

LIS PTA Newsletter

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Letter from the President

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Sports day was a blast! That was some amazing House Team spirit we experienced. Thanks to your generous donations of treats and healthy snacks, as our athletes were well fueled and hydrated! We noticed a lot of you taking photos. If you have any great shots you'd like to share you can upload them to us for use in our newsletter, website and LIS handbook! See page 3 for details on how you can do this!

March is here and we are getting ready for the LIS Yard Sale on Saturday the 26th - you can help by donating AND shopping! Please drop off unwanted items in the big cardboard box that is next to the office, or email to have big items picked up.

The Progressive Dinner along the Fortune Bay canals promises to be a wonderful evening. We have room for a few more reservations so hurry and contact us if you want to be a part of this one of a kind event!

Our English teachers have planned a Book Swap this week for Parents, Students and Teachers on Friday afternoon, March 18th from 3:00 – 4:00 PM. We will be selling refreshments during the Book Swap, so send in the books you've read to exchange for tickets for new reads and come to swap and mingle!

Informational fliers and posters are attached at the end of this newsletter for all upcoming events so keep on scrolling!

Sincerely,

Jennifer M. Wiegand
LIS PTA President
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jennifer_bahamas@hotmail.com.

- Sales from the Sports Day snack bar totaled \$497!
- House T - Shirts sales generated \$1,215.00!

The PTA is grateful for our wonderful parents!

Thank you for your support!

Upcoming Events

- Book Swap
- Progressive Dinner
- Yard Sale
- Fishing Tournament

Get Involved!

Visit us online at

WWW.LISPTA.COM

and

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Book Swap - Friday March 18th



This Friday from 3-4pm is the LIS Book Swap! Bring in all your unwanted books this week and receive tickets to exchange for books at the swap. This includes kids books and adult books too! Anyone can join in on the swap; from Pre-K thru year 13, parents and teachers too! So come and join us in the Quad, as the PTA will be selling refreshments! See your class teacher for more details.

The Yard Sale - Saturday March 26th



We're still collecting for our first ever Yard Sale! And your donations are what will make this event a success! We have had wonderful feedback already from the community at large - so spring clean your closet and then come and get your shop on in the Quad from 7am to 12pm.

You can help by donating your unwanted items: from shoes to sofas, sports gear to baby stuff, toys to electronics! We'll take anything! Anything not sold will go to local charities.

A drop box is available next to the office. If you have items too big to drop off, email us for a pick up! The last day to donate is Thursday March 24th!

Email: garnshang@hotmail.com

Progressive Dinner - Friday April 1st



We have a few reservations left for a fun-filled evening along the canals! Join us for some great company and some delicious cuisine as we cruise the Fortune Bay canals by boat, stopping at different homes for an array of dinner courses.

Space is limited to only 50 people! Email us ASAP to reserve a spot!
jennifer_bahamas@hotmail.com

Fishing Fling Tournament - Sat. May 21st



The LIS PTA is busy organizing the details for this year's spring fling! The 1st ever LIS Fishing Fling Tournament promises to be a blast! Prizes will be awarded for the biggest fish caught, and anglers wishing to participate will receive a t-shirt, a ticket to the evening event and entry into the Calcutta. If you're not up for fishing, come just for the evening fun! Food, drinks and the big fish weigh-in start at 6:30pm at the GB Sailing Club (at the Jack Hayward Yacht Club), and will last as long as the DJ spins the music! Did someone say Margarita Machine? The evening will include both a live and silent auction, and raffles too! Tickets will be available at Island Java Café, The Italian Specialty Store and the LIS office. See the flier attached for more information, including how to

The new LIS PTA website is almost ready!

As mentioned last month, the LIS PTA website is currently being updated and redesigned – and is about to GO LIVE! The goal of our website is to keep parents informed and connected to the LIS PTA. Here you will find PTA event listings, news and announcements, the *NEW* LIS Welcome Handbook, endless resources for students and parents, the school calendar and much more! Visit us at www.lispta.com.

The LIS PTA is also on Facebook! You can “Like” our fan page and share in the community posts, while catching up on the latest updates!

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Lucaya-International-School-PTA/133703616685635>



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Share your LIS photos!

We have seen many of you proud parents taking pictures at various school events and we'd love to use them in our newsletter, the PTA website and in the newly updated Welcome Handbook! You can upload images to the LIS Flickr account yourself to share! Email Corina Grigorof with questions: corina@grigorof.com

www.Flickr.com:

User Id (Yahoo account): lis_pta

Password: lispta

Get involved in the PTA!

We are looking for new energetic parents/guardians and teachers to join the LIS PTA. We welcome anyone familiar or new to the LIS community to get involved. If you are interested in joining the PTA or one of the event committees, please do not hesitate to contact us! The PTA is fueled by parent involvement, and having your help makes us even stronger and more productive for our school!

Email Beata Markowska (beata@oceansportyachts.com) for volunteer opportunities and ways to get involved.

LIS PTA Officers & Members

Jennifer Wiegand, President

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Friday March 18th

Come to school as
your favorite
character from a
book!



3-4pm LIS Book Swap!
Bring in all your unwanted books
this week and receive tickets to
exchange for books at the swap.
See your class teacher for more
details.



WANTED:

Used shoes and used sofas,
sports gear, kid stuff, books and TVs!
You name it, we'll take it!

LIS YARD SALE SATURDAY MARCH 26TH

7AM - 12PM
LUCAYA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL QUAD



Spring clean your closets!
Don't throw anything away!
Donate ANYTHING - then come and shop!

A drop box will be at the school for collection.
Last day to donate is Thursday March 24th.
Any items not sold will go to local charities.

Need items picked up?
Email garnshang@hotmail.com

FORTUNE BAY PROGRESSIVE DINNER

A Fundraiser produced by the

LUCAYA
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL



PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION

Friday, 01 April 2011

Join us for an unforgettable evening as we cruise the Fortune Bay Canals stopping at different homes for each dinner course.

6:30 PM Boarding

Board the Rolle's cruising vessel at the Wiegand residence dock at 18 Ford's Road in Fortune Bay off of Midshipman Road.

6:45 PM Hors d'oeuvres and Cocktails

Hosted by Karen Clarke and the Gehrs.

7:30 PM Appetizer

Hosted by the Goodrums.

8:50 PM Main Course

Hosted by the Whartons.

10:00 PM Dessert & Dancing

Hosted by the Wiegands.

\$125.00 per person

Space is limited to 25 couples. For reservations contact Jennifer Wiegand at Jennifer_bahamas@hotmail.com or 442-2354.

LUCAYA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
WEIGH-IN AND
AFTER PARTY
MAY 21ST, 2011



6:30 PM GB SAILING CLUB
AT THE JACK HAYWARD
YACHT CLUB

\$ 40 TICKETS
\$ 50 AT THE DOOR

* DJ * DINNER *
RAFFLES
SILENT AUCTION
LIVE AUCTION

TICKETS AVAILABLE @
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ISLAND JAVA CAFE
ITALIAN SPECIALITY STORE

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