



Our Mission

Providing a balanced and innovative international education that enables students to achieve their individual potential while preparing them to be successful citizens who make positive contributions to society and the world.



Today's Content:

- Head of School Notes
- Craft Fair
- English with Ms. Lynda
- Science with Ms. M-B
- History with Mr. Anthony

Head of School Notes

Dear Students and Parent

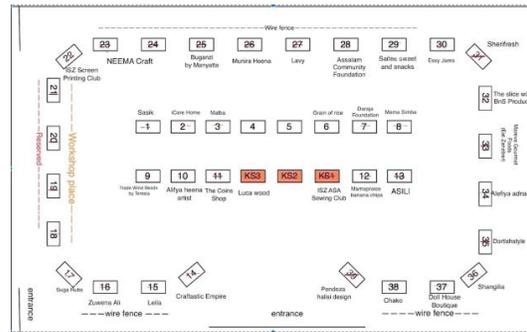
The Big Day that we have all been waiting for is almost here. Please make sure to join us tomorrow, Saturday, December 12, for the Holiday Craft and Fun Fair. Our PTA members have really done a fantastic job in organizing this event. Ms. Wild will be hosting a live Art competition (see below for details). Wait until you see all the prizes! A huge thank you goes out to all the sponsors (see below).

The Yearbook committee is inviting all students to design a cover. Please send inquiries and offers of assistance to yearbook@isz.co.tz

Quick Reminder: During these rainy days, please make sure that your child has an umbrella or a raincoat.

See you all tomorrow!

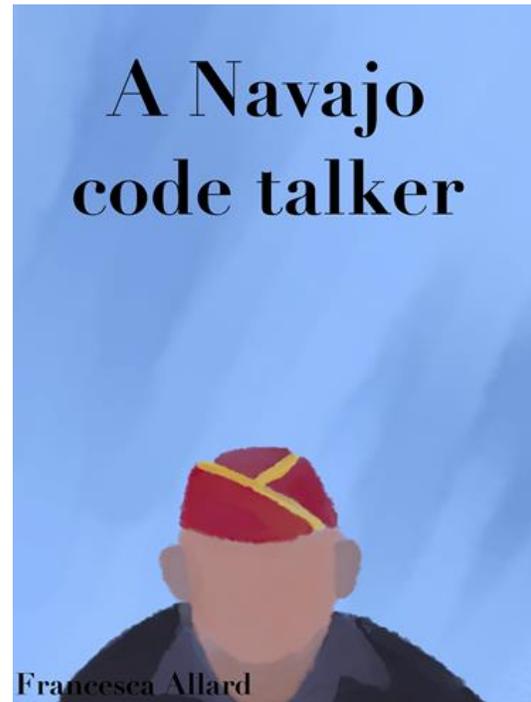
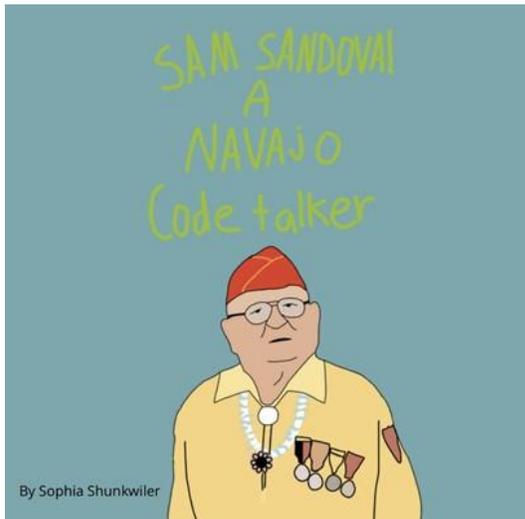
Dr. James W. Pilton



Year 8 English with Ms. Lynda

Year Eight students are really enjoying studying World War Two in our all new English/History curriculum! Next week, Some of them will be chosen to read their childrens' books about the

Navajo Code Talkers to Ms. Sarah's class! The assignment began as a way to practice their summary skills and will end in a series of digital children's stories about these amazing WW 2 heroes. Here are the covers of two of the books.



History with Mr. Anthony

This new term has come with a new topic for our Humanities/English year 8 lessons. We have begun investigating different types of historical sources and then went on to start exploring this term's first topic: World War 2. Ms. Lynda and I are enjoying working with Year 8s on this topic together (see above).

