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Mid Genesis Newsletter

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KEY FACTS TO NOTE

Outstanding Advanced and Ordinary Level Cambridge Results 2018/2019 Scholarship Entrance Examinations Lifeforte Entrance Examination 2018/2019 School Tour – Dubai - Singapore 2017 Our Swim team shines!

Dear Sir/Madam,

NEWSLETTER TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS

On behalf of our Chairman, CEO and Board of Directors, we warmly welcome our beloved parents and guardians (returning and new) to a new school year. Thank you so much for choosing Lifeforte! As a school we thank God Almighty for His steadfast love, mercies and favour that have ushered us into a wonderful beginning in this new 2017/2018 session.

MID-TERM BREAK/RESUMPTION

The Genesis midterm holiday starts on Saturday the 14th and ends on Saturday the 21st 2017. Students are expected back in school on Saturday, October 21st 2017 between 9am and 6pm. We enjoin parents to cooperate with us to ensure that the children return to school promptly thereby reinforcing in them the culture of obedience and compliance with rules.

PROGRESS REPORT

Each student has a record of work done this half term. The final scores shown in each student's report are an overall based on assessments from tests, class exercises, assignments and projects. Effort grades are also indicated. Parents are encouraged to review the work done and discuss their child/ward's progress with them. ALL NOTE BOOKS AND TEXTBOOKS taken home by a student must be brought back to school with them at the end of the break. We request the assistance of our parents in this regard to kindly ensure that this is done.

FAST TRACK A LEVEL PROGRAMME - 'EARLY DECISION'

We would like to inform our new parents about and remind our returning parents of our fast track Advanced Level programme coined 'Early Decision'. This program is an accelerated sixth form course which allows qualified students to complete the 2 year Advanced Level programme within one academic year.

The maiden and successive classes have set a highly impressive record and year after year secured multiple offers into prestigious universities in the United Kingdom, United States, Canada, and Nigeria showing beyond doubt the merits and benefits of the programme.

The ED Class of 2018 is currently writing the Cambridge AS examinations and we look forward to a harvest of A*s from the Lord in reward of their diligent efforts in Jesus name.

We also enjoin parents of students in grade 12 to strongly consider this most rewarding option for their children. For more information, please contact us on 0805 705 7811 (Mrs. Ariyo), 0805 226 1433 (Pastor Oduntan) or send us an email at lifeforte@lifeforte.com

REGISTRATION FOR EXTERNAL EXAMINATIONS 2018

Cambridge Ordinary Level Examinations

In keeping with our culture of promoting academic excellence, Grade 11 students who qualify are given the opportunity to sit the Cambridge O level examinations in June 2018 as a trial run for purposes of internal assessment, evaluation and preparation towards their finals. The results from this examination are used for internal academic purposes only and will be released when the student graduates. The analysis of students' performance in the examination provides useful information for teachers to improve their preparation and strategy towards students' final examinations in Grade 12.

OUTSTANDING CAMBRIDGE ADVANCED AND ORDINARY LEVEL GCE RESULTS

Our God has done it again, and again, and again! Lifeforte High School, with deep gratitude and appreciation to God, would like to share the news of our students' outstanding and resounding success at the latest external examinations written in June 2017. Please visit our website www.lifeforte.com to view these results and its analysis. We also say a big thank you to all our parents for your belief in us, your support, cooperation and well wishes, we say thank you to our staff for their tireless labour over these children and to the students we say well done, thank you for allowing the work done to bear much fruit in you. We return all the glory to God.

SCHOLARSHIP ENTRANCE EXAMINATION 2018/2019

In commemoration of the anniversary of the inception of Lifeforte Schools (with Junior School), our annual scholarship examinations instituted by Management for Smart and Gifted students into all grades from grade 7/JSS1 to Sixth Form will take place as shown below. Scholarships are awarded for excellence in ACADEMICS, MUSIC, ART, PUBLIC SPEAKING and SPORTS.

Date: 25th November, 2017

Time: 11:00 am.

Venue: Lifeforte International High School, 1, Lifeforte Boulevard, Awotan GRA, Ibadan

EXAMINATION 2018

The entrance examination towards the 2018/2019 admission into the school will hold on 27th January, 2018. The examination will take place in the following centres around the country.

