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CIRCULAR TO PARENTS [Classes: VI – XII] SUB: ISWK TALENT HUNT 2020

Dear Parents,

Greetings from ISWK!

"Creativity is as important now in education as literacy and we should treat it with the same status."

- Ken Robinson

At ISWK, we strive to continue to impart quality education to our children, even in these trying times and under different circumstances. We believe in the holistic and overall development of a student's mind, body and soul. It is a well-known fact that "**all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy**", and the last three months have seen our students working diligently to prove their mettle in academics. Thus, it is now time for them to develop their **social and intellectual skills, leadership skills, character-building and self-confidence**, by participating in a plethora of activities organized by the school.

These **activities** shall help in providing them with meaningful learning experiences; help them recognize and hone their inner talents, as well as help in the holistic development of our students. The **activities** include sports, quizzes, art/music/dance, elocution, debates, scientific research, just to name a few.

The children risk being among the biggest victims of the pandemic – though thankfully, they have been largely spared from the effects of COVID-19. The crisis is having a profound effect on their wellbeing. What they need at this time is involvement in stress-free, enjoyable activities which will make them resilient, resourceful and responsible learners. Co-scholastic activities are an essential ingredient of education just like learning Arithmetic, English, Science or Social Science. These are the keys to unlock the potential of our budding talents.

In view of the above, we are pleased to announce that as part of our continuous efforts to enhance the educational experience of our children, both through theory and practical experiences, the school has arranged to conduct Elections/Selections for the Student Council of 2020-21.

In addition to the Student Council selections, various departments have exciting activities lined up for our enthusiastic learners.

- Campaigns for the elections and selections for the competitions will be conducted on July 5, 6 & 7, July 2020.
- The Campaigning will take place during the first lesson on the above mentioned dates.
- The Prefectural Body selection will be conducted by the Class Teachers.
- Canvassing for the Post of House Office Bearers will be conducted by the Activity Coordinators and the P.E. Department.
- The Head Council Selection and Election will be conducted by the Principal, Vice Principal and Heads of various departments.
- A detailed Schedule of all the activities will be circulated through google class room very soon.

Please note that a google form link will be provided by the respective class teachers to the students for registering for any of the posts of the Student Council.

Likewise, links will be provided by the subject teachers for registering for various Inter - House activities.

It is mandatory for all interested students to fill out the form, failing which they may lose the opportunity to participate in the activity/activities of their choice.

We look forward to seeing a large number of students availing the opportunity to showcase their talents in various fields provided by the school.

Thank you.

Best regards,

D. N. Rao Principal