



# SPB ISSUE NO. 02 STUDENTS AND PARENTS BULLETIN

**SOUTHVILLE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL AND COLLEGES** 

## WELCOME MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

As we open Academic Year 2025–2026, we joyfully welcome all our Preschool to High School students into another exciting chapter of Southville International School and Colleges' (SISC) journey. This year is extra special as we celebrate our **35th anniversary**—three and a half decades of shaping lives, building futures, and moving society forward.



Jocelyn P. Tizon, PhD President

For over three decades, we have grown stronger—together. And this year, we honor not just our legacy, but your role in

honor not just our legacy, but your role in it. Every student, teacher, and family is part of a vibrant tradition of excellence, and part of the exciting future we continue to build.

At Southville, we don't just keep up—we lead, with:

#### Vision

## Southville International School and Colleges is recognized nationally and globally in the delivery of international education to develop lifelong learners, excellent in academics and values, and movers of society who will make a difference in the 21st century.



#### Mission

SISC is committed to develop lifelong learners who are equipped with the 5Cs (Competence, Character, Commitment to Achieve, Collaboration, Creativity/Innovation) through data-driven and technology-enhanced educational programs to ensure student success in the 21st century.

- Tech-Driven Teaching with Coding, Robotics, Al, and Digital Competencies
- Critical Thinking and problem-solving powered by AI and an Integrated Curriculum
- · Highly qualified teachers who guide learners to excellence
- Personalized and data-driven learning with IXL mastery skills and Grow the Extra Mile (GEM) projects
- Vibrant experiences through virtual Online Learning and Teaching or VOLT, Flex, and enhanced Moodle elements
- Hands-on learning in Science Labs, Robotics, and Art programs
- Future-ready preparation with Winning in the Work World for Senior High School and IBand interdisciplinary learning
- Safe and caring environment with SEL support and our Anti-Bullying campaign, where every Monarch is Accepted, Valued, Included, and Cared for.

This year is not only a celebration of what we have achieved but also a promise to keep moving forward with Character, Competence, Commitment to Achieve, Collaboration, and Creativity/Innovation.

Together, let's dream bigger, learn deeper, and soar higher as one Monarch community. Here's to a remarkable school year that honors our legacy and boldly shapes our future!

#### Welcome back, Monarchs—let's make history together!



# SENIORS PASS TOP UNIVERSITIES TESTS

SISC Grade 12 students ranked in the top percentile of the thousands of students who applied for the most prestigious universities in the country to qualify for the course of their choice. They continue a proud school tradition of placing its graduates in top colleges and universities here and abroad by virtue of the competent training and quality education SISC provides them for careers needed in the 21st century.

#### Below are the names of the successful applicants:

#### University of the Philippines

Mia, Nigela Santina V
Baniqued Daniel Benileo C
Fuentes, Sean Peter D.
Montenegro, Hanks L.
Geronimo, Nicolo Antonio V.
Masilungan, Jose Antonio C.
De Guzman, Carlos Miguel Q.
Santos, Vince Kristian U.
Principe, Boris Nathaniel
Lausingco, Sophia Marie
Peñera, Chiara P.
Valeroso, Jilliana, J.
Viola, Natalia Sofia T.

#### De La Salle University

Pallera, Sebastian Gabriel Mizutani, Ainica P Viola, Natalia Sofia T. Montenegro, Hanks Ramin, Harry Yvan E. Lausingco, Sophia Marie Mia, Nigela Santina Villatuya Peñera, Chiara P. Tuazon, Joshlynn Raeka E. Ang, Cedric Jan C. Ganseco, Quirsten Zed Santos, Matthew Reuel C. Singh, Rajhender Krisef P. Villaruel, Adriel Ynan Morris O. Han Minseo Padilla, Don Enrique S. Principe, Boris Nathaniel L. Ypon, River O. Mengote, Lana M. Sales, Valerie Wayne J. Agustin, Jehan J.

