

January 5, 2010.

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Welcome to 2010! It is great to have you with CIS as we enter the New Year!

During the break our facilities team has been busy completing upgrades to our school. The Amphitheatre is now complete and a great venue for student presentations. A bus shelter has been constructed for those rainy days when students arrive or depart from the premises. Mrs. George has received a new vinyl floor in her classroom. We will assess the floor's strengths and weaknesses until June. Hopefully the new floor will stand up to high use and spills so floors in other classes can be scheduled for replacement during the July break.

A reminder for students and parents of Grades 6,7,8,9, and 10, about the scheduled school trips in February that payment must be completed and the necessary documentation submitted. We are gathering final names and numbers. Any student not attending these trips will be expected to attend school as a program will be designed.

On January 18th at 3:30 and January 19th at 4:00, CIS is pleased to host a special Theory of Knowledge presentation by Andy Fletcher on 'Life, the Universe and Everything'. Theory of Knowledge (TOK) is an integral part of the IB program throughout the world. Mr. Fletcher will be presenting to all Grade 10, 11 and 12 students, faculty and interested parents. January 18th is the introductory session, with follow up on January 19th. Any parent interested in attending is asked to contact Beena at CIS to have a seat reserved. Please go to www.tokseminars.org for further information regarding Andy Fletcher and his presentation.

Performance Report Cards will be sent home on January 22nd for the students who were not with us for term 1 or students who are struggling academically. Parents are encouraged to contact classroom teachers at any time a concern arises.

Yours in Education



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K-12 Principal

