

### **AKA Mombasa Newsletter**

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## Newest Addition to the Academy: Piano

Upon resuming from October break, a piano was placed in the Academy's Commons. This piano is open to all students at the Academy to explore and play.

# 2019-2020 Junior School Student Representative Council

In September, our JS voted in this academic year's SRC and SRC House Captains. Click below for more information.



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#### **Junior School Arts Week**

For the second half of the term, enrichment for JS is related to Arts Week, which will be showcased in December. Activities on offer include singing, dancing, photography, media and publicity and more.

### Senior School Inter-House Swimming Gala

On 25 October, SS held its first Inter-House swimming gala of the year, with the Ravens (Blue House) emerging in the first position.





#### **Alumnus Spotlight: Hussein Jiva**

Hussein Jiva graduated from the Aga Khan Academy Mombasa after what he feels was a transformative journey.

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## **Upcoming Events**

- 1 November: Personal project Mock Exhibition
- 2 November: Inter-school U-11/U-13 Rounders Tournament and Residential Cultural Night
- 5 November: Inter-school Swimming Gala
- 6-15 November: DP2 Exams
- 7 November: Year 10 Parents' Meeting
- 8 November: Year 7 Milly Glass Trip & JS Inter-House Sports Competition
- 16 November: JS Inter-school Sports Competition
- 18-22 November: DP1 Exams
- 20-22 November: Year 7 Trip
- 22-24 November: CASA L2 Swimming Competition
- 22 November: Year 3 Camping Programme, U-19 Boys & Girls Floodlight Football Game and Year 6 Science Trip
- 28 November: JS Parents' Workshop
- 30 November 1 December: UBUNTU SUSO Event

## **Recent News**



#### <u>Aga Khan Academies strengthens</u> collaboration with Texas Universities

Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton and Texas Senator Angela Paxton visited the Aga Khan Academy Mombasa, Kenya to further their understanding of areas for collaboration between Texas universities and the network of Aga Khan Academies.



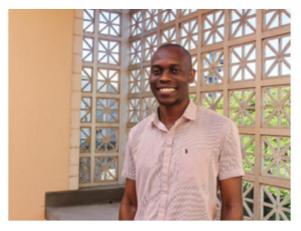
AKA Mombasa students attend Yale Young Global Scholars programme

Three students from AKA Mombasa recount their experience this past summer through the YYGS programme.



# Academy students win laurels at the PIPSSA National Swimming Competition 2019

AKA Mombasa girls' swim team emerged first, out of 13 schools, at the Private and International Schools Sports Association (PIPSSA) National Swimming Championship 2019.



# AKA Mombasa teacher awarded scholarship to complete a Master's of Education

Oliver Baya Wanje, a teacher from the Aga Khan Academy Mombasa, has been awarded a scholarship by the International Baccalaureate to complete an M.Ed with the University of the People.









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