# Wolves' Whispers December - January edition!

#### MOONLIT MILESTONES: HIGHLIGHTS FROM MYP/DP THIS MONTH!

December at KIS was filled with festive cheer and exciting events! On December 7th, we had our annual Winter Fest. There were a lot of featuring bake sales, fun games, and short basketball tournaments. There was a movie night hosted by the Student Council, where the students were enjoying the Christmas classic Elf. A heartfelt thank you goes to everyone who contributed to the KIS Gift Donation Drive, which ensured that all children from 'Kamkor Zhurek' were accounted for and gifts were successfully delivered to Taraz, thanks to our Grade 11 team. 2024 has concluded with a fun assembly where teachers had organized a great Christmas Dance performance to cheer everyone up as everyone headed off for a well–deserved holiday break.

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As students came back full of energy, January has featured us with two memorable Winter Balls: Grades 6–8 celebrated on January 22nd, while Grades 9–12 enjoyed their much–anticipated ball on January 29th, despite a couple of postponements. Our MYP students completed MAP testing, while Grade 11 has successfully submitted their EE proposals. On January 24th KIS hosted the COASH Debate Competition. On a heartwarming note, Grade 9 students organized a breakfast for the cleaning and security staff during an extended homeroom, showcasing their gratitude and kindness with the help of their teachers.









## RUN WITH THE PACK: ATHLETIC NEWS!

Our teams are working incredibly hard and collaborating as the Wolves athletic season gets underway. Each game has presented an opportunity for growth and advancement, and the upcoming CAFA Tournament in **Astana** is anticipated to be an exciting demonstration of our dedication.

We've been playing very competitively lately, and both wins and losses have helped us get better. The team is unwavering in its determination to be successful and instill a sense of pride in Wolves. Come back soon for tournament updates and game highlights, and please keep supporting us as we strive for success.

Go, Wolves!

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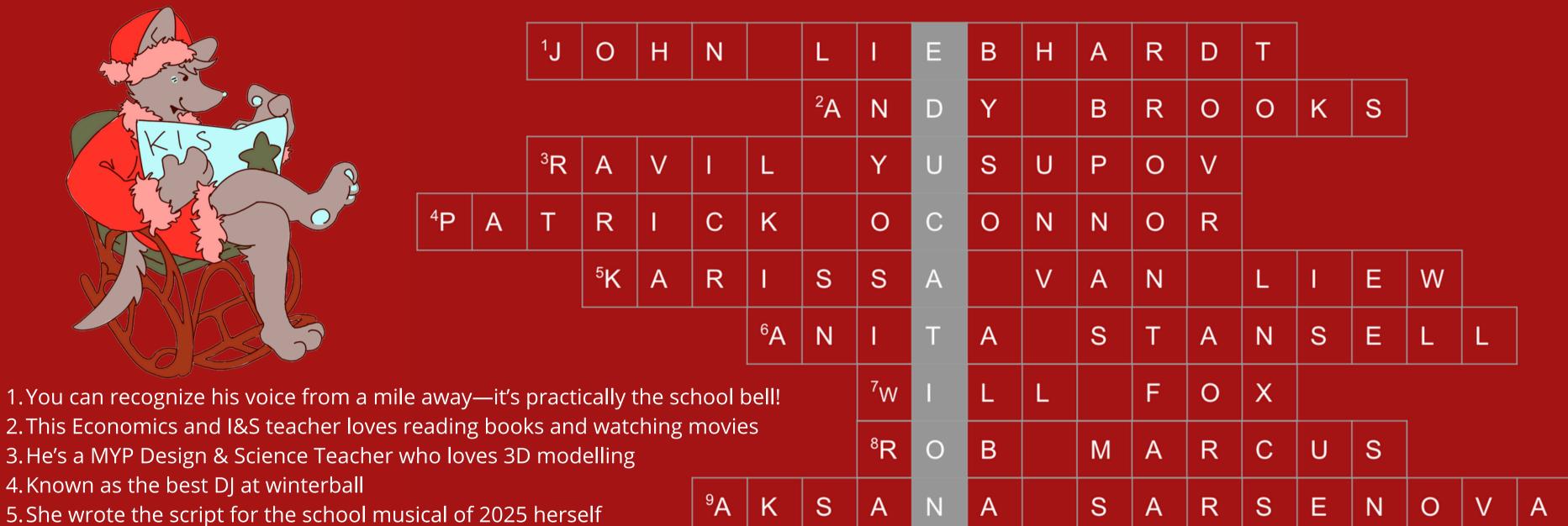
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#### HOWL AT THE MOON: WHAT'S NEXT

As we look back on the past month, we're filled with pride and gratitude for the moments that brought us together as a community. From engaging classroom projects to inspiring performances and competitions, our school has been alive with collaboration and passion. With so much excitement already behind us, we eagerly anticipate the upcoming events that will spark new connections, celebrate our talents, and strengthen the bond within our vibrant KIS family!



