



# STUDENTS AND PARENTS' BULLETIN

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## SENIOR EARNS RECOGNITION IN GLOBAL SHORT STORY CONTEST



**IO CARPISO**

12 HUMSS

(Humanities and Social Sciences  
Strand)

A Grade 12 student from Southville International School and Colleges (SISC) was selected as one of the winners at the recently concluded Future Folklore: Climate Fiction Contest conducted by the U.S.-based Stories to Change the World Publishing. Io Carpiso's short story entitled Bayanihan in Redux is one of the ten Special Selection awardees out of 204 entries.

The speculative fiction contest imagines a world where climate change initiatives have been set in motion to respond to the climate crisis. Carpiso's story was chosen for its creativity and writing strength, and will be published in the illustrated eBook anthology of the shortlisted and prizewinning competition pieces from entries across the globe.

# FOURTH GRADER WINS IN INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS

A Grade 4 student brought home medals from the recent Get the Beat International Dance Competition. Isra Kristen Luya won Platinum Awards in the Petite Category of Classical Ballet and Musical Theatre in the event joined by amateur dancers from Australia, New Zealand, the U.S., Asia and Africa.

Luya also got a Silver Award in the Final Round of the 2020-2021 Hong Kong International Science Olympiad. The online competition is held annually around the world and consists of four main categories namely Physics, Biology, Chemistry, and Integrated Science.







*Congratulations*



**Get The Beat Asia  
2021**

*Petite Category  
Musical Theatre 8 & Up*



**3rd Place Medal  
Platinum Award  
Isra Kristen Luya**



**Hong Kong International  
Science Olympiad**

**Hong Kong International Science Olympiad  
Final Round 2020-2021**

THIS CERTIFICATE IS PROUDLY PRESENTED TO



***Isra Kristen  
Biaa Luya***

PRIMARY 3



PHILIPPINES

# SCHOOL CELEBRATES VIRTUAL SCHOOL SPIRIT WEEK

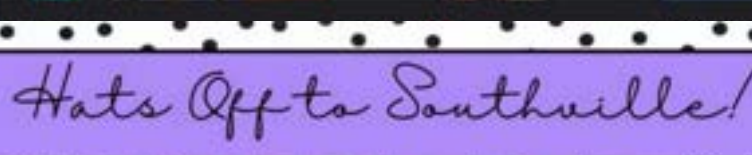
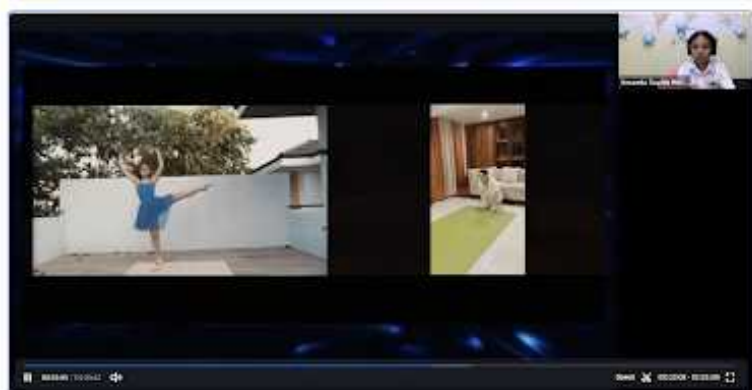
The K-12 Basic Education community showed that they are still connected while apart by celebrating a virtual School Spirit Week from September 20-24, 2021. Students and teachers united for various themes throughout the week that were easy to participate in from home and keep school spirit alive.

The week started with a Southville Display Picture Blast for framing Facebook profile pictures of students and teachers on Monday, a Southville Purple mufti day on Tuesday, a Meme Making Contest on Wednesday, a Southville Green mufti day on Thursday, and an Instagram Story Bingo on Friday.

The School Spirit Week is held in SISC every year to celebrate the institution's core values and develop community strength and school pride. As social distancing prevents on-campus celebration, this year's virtual event provided a sense of normalcy during this challenging time and added a bit of enjoyment to students and teachers as they diligently continue their online classes









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i miss playing with my classmates :)

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I love the Christmas Party in my school!

I miss singing, dancing and playing with my friends and classmates!



The most unforgettable 2019 Christmas Party!



## Off to Southville!

<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>Ethan-</b></p> <p>I miss my old classmates and all the events, all the things we did before. Those were times that we had fun learning with activities.</p>	<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>Julia</b></p> <p>My unforgettable experience in Southville is when during this time I have school, we had so much fun, we had a play garden during lunch, we had a lot of fun, also more, we got to go to the garden, also the most special events we celebrated in Southville, we got to play in learning village, and a lot more. Developing the learning and subject with growing academic learning platform. I promise to improve fully way there are. The cultural items, the flow during everything more so, for South there, we had a lot of fun, spending time with this special school, best!</p>	<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>John-</b></p> <p>Learning village because it was so fun to play there and get to different places!</p>	<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>Sevens-Field trips and learning village fine dining and cultural show, sportfest and robotics</b></p> <p>All of these things make unforgettable memories that I don't want to forget because they are fun, happy, and exciting!</p>
<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>Gale</b></p> <p>I miss the fine dining.</p>	<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>Dora</b></p> <p>I missed fine dining and the sports, family fun and learning village.</p>	<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>CP-</b></p> <p>I miss the learning village.</p>	<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>Matthew</b></p> <p>My unforgettable experience and the field trips.</p>
<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>Lexie-hats off to southville</b></p> <p>I will never forget my old classmates and the field trips we went to.</p>	<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>CP-</b></p> <p>I miss the learning village.</p>	<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>CP-</b></p> <p>I miss the learning village.</p>	<p><b>Anonymous</b></p> <p><b>Matthew</b></p> <p>My unforgettable experience and the field trips.</p>

## SISC SCHOOL PRIDE WEEK!

<p><b>I love star day</b></p>	<p><b>My most memorable memory in Southville!</b></p>	<p><b>Celebrating my birthday with my classmates</b></p>
<p><b>I also like pajama party</b></p>	<p><b>I love doing my school projects and sharing them with everyone</b></p>	<p><b>I love doing jamboard</b></p>
<p><b>I love doing movie dates</b></p>	<p><b>Justine</b></p>	<p><b>Matthew</b></p>

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for me being able to meet new friends.