Ibadan – Lifeforte International High School, 1, Lifeforte Boulevard, Awotan GRA, Ibadan Lagos – Civic Centre, Grand Banquet Hall, Ozumba Mbadiwe Avenue, Victoria Island, Lagos Abuja – Transcorp Hilton (Nasarawa Hall)

Port Harcourt – Hotel Presidential, Aba Road, GRA Phase II, Port-Harcourt

Warri (venue to be communicated later)

Applications forms are available at the school, 1, Lifeforte Boulevard, the Liaison Office – 64B, Raymond Njoku Street, Off Awolowo Road, Ikoyi, Lagos, Lifeforte International Junior School – 3, Oshin Street, Kongi, Bodija, Ibadan or in a downloadable version at www.lifeforte.org

LIFEFORTE TEACHERS' DAY

Celebrating our noble profession is our joy and September 18th 2017 was Lifeforte Teacher's Day! Gratitude, appreciation and recognition flowed freely to our beloved teachers from management and students through reflective poems, service awards, cash gifts and a grand occasion where they were feted. On this evening to remember, events began with praise and worship to our Faithful God, the Source of Life and Strength followed by our beloved Chairman, Pastor Olubi Johnson's exhortation that inspired us all to be faithful stewards so that, like Joseph, we can enter into the fullness of our destiny. It was then time for long service awards in three categories; 5 years, 10 years and 20 years and our darling Mummy CEO, Dr Sarah Johnson personally introduced the four recipients of the distinguished 20 year awards; Mrs Grace Aina (Principal, Lifeforte High), Mrs Esther Jire-Alao (Headmistress, Lifeforte Junior School), Mr Tolu Akintoye (Principal Teacher Science) and Mr Babatunde Adio (Principal Teacher Arts) and announced their befitting rewards. Teachers were overwhelmed by the show of love and expressed their deep appreciation. Sumptuous food and drinks rounded off celebrations with keepsake gift mugs and bags also handed out. Our teachers felt very honoured and remain proud ambassadors of our profession.

SCHOOL TOUR

Travel broadens the mind, and deepens our understanding of the world and people around us. Our school trip is here again! This December, the excited contingent will be led by Mummy CEO. It's a two-in-one package of Dubai and Singapore!!!

We consider school tours an integral part of a wholesome education every child to give them an exposure that widens the scope of their knowledge and awareness of the world around them. This trip promises to be educational and fun filled, featuring;

- A tour of the amazing city of Dubai in the state of the art open top double-decker buses and an expedition to Burj Khalifa, the modern world's most exceptional architectural marvel.
- An exciting cruise on the traditional Arabian Dhow, down the Dubai Creek with a lavish buffet dinner spread out on board.
- Desert Dubai an exciting 4x4 jeep drive into the desert, enjoy the traditional Arabic Bedouin site, learn the Arabian culture, enjoy camel rides, live show, and a scrumptious BBQ dinner.
- Atlantis Aquaventure Water Park An action-packed day of adventurous rides, exhilarating slides and master blast water coasters

- Global Village Dubai bright lights, games, rides, international concerts, food and lots of fun!
- IMG World of Adventure Its fun! And sometimes its 5D!! State of the art thrill rides to bring all our favourite characters alive.
- A tour of the historic and cosmopolitan faces of the city-state of Singapore, the Merlion Park and stunning views of Marina Bay
- Educational Exchange Programme with an International School
- Visit Universal Studios Singapore with cutting edge rides, shows and attractions
- Sentosa Island Adventure Catch a cable ride to the state of Fun- Sentosa!
- Madam Tussauds Singapore Get ready to photograph and pose with your favourite international icons.
- Shopping, shopping, shopping and lots more......

Hurry!! Arrangements are being concluded for our group to travel first week of December 2017. Deadline to register and submit documents is resumption from the mid-term break, 21st October, 2017.

We encourage you to give your child the benefit of an unforgettable experience. To register, please call +2348052264640 (Dr Sokoya) or +2348023017324 (Mrs Adesiyan).

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

LIFEFORTE SWIM TEAM SHINES!!!

At the just concluded Chief Bola Ige memorial age group swimming competition organized by the Nigerian Aquatics Federation, an affiliate of the African Swimming Confederation (CANA) and the Nigeria Olympic Committee (NOC) at the University of Ibadan Olympic swimming pool. Our team won: 1 gold in the age 11-12yr boys 50 meters breast stroke - Akinriyeoluwa Akintayo , 1 silver in the age 13-14yr boys 50 meters freestyle - Adeoluwa Awonaike and 1 bronze in the age 11-12yr girls 50 meters breaststroke - Damilare Osinowo. Well done team!

MORNING ASSEMBLY

This half term, our tradition of providing our students with stimulating out-of-class learning continued with exciting activities designed to strengthen their collaborative, communicative, critical thinking and public speaking skills.

Our series of engaging presentations and quiz sessions began with MATHSPEDIA which was an exciting battle for thinking speed between boys and girls in the senior grade — contestants had to answer 20 Maths questions in four minutes as dictated by the quiz master. The result – a draw!

