

# NEWSLETTER

Yantai Huasheng International School

May 12, 2022

## SCHOOL-WIDE NEWS

### RE-ENROLLMENT FAIR

A huge thank you to parents who have completed the re-enrollment process. The deadline has been extended to Monday, May 16, to allow more time for parents to complete the process. Unlike previous years where the re-enrollment fair was held at school, this year's fair will be held at I Love Pizza Coffee Shop (Kaifaqu Songshan Road #11-12), where there will be staff on hand to assist with the PowerSchool process and answer any questions you may have. If you have already completed the process and would like to connect with us, visit us at the coffee shop this Friday, May 13, from 12:30 - 2:30 pm. Come enjoy a free cup of tea or coffee on us!



### YHIS SUMMER CAMP

Summer is here once again and as always, we are excited to announce Summer Camp. We would like to welcome you to YHIS Summer Camp and provide you with some information that will help make this program a success. The camp will start on June 15 – June 24 (Weekday's only) and will be available to ECC - HS students. Our foreign and national staff will lead the camp which will be based on different themes depending on the age group of the students. Students will be grouped into ECC, Lower Elementary, Upper Elementary, Middle School and High School. The cost for Kindergarten - High School is 3,500RMB per student, and payment should be made by Friday, June 3.

The typical summer camp day will be from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. The school will continue to provide bussing to and from school at an additional 280 RMB, and lunch will be provided at the school cafeteria at the student's expense. More information on the camp and bus schedules will be provided soon. Students will not be required to wear school uniform to summer camp.

Registration is first come, first serve and space is limited! Register your child/ren via the registration link provided ([LINK](#)). The registration deadline is Friday, May 27. If you would like additional information or have any queries, please contact the camp coordinator at [ryan.hinnings@yhischina.com](mailto:ryan.hinnings@yhischina.com).

Click [HERE](#) to view a video highlight of last year's camp. We look forward to a fun summer camp!

## SPRING CONCERT

The Spring Concert will be held online this year. Students have been preparing music all semester, and we will record the performance videos next week! Details about the concert viewing will come at a later time.

### **ECC and Elementary**

On the day of your child's recording, please send them to school in **character day** costumes. Students can dress up as a movie character or book character. If they would not like to dress as a character, they can wear a brightly colored shirt instead.

Students will record on the following days during regular music class times:

Wednesday (May 18): G2, G5

Thursday (May 19): ECC, G1, G3, G4

Please email Ms. Angela Ma with any questions at [angela.ma@yhischina.com](mailto:angela.ma@yhischina.com).

### **Secondary**

High School Bands and High School Choir will make their recordings on **Friday, May 20** during regular class time. Ms. Forstrom will communicate with students early next week about what they should wear to school on those days.

Please email Ms. Lexi Forstrom with any questions at [lexi.forstrom@yhischina.com](mailto:lexi.forstrom@yhischina.com).

## MORNING CAMPUS ENTERING TIME

We would like to remind you that students are allowed to enter the campus from 7:50 am every morning. Students who arrive earlier must wait at the entrance until the door opens at 7:50 am.

We understand that some students need to come to school early. The school allows these students to come early and have a morning study hall in the library from 7:30 - 7:50 am. Ms. Anna Li, Librarian, will supervise them in the library. Considering young students' sleep hour needs, this service will apply to students in grade 3 and above. If your child(ren) needs to come to school early on a regular basis, please complete [this survey](#) by Friday, May 20.

While there is a policy on morning 7:50 arrival time, there are exceptions to this in the event of inclement weather, such as rainy and snowy days.

## ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE REGISTRAR

Sadly, we say goodbye to YHIS families who are moving on to new assignments each year. If you know that you will be leaving YHIS at the end of this school year, we wish you the best and ask you to inform us through [registrar@yhischina.com](mailto:registrar@yhischina.com) before May 20. This early notice would help the teachers and staff members help your child through the transition process and prepare the necessary documents. The documents will be available for pick up from our Registrar, Winnie Zhang, on Monday, June 13, between 9:00am to 2:00 pm.

## PICTURE DAY

Students who didn't get their pictures taken on April 18-19 had a chance to do so today. Pictures taken will be used for the yearbook.

## INTERNATIONAL DAY

This year's International Day has been rescheduled for Friday, May 27, from 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm. More information will be shared next week.

