Dear Students,

We would like to wish you all the best for your exams and we hope that you will have a good break in between the trimesters.

Regards,

The Student Council

The Falcon Logo

The EAHM Falcon logo was voted by the students to represent them as a student body, and to help increase the unity among the students and future alumni.

The sport of hunting with falcons was associated with nobility in Europe, Japan, Middle East and China, where falcons symbolized keen vision, boldness, and swiftness. At its core, the Falcon represents visionary power, wisdom, and guardianship. - this could be in your student life, vocation, work and career.

A list of falcon attributes and how it represents the EAHM students and alumni:

- Superiority
- Power
- Focus
- Freedom
- Aspiration
- Intensity
- Determination

The development of merchandising is still in progress, and more information regarding products will come soon.

Nepal Trip

The winners of the naming competition is Richard Newell with the suggestion ‘Aspire’. However, since Richard cannot go, Anna Meldrim will replace him as she placed second. Congratulations to both of you!

Dates to remember

10th of April four season 2.30 pm.
25th of April our career fair

So keep your eyes on the timetable and participate in these presentations!

Events

Welcome Back BBQ

The next trimester will start with a welcome back BBQ hosted by the Student Council. The idea behind the evening is to allow new students to meet the rest of the academy and for others to catch up in a relaxed atmosphere. We hope to see you all on the 10th of April.

Drama Club

The Emirates Academy is hosting a bi-monthly drama club where students can do some fun improvisational activities and have an outlet from their day-to-day routine. We recommend you come along to try the club out even if you’re a bit shy. Contact Sam Moul for more details.

Quiz Night

The first quiz night of 2011 took place on Monday 21st February at the rooftop and was set to be an intense evening. The event had a turnout of 50 people with a total of 8 teams but it was the The Gladiators which walked away with first place, winning a dinner at Bab Al Shams. The team consisted of Ahmad Al Hallaq, Anusha Amanpour, Sabrina Swosoda and Lorenz Icho. The second and third place teams; The Ballers and Part Time Postman walked away with food and beverage packages for Harthoor Grand. Thank you to everyone that support us and we look forward to seeing you all at the next event.

Sports

Football

For the last month we’ve been working on establishing sport events. Unfortunately due to lack of support we will have to put football on hold.

Cricket

On the other hand we’ve had a lot of enthusiasm for cricket and we’ve managed to organize a practice session! At the moment we are looking at a new venue to improve practice conditions. We hope that by mid-April we will have already started to play casual games with other teams.

Shake and Bake event

We look forward to seeing you all at the table tennis tournament on April, the 16th at our Shake and Bake event!

Teacher Profile

Marianne Saulwick, Senior Lecturer

What did you do before joining the Academy?

I had a very lucky start in the hospitality industry many years ago, when I stumbled across a cafe in a beach shack in paradise (Byron Bay, Australia). The place was tiny, and I stood under the shingled roof, with sand between my toes, to take orders, cook, and deliver the meals to the tables. The kitchen was only big enough for one person.

Over the next 20 years the Beach Cafe grew to become an icon in the growing tourist town and a successful business, and we expanded to establish a well-patronised fine dining restaurant in the centre of the town.

I also co-founded an annual food festival in Byron Bay, showcasing local produce and the best offerings of the thriving hospitality industry.

I moved to Sydney to enter academia, and worked at the Hotel School Sydney and the University of New South Wales. During this period I became a restaurant reviewer for a number of publications.

What is your favourite quote?

I haven’t been everywhere but it’s on my list – Susan Sontag

What are your best tips for students?

Do what you love doing – there is a much better chance that you’ll be good at it.

What are your hobbies and interests

Reading, food and wine, travel.

Something you don’t know about me

I used to jump out of aeroplanes for fun.

The ultimate holiday experience

When I travel, I like to get a sense of how people live in the places that I visit. So, whether that means sleeping rough and eating simply in the village or seeking out culture and cutting edge food in the bustling city, I am just guided by curiosity. And by my stomach.

Three things you would bring to a deserted island

My Kindle, my lipstick and a Toblerone.

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