"The Wonderful World of Transformation" musical premiere

**Date:** February 4th and 5th at 5pm

Support our original musical production!



**Grade 12 IB DP Mock Exams** 

**Date:** From February 5th to 18th

Best of luck to our graduating class on 2025!

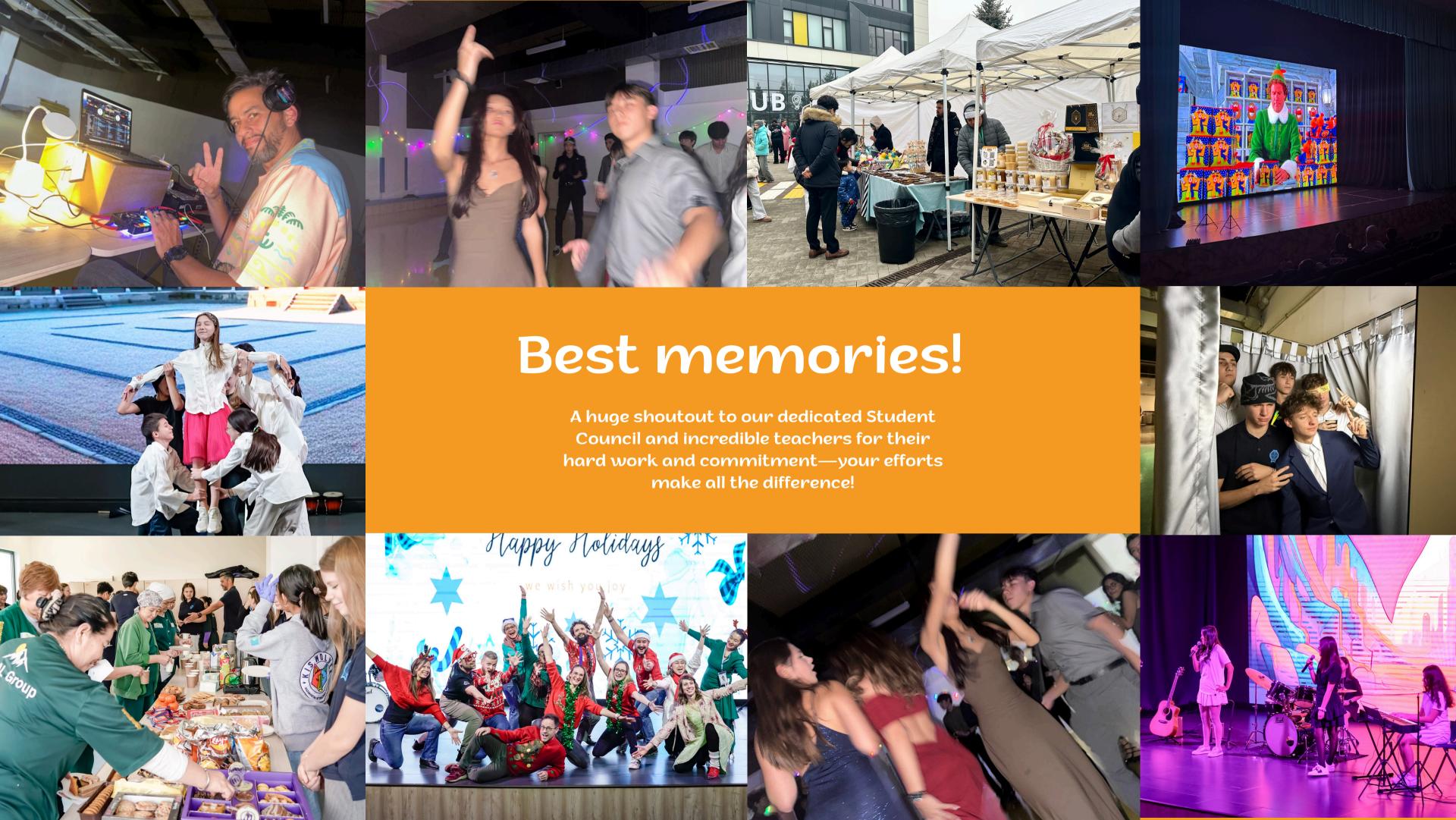


**Grade 10 Personal Project Exhibition** 

**Date:** February 13th

We are excited to see their creative ideas and hard work!

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Until next time, may your days be filled with discovery, your nights with wonder, and your spirit with endless curiosity!

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