

ASOY Times

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PARROT'S CANTEEN

- **Monday, Jan. 11**
Cole Slaw Salad
Sloppy Joes & Hot dogs
Fries
- **Tuesday, Jan.12**
Oriental Cole Slaw
Southern Fried Chicken
Yellow Rice
- **Wednesday, Jan 13**
Green Salad
Spaghetti Bolognaise
Garlic Toast
- **Thursday, Jan. 14**
Mexican Salad
Beef Fajitas
- **Friday, Jan. 15**
Deviled Eggs
Green Salad



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ASOY Earns CIS/MSA Re-Accreditation



7 January 2010

*CIS Response to the Nov. 2009 Special Report
and Confirmation of Re-Accreditation*

On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Council of International Schools, the CIS Accreditation Service and its Advisors have now completed their study of the Special Report which the American School of Yaounde (ASOY) submitted in November 2009. As you know, this report addressed five Special Issues in the safety and financial management areas listed in the CIS letter of 10 June 2009.

These issues arose from the March 2009 Visiting Team Report, and had led to the temporary extension of the school's CIS accreditation without formal re-accreditation being granted. I am pleased to inform you that the November 2009 Special Report has been accepted, given that the narrative and photographic evidence showed the school has responded satisfactorily to the identified issues.

Therefore, I can now confirm that CIS re-accreditation has been granted to ASOY (now Nursery to Grade 12). My congratulations go to you and the entire school community on this achievement. Best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Gerry Percy

Director of Accreditation Services, Council of International Schools (CIS)

Our Mission

The mission of the American School of Yaoundé is to ensure that all students achieve high academic success, demonstrate critical thinking skills, and become responsible and compassionate global citizens prepared for their next stage of life; gained through an enriched American curriculum and offered in a challenging, secure, and diverse environment.



Photo Sessions

Parents and Students,

Please note that professionals from Photo Hollywood will be at ASOY this upcoming Thursday and Friday (January 14th and 15th) to take individual and class photographs for the yearbook. The photographer will return on Tuesday (19th) to take pictures of any students who were absent. After the photos are processed, you will receive an order form and will be able to purchase prints at that time.

Thanks,

The ASOY Yearbook Staff

National Honor Society

National Junior Honor Society

BINGO NIGHT IN ITALY

Saturday, January 16, 6:30 PM

Prizes include MP4, DVDs, SIM phones,
and more!

Entry fee—500 CFA (includes one card)

Italian dinner—2 500 CFA

Additional Bingo cards— 500 CFA



ASOY
Recreation
Club

Jazz Evening



Saturday,
January 23, 2010

Please invite your friends
and join us around the pool
for an evening of music, hors
d'oeuvres,
and conversation.

For more details, call the
Office at 2223 0421
or Mr. Matiafa at 7725 2857

DIRECTOR CANDIDATES VISIT ASOY

Parent participation needed!

From the Board . . .



Dear ASOY Community,

As you know, two candidates for the ASOY Director position will be coming to ASOY this week and next. The first candidate arrives on Tuesday evening, January 12, and will be in Yaoundé until Friday. The Board is still putting the final touches on next week's schedule, and the following will give you a rough idea of what the first candidate, Mr. Paul Sheppard, will be doing, and where and when you can meet him. The second candidate, Mr. Greg Hughes will be here from January 19 through January 22 and will likely have a similar schedule.

Wednesday, January 13

Morning tour of school, lunch with students and teachers in the Canteen, afternoon interviews with teachers and the Board, followed by dinner with Board members.

Thursday, January 14

Morning tour of Yaounde, meet with students, visit boarding house, teachers' apartments, and Director house, trip to Embassy.

**17:00 Presentation to ASOY Community (Library)
with question and answer session
followed by poolside cocktails.**

Friday, January 15

Morning visit with ASOY admin, visit with workers, lunch with several Board members, Afternoon rest before evening departure.

We hope you will find the time to come and meet the candidates and provide your feedback to the Board. We will try to have Board members available during the candidates' visits to hear any feedback you have, and in addition you can send your comments to me at beighlej@hotmail.com or Sib Siebesma at siblouise@hotmail.com.

With best wishes and Happy New Year!

