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June 2025

Dear Parents,

As we approach the final month of this academic year, many engaging activities and events are planned for our students! These are designed to celebrate their learning journey and to provide them with joyful and meaningful experiences. Please find below an overview of what's coming up:

Mental Math Competition: Our Class 2 students will put their mental calculation skills to the test in a friendly and exciting competition. This event encourages quick thinking, accuracy, and a love for numbers.

Spelling Bee: A favourite among Class 2 students, the Spelling Bee fosters vocabulary development, concentration, and public speaking confidence.

Art Competition: Creativity will take centre stage as students express their ideas through colours and art.

Splash Day: One of the most anticipated days of the year! Splash Day promises outdoor fun and water-based activities in a safe, supervised environment. Detailed guidelines regarding attire and items to bring will be sent closer to the date.

Class Party: To celebrate the end of a wonderful school year, each class will host a small class party. This is a chance for students to reflect back on the year and exchange goodbyes with their classmates and teachers.

Parent-Teacher Meeting: Our final PTM details will be shared soon with the parents.

Annual Awards Ceremony: We will end the year with our Annual Awards and Attainment Ceremony to honor and recognize the hard work, achievements, and positive spirit of our students.

We look forward to your continued support and active participation in making this final month truly memorable for our students.

Wishing you all a joyful Eid Mubarak
Rasha Tariq

WINDERMERE RS CONFERENCE



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RECENT LOWER SCHOOL EVENTS



Cinco De Mayo, an annual Mexican celebration was observed at Lower (pictured above) in May. It was a great opportunity to dress in the beautiful Mexican colours and learn a little about another country and culture.

Eggciting Party, a fun Easter-like party was held at Lower recently, pictured below.



Zero Waste Day, in an effort to promote sustainability and eco-consciousness, we encourage waste-free tiffin every alternate Wednesday.

Special Thursdays, means we do special things on Thursdays. Recently our students spreading joy and positivity by wearing Happy Colours for last week's cheerful celebration.

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While building healthy habits early is vital, it is just as important for parents to lead by example. After our 30s, staying active and making healthier lifestyle choices are essential for maintaining energy, reducing stress and supporting long-term well-being. At CGS, we support this commitment to wellness through our NC campus gym - equipped with modern, state-of-the-art facilities - available exclusively to CGS parents, teachers and alumni. It is a great opportunity to embrace fitness and make health a consistent part of daily life.

As we enter the Summer (Final) Term of the academic year, students, you must stay focused and give your best effort - these results will play a key role in determining your promotion to the next class. The yearend Summer Term exams are not just about testing knowledge; they reflect your progress and overall growth. We encourage parents to support their children with structured routines and minimal distractions. With class parties and the long summer break ahead, this is the moment to work hard and finish the year strong.

Eid-ul-Adha is a time of deep reflection, compassion and generosity. This sacred occasion reminds us of the value of humility, gratitude and empathy towards those in need. At CGS, we encourage our students and families to embrace the deeper meaning of Eid; not just through celebration, but by engaging in acts of kindness, sharing with others and strengthening bonds within our community. May this Eid inspire all of us to lead more thoughtful and generous lives.

Wishing you all a joyful Eid-ul-Azha.

Hector Fernandez

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CGS INTER-SCHOOL BASKETBALL



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With the last few exam papers being submitted, we now prepare to transition back into regular school life. The final days of the academic year are upon us a time to reconnect with classmates and teachers, wrap up ongoing activities, and reflect on the learning journey we have undertaken together.

These last few days before summer break are especially meaningful. It is a chance to celebrate accomplishments, participate in class discussions, engage in creative activities, and enjoy the final moments of school before the holidays begin. We encourage everyone to make the most of this time to finish strong, stay engaged, and enjoy the familiar rhythm of school life one last time before we part ways for the summer.

And then, of course, comes the long-awaited summer vacation! A well deserved break is just around the corner a time to rest, explore new interests, travel, or simply unwind. Thank you for being part of a wonderful academic year. Let us make these final school days count and head into summer with memories to cherish and excitement for what lies ahead.

Wishing you all a joyful Eid-ul Azha

Faiza Chowdhury

Head of O' Levels, Upper School

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