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Honouring Kwame Nkrumah

By Rahma Liblim

Every year on 21st September, Ghanaians celebrate Kwame Nkrumah Memorial Day to honour the life and legacy of one of Africa's greatest leaders. Dr. Kwame Nkrumah was not only the first Prime Minister and President of Ghana, but also a fearless freedom fighter, visionary, and champion of African unity.

Born in 1909 in Nkroful in the Western Region of Ghana, Nkrumah believed in education and the power of knowledge. He studied abroad in the United States and the United Kingdom, where he was inspired by ideas of freedom, justice, and equality. These ideas fueled his mission to lead Ghana to independence from British colonial rule.

In 1957, under Nkrumah's leadership, Ghana became the first country in sub-Saharan Africa to gain independence. He famously declared, "The independence of Ghana is meaningless unless it is linked up with the total liberation of Africa." This showed his deep commitment not only to Ghana, but to the freedom of the entire continent.

As President, Nkrumah worked hard to improve the lives of Ghanaians. He built schools, hospitals, roads, and factories. He introduced free education and encouraged industrial development. His government also started big projects like the Akosombo Dam, which brought electricity to many parts of the country.

Even though his time in power ended in 1966, Nkrumah's dream of a united and self-reliant Africa still inspires many today. He taught us to believe in ourselves, to value education, and to fight for justice.

As we celebrate Nkrumah Memorial Day, let us remember his sacrifices and continue working toward the peaceful, united, and prosperous Ghana he envisioned.





A trip to the Kwame Nkrumah Memorial Park





Year 7 Picnic

The Year 7 Picnic at Galaxy International School was a bright, lively event filled with food, music, and excitement.



The eager students gathered on the school field to enjoy delicious snacks and drinks while they competed in fun games like basketball and football matches, tug-of-war, and table tennis. Laughter, cheering, and friendly competition filled the day, creating a warm, energetic atmosphere.



By the end of the picnic, everyone left with full stomachs, happy memories, and a stronger sense of togetherness.

INDUCTION OF PREFECTS

Students Representative Council

2025/26



As Head Boy for this year, my vision is simple – to help make our school a place where everyone feels motivated, supported, and proud of who they're becoming. This connects perfectly with our school's mission of shaping confident, responsible, and globally minded students. To my fellow students, I encourage you to stay focused, manage your time well, and take advantage of every opportunity that comes your way. Balance your studies with your passions, be consistent with your goals, and never be afraid to ask for help when you need it. Most importantly, support one another – our strength as a school comes from how we grow together.

Let's continue to make our school a place of excellence, unity, and ambition.

– Amir Mubarak,
Head Boy



SRC MANIFESTO READING

SRC Manifesto Reading Day is a special moment where student leaders share their ideas, plans, and vision for the school. It is not just about speeches; it is about responsibility, confidence, and the desire to make school life better for everyone.

This year's aspirants brought bold and exciting ideas: improving academic support, promoting discipline, strengthening clubs, and creating a cleaner and more supportive school environment. Each candidate spoke with the aim of serving, not just leading.

As students listened, they were encouraged to choose wisely; select leaders based on honesty, hard work, and commitment. The strength of the SRC depends on students who always vote responsibly.

Manifesto Reading Day also reminds us that leadership starts with service and that every student's voice matters. The choices made today help shape the future of the school.



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**'Tomorrow's leaders are the
students who act with
purpose today.'**

A Trip to the Google Centre

Our students from upper secondary embarked on a trip to the Google Centre to learn many things for the ICT class!



GALAXY'S RISING STARS

Galaxy International School's Debate & Public Speaking Team has once again proven their brilliance by winning the Overall Trophy in the Junior Championship of the prestigious Orators Competition! 🌟

This year's contest brought together 90 talented public speakers from 12 schools, but our Galaxy stars rose above all with outstanding performances:

🏆 Junior Championship

- 🏆 Korban Nkrumah (Year 7) – Double Gold Medalist & Trophy Winner
- 🏆 Philippa Sunkwa-Mills (Year 10) – 1st Runner-Up & Double Gold Medalist
 - 🏆 Aseda Mintah Ghansah (Year 10) – Silver Medalist
 - 🏆 Papabi Kontor Amponsah (Year 9) – Silver Medalist

🌟 Senior Championship

- 🏆 Patrick Manuel Mireku (Year 11) – Gold Medalist
- 🏆 Huda Abdul Moomen (SHS 2) – Silver Medalist

👏 A huge CONGRATULATIONS to our incredible team for their hard work, eloquence, and dedication.