We started with an overview of what the war was about, who was involved, and a broad timeline of events. Although we tend to view this as a war in Europe, many forget just how many countries had a stake in this war, and where numerous battles took place, including right here in Africa.

Having learnt about some of the basics, we watched some great snippets of documentaries and engaged in some interesting and insightful class discussion. The Year 8's developed a good general understanding of this global event. Since then, we have started to focus in on

some key elements as they unfolded. We have explored how, where and why the war started, Blitzkrieg, the Blitz and politics surrounding who got involved, where and why. We are just at the beginning of the story but, the class is already very engaged in the topic and are excited to learn more.

Later in the year we will take elements of WW2 and relate them to conflicts and events in Africa

Science with Mrs. M-B

Y12 has been studying cell division. This topic started with mitosis, then moved to extending human life, and ended with possible pitfalls such as cancer. We also took an ethical look at science. "The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks" is a book written by Rebecca Skloot that explores the racial and ethical issues within medicine and scientific research. Henrietta's immortal cancer cells are linked to most of the major cellular advancements in the 21st century and yet they were taken without her knowledge and consent. Some may argue that the benefit of the scientific advancements outweigh the individual rights to privacy that were violated. Good scientists should be keenly aware of the impacts of their research, and so the Y12s had to pick a side to argue in a debate. Each team made excellent points and gained insight into the ongoing ethical questions that face the scientific community today.



Film Making Holiday Camp with Charlie Smith

Mr Charlie is asking parents to donate specific items to make the camp more fun and crative. If parents could bring any of the following items and *donations on Saturday to the CRAFT fair, that would be super helpful!*

1) -old phone cases of any type phone- we will use to build cell phone camera rigs during the MediaMakers camp

2) -any cool items that could be used as a film prop:

-wigs

-funny hats

-sunglasses

-any costumes

-old suit jacket

-scarfs

-old cell phones

-old luggage bag

-any trinkets

-old rings

-stuffed animals

-old awards/trophies

-broken clock

-broken camera- polaroid, film cameras, old video cams

-old maps

-small boxes- ring boxes, trinket boxes, Zanzibar wood boxes, etc.

Thanks so much!

Charlie

December 19-22 2020

Day Camp Sat.-Tues. 8:30am-4:30pm

MediaMakers Filmmaking Camp



CREATION • LEARNING • FUN • ADVENTURE • TEAMWORK

- Practice the craft of filmmaking:
 - camera techniques
 - video editing
 - capturing good audio
 - scriptwriting
 - how to work on a creative team



In the first three days of camp you will learn new skills while practicing the craft of film making. The camp will end with a 24hour Film Race starting on Monday afternoon, and concluding at 4:30pm on Tuesday afternoon, the final day of the camp. All films will be shown on the big screen!!!!

Limited Space!
Apply Now!

Sign up as an individual or as a team!

Cost per youth- 220,000czs

Open to Year 6 to Year 13 students

For more information and to apply email: charlie@csmithpictures.com

Hosted by:



DAR ES SALAAM TALENT CLUB (DATAC)

A great opportunity for your child

**DECEMBER
HOLIDAY
CAMP**

Venue
International School
of Zanzibar (ISZ)

4th to 8th January 2021
Time: 8:30 AM to 2:00 PM

AGE: 3 years to 13 years Old
(Boys and Girls)



Activities: FOOTBALL,
BASKETBALL, BASEBALL,
TAG RUGBY, GYMNASTICS, HAND
BALL & SWIMMING/WATER GAMES

Price:
100 USD or
230.000TSH
per Child
for One Week

Enroll your child Now through:

Email: datac017@gmail.com / camkinga@yahoo.com
Mob: +255755501424 : Mr Casto

There is
a
PRIZE

**YEARBOOK
COVER
COMPETITION**



ISZ

Draw picture,
graphic, ISZ
related,
ORIGINAL!

Hand it in
to your
home
room
teacher

DEADLINE
1ST FEB 2021

**USE
GREEN,
BLUE
AND
YELLOW**



UPCOMING EVENTS

- OFFICE HOURS FROM 8AM TO 3:30PM MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

- PTA Crafts and Fun Holiday Fair featuring "Santa's Village" on December 12
- Last Day of School December 18
- Primary Play "James and the Giant Mango" in January
- MSA activity day on January 29th

Nurture, Empower, Lead