## ATTENDANCE POLICY

Parents should send an email to [attendance@yhischina.com](mailto:attendance@yhischina.com) by 8:00 *am* on the day their child will be unable to attend school. The specific reason for the absence should also be given at this time. If a student is absent for a full day, the parents should take the child's temperature in the morning, mid-day, and the afternoon and inform the school of the temperatures by sending an email to [attendance@yhischina.com](mailto:attendance@yhischina.com). If a student is absent for two school days in a row, the student is required to take a COVID-19 test and submit a negative test result before returning to school.

If students have a temperature of 37.3°C or higher,

- Please keep your child at home and consult a doctor and inform the school through [attendance@yhischina.com](mailto:attendance@yhischina.com) stating your child's temperature, symptom(s), and treatment plan
- The current return-to-campus requirement for individuals who have a fever is that all household members are required to submit three negative COVID-19 tests (24-hour intervals) after they have recovered before returning to campus.

## TRAVEL OUTSIDE OF YANTAI

If your child or household member needs to travel outside of Yantai, please inform the school through [operations@yhischina.com](mailto:operations@yhischina.com). This information will help the school follow up with families later on if needed.

## ELEMENTARY NEWS

### ELEMENTARY READING FAIR

The Reading Fair has been postponed several times due to Home-Based Learning but we are going to hold the fair. Elementary students are going to be displaying and presenting their work this Friday, May 13. In order to have parents attend, the Reading Fair is being held at the gym. Please note the following:

- The presentations have to be staggered, so we will only have a few classes in at a time.
- The Reading Fair will be held in the gym. Parents need to enter at the gym gate **on Tong Bai Shan Lu, on the west side of campus.**
- The guard will check the following:
  - 1) proof of a negative COVID-19 test result within the past 48 hours, 2) temperature, 3) registration, and 4) travel code.



The Reading Fair will be held from 8:30-10:00 am at the basketball court of the gym on Friday, May 13. Please refer to the schedule below.

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Time</b>
Grade 1	8:30-9:30 am
Grade 2	8:30-9:00 am
Grade 4	9:00-9:30 am
Grade 3 and 5	9:30-10:00 am

## SECONDARY NEWS

### MIDDLE SCHOOL LOCK-IN

The Middle School Lock-In has been rescheduled for this Friday-Saturday, May 13-14. Permission forms was sent home with students this Tuesday. As the date of the event has changed, the new permission form is required. Other details about the event remain the same. The event will begin after school on Friday at 3:30 pm and go to 10:00 am Saturday morning. Students will sleep in the school building, so they should bring a sleeping bag and/or blankets and a pillow. The event will include games, dinner, snacks, and a movie (Encanto).

### GRADE 8 PARENTS INFORMATION SESSION

If you're the parent of a student in Grade 8, please join us for an information session about your child's upcoming transition to high school on Tuesday, May 17 at 10:00 am at this [LINK](#). The Secondary Principal, College Counsellor, and Student Services Director will share information about the high school classes, credits and graduation requirements, the GPA system, HS advisory, counselling services, leadership opportunities, and life in High School.

### GRADE 11 PARENTS INFORMATION SESSION

If you're the parent of a student in Grade 11, please join us for an information session about your child's upcoming senior year on Thursday, May 19 at 10:00 am at this [LINK](#). The Secondary Principal and College Counsellor will share information about the graduation requirements, the YHIS Scholars Award program, college applications, AP Classes & Exams, Leadership opportunities, and more.

### 2022-2023 YHIS SCHOLARS PROGRAM FOR RISING SENIORS

At Yantai Huasheng International School (YHIS), we desire to see every student learn, love, and lead. We are privileged to see our students challenge themselves in their academics and character through their participation in advanced classes, extra-curricular activities, and leadership opportunities.

One of the ways we recognize students for excellence in character, academics, and leadership is through our YHIS Scholars Program, in which students have the opportunity to apply for the YHIS Scholars Award valued at 50% off tuition fees for next year. Please click [HERE](#) for qualifications and requirements of the 2022-2023 YHIS Scholars Program.

Application ([HERE](#)) closes at 3:15 pm on Friday, May 27, 2022. The Scholars Program Award Committee will shortlist applicants with a view to holding interviews in early June. Notification of both successful and unsuccessful applicants will be made in writing by June 15, 2022.

## 2022 HUMAN ASIA ENGLISH ESSAY CONTEST

Human Asia, a Seoul-based NGO associated with the Korea University International Human Right Center, invites YHIS students to its English essay contest on the theme of “**Climate Crisis and Human Rights**”. Students interested in human rights are encouraged to participate. Please click [HERE](#) for more information about eligibility, how to apply, essay format, and awards, etc.

