

# Residential Update



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## Year 6 Celebration and Residential End of Year Gala!

The academic year closes with much celebration, as the Year 6 students formally end their time in Junior School and the residential community celebrate its successes.

The academic year concluded on a celebratory note, with



two significant celebrations. First, the Year 6 students had a party to honour their completion of the PYP. The Year 6 students were well dressed and looking very impressive as they headed to the

Voyageur Hotel in Nyalí. The evening, entitled "Hollywood", began with a welcome juice, followed by a delicious buffet dinner and dancing.

The following day, the entire residential community celebrated a year of achievement.

The highlight of the evening was the numerous awards given to recognize our top male and female students. The first set of award given were more informal and playful in nature. The first was the Residential Mkimbiaji Award, given to the students demonstrating enthusiasm during morning exercise. The recipients were Brian Ogonji and Rachael Ayugi. The second award was the Mcheshi Award, given to the students who always make people laugh and are in positive spirits. The recipients were Sadiq Shamji and Christine Oginga. Third, the award for the students who seem to know all the news in the Dorms, entitled the Mwanahabari Award, was given. The recipients were Shivam Vyas and Nausheen Sumar. The fourth award was the Tabasamu Award, given to the students who always have smiles on their faces. The recipients were Blaise Mshindi and Mary Favour. The fifth award was the Msomi Award, given to the students always seen reading and learning. The recipients were Kelvin Nduma and Moira Muunaba. Sixth, the award for the students who always

support others and participate actively in programming, entitled the Muhisani Award, was given. The recipients were Asterix Hassan and Dhurvi Taylor. The final award in this category of awards was the Prezo Prezo Award, given to the students believed to be the most diplomatic. The recipients were William Chengo and Terry Waiganjo.

The next set of awards were more formal and prestigious in nature. The first of these awards was entitled The Sports Person of the Year Award, given to the students who are not only outstanding athletes, but demonstrate the sportsmanship, enthusiasm and positive team spirit. The recipients were William Chengo and Rachael Ayugi. The second award given was the Residential Community Service Award, given to students who actively serve members of their own and other communities with humility and generosity. The recipients were Maxwin Ojwang and Ulfat Faraji. The third award was the Quad of Year, given to the quad that best exemplified the spirit of the residential programme including academic excellence, discipline and



enthusiasm. The recipients were 2..0.3, with Blaise Mshindi, Iddi Babu, William Chengo and Maxwin Ojwang, and 1.1.3, with Pauline Adhiambo, Rachael Ayugi, Dhruvi Taylor and Grace Musyoki. The final award given was

the Residential Leadership Award, given to the students who have best exemplified overall leadership in academics, co-curricular activities and character. The recipients were Rahim Daya and Farhana Jiwa. Congratulations to all recipients! Have a great holiday and we look forward to seeing you in a few weeks!