#### University of Sto. Tomas

Fuentes, Sean Peter D. De Guzman, Carlos Miguel Q. Baniqued Daniel Benileo C. Buendia Jose Lorenzo S. Boco, Ryza Louise C. Buising, Danielle Lois, O. Cajigal, Kenjie F. Carpio, Sophia Helena C. Faminialagao, Ryan Aeron B. Gevaña, Venice R. Larano, Lexine Wei M. Lausingco, Sophia Marie Lim, Czea Margaret C. Masilungan, Jose Antonio, C. Moldez, Kevin Anthony M. Tagle, Paul Leonard A. Bailon, Christian Andre

#### Ateneo De Manila University

Carpio, Sophia Helena C.
Montenegro, Hanks L.
Padilla, Don Enrique
Lausingco, Sophia Marie
Sales, Valerie Wayne J.
Ypon, River O.
Gutierrez, Francesca Yasmeen H.
Baniqued Daniel Benileo C.
Lucas, Hodreal
Laraño, Lexine Wei
Andrada, Gabriel Paul V.
Viola, Natalia Sofia
Hufano, Cleavon Ice

#### **Kyunghee University**

Jeong Joyoung



# SOUTHVILLE STUDENTS EXCEL IN THE 2025 INTERNATIONAL EQUILIBRIUM SCIENCE OLYMPIAD (IESO) HEAT ROUND

The Math Olympiads Training League Incorporated (MOTLI) proudly congratulates the outstanding students from Southville International School and Colleges who garnered multiple awards in the recently concluded 2025 International Equilibrium Science Olympiad (IESO) Heat Round – Online, held last June 8, 2025.

Showcasing their excellence in scientific reasoning and problem-solving, our students from Grades 1 to 12 earned **Gold, Silver, Bronze, Merit,** and **Participation** awards, proving once again that Monarchs are future-ready leaders in STEM.

## Gold Medalists



**Blaire Antonette Perfecto**Grade 3



**Katrina Ceazer Vaz**Grade 4



Aiken Cadre Cu-Unjieng
Grade 4



**Ma. Ishabella Lee**Grade 4



Yunseo Cho Grade 11



**Nigela Santina Mia**Grade 12

## Silver Medalists



Grade 1



Elijah Jonathan Labrador Alexandra Eowyn Estevez Grade 4



Lance Arby Teodoro Grade 4



**Gabriel Dino** Grade 5



Kylie Ceazer Vaz Grade 7



Gabrielle Hermosilla Grade 10



Yeonjin Lee Grade 11

## Bronze Medalists



Felipa Rodriguez Grade 1



**Gurtaj Toor** Grade 2



Sooyeon Kim Grade 3



Francis Liem Luzon Grade 4



Yeonseo Lee Grade 4



lan Kim Grade 4



**Zacharry Matthew Tacad** Grade 4



**Zohan Russel Bolos** Grade 4



Arman Varma Grade 4



**Xyross Kaye Carpio** Grade 4



Adam Mhd. Wassim Bedawy Zyanna Zofia Lapitan Grade 4



Grade 5

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**Danielle Lauren Hermosilla**Grade 6



**Jeheelin Lee** Grade 7



## Merit Awardee





Franco Sven Prepeña Grade 4



### Participation Awards





Miguel Conrad Bernardo Grade 5



**Filip Milošević**Grade 4

We also commend the dedicated coaches: Ms. Mary Angela Manahan, Madelyn Joice Maglaque, Michelle Albarillo, Jayson Robellano who guided and inspired our students to strive for excellence in science. Your mentorship made a significant impact in nurturing their scientific curiosity and critical thinking.

Congratulations to our brilliant Monarchs and their mentors! You continue to make Southville proud!

# KICKS OF GLORY: MONARCHS MEDAL AT INTERNATIONAL TAEKWONDO TOURNAMENT

We are proud to celebrate the outstanding achievements of our Monarchs at the 11th Tirak Taekwondo International Tournament 2025, held from July 19–20 at Fashion Island, Bangkok, Thailand.

Our student-athletes brought home a total of **6 medals**, showcasing their strength, discipline, and determination on the international stage:

#### Sabrina Helen Merginio

Silver Medal – Kyorugi (9–10 years old, 29–32kg) Gold Medal – Speed Kicking



Samuel Edmund Merginio Silver Medal – Kyorugi Gold Medal – Speed Kicking

#### Seojun Bumagat Park

Bronze Medal – Kyorugi (9–10 years old, 29–32kg) Silver Medal – Speed Kicking

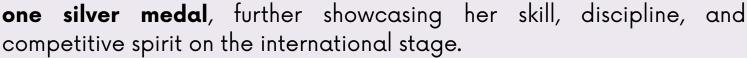
Congratulations to our young taekwondo champions for raising the Southville flag high and exemplifying the spirit of excellence and sportsmanship. Your hard work and passion continue to inspire the entire Monarchs community!