## GLOBAL COLLEGE FAIR

Yantai Huasheng International School (YHIS) and Yantai International Academy (YIA) are hosting their second annual Global College Fair via Zoom on Saturday, May 14, from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. It will provide a great opportunity to learn about colleges and get your questions answered as more than 20 university representatives from all around the world will join us. Some of the universities attending the fair include The University of Melbourne, Boston University, Durham University, University of Warwick, University of Otago, Syracuse University. Registration ([HERE](#)) is free and ends at 11:59 pm, May 12. Registered parents will receive the fair schedule and a list of university Zoom links, with which they can have a conversation with the college representatives and get their questions answered. There will also be workshops about undergraduate education in various countries for parents and students.



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universities representatives  
in one location

**LEARN ABOUT COLLEGES AND  
GET YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED.**

US/UK/Australia/NZ/Japan/Europe Workshops on admission requirements, scholarships, financial aid, and much more

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## UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS INFORMATION SESSIONS

Below is a list of universities that are planning to host an online admissions information session in May. Interested parents are welcome to attend the sessions. Zoom links will be shared when we receive the information.

University	Date and Time
Hankuk University of Foreign Studies	May 25, 1:00 pm
Sogang University	May 26, 1:00 pm

## ECC/ELEMENTARY SNACK MENU

	Morning	Afternoon
<b>Monday</b>	Honey Bun, Kiwifruit, Mango	Donut, Orange, Grape
<b>Tuesday</b>	Marble Cake, Orange, Banana	Roll Cake, Dragon fruit, Melon
<b>Wednesday</b>	Date Cake, Apple, Grapefruit	Muffin Cake, Orange, Pineapple
<b>Thursday</b>	Brownie, Melon, Grape	Chocolate Cookies, Milk, Orange
<b>Friday</b>	French bun, Dragon Fruit, Orange	Butter Cookie, Yogurt, Kiwi

## LUNCH MENU

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>1 Choose one</b>	<b>Chinese</b>	Spine Stewed Corn	Sanxian Meat Ball	Beef with Carrot and Radish	Maojia Braised Pork	Jajangmyeon
	<b>Western</b>	Mexican Pork Tortilla *	Rosemary Grilled Pork Chop	Spaghetti with Meat Sauce*	German Whole Roasted Beef Tenderloin	Italian Roasted Pork Neck
	<b>Korean</b>	Chicken Curry	Korean Beef	Korean Boiled center heel of shank	Korean Sweet Chicken Nuggets	Vegetable Wrapped Beef
<b>2 Choose one</b>	<b>Meat 1</b>	Braised Pork with Soybean	Braised Pork with Mushrooms	Shredded Pork in Beijing Sauce	Cumin Pork Slices	Mushroom Chicken Nuggets
	<b>Meat 2</b>	Meat Wrapped in Vegetables	Korean Chicken Chop	Korean Fried Chicken	Crispy Cod	Korean Roasted Wing Root
<b>3 Choose two</b>	<b>Vegetable 1</b>	Stir-fried Bok Choy with Mushroom	Scrambled Eggs with Tomatoes ^	Stewed Tofu with Cabbage	Stir-fried Bok Choy	Scrambled Eggs with zucchini ^
	<b>Vegetable 2</b>	Sesame Soybean Sprouts	Korean Fried Tofu	Korean Mixed Vegetables	Kimbab	Korean fried dumplings *
	<b>Vegetable 3</b>	Celery and Lotus Root Slices	Tricolor Yam	Organic Cauliflower with Green Pepper	Colorful Corn Kernels &	Black Pepper Broccoli
<b>4 Choose one</b>	<b>Soup 1</b>	Mushroom Soup #	Sole Fish with Tomato Soup #	Huntun Soup *	Black Rice Porridge *	Tomato Egg Soup ^
	<b>Soup 2</b>	Millet Porridge *	Mixed Porridge *	Fish Cake Soup #	Kimchi Beef Soup	Cream Mushroom Soup &
<b>5</b>	<b>Fruits</b>	3 Seasonal Fruits				
	<b>Grain/ Appetizer</b>	Black Rice, Steamed Buns *	Millet Rice, Steamed Buns *	Oats Rice, Steamed Buns *	Black Rice, Steamed Buns *	Millet Rice, Steamed Buns*
<b>Dessert (Western/Korean)</b>		Butter Cookies ^	Banana Cake ^	Sponge Cake ^	Blueberry Cupcake ^	Chocolate Cake ^

**Allergies:**

\*Wheat

#Seafood

&Dairy

^Eggs

@Nuts