CONGRATULATIONS SHS3 CLASS OF 2025

Rahma Ziblim



Galaxy International School proudly celebrates the remarkable achievements of the SHS 3 Class of 2025! This milestone marks the culmination of years of dedication, growth, and perseverance from a group of students who have truly embodied the school's values of excellence and determination.

Throughout their journey, these young scholars have demonstrated resilience, creativity, and a commitment to excellence in both academics and character. Their success is a testament to their hard work, the support of their teachers, and the unwavering encouragement of their families and peers.

As they prepare to embark on the next chapter of their lives, the Class of 2025 carries with them the spirit of Galaxy International School – where excellence always reigns. The future holds endless opportunities, and these graduates are ready to shine brightly, lead boldly, and make a lasting impact wherever they go.



PUZZLES

AND FUN!

SPACE

WORD SEARCH

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ATMOSPHERE	GRAVITY	ORBIT	STAR
BLACK HOLE	LUNAR	PLANET	SUN
COMET	METEOR	ROCKET	SUPERNOVA
CONSTELLATION	MILKY WAY	SATELLITE	UNIVERSE
EARTH	MOON	SOLAR SYSTEM	

WHAT GOES IN A BIRDBATH BUT NEVER GETS WET?

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WHAT HAS LOTS OF EYES BUT CAN'T SEE?

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WHAT HAS HANDS AND A FACE BUT CAN'T HOLD ANYTHING OR SMILE?

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SPORTS HIGHLIGHTS

By Abena Amoah Osei Addae and Rahma Ziblim

Isack Hadjar's First Formula 1 Podium

Switching gears—literally—to motorsport, French rookie Isack Hadjar made headlines with his first-ever Formula 1 podium finish at the Dutch Grand Prix in Zandvoort.

Hadjar, just 20 years old, finished third in a tense and exciting race. After starting in fourth, he held his position with mature, calculated driving. When McLaren's Lando Norris retired late in the race, Hadjar took the opportunity to jump into a podium position—and never let it go.

"I just went through all the struggles I've had to get to F1," Hadjar said afterward. "Standing on the podium was surreal."

This moment was not only personal—it was historic. He became the youngest French driver ever to stand on an F1 podium. To make it even more memorable (and slightly funny), Hadjar accidentally broke the trophy while celebrating on the podium! He later joked, "At least I get to keep both halves."

Hadjar is now seen as one of F1's brightest young stars—and possibly a future race winner or world champion.



Ballon d'Or 2025 Highlights

Men's Winner: Ousmane Dembélé (PSG / France) — his first ever Ballon d'Or, after leading PSG to a Champions League + domestic double.

Women's Winner: Aitana Bonmatí (Barcelona / Spain) — her third consecutive win.

Other Awards

Men's Kopa Trophy (Best U21): Lamine Yamal

Women's Kopa Trophy: Vicky López

Men's Yashin Trophy (Best GK): Gianluigi Donnarumma

Women's Yashin Trophy: Hannah Hampton

Men's Gerd Müller Trophy (Top Scorer): Viktor Gyökeres

Women's Gerd Müller Trophy: Ewa Pajor

Men's Coach of the Year: Luis Enrique

Women's Coach of the Year: Sarina Wiegman

Men's Club of the Year: PSG

Women's Club of the Year: Arsenal

Notable Points

Dembélé won convincingly with 1,380 points, ahead of teen star Lamine Yamal (1,059 points).

Yamal, despite missing the top spot, claimed the Kopa Trophy, cementing his place as the brightest young talent.

Bonmatí's win puts her in legendary status, joining the very few with three consecutive Ballons D'ors.

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PSG

BALLON D'OR

PARIONS ESPRIMO

OUSSAMANE DEMBÉLÉ
2024/25 STATS...

49 GAMES 33 GOALS 15 ASSISTS

LAMINE YAMAL
2024/25 STATS...