### **MONARCHS ON THE MOVE:** TRIUMPHS BEYOND SCHOOL WALLS

Yasmin Youssef Ahmed has once again brought pride to our school community with her outstanding performance in two prestigious figure international skating competitions. At the Skate Manila Championship 2025, held from June 8 to 10, Yasmin delivered exceptional performance, earning six gold medals and one silver medal across various categories.

She then competed in the 37th Annual Skate Japan Championship in **Ageo, Saitama-Ken, Japan**, from June 28 to 29, 2025, where she secured two more gold medals and





Students like Yasmin serve as a shining example of how to make summer meaningful and productive—pursuing passions, embracing challenges, and excelling beyond the classroom.

We are incredibly proud of her dedication, hard work, and sportsmanship, and we look forward to witnessing her continued growth and success in the sport she loves.



# LITTLE DYNAMO, BIG WINS: MIKA SYCIP'S GOLDEN GYMNASTICS DEBUT

From toddler gymnastics in 2024 to formal training in June 2025, Mika SyCip's journey to her first competition was nothing short of inspiring. Spotted by her coaches in May for her potential in Level 1 routines, Mika trained at least three times a week to perfect her skills — becoming the youngest in her division at the 2025 Antipolo Gymnastics Friendship Meet.

Competing in the ALP 1 Jr Level, Under 6 Division, Mika wowed the crowd and brought home medals in every event:

- Beam
- Bar
- Floor
- Vault
- 7th Overall Individual All-Around

Mika also took home a trophy for being the youngest competing gymnast.

A golden start for this little dynamo — and just the beginning of her gymnastics story!











## SISC'S DATA PRIVACY FOR STUDENTS

(In compliance with the Data Privacy Act of 2012 – RA 10173)

Your privacy matters to us. Southville International School and Colleges ("we," "our," or "the School") is committed to protecting your personal information and keeping it safe.

#### 1. What Information We Collect

We may collect the following from you:

- Personal Information name, birthday, nationality, address, contact number, photo, and student ID number
- Academic records grades, attendance, class schedules, evaluations, and disciplinary records



- Health information medical history, allergies, and immunization records (for your safety and proper care)
- Parent/guardian details names, contact numbers, addresses, and relationship to you
- Images and videos from school activities, events, and CCTV security cameras
- Biometrics fingerprint or facial data for identification and attendance

#### 2. Why We Collect Your Data

We use your information to:

- Keep accurate academic and enrollment records
- Ensure your safety and security on campus
- Provide health, counseling, and other student services
- Communicate with you and your parents/guardians
- Comply with legal and government requirements (e.g., DepEd, etc.)
- Promote school events and achievements (with proper consent)



#### 3. How We Protect Your Data

 We keep your data safe through:Secure facilities and locked storage for physical files

 Passwords, encryption, and firewalls for digital records

Allowing access only to authorized school staff



• Regular checks and training to maintain data security



#### 4. Who We Share Your Data With

We may share your data with:

 Authorized faculty and staff for academic and administrative purposes

 Government agencies as required by law (DepEd, etc.)

• Service providers and partners that help us store or process data

 Medical or emergency personnel, when needed for your safety

#### 5. Your Rights as a Student

You have the right to:

 Know what personal data we have about you and how we use it

Access and request a copy of your personal data

 Ask for corrections if your information is wrong or incomplete

 Request deletion of your data when allowed by law

Object to certain uses of your data

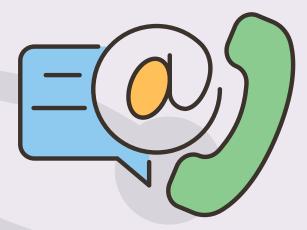
 File a complaint with the Principal, Academic Heads, or Data Privacy Officer (DPO) if you believe your data privacy rights are violated



#### 6. Contact Us

If you have questions or requests about your personal data, contact:

- **Dr. Jocelyn P. Tizon** Data Protection Officer
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- Phone: 8825-6374
- Address: 1281 Tropical Ave. corner Luxembourg St., BF Homes International, Las Piñas City, Philippines



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# VISITOR WAIVER COMPLIANCE FOR CAMPUS ENTRY

In line with the Department of Education's Child Protection Policy (DepEd Order No. 40, s. 2012), all visitors to our campus are required to complete a Visitor Notice and Compliance Waiver before being allowed entry.

