



March

BEST OF BOHUNT²⁰²⁴



A welcome message from BOB:

Welcome to a very special edition of BoB as we wish everyone a happy lunar Chinese New Year! BSW was coated in red this month as the dual festivities of the Year of the Dragon and the amazing performance of High School Musical came together. Elsewhere we've had everything from skis to potatoes, so read on to see what BoB's been up to.





High School Musical

After months of preparation, the doors opened for the production of High School Musical and its fantastic three-night run. Bob caught up with some of the production team for their take on this year's hottest ticket

Ms Stacchini was very proud of all the students who performed, as well as the show leaders for their amazing work, making her very emotional as it came to an end! She said her favourite part was the weekend rehearsals and Sharpay and Ryan's duet.

Courtney added, 'I believe that rehearsals are an organic process, when people start to embrace their character, they tend to put their own flair on them. Courtney added said that they loved how the stage slowly came to life as new decorations were added every week or so.



Dylan in Year 10 was one of the dedicated backstage team. He said, 'being backstage was a great experience where we met a bunch of great people and we all loved every second of it and it was great to help out with it for the school. (All though day rehearsals we're draining!)



A HUGE congratulations to our Digital Leaders who won against 400 other entries in 'Big Potato Games' Nation Game designing competition. They designed and made their own game M-AI Ask you a question?!



BOB caught up with Freddie in Year 10, one of the students who went on the ski trip to Austria and here is what he had to say:

“ The mountains were very beautiful, it was super scenic and we went through 3 valleys! There was a restaurant at the top of one of the mountains that served great pizza and burgers but the downside was the amount of people that got sick! If I could, I would go again, it was such an amazing experience!”



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On Thursday 29th February students in Year 8 took part in an interactive workshop with the Women in Construction network. Students explored the life cycle of a building and learned about routes into industries like architecture and construction



CLUB OF MONTH: Science Club

Science Club runs every Tuesday afternoon in S12 with Ms Mohan. Go beyond the curriculum with fun experiments and activities for Years 7 and 8! Bob popped in this month and found students designing and building rolling cars out of everyday objects as way to investigate forces.



BOB's JOBS (Jokes of BOHUNT): What do you call a pile of cats? A meown-tain



新年快乐



BSW has been celebrating Chinese New Year in style, with a host of activities featuring traditional calligraphy, food, games and dress as well as a brilliant assembly with Ms Nai. We also know that some of our students had their own family celebrations during the half term period. Bob spoke to Carla in Year 10 about her experience of Lunar New Year. Read below for her rundown of what goes on during her family celebrations.

Lunar New Year is the beginning of the new year based on the lunar calendar. The event is celebrated by numerous cultures in various ways at diverse dates.

We usually clean up three days before Lunar New Year in what is called 'New Year cleaning'. We use a pomelo leaf to shower, wash the dirty things and luck off, to have a better new year. On the Lunar New Year eve, the whole family gathers around to eat a new year dinner we call it "Reunion dinner". Things that we eat during this festival include turnip cake, nian gao (rice cake), tangyuan (glutinous rice balls) etc.

There is a lot of things we can't do. On the first day of Lunar New Year we can't wash hair or wash clothes, break things, can't clean the floor or throw rubbish, eat the things which on the 30th can't finish, can't call people whole name to wake up otherwise the whole year would be in a rush.

There are many other traditional practices during the Lunar New Year, if you're interested, please feel free to look it up on the internet or ask our Mandarin teachers. I wish you all a fruitful year of the Dragon. 恭喜發財，身體健康!



BOB brings you a photo special of the Sports Report this month!

