



RISE OF THE ROBOMONARCHS: SOUTHVILLE CLINCHES 2ND PLACE AT THE 2025–2026 VIQRC TOURNAMENT

The Southville International School and Colleges' (SISC) Robotics Team clinched 2nd Place Overall at the 2025–2026 Manila VEX IQ Robotics Competition (VIQRC) held last Nov. 7, 2025. Demonstrating exceptional teamwork, creativity, and problem-solving skills, they stood out among top schools and young innovators in the region to highlight SISC's commitment to fostering STEM excellence, innovation, and global competitiveness among its students.

Representing the Grade School Team were Shawn Rex Tan, Gianna Mariko Tan, Katrina Vaz, Luca Matteo Brambilla, John Jacob Diputado, and Prince Jireh Bernaldez, whose passion and precision in robotics earned praise from judges and peers alike. The Junior High School Team, composed of Min Sol Kim, Shem Kayleb Diputado, Neil Sheridan Gatchalian Jr., Rymmel Renzo Macapagal, Nathan James Enriquez, and Elmer Codilla, also impressed the panel with their technical expertise, innovative design, and outstanding collaboration.

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.

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Special recognition goes to the dedicated coaches who guided the teams throughout the competition — Mr. Aris Santos, Head Coach for the Middle School Team, and Ms. Emellyn Cunanan, Coach for the Grade School Team. Their mentorship and leadership were instrumental in helping the contestants excel in both engineering performance and teamwork.

The VEX IQ Robotics Competition (VIQRC) is a global platform that challenges students to design, build, and program robots to accomplish engineering-based tasks. Beyond the competition, it inspires learners to develop critical thinking, collaboration, and innovation — skills essential for success in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM).

CIBER CHAMPIONS: GRADE 6 TOPNOTCHERS SHINE IN READING MASTERY

Southville International School and Colleges proudly recognizes the outstanding achievements of our Grade 6 students who excelled in the C.I.B.E.R. (Comprehensive and Intensive Booster for Efficient Reading) Program. Designed to strengthen reading comprehension, vocabulary, grammar, punctuation, and higher-order thinking skills, CIBER plays a vital role in preparing students for the rigorous demands of the P.A.S.S. Research in Grade 6.

This year's results highlight remarkable growth, perseverance, and mastery—truly embodying what it means to be a Monarch learner.

TOP NOTCHER ollaboration



Summer Felice B. Mendiola 96.25%

Summer displayed exceptional analytical and collaborative reading skills, demonstrating significant mastery in understanding and processing texts. Her performance reflects both diligence and strong engagement throughout the program.



These students showcased incredible persistence as they sharpened their comprehension strategies and tackled challenging reading tasks with increasing confidence.



Abdulrahim M. Nahas 98.75%

Zytheo Jomell J. Zapata 97.5%



Princess Jasmin U. Song 98.75%







Scharlet B. Zapata 97.5%

Their impressive scores reflect not only skill but also determination, discipline, and a genuine desire to improve.

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Althea Dione L. Montesclaros 96.25%

Althea's consistent performance and strong sense of responsibility contributed to her success, demonstrating that punctuality truly enhances learning readiness and achievement.



Celebrating Growth and Readiness for the Future

The CIBER Program aims to:

- 1. Enhance and reinforce students' vocabulary and comprehension skills
- 2. Maximize their reading competencies
- 3. Boost their overall reading proficiency

Our top notchers exemplify the program's goals through their excellent performance and significant improvement. With their strengthened reading foundation, they are now more prepared, confident, and skill-ready to take on their upcoming P.A.S.S. Research.

Congratulations to all our CIBER achievers! Your dedication to learning inspires the entire Monarch community to read more, learn more, and soar higher.

GRACE ON ICE: YASMIN JOINS EGYPT'S NATIONAL FIGURE SKATING TEAM!

With immense pride and joy, we celebrate the incredible milestone of Yasmin, who has successfully passed the **Cubs (Level 7) International Qualification Test,** earning both ISU and international categories under Ice Skate Egypt. This remarkable achievement marks her official inclusion in the **Egypt National Figure Skating Team** — a dream come true born from years of passion, discipline, and unwavering determination.

Yasmin's journey continues to inspire as she recently showcased her talent on the Philippine stage, placing 4th in the Philippine National Figure Skating Championship 2025 for the Open Juvenile Girls – Free Skating category held at SM Ice Skating Rink, Mall of Asia, last November 6–8, 2025. Competing among 12 exceptional skaters from the Philippines and Indonesia, Yasmin earned the highest Technical Element Score (TES) in her division — a clear reflection of her technical mastery, artistry, and relentless pursuit of excellence.

