



### This Week

**STSS** Post-PMR Activities (educational activities) will be held from 8am to 3.30pm from Monday to Friday. A reminder that all STSS students are required to attend school right up until the end of term on 4th December. Students who exceed 14 days absence in any academic year may have their place in school revoked for non-attendance.

#### Monday

**TIPS** Key stage 1 and 2 will participate in READ 2013. This is a nationwide reading day, which is intended to promote the importance of reading

#### Thursday

**TISS** Yr 11 Parent-Teacher Evening will be held from 5.00 to 7.00pm in the school library. Appointments should be booked through your school portal. We are trialling this system for the first time with this year group. Please email us ([penang@tenby.edu.my](mailto:penang@tenby.edu.my)) if you are having difficulty accessing the portal or making bookings. Please ensure that you arrange appointments with the teachers you wish to see. The system will also show if you have any appointment requests from teachers when you log into it. This is a very important time for our year 11 students in the lead-up to their mock exams in November and it is important that you all try to attend. Reports for year 11 will also be issued at this meeting and you will now be able to find an electronic version published on your portal on the same day.

**All** Boys Football League U18 vs Dalat International School. The match starts at 4.30pm and will take place at Dalat.

#### Friday

**TIPS** Year 1-3 trip to Penang Pac@Straits Quay to see "The Gruffalo" from 9.15-11.30am.

**TIPS** U9, U10 & U11 Football Tournament will be held from 4.00pm to 6.00pm in the Quadrangle.

**STSS** Indian Heritage Day activities will be taking place from 12.00 to 2.40pm in the Basketball Court.

**All** **STUCO Halloween Night:** 7.30-10.00pm (early entrance from 7.00pm for students and their parents in year 4 and below). Entrance to the event is through the old secondary drop-off gate **only**. No parking in school. Tickets cost RM10 (RM15 on the door) from STUCO reps in secondary classes. Reps will be coming round to TIPS classes on Tuesday and Thursday to sell tickets there. STPS students can purchase tickets from the Macalister Road school office from Wednesday onwards. Tickets can be exchanged on the night for an RM10 book of vouchers that can be used for refreshments or activities. There will be a range of different activities appealing to all ages of our school community from Nursery right up to year 12! They will be taking place throughout the night, including costume parades for different age-groups, fun activity stalls, a haunted house, and an open stage for student performers. Refreshments will be provided by TSPA. Can we please remind parents that students in year 4 and below must be accompanied by a responsible adult. Please remember that the Halloween Night is a student led and run event coordinated by our Student Council. I hope you will joining us in offering your support to their efforts. This event is open to all members of our school community. Students may also invite a maximum of one guest each from outside of school, but they must accompany them to the event.

### Upcoming Events

**STSS** SPM Examination starts on 6th November and will go on until 5th December. Students are requested to check their timetables and make sure that they have the necessary stationery items in preparation for the examination.

**STSS** Year end examinations for F1, F2 and F4 will start on 11th November and end on 21st November. Students are to check their timetables and make sure that they have the necessary stationery items in preparation for the examination.

**All** Monday 4th-Tuesday 5th November: School Closed (Deepavalli & Awal Muharram Holidays)

### General Notices and Information

**TIPS** Please be reminded that students should be collected promptly at the end of the school day after lessons or CCAs. **Effective from Monday 28th October**, all Parents of Nursery and Reception students please wait outside the glass doors and the teachers will bring the students to the parents at 1.00pm when they can be collected.

**All** Many thanks to all of our parents and students for all of the hard work that went into organising UN Day on Thursday. The food fair raised RM5330, a huge increase on last year's donation. All of the funds raised will be donated to a UN-related charity to be chosen by the winning classes from the competitions that took place during the day's proceedings.

**All** In the secondary school our **Pastoral Team** is responsible for looking after the welfare of all of our students. Should you need to get in touch, please contact Ms Carolyn ([carolyn.reeves@tenby.edu.my](mailto:carolyn.reeves@tenby.edu.my)) for Years 7-9, Mr Daniel ([d\\_read@tenby.edu.my](mailto:d_read@tenby.edu.my)) for Years 10-11, Ms Paula ([paula.russell@tenby.edu.my](mailto:paula.russell@tenby.edu.my)) for Year 12 or Mr Siaw ([klsiaw@tenby.edu.my](mailto:klsiaw@tenby.edu.my)) for Forms 1-5. Mr Richard ([richard.lukats@tenby.edu.my](mailto:richard.lukats@tenby.edu.my)) is Deputy Head for the secondary schools and has overall responsibility for the pastoral team.

**All** Can we please remind all parents and students that students' cars and motorbikes are not permitted onto the school site at any time.

**All** We still have several families who have not returned their medical books. Please note that it is a government requirement that these are completed and returned and it is the responsibility of the families concerned to ensure that this is done