

MAPLE CONNECT

MAPLE LEAF INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL



Members of the **Maple Leaf Model UN team** worked for two days at PriceSmart selling reusable eco-friendly bags to help fund raise for their trip to Montreal, Canada for this year's secondary school symposium on the theme "Light the Flame". See page 2.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Nov. 9th-13th**—MLIS students attend Model UN in Montreal
- Nov. 14th**—PD Day, no school
- Nov. 15th**—Elementary Parent/Teacher interviews
- Nov. 17th**—Secondary Parent/Teacher Interviews
- For students
- Dec. 4th**—PTA Christmas Brunch
- Dec. 12th**—Christmas Concert
- Jan. 28th**—SAT Tests
- Mar. 29th**—OSSLT
- May 5th**—SAT Tests

SPECIAL POINTS

- Earn volunteer work hours and help make Maple Leaf greener! See page 2
- Please remember that MLIS prefers that all payments are made with cheques and not cash.
- Earn community hours by helping with upcoming Christmas events

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PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Parent/Teacher Interviews for the **Elementary** school will be on Nov. 15th from 12:30—6:00 p.m. There will be an early dismissal for all Elementary students at 11:30 a.m. Parent/Teacher interviews for the **Secondary** school will be on Nov. 17th at 12:30—6:00 p.m. Early dismissal for all Secondary students—12:05 p.m.



WINNING STREAK FOR MLIS GIRLS PLAYING WITH MARIBUNTA

Many of our MLIS girls participate in the Maribunta Volleyball Club coached by Jonathan Chin Lee. Continues on page 2

PAN JAZZ



On Monday 24th October, the Grade 9/10 Music students represented Maple Leaf at a Pan Jazz School Workshop held at the Lions Cultural Center. This event was sponsored by First Citizens Bank and was led by some of the best and most talented Jazz Musicians. Canadian Musician Jeremy Ledbetter and Cuban Trumpet Alexis Baro attended as well as our local musicians Leason Jacobs on Drums, and Douglas Redon on Bass. The students enjoyed the experience as well as learning to play the jazz song "Blue Trane" by jazz legend John Coltrane.

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Mission

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A CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMME

WINNING STREAK

The MLIS girls who play with the Maribunta Volleyball Club have been on a winning streak against the International School of Port of Spain and South-East Port of Spain Secondary School. The club is coached by Jonathan Chin Lee and has been very successful this semester. Congratulations to Jonathan and all of the girls who participate in the Maribunta Volleyball Club. The results are: Maple Leaf vs. South-East Port of Spain Secondary School—Under 19 MLIS won—25:7, 25:16, Under 16 MLIS won—25:17; 25:19 and Maple Leaf vs. ISPS—Under 19 MLIS won—25:15; 25:17

JUST IN.....

Maple Leaf Girls Under 19 and 16 Divisions Volleyball against St. Joseph Convent

The Girls Under 19 match was up first and Maple Leaf looked good keeping control of the set to win. St. Joseph's Convent came back in the second set with a little more determination and were able to win the second set. The third set, tie breaker, it looked like St. Joseph's Convent would win, however, Maple came back to score some crucial points to tie up the match 12-12. Unfortunately, St. Joseph's Convent was able to step up and serve two aces to win the third set and match, 25:17; 17:25; 12:15. Great job by Maple Leaf as they stepped up their level of play to produce some solid plays and keep their opponents honest and on their toes.

The Girls Under 16 match was up and the Maple Leaf Girls Under 16 started off slow but were able to gain some momentum to take command of the set and win. The second set was much of the same with Maple Leaf again starting off slowly, making unforced errors which kept St. Joseph's Convent close. However, Maple Leaf was able to stay ahead and win the set and match 25:12; 25:17.

Coach Jon announces that there has been a change of date and venue for the Playoff match this weekend. New Day, Time, Location: Sunday 12:00 p.m. at Jean Pierre Complex. MVC Orange plays X-Factor to reach the Semi-Finals.

Come on out in Orange. GO MVC!!



MAPLE LEAF MODEL UN

A special thank you goes out to Mrs. Ferreira and the team of parents, students and teacher reps who worked on the weekend to fundraise for the Model UN trip to Montreal, Canada for this year's secondary school symposium on the theme "Light the Flame". Saturday and Sunday were a busy two days at PriceSmart, selling reusable eco-friendly bags and netting over \$3000.00 in sales. If you are interested in helping to sponsor this talented team of Maple Leaf students, please contact either Adam Kelly at akelly@mapleleaf-school.com or Mary Boyd at mboyd@mapleleaf-school.com to indicate your interest.

ENVIRONMENTAL AND OUTDOORS CLUB

You can help make a difference! Earn volunteer work hours and help make Maple Leaf greener! See Ms. Pechlof or Mrs. Boyd to sign up.



Special thanks go out to Ollie for all of his hard work our first week—we would never have made it without you!

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