ALUMNI eNews

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FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT'S DESK
Tom Boasberg

Please click here for a welcome video from Superintendent Tom Boasberg.

A warm hello to our SAS alumni around the world! I took the opportunity to film a quick message to share with you. You are all in our thoughts during this challenging time.

Earlier this week I shared a letter with our community regarding a tuition freeze, fee reimbursements, and the creation of the SAS Compassion Fund. At this time we have additional information to share regarding the SAS Compassion Fund and the long-term financial state of the school. Click here to read this week's letter.

What's happening at SAS and in Singapore?

This week SAS students continued distance learning. It has been almost a month since our students have been on campus. They had one week of spring break in March and have been learning from home ever since. Kudos to our teachers and students for their flexibility, commitment, and positivity as we charter new waters. You can also learn how SAS has responded to COVID-19 and read Mr. Boasberg's previous messages here.

Singapore continues to implement "circuit breaker" measures to limit the spread of the virus.

Wearing masks is now required when leaving home (except for strenuous exercise). With requirements to work from home and students engaging in distance learning, the government this week reported a 70% drop in public transport ridership and traffic volume and almost 80% of workers are telecommuting or have suspended work.

Alumni Raising Money for Masks for New York City Hospitals

Three of our alumni, Esther Lukman (Class of 2008), Amanda Imai (Class of 2008), and Daniele Selby (Class of 2009), have come together to raise money to send a minimum of 10,000 masks to four of the hardest-hit hospitals in New York City. New York alone has more cases than any other country than the US. For more information on this campaign, please check out their GoFundMe website.

Alumni Contributing During COVID-19

We would love to hear stories of alumni who are helping others, making special contributions, or developing creative activities or solutions during COVID-19. Please share your story—or information on another alum—with us. Whether you feel it is a large or a small contribution, we want to hear about it. Please email Beth Toole at btoole@sas.edu.sg.

Want to Play?

Do you have kids at home who need something to do? Click here to download SAS coloring sheets. You can take the opportunity to share your love of SAS and tell them some SAS stories.

Do you need something to break up the monotony? Click here to play the SAS alumni version of Bingo!

Connect with Other Alumni

Welcome to our new weekly eNewsletter for alumni, former parents, and former faculty and staff. We are eager to stay connected to you



and lend our support in the best way we can.

If you have feedback on what you'd like to have included in this eNewsletter or have suggestions on how we can support alumni, please email me, Beth Toole, at btoole@sas.edu.sg.

We need to connect with others now more than ever! Here are ways you can reunite with former SAS friends and hear what's happening on campus:

- SAS Alumni Directory
- SAS Alumni Facebook page
- SAS Instagram
- SAS Closed LinkedIn Group

Above all, stay safe, be healthy, and know we send our love and best wishes to all SAS alumni around the world!

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