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I LOVE LEARNING WITH MY CLASSMATES AND TEACHER DARCY (^\_^)



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since it is my first time of school and i had a hard time but still my teacher help me alot and she is so kkind



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Yanru Chen

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"I like the freeze dance because it's the coolest activity ever" - Derick A.



"My First Day of Grade 1 is my most unforgettable experience in Southville. I finally go to the same school with my Kuya Yasser and Ate Yamina."

Yohana

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Unforgettable moments with my Teacher, Ate and Classmates!

♥ Samantha Yu

## My memories in Southville online classes

I love doing online classes in Southville. I have learned a lot because my teachers prepared lessons using videos and slides that are easy to understand. I have fun learning while doing activities like artworks, making videos, and performing experiments. I am also excited because I learned how to explore internet, websites, and other technical knowledge. I love online classes but I miss my friends, classmates, and teachers.





# SISC SCHOOL PRIDE WEEK!

Thank you Southville!  
We love you!



I ❤️



Thank you  
**SOUTHVILLE!**



HERE ARE SETS OF BALLOONS,  
TO SHOW OUR THANKS TO YOU!



THANK YOU, SOUTHVILLE!

LOVE,  
JUNIOR KINDER PURPLE  
2021-2022









"Kindness is helping take care of my sister whenever our parents are away or my Ibu is doing some chores. Cleaning up her mess even though I did not do it." GAB

Kindness



## Let's Spread Kindness

Share your photos or short anecdotes of how you show kindness to others.

Put your picture here:



Tell something about your picture:

Showing respect to elders



## Let's Spread Kindness

### I am Kind



### Kindness Wall



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Share your photos or short anecdotes of how you show kindness to others.

Put your picture here:



Tell something about your picture:

I am cleaning the house and organize my things. In this way, I am helping my family member in our daily household chores



My name is Sami  
I like to come to my virtual class  
I have nice friends in my class  
I like to be a good friend.  
There are rules in my class.  
I know I have to follow the rules in my school and in my class I can be kind.  
Kind words make it easy for me to have a good day at school.  
Kind actions make others want to be my friend!!!



Sharing my food-Althea

Help washing the car-Althea

helping people to make them feel better - Jaden

Jaden by helping my Nanay Tatay

gala - by helping my mommy and daddy

being polite-ji

take care to everyone - Tristan



How did you show kindness?

Sharing my food - bella

helped by helping the beggars outside. Giving them food.



I make laundry with my mamita-anilya



Allyssa - I share kindness by sharing because sharing is caring.



helping elders - huanhuan



Jimin sharing





# HEALTH ADVISORY



**SPB**  
Student and Parents' Bulletin

**Health Advisory #5**  
Academic Year 2021 - 2022



## Ear Care and Hearing Safety during Pandemic

Ever since the start of the pandemic, we transitioned to the "new normal" which includes work-from-home and virtual online learning set-ups. Many of us use headphones, earphones, airpods and other hearing devices for work and classes on different online platforms. This is why we also need to give extra care to our ears during this time.

### Tips to Prevent Hearing Damage



**Follow the "60%" rule.** Use only **60% of your device's maximum volume** when using earphones or headphones. Parents should always be mindful of the volume being used by their children.



**The advisable usage of headphones is one hour a day.** Since this might not be possible for everybody, especially those with online classes, **experts recommend using external speakers** which can also help parents monitor what their children are hearing.



**Use both ear pieces.** Some are using only one earphone to give the other ear a break. It is not good to increase the sound decibel for one ear to hear something better.

**Give your ears a break and clean your ear devices.** Prolonged use of ear devices may lead to temporary hearing loss. It is recommended that you **regularly wipe your ear devices with a clean cloth and some disinfectant** like alcohol. You can also use cotton buds to get into small crevices.



**The ear is a self-cleaning organ and does not require any active cleaning.** The ear only needs to be cleaned from outside.

**Consult first your doctor if you feel discomfort or any pain in your ears.** Do not self-medicate. Ear pain should not be ignored as it can lead to serious problems.

**LIFE IS WORTH LISTENING TO,  
TAKE GOOD CARE OF YOUR EARS.**



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# SHARE A SOUTHVILLE EXPERIENCE



For the Academic Year 2021-2022, we are launching our Share a Southville Experience to students and parents who have friends, relatives, and family members who wish to join the Southville Community. Share with us their names and contact information through the Share the Southville Experience Form, and we will reach out to them to explain the Southville programs.

We will also acknowledge you through a token of Gratitude for sharing your pride in the Southville experience. For any inquiries about the program, please contact Elyds Reyes or Gerlie Montellano of our Public Relations Team via [pr@southville.edu.ph](mailto:pr@southville.edu.ph).

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