



Boarding Department E-Newsletter 5

Highlights From Last Weekend

Amalfi Coast

This past weekend, two members of our day faculty, Mr. Di Blasio and Ms. Levenson, took a lucky group of students to the town of Atrani, on the famous Amalfi coast. 12 boarders signed up for this very popular trip, in which they explored the coast, hiked through waterfalls, went out on a boat, and ate well (see evidence below).



Meanwhile Back on Campus...

With much of boarding either in Amalfi or signed out, it was a very laid-back weekend on campus. Boarders dropped in and out of the building, taking needed time to decompress as ominous IB deadlines loom over the older students. In an



attempt to relieve some stress, we broke out our chocolate fountain on Friday night, providing an assortment of fruits and goodies to be dipped in flowing chocolate. Students also risked their sanity by working on an extremely difficult 300 piece puzzle.



On Saturday we ordered in lots and lots of Indian food from Gandhi, a universally-adored student favorite. Sunday saw us complete our food trifecta by having a prefect on duty led gelato excursion.

During the school day on Friday, many of our students chose to attend the Student Strike for Climate. On Sunday, continuing a theme of environmental consciousness, a few students participated in a park cleanup by picking up trash around the Circo Massimo.

What's On This Weekend?



On Friday night, we will enjoy muffins from Muffinaria as our evening snack.

On Saturday, study hall will be held in the library from 11 am to 1 pm. In the afternoon, several students will join Ms. Johnson for the unique all-female Strawwoman 5 km race in Villa Borghese. Back on campus, we will enjoy trapizzini for snack.

On Sunday, at 8 am three students will join Abby for the Wanderlust triathlon, an event including a 5 km run, 75 minutes of yoga, and 20 minutes of meditation. Study hall will be held in the library from 11 am to 1 pm. At 2 pm, students will have the opportunity to earn service credits by tending to the garden boxes along Viale Aventino.

Useful Information

Celebrating birthdays in boarding

- Please [click here](#) to learn more about how we celebrate birthdays in boarding and how parents can send something special to their child on their birthday.

Our next dorm closure is Fall Term Break: Saturday 26 October-Sunday 3 November

- Boarders may leave after classes on Friday, October 25th or in the morning on Saturday, October 26th. The dorms close at noon on Saturday, October 26th.
- The dorms reopen in the morning on Sunday, November 3rd.
- Please schedule returns by 18:20. If returns will be later than 22:00, please arrange travel plans for arrival the following morning.

Important Travel Dates This Year: Please make travel arrangements for the dates [listed here](#).

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