Next was our presentation on current global issues as suggested by UNESCO entitled 'TACKLING CLIMATE CHANGE'. This was presented by Wemambu Gabrielle and Bakwunye Kikachukwu two Grade 11 students while ENDING EXTREME POVERTY was presented by the team comprising Grace Urum-Eke and Toni Ogunkoya also in grade 11.

There was an almighty Edition of the 'What do you Know' — a compilation of randomly selected questions from Maths, English and the Sciences. This was done to test the students' capacity to retain previous knowledge. Unlike the previous quizzes that were gender-based, contestants were selected from the four houses— Paul, Sarah, Ruth and Daniel. Ruth won the contest with Daniel house a close second.

To draw the curtain on the activities for the first half of the term, an interactive presentation entitled 'IMPORTANCE OF EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES' was delivered by the department of Curriculum and Studies. The focal point was to educate students to appreciate the necessity for cultivating proficiency in

co-curricular activities and so acquire holistic development. The presentation emphasised the need for students to pay attention, not only to academic excellence but activities designed to sharpen their Godgiven talents and leadership skills by active participation in extra-curricular activities.

PAYMENT OF OUTSTANDING BILLS

We very much appreciate all our parents who paid their children's fees promptly. We encourage parents with outstanding fees to please pay all bills on or before 21st October, 2017.

GENERAL

Parents should please keep an eye on the children/wards even during this half term break to ensure a healthy spiritual life style. They should maintain the routine of daily prayer and the reading of the Bible.

Have a wonderful mid-term break.

From the Lifeforte family

God bless you all.

Mrs. Grace Aina

Principal

MID TERM CO-CURRICULAR ASSIGNMENT

Lifeforte students are students of excellence; not just in intellect and character but beyond this, in the development and honing of God-given talents, gifts and abilities.

Consequently, over this mid-term break, you <u>must</u> undertake at least one task selected from the list of 'club activity assignments listed below.

You are expected to submit this on resumption from the mid-term break.

Thank you very much.

CURRICULUM DEPARTMENT

LIFEFORTE INTERNATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

MID TERM CO-CURRICULAR ASSIGNMENT PROGRAM SCHEDULE OF CLUB ACTIVITY ASSIGNMENTS

CODING CLUB

JUNIOR GRADE

a.) Work on Scratch 2.0 version to create a Maze game with accurate timing.

or

b.)Use Scratch 2.0 to create a calculator that can add, subtract, multiply or divide any two numbers, save your code on a Compact disc (CD).

*SCRATCH application can be downloaded from https://scratch.mit.edu/

SENIOR GRADE

- Work on QBASIC to create a simple BASIC program to compute for ten (10) mathematic formulas, using the dynamic step.
- Using a JavaScript (text editor) write some programs to evaluate users input.

JETS CLUB

Assignment 1

Electricity can be generated from fruits.

- (a) Research and present on not more than two pages a functional model of such a design.
- (b) Bring materials to build a small model of this.
- (c) State what everyday device(s) can be powered by your device and for how long.

or

Assignment 2

Use cardboard to design a well-label 3D model of any one of these two renewable energy power plants.

- 1. Wind turbine power plant
- 2. Solar power plant.

YOUNG ENTREPRENEUR CLUB.

This task is an activity of the UNESCO GLOBAL ACTION PROGRAMME (GAP) on Education for Sustainable Development (ESD):

Submit an innovative idea or project with societal impact which will champion and implement one or more of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDG'S). Refer to www.entrepreneurship-campus.org.

4. ART AND CRAFTS CLUB

Compose a still life drawing using pencil or colour pencil.

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Draw a mildly squashed coca-cola can with water colour.

PRESS CLUB

Prepare a PowerPoint presentation "The News" on the events of the mid-term week, not less than 15 slides.

LITERARY AND DEBATING CLUB

Discuss ways to resolve the US, North Korea Conflict: Negotiation or Military Option (500 Words)

COMMUNITY SERVICE CLUB

Identify an environmental issue and its impact on your community. This could be at home, in your town or city, country or even around school. Write up a power point presentation about how the issue can be resolved for the long term benefit of your community and environment.

8. CULTURAL DANCE AND CHOREOGRAPHY

Choreograph dance steps either cultural or contemporary and make a video recording for presentation. The movements should be well defined.

9. MUSIC CLUB

Sing a song or play a musical piece of your choice and make a video recording for presentation.

10. CREATIVE WRITING CLUB

Write a short story, poem or essay on any of the following. (500 words)

- i. Family
- ii. The role of social media in my life
- iii. Nigeria of my dreams.

11. COOKING CLUB.

Submit the recipe for an innovative dish that you have cooked, like to cook, or have seen being cooked, and include a photo of the dish. Your recipe must fit one of these four categories: Snacks, Breakfast, Lunch or Dinner.