



## BAES BUZZ

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### *Mission Statement*

The Banjul American Embassy School is an international community providing a high quality, accredited American-Style education for students. In partnership with our community, we empower students to become enthusiastic, creative, lifelong learners who value integrity, cultural diversity and global responsibility.

**Special Thanks:** To all the parents that attended the AGM. We will announce next week which class won the pizza party.

**Survey Monkey:** Would all parents go to the BAES website (<http://www.baes.gm/>) and click on the scrolling monkey. This will only take 20-30 minutes. We want to continue to make BAES a better school tomorrow than it is today. To do this we need your input. PLEASE take a few minutes and take this very important survey.

**Please do not forget to send in candy for Trick or Treat. The BAES Halloween Party will be held on October 30<sup>th</sup> from 11:15-12:15 supervised by the Student Council. Children should not come in costume but will have time to change.**

**Marine Halloween Party:** Only those people who have purchased tickets may attend, as tickets will not be sold at the door. Tickets will be sold in the office today until 3:30.

**Parent Conferences:** Parent Conferences may seem like a long time away but they really are not. It is important that all parents attend this conference to find out just how your child is doing, academically, socially and emotionally. I hope that many of you will attend the report card meeting on the 5<sup>th</sup> of November. Be sure to review your child's report prior to attending the conference so that you are well informed. Come prepared with questions, listen to what your child's teacher has to say. It is very important that there is a partnership between parents and teachers in order to offer the best possible educational experience for your child.

**November Hot Lunches:** Attached is the November hot lunch menu and form. All money must be in NO LATER Wednesday, October 28, 2015. Money sent in on Thursday or Friday cannot be accepted.

**Long Weekend:** Enjoy this long weekend with your children. See you on Monday.

**Marine Ball Tickets Available:** There are still some Marine Ball tickets available. The ball will be held on the 14<sup>th</sup> of November at Coco Ocean. There is information about the Ball posted on both gates at school. I am happy to take your money and get your tickets but would need the money on Monday. This is the very first Marine Ball in the Gambia and they are always very special evenings. A great date night for any couple.



### ***Important Dates***

October 30 <sup>th</sup>	Board Meeting
November 2 <sup>nd</sup>	New Day for MAP testing
<b>Nov. 5<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Report Card Meeting 5:30</b>
November 9 <sup>th</sup>	Last Monday after school
November 19 <sup>th</sup>	Last Thursday after school
November 20	Grade 2/3 Assembly
November 20 <sup>th</sup>	Board Meeting
November 21 <sup>st</sup>	“Best Practices in Education” Conference
November 26 <sup>th</sup>	PD Day Noon Dismissal
November 27 <sup>th</sup> /28 <sup>th</sup> /29 <sup>th</sup> /30 <sup>th</sup>	Long Weekend
December 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Parent Teacher Conference
December 5 <sup>th</sup>	Holiday Bazaar
December 10 <sup>th</sup>	Holiday Program 6:00
December 11 <sup>th</sup>	Board Meeting
December 18 <sup>th</sup>	½ day Holiday Begins
January 11 <sup>th</sup>	School resumes at 8:00

November	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
1 week	2	3	4	5
	Hamburger	Panini with tomato and cheese	Pasta Fussili with cream and vegetables	Chicken and corn frites
	Green salad Fruit salad	Green salad Slice of honey melon	Cream Caramel cookies	Cucumber stick Fruit salad
2 week	10	11	12	
	Fish fingers with rice	Tricolor pasta with chicken and vegetables	Lasagna with vegetables	Toast with cheese and tomato
	Cucumber stick Slice of Fruit	Fruit salad	Cookie	Slice of water melon
3 week	16	17	18	19
	Sheperd's t pie	Pizza Margarita	Tacos with chicken and vegetables	Spaghetti with tomato sauce
	Sliced tomatoes Fruit salad	Green salad Slice of fruit	Fruit salad	Green peas Cup cake
4 week	23	24	25	26
	Pasta Pene Daily chef with vegetables and cheese	Chicken nuggets with rise and vegetables	Crep with fruits	Beef dumplings
	Fruit salad	Slice of fruit	Cucumber stick Fruit salad	Green salad Brownie
5 week	30			
	Panini with tomato and cheese			
	Green salad Fruit salad			

## BAES PTO LUNCH PROGRAM

Child/ Staff  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Day	Date	Portion Size	Small- D100 Large - D200
Monday	Nov. 2		
Tuesday	Nov. 3		
Wednesday	Nov. 4		
Thursday	Nov. 5		
Monday	Nov. 9		
Tuesday	Nov. 10		
Wednesday	Nov. 11		
Thursday	Nov. 12		
Monday	Nov. 16		
Tuesday	Nov. 17		
Wednesday	Nov. 18		
Thursday	Nov. 19		
Monday	Nov. 23		
Tuesday	Nov. 24		
Wednesday	Nov. 25		
Thursday	Nov. 26		
Monday	Nov. 30		
	Total		

Please remember that there are no refunds or credits. You must sign up a month ahead of time. Money collection will be at the office from 8:30- 3:00pm and the last day of collection will be October 28th. If you have any questions, feel free to contact the Gida's Garden: Eugenija Daukas at 9904970 or 7792200 [aura.enterprise.trading@gmail.com](mailto:aura.enterprise.trading@gmail.com) or [gidas.garden.restaurant@gmail.com](mailto:gidas.garden.restaurant@gmail.com) or the BAES Office 4495920