This waiver is part of our continued efforts to provide a safe, secure, and child-friendly environment for our students. It outlines appropriate visitor conduct and expectations while on school grounds.

#### What You Need to Know:

- The waiver must be completed on each visit.
- Visitors must agree to follow school rules and uphold respectful, child-safe behavior.
- Failure to comply may result in denial of entry or removal from the campus.

To make the process easier, please scan the QR code at the school entrance to access and fill out the waiver form digitally before entering. We appreciate your cooperation in helping us protect the dignity, safety, and well-being of every learner. Thank you for your support!



#### **VALUE OF THE MONTH**

**AUGUST** 

Growing in Mindfulness



#### **VALUE OF THE WEEK**

AUGUST 25-29, 2025

Growing/Practicing Mindfulness and Wellness

## STARS, HEARTS, AND LAURELS: ALUMNI ACHIEVERS SPOTLIGHT

Welcome to our "Alumni Achievers Spotlight" – a dedicated corner where we celebrate the remarkable accomplishments of our former students. Our alumni have gone on to achieve great success in various fields, serving as a source of inspiration for current students and parents alike. In this space, we will share their inspiring stories, achievements, and the valuable lessons they've learned on their journey from our school to their dreams. Join us in celebrating the excellence of our alumni and discover the limitless possibilities that await our current students.



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#### **DEAN ALBERT SM. HURTADO**

K12 Alumnus | Batch 2014

Lawyer De Guzman Dionido Caga Jucaban and Associates Law Offices



## MONARCHS MOMENTS

#### **STAR CAMPUS**

Discipline Orientation: Strong Values, Strong Community
Our Discipline Orientation helps students make good choices and
succeed together. It starts with building a positive learning



## MONARCHS MOMENTS MUNICH CAMPUS

Our Young Monarchs are having fun while staying engaged in meaningful activities as they continue learning in their second week

of classes.

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# MONARCHS MOMENTS LUX CAMPUS

Last August 13 and 14, we warmly welcomed our new students and parents to experience a glimpse of campus life and our programs of excellence—grounded in strong character and values formation.

Welcome to the Southville family!











## MONARCHS MOMENTS

**IB CAMPUS** 

Kicking off the IB journey through the New Students and Parents
Orientation. We welcomed our new students and parents with a day of
learning, connection, and fun. Here's to an exciting year ahead!











### **SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL** LEARNING (SEL) CORNER



### Practicing Mindfulness and Wellbeing

#### **Physical** Well-Being



- · Prioritize 7-8 hours of quality sleep to support overall health
- · Eat nutritious food such as fruits and veggies, and stay hydated
- · Stay active by engaging in physical activity like a 10minute walk or 30-minute exercise daily to boost mood and health
- · Practice good hygiene like regular handwashing and keeping living spaces clean to prevent illness

#### Mental Well-Being



- · Take time to relax or use mindfulness apps to manage stress and stay grounded
- Establish realistic academic and personal goals to provide a sense of purpose and motivation
- Learn another language
- Pursue new hobbies
- Read a book

#### **Emotional** Well-Being



- Manage emotions and build resilience
- Write down what you are grateful for and focus on positive experiences to improve perspective
- Incorporate deep breathing, stretching, or a relaxing activity
- · Accept mistakes and learn from
- Smile and laugh

#### Social Well-Being



- Build meaningful relationships
- . Learn to say 'No' to set healthy boundaries and avoid burnout
- Stay connected with family and friends
- · Seek help when needed

#### Spiritual Well-Being



- · Find purpose through mindfulness, nature, and acts of kindness.
- · Journal and spend 10 minutes in quiet reflection
- · Be kind to yourself and treat yourself with the same kindness and compassion you would give a friend.
- · Look for a spiritual belief that aligns with your values

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#### **Customer Satisfaction Survey**

Our Public Relations Office has created a survey tool available to all parents, students, and stakeholders of Southville International School and Colleges. Simply scan the QR code below to share your commendations, concerns, or suggestions.

#### Kindly scan the QR code.

Please acknowledge that you received the e-bulletin. Acknowledgment of this email won't require you to submit reply slips. Kindly scan the QR code to the right or click the link below:



<u>Acknowledgement Form</u>

Marie Vic F. Suarez, PhD Principal, K12 and IB

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