. In the meantime, our students are almost ready to take off and begin the actual construction of the first sponsored school. The cohort will leave on November 1<sup>st</sup> and reside in western Nepal for a week whilst living with the local families in the community.



*The Nepal team meets Mrs Poonam Bhojani, CEO of Innoventures Education*

Colin Scicluna,  
GIVE Coordinator