55 GAMES 18 GOALS 25 ASSISTS

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BREAST CANCER AWARENESS

An article by Abena Osei

On 31st October 2025 at Galaxy International School, all students were encouraged to wear pink in support of Breast Cancer Awareness. The event aimed to educate and remind everyone about the importance of early detection and health checks. At 2:00 p.m., there was a special health talk organized for female students, where breast cancer was discussed. Throughout the day, students could also visit the nurses' office to collect pink ribbons as a symbol of support. The event was both informative and inspiring, helping students understand the value of awareness and care for one's health.



FUN ACTIVITIES!
SPORTS
AMAZING FOOD



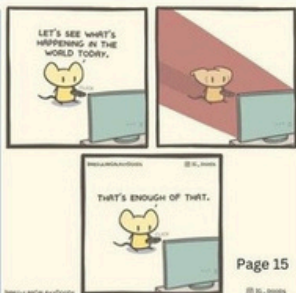
YEAR 8 PICNIC



THE YEAR 8 PICNIC ON SATURDAY, 20TH SEPTEMBER 2025, AT GALAXY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL IN ACCRA WAS A LIVELY AND MEMORABLE EVENT FILLED WITH LAUGHTER, GAMES, AND PLENTY OF GOOD FOOD. STUDENTS ENJOYED THE CHANCE TO RELAX OUTDOORS, BOND WITH THEIR CLASSMATES, AND TAKE PART IN FUN ACTIVITIES THAT BUILT TEAMWORK AND FRIENDSHIP. THE PICNIC CREATED A CHEERFUL ATMOSPHERE WHERE EVERYONE COULD UNWIND, CELEBRATE THEIR HARD WORK, AND MAKE LASTING MEMORIES TOGETHER.

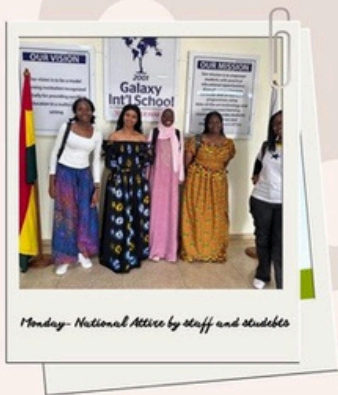


COMIC CORNER



Global Citizenship

In an effort to promote unity and awareness, Galaxy students are turning to global citizenship posters to educate and inspire individuals about the importance of global responsibility.



Tuesday - posters on Global Citizenship





Thursday- Artworks by students



Friday- Planting in the school garden

The Gender Separation Debate: Is it better?

Seyram McMelomey

The question of whether boys and girls should be educated separately or together has sparked debate for decades. Supporters of single-gender education argue it provides a better learning environment, while critics believe it may limit social growth and reinforce old stereotypes. So, what's the real deal?

Arguments in Favour of Same-Gender Education

Proponents believe that separating students by gender can create a focused, distraction-free environment. Without the pressures of impressing or competing with the opposite gender, students might feel more comfortable participating and engaging in class. Supporters also suggest that single-gender classrooms can reduce gender stereotyping. For instance, girls in all-girls schools may be more likely to pursue STEM subjects, while boys might feel freer to explore the arts without fear of judgment. Teachers can tailor their instruction to suit different learning styles often observed between boys and girls, potentially making lessons more effective. Additionally, these environments can empower students—particularly girls—to build confidence and leadership skills.

Arguments Against Same-Gender Education

Despite these benefits, critics argue that single-gender education doesn't provide a proven academic advantage. Numerous studies suggest that students in co-educational schools perform just as well as those in single-gender settings.

Another concern is social development. Being around the opposite gender helps students build important communication and relationship skills, which are crucial in adulthood. Opponents also caution that single-gender environments might unintentionally reinforce gender stereotypes—implying that boys and girls learn so differently they need to be separated. There's also some evidence to suggest that bullying can be more prevalent in single-gender schools, possibly due to social dynamics and competition.



WORD SEARCH



HALLOWEEN



Word Search

Find the hidden Halloween words.

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GHOST

WITCH

SCARY

CANDY

COSTUME

PUMPKIN

MUMMY

TREATS

BROOMSTICK

VAMPIRE

HAUNTED

SKELETON

International ACAC Sub-Saharan Regional Institute conference with Galaxy International School



Day 1 and 2 of the International ACAC Sub-Saharan Africa Regional Institute marked a historic moment as Ghana hosted the event for the first time at Galaxy International School.





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