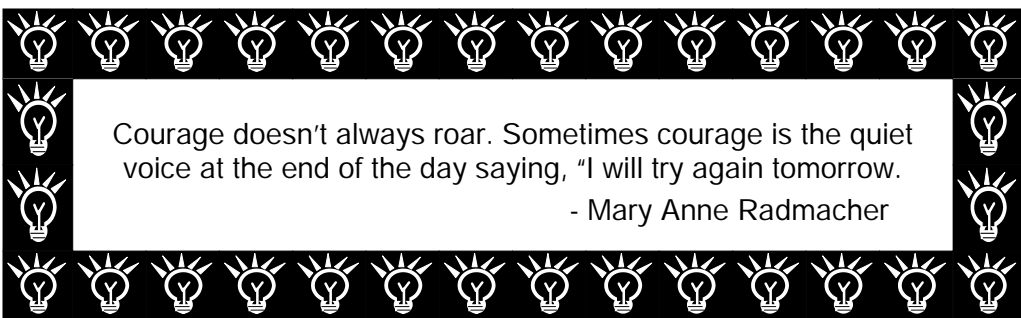
James Beighle

ASOY Board President



Upcoming ASOY Events. . .

- **Wednesday, January 13**
"Short" Wednesday, early dismissal 1:00 pm
- **Wed-Friday, January 13 –15**
Director Candidate Visit—Paul Sheppard
- **Thursday-Friday, January 14-15**
Yearbook Photo Session
- **Saturday, January 16**
NHS / NJHS Bingo Night
- **Monday, January 18**
Martin Luther King Day, No School
- **Tuesday, January 19**
Yearbook Photo Session
- **Wed-Friday, January 20-22**
Director Candidate Visit—Greg Hughes
- **Thursday, January 21**
Board Meeting, 5:30 pm in the Library
- **Saturday, January 23**
Jazz Evening for Adults
- **Wednesday, January 27**
"Short" Wednesday, early dismissal 1:00 pm
- **January 27-29**
Semester Exams Grades 6-12



Courage doesn't always roar. Sometimes courage is the quiet voice at the end of the day saying, "I will try again tomorrow."

- Mary Anne Radmacher

ASOY 2009/2010

1st Semester Exam Schedule: Grades 6-12

	Wednesday, January 27	Thursday, January 28	Friday, January 29
8:00 - 10:00	1st Period	2nd period	3rd period
	6 - World Regions - Owens 7 -Lang Arts – B. Jungman 8 –Science - Page 9 – PE - Mans 10- English – L. Jungman 11/12 Comp Gov - Zeise 11/12 Physics - vMeulen	6/7/8 MS French A - Mekeme 6/7/8 MS French B- Dieye 6/7/8 Drama - B. Jungman 9 – World History – B. Owens 10 – World History – K. Owens 10/11 - Algebra II - Allen 11/12- Pre-Calculus – vMeulen 11/12- AP Calculus - Ndjouma 11/12- Practical Math- Metuge	6 – Math – Allen 7- Science – Page 8 – Civics – K. Owens 9/10/12 -French IV - Pondi 10/11 AP French V –Mekeme 11/12 - ADV French VI - Dieye 11/12 AP Econ – Orban 9/12 Journalism- L. Jungman 9/10/12 - IT - Zeise
10:00-10:25	10:00-10:25	10:00-10:25	10:00-10:25
10:30-12:30	5th Period	4th period	6th period
	6/7/8 PE - Mans 7 – Math - Ndjouma 8 – Pre Algebra - Allen 9 - Biology – Page 10 – Chemistry - vMeulen 11/12 AP Eng Lit.L. Jungman 11/12 English Lit. – B. Jungman	6 - Lang Arts – B. Jungman 7/8 - PE - Komb 8/9 - Algebra I - vMeulen 9/10 – Geometry - Ndjouma 10/11/12 - Health – Mans 11/12 - MUN – Orban 12 - Global Issues – K. Owens	6- Science – Page 7-US History – B. Owens 8- Lang Arts – B. Jungman 9 – English – L. Jungman 11/12 AP Comp Gov – Orban 10/11/12 AP US History – K. Owens 11/12 Physics – vMeulen 10/11 - Art - LaFrance
12:30-1:10	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
1:15-3:15	MS and HS dismissed Make-up time for missed exams	7th period	MS and HS dismissed Make-up time for missed exams
		MS IT - Zeise MS Art – La France French 1 - Pondi French 2 - Mekeme French 3 - Dieye 9 – 12 - Beginning Chorus 10/12 – AP Biology	