Behind every spin, leap, and glide is a story of balance — between academics and athletics, discipline and joy. We extend our heartfelt gratitude for the school's continued understanding and support, which have allowed Yasmin to nurture her passion while keeping her studies on track. Your encouragement and flexibility have truly helped her grow not just as a student, but as a world-class athlete who continues to make us proud.

CELEBRATING OUR IXL CHAMPIONS!

We are proud to celebrate the outstanding achievements of our Monarchs who excelled in the recent IXL School-wide Leaderboard held from November 24 to November 28, 2025.

Through their dedication and commitment to practice, these students showcased excellence by mastering the most skills during the competition period. Their hard work and perseverance truly set them apart.

Congratulations to our Top 3 performers for this week of leaderboard challenges! Your achievement reflects not only your talent but also your determination to keep learning and growing.

Keep practicing, keep mastering—and you might just be the next IXL Champion!









ANNOUNCEMENT FOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS Southville & SGEN Are Now Officially on Canva for School!



We are excited to inform you that the Southville and SGEN domains are now officially activated on Canva for School. This means all our students and teachers can enjoy Canva's premium features completely free, supporting creativity, collaboration, and high-quality outputs across subjects.

The Southville accounts have been active since June, and the SGEN accounts were approved and created last November 25, 2025 by Canva's Education Team.

As part of this upgrade, we will also roll out Single Sign-On (SSO) via Google. Once students sign in using their school Gmail accounts, they will automatically be added to Southville's official Canva team—no extra steps needed.

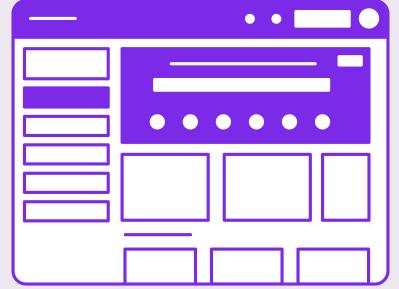
Through Canva for School, Monarchs will have access to:

- 🐆 Premium templates
- Advanced design and editing tools
- * Real-time collaboration features
- 🐆 A secure, ad-free workspace

We are thrilled to provide this powerful tool to enhance students' learning experiences and support their academic projects with ease and creativity.

If you have any questions, feel free to reach out to our MIS Team.

Let's continue empowering our Monarchs to create, collaborate, and shine!



VALUE OF THE MONTH

NOVEMBER

Grit and Growth Mindset



VALUE OF THE WEEK

NOVEMBER 24–28, 2025 Welcoming Challenges that Enhance the Love of

Learning and Resilience

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SISC HOSTS OPEN HOUSE FOR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS



SISC will open its doors to college-bound students on Saturday, November 29, 2025 during "Southville: Stranger Things." The event is free and open to senior high school students to give them a chance to experience college life, and look at what their future could hold. There are also fun activities lined up, plus free food, a carnival, movie screening, and cosplay of Upside Down-inspired characters!

The open house will provide prospective students and families an opportunity to engage with current students, administrators, faculty and staff; receive information about the degree programs offered; ask questions; and tour the campus. It will give them a window to get an up-close and personal look at the College Division and learn how a degree from SISC can help them change their lives.

Where will your SHS INQUIRE NOW: journey take you? Where will your SHS INQUIRE NOW: www.southville.edu.ph 8825-6374

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UK and Australian Degrees



STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics)

- **BS Nursing**
- **BS Psychology**
- **BS** Information Technology
- **BS Computer Engineering**
- **BS Industrial Engineering**
- **Bachelor of Elementary** Education
- BTEC HND in Digital **Technologies**
- **BTEC HND in Artificial** Intelligence
- BTEC HND in Data Analytics
- **BTEC HND in Cloud Computing**
- **BTEC HND Diploma in** Cybersecurity
- BS Medical Technology
- BS Radiologic Technology
- **BS Pharmacy**

ABM (Accountancy, **Business and** Marketing)

- BSBA Accountancy
- **BSBA Entrepreneurship**
- **BSBA Financial** Management
- BSBA Marketing
- **BS Real Estate** Management
- **BS Management** Accounting
- **BS Tourism Management**

- De Montfort University, UK
- **BA (Hons.) Business Management**
- **BA (Hons.) Business** Entrepreneurship and Innovation
- BA (Hons.) Accounting with **Business Management**
- **BA (Hons.) Business Management** with Hospitality Management
- **BA (Hons.) Business** Entrepreneurship and Innovation with Culinary Arts

BTEC HND in Marketing, Business Management,

Entrepreneurship, Human Resource Management,

Accounting and Finance

Southville welcomes students from all senior high school strands, regardless of their background. STEM graduates can pursue Business or IT, ABM students can enter Health Sciences. and HUMSS or GAS students have a wide range of options.

