



# Message from the Principal

Dear Parents,

has been another busy month at the Academy! Students have been preparing for exams, competing in athletics and participating in a variety of school events. We also had a very competitive and highly successful Entrance Exam day, where we met the next generation of bright young minds. Two excellent events were the Greek play and the Spring Concert. The Greek play was entertaining and brilliantly executed - and a first for me, after years of cancellation due to covid. The Spring concert showcased the confidence, musical gifts and diversity of our students. None of it would have been possible without the time and hard work given by our dedicated staff and all of the students working behind the scenes.

Georgina Michaelides Senior School Principal



March was a busy month. Our athletes, supported by the PE team, represented the school in a number of different events, winning numerous medals. Our students also competed in Krakow at the Euromath conference, and gave back to the community through a Charity ride and a visit to Cans for Kids in Nicosia. Our Year 6 & 7 represented our school impeccably at the parade on the 25th.





## **Euromath Competition**

31 students from Years 3 and 4 travelled to Krakow, Poland, for the Euromath competition. Every year, the European Conference in Mathematics provides both students and teachers with a fantastic opportunity to participate in a prestigious European mathematics event and gain educational experiences outside of the classroom.



#### **Junior NBA: Finals**

Junior NBA provided an incredible opportunity to all basketball-loving students. Congratulations to our team which competed in the final and won 2nd place after a tough game! Excellent work!



# **World Poetry Day**

World Poetry Day was celebrated with a number of fun and imaginative activities! Students wrote modern poems, watched videos and had fun solving poetry riddles. Some proudly presented the poems they had written on the theme of Appearance and Reality, while others bravely rose to the challenge of writing a Shakespearean sonnet!

#### **Pancyprian Competition**

Our AA athletes proudly represented the school once again in Pancyprian Competitions after they qualified by winning medals in the Larnaca Schools' Athletics Competition. They did their best to compete against the best student-athletes in the country, and the results are as follows:

Pancyprian Upper School Girls' Handball Championship - 3rd Place

Pancyprian School Swimming Competition:

Michalis Groutas Y5 100m Freestyle – 2nd Place Polixeni Toumazou Y6 100m Breaststroke – 3rd Place

Pancyprian School Rhythmic Gymnastics:

Aleksandra Dubrovskaia Y1- All- around 2nd Place/ Ribbon 1st Place/ Hoop 2nd Place/ Ball 2nd Place

Sotia Marselli Y2 Ribbon - 3rd Place Our warmest congratulations!



# 23rd Charity Ride for Make a Wish Foundation

On the 17th March our school was visited by the 23rd Charity ride for the "One Dream One Wish foundation" Σύνδεσμος Ένα Όνειρο μια Ευχή. Students from the Junior and Senior school helped to make wishes come true with a donation of €1126. We are always committed To Grow And To Serve.





# **Spring Concert**

This fabulous musical event took place on 10th March in the Senior School Auditorium. This event serves as an opportunity for our musical ensembles to take to the stage and perform. The theme "Music from around the world" showcased the diverse backgrounds and passions of our very gifted students. We would like to thank the performers, teachers and production team for their effort in creating an outstanding show.



# **Greek Play**

After feverish rehearsals the Greek play "Ayploc  $\Sigma\pi \acute{o}\rho o \varsigma''$  was presented on the 3rd March at the Senior School Auditorium as part of the Pancyprian Theatre Competition. The play was funny, clever and moving, and the acting was brilliant. We would like to thank the cast, teachers and production team for their hard work in creating such a wonderful performance.



### **World Book Day**

Our students had a wonderfully creative time celebrating World Book Day on 2nd March! Year 1 students dressed up as their favourite characters and read excerpts from their best loved books. Some other students performed a dramatic reading of Roald Dahl's 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory', while others redesigned the covers of their favourite books. It was a day to remember and a reminder to all about the joy and value of reading!



"There is nothing in a caterpillar that tells you it is going to be a butterfly".

-Buckminster Fuller, American architect

APRIL 2023 **KEY DATES** 

06-International Day for Physical Activity

07-Years 4-6 Work Experience Scheme

applications open

07-World Art Day

10-21-Easter Vacation

24-25-Year 4 Maths/RS Final Exams

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