

Dhahran High School

Weekly Family Newsletter



Apr 9-13 2011, Issue 4

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2. 2011/2012 Course Selection nights
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What you need to know about this week...

AP Exam Registration

AP Exam registration will be on Sat April 23 from 2:30-3:30pm in the school Auditorium. This is a time for students currently preparing for their AP exams to fill out the necessary personal information on the exam answer sheet forms.

Cost of Exams: Due to an increase in the cost of AP exams for international testing from \$87.00 to \$117.00 per exam, the cost in Saudi Riyals is SR440 per exam. Because of this significant increase we are allowing families until Mon May

30 to pay the total amount due.

For any questions concerning Advanced Placement exams, please contact Teri Green, our AP Coordinator at tgreen@isgdh.org.

Course Selection Nights

Course Selection Nights for grades 12, 11 and 10 are scheduled for the evenings of Apr 10, 11 and 12 respectively from 5:30-7:30pm. As such, the following is a guide for who should attend on which night:

Grade 12 night (Apr 10)	All current grade 11 students
Grade 11 night (Apr 11)	All current grade 10 students
Grade 10 night (Apr 12)	All current grade 9 students

Update your contact details with DHS

It was discovered during the phone tree process used last week to contact our students' parents using contact lists generated from our student database, that some phone and email addresses were no

longer valid or being used and extension numbers for some compounds were missing. So in order to help update our database with correct info which will be used again in case of any emergencies, please provide us with your updated info at dhs@isgdh.org such as:

- Home phone numbers with correct extension #'s
- Updated parent email addresses

NHS Selection Process 2010/2011

It is time once again for the National Honor Society (NHS) to induct its newest 10th, 11th, and 12th grade members. Students whose cumulative grade point average is 3.75 or above were invited to complete an application this past school week. Students had to reflect on their participation in scholarship, leadership, service, and character-building activities, as well as ask two teachers for evaluations.

After all the material is collected on Weds, March 30th, a Council of five faculty

members will each review the complete packets and determine each applicant's qualifications on the four above-mentioned categories. The Council will meet to come to a complete consensus regarding each applicant, and students will be made aware of the decision on Mon April 18th. There will be a formal Induction Dinner on the evening of April 25th for those who have been accepted.

IB Application

At 3:30pm on Sat April 16th the IB programme will stop taking applications for approximately 3 weeks. During that time, admission decisions will be determined for all applicants and course selections will be completed. Applications submitted after April 16 will be held and admission decisions will be based on availability of space in courses.

WOW week trip Refunds

WOW week trip refunds for your child's respective trip is ready for distribution. Please have your child collect from Ms. Lily.

- Bali Trip - SR527.00/student
- Cambodia - SR476.00/student
- Limuru, Kenya - SR110.00/student
- Romania - SR 2,300.00/student
- Switzerland - SR165.00/student
- MUN-Riyadh - SR175.00/student
- MUN-Qatar - SR89.00/student

ANNOUNCEMENTS



CONGRATULATIONS!! all

Basketball coaches - Brian Carreon, Gregory Glomski, Mark Rossing, Dan Dodd & Craig Parker for a very successful Basketball season. 3/3 wins this year!!! Thank you so much for your commitment to the Athletic Program at DHS.

DHS VACANCIES

- **Guidance department Secretary**
- **General Physical Education teacher - dance, yoga, fitness**

If you are interested in applying for any of these positions at DHS, please contact us at dhs@isgdh.org for more information.

DANCE RECITAL

Come see the amazing and energizing dance talents of the DHS students on Weds Apr 13th at the auditorium from 7-8:30pm. **Entrance is free** but you need to contact Ms. Ksiazek at lksiazek@isgdh.org by Sun Apr 10 in order to get your name on the entrance gate-list.

EVENTS

DANCE RECITAL – Weds Apr 13, Auditorium, 7-8:45pm

HFH ART SHOW & DINNER – Mon Apr 18, Auditorium, 6-8:30pm

OLSAT 8 exam:
Weds Apr 20, 8am

SAT 10 exams:
Sat Apr 23, 8am

Sun Apr 24, 11am

Mon Apr 25, 11am

COURSE SELECTION NIGHTS FOR:

- **DHS 12TH GRADE STUDENTS** – Auditorium, Sun Apr 10, 5:30-7pm
- **DHS 11TH GRADE STUDENTS** – Auditorium, Mon Apr 11, 5:30-7pm
- **DHS 10TH GRADE STUDENTS** – Mini-Theatre, Tues Apr 12, 5:30-7pm
- **ARAMCO DHARAN (A-J)** – Mini-Theatre, Sat Apr 16, 5-6:30pm
- **ARAMCO DHARAN (K-Z)** – Mini-Theatre, Tues Apr 19, 5-6:30pm
- **ARAMCO (RT, ABQAIQ, UD'yah)** – Mini-Theatre, Sat Apr 23, 6:30-8pm

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT (ARAMCO) - Weds Apr 20-Thurs Apr 21

VARSITY BADMINTON TOURNAMENT (KAUST) – Weds Apr 27 –Thurs Apr 28

APRIL 2011

SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRI
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2 Spring Break	3 Spring Break	4 Spring Break	5 Spring Break	6 Spring Break	7	8
9 School Resumes	10 Course Selection 12th Grade (Aud; 5:30-7)	11 Course Selection 11th Grade (Aud; 5:30-7)	12 COURSE Selection 10th Grade (Mini-Theater; 5:30-7)	13 Dance Recital (Aud, 7-8:45pm)	14 MOCK EXAMS (AM: Calc, AB Calc, BC, AP Lang PM: Biology, Psychology, Comm Rm, PD Rm & Mini Theater)	15
16 Course Selection Night Aramco Dhahran A-J (Mini Theater; 5-8:30)	17	18 HFH ART SHOW Dinner End of 3rd Quarter	19 Course Selection Aramco Dhahran K-Z (Mini Theater; 5-6:30)	20 OLSAT 8 EXAM	21 MOCK EXAMS (AM: Macroeconomics PM: AP Chemistry, Comm Rm; 7-4)	22
23 SAT 10 EXAM Course Selection: Aramco/RT, Abqaiia, Ud- hahliyah (Mini Theater; 6:30-8)	24 SAT 10 EXAM	25 Report Cards go Home SAT 10 EXAM (NHS Induction Theatre)	26	27 Debate Show (Mini-Theater; 2:45-3:30)	28 MOCK EXAMS (AM: US Hist; Mini Theater PM: Physics; H4; 7-4pm)	29
30 MOCK EXAMS (AM: French—B day, Rm 16; 1:10-5pm)						

Softball Tournament (ARAMCO)

Varsity Badminton Tournament (KAUST)