HUMSS (Humanities and Social Sciences)

- **AB Multimedia Arts**
- **AB Communication**
- **BS Tourism**
- BS Psychology
- **Bachelor of Elementary** Education

GAS (General Academic Strand)

All Southville Courses

Whatever track you are in, you got a home at SOUTHVILLE.



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"A Book to Share, A Legacy to Build"

Donation Period:

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OCTOBER 2025 - FEBRUARY 2026

Books Open Doors to Knowledge, Imagination, and Lifelong Learning.



SOUTHVILLE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL AND COLLEGES



As SISC celebrates its 35th Founding Anniversary, donated books will:

- · Enrich our School Libraries.
- Serve as a pool for less fortunate community libraries to support their literary programs(as part of Southville's Outreach program)

WHAT TO DONATE



Children's Books & Easy Reading Materials

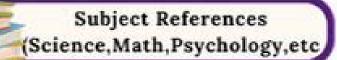


General References (2019 or later Ex: Dictionary, Encyclopedia, Almanac, etc.



Culturally Enriching Books

Books in English and World Languages





Classic Literature & Motivational Books

HOW TO DONATE

- · Bring books to any drop off locations.
- · Fill-out a book donation form.
- Donors recognized in Donor Honor Roll

DROP OFF LOCATIONS



- Star Campus
- Star Library
- Munich Library
- Munich Campus (Gate Area)
- Luxembourg Campus (Elevator Area)
- K-12 Library
- College Building Entrance
- College Library
- Tropical Campus



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.

What set Southville apart was its deep understanding of the balance between academic excellence and nurturing each student's unique potential.

Southville played a pivotal role in shaping the person I am today. I was among the very first students of SIS—a pioneer who had just moved from the U.S. without speaking a word of Filipino. SIS welcomed me with open arms and instilled values that would guide me for years to come. What set Southville apart was its deep understanding of the balance between academic excellence and nurturing each student's unique potential. The faculty and staff recognized not only scholars but also budding artists, athletes, and leaders. As I navigated the challenges of growing up, Southville gave me the space and encouragement to discover my strengths—whether in leadership or my love for planning events.

I fondly remember organizing proms, helping in school fairs, and sports week activities, which became some of my most treasured memories. Iwas also proud to represent my class in one of the first Ms. SIS pageants, eventually earning that title. Another funny anecdote that I will never forget. Southville has grown tremendously since its early days, producing individuals who continue to make a mark in the world. Looking back, I realize that the colors of Southville are deeply woven into the fabric of who I am—and always will be.



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Monarchs Moments MUNICH & STAR CAMPUSES

Young Monarchs lit up the Parade of Nations showcasing their talents and different cultures — a joyful celebration of diversity and a heartfelt wish for peace.



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Monarchs Moments LUX CAMPUS

Our foreign students lit up the Foreign Students Circle Acquaintance Party—celebrating culture, unity, and global friendship.









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Monarchs Moments IB CAMPUS

Our IB 2 students gathered for a special assembly focused on graduation requirements and the key qualifications needed to earn the IB Diploma. With just five months left before the External Exams 2026, they are gearing up with clarity and purpose.



SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL LEARNING (SEL) CORNER

WELCOME CHALLENGES

Enhance your Love of Learning & Resilience



LEVEL UP YOUR

Try a new hobby. Ask "Why?" a lot! Don't give up on puzzles.

COLLABORATE & GROW

Learn from others perspectives.

Join a study group.

Mentor younger students.

BOUNCING BACK BOOST!

Welcome mistakes. Learn from 'oopsies.' Keep trying!



EXPLORE AND CREATE



Ask 'What if?' to challenge the familiar. Get info from different sources.

Think outside the box.



RESILIENCE RESET

Stay calm. Breathe.

Take baby steps you can
do now.

Keep a hopeful outlook.



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BE BRAVE, BE CURIOUS, BE YOU.

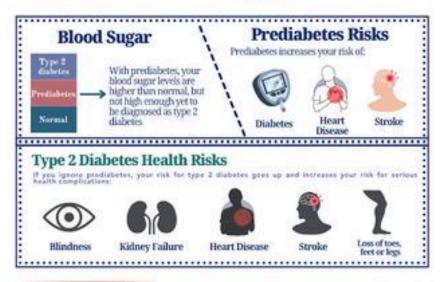
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HEALTH ADVISORY



Diabetes is a chronic disease in which a person's body is unable to either produce or utilize adequate insulin, the hormone that enables the cells of the body to absorb glucose, or sugar, from the bloodstream. This lack of insulin results in starving cells and an elevated level of sugar in the blood, known as Hyperglycemia, which can damage bodily systems if left untreated.





Reduce your Risk

If you have prediabetes, lose weight by:





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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:



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