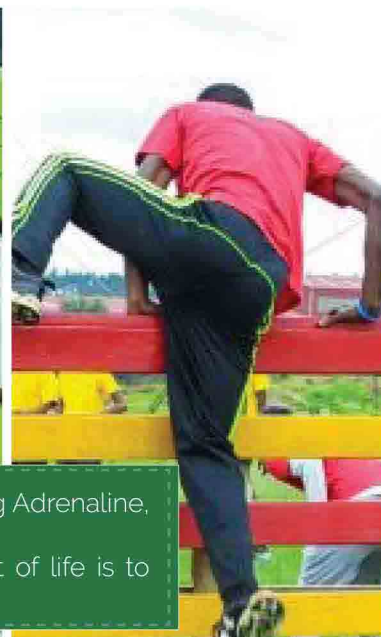


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# GISU FAMILY ADVENTURE DAY



Come experience the exciting Adrenaline, Action & Adventure !!!  
One way to get the most out of life is to look upon it as an adventure."

The Family Adventure Day is finally here! All roads on Saturday 18 January 2020 will lead to Busiika Extreme Adventure Park located 1.3 km off Gayaza - Zirobwe road approximately 32.7 km from Kampala for the annual GISU Family Adventure Day.

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## PROGRAMME

9:00 am - 10:00 am	Arrival & Registration - games of preference
9:00 am - 10:00 am	Disperse -Take action
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Snack Break
11:35 am - 12:30 pm	Assorted games challenges Continue
12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	Networking/ Team building /Board Games/ assorted games continue
1: 00 pm - 2:30pm	Lunch at Busika
2:30 pm- 3:30 pm	Explore & adventure (Treasure Hunt)
3.30pm - 4:00pm	Leave at leisure

ADVENTURE



A composite image featuring the Statue of Liberty in the foreground, holding a torch and a tablet. In the background, a commercial airplane is flying in a blue sky with clouds. The text 'Family Trip to USA' is overlaid on the right side of the image.

# Family Trip to USA

Preparations for the Family trip to the USA this summer from 22 June to 3 July 2020 (12 days, 11 nights) are underway. This is a golden opportunity for our GISU Family to travel, adventure, explore and learn as well as have fun together. We will visit New York, Washington DC, Orlando and Miami.

For planning purposes, kindly return the consent letters to Admission Office or Vice Principal's Office. Please note that the first installment of \$1650 is due by the end of January 2020.

In case you have any inquiries, please contact The Trip Coordinators on +256772457687/ +256781468000 or email: [m.biginwa@gisu.ac.ug](mailto:m.biginwa@gisu.ac.ug) [admissions@gisu.ac.ug](mailto:admissions@gisu.ac.ug).

## SCIENCE OLYMPIAD



The International Fun Science Olympiad (IFSO) is a Science and Mathematics competition which will be held in Frankfurt, Germany from 27 April to 2 May 2020, and thereafter participants will go for a trip to Paris, France from 2 to 4 May 2020. The main aim is to increase the motivation and interest of the participants in Science and Mathematics by enabling learners of all abilities to understand the applications of STEM in daily life and also increase their self-confidence, as they compete with their peers from all over the world.

The competition involves two categories; Junior (Year 7, 8 and 9) and Senior (Year 10, 11 and 12)

**REGISTRATION IS ON-GOING AND THE DEADLINE IS 20 JANUARY 2020**

**THE TOTAL COST OF THE COMPETITION IS 2700 EUROS (to be paid to the school Accounts office) AND THIS INCLUDES:**

- The registration fee for the IFS Olympiad, all travel during the Olympiad program (Airport-Hotel/Hotel-Airport/All daily travel)

- Accommodation at Hotels for 5 Nights - Breakfast at Hotels, Snack Service for Lunch (Sandwiches + Drinks), Dinners at Hotels or Restaurants, -Frankfurt Guided Tour - Events Tickets to the Mathematikum Science Center (Ticket for Trainings); Experimental Science Center (Ticket for Trainings);

- Entrance Ticket for PHANTASIALAND (All attractions are free all day. There is no extra fee)-Frankfurt Boat Tour Ticket -Organisation Gift Set (T-Shirt/Cap/ID card) and Participation Certificate

**AFTER THE COMPETITION, THERE IS A TRIP TO PARIS, FRANCE**

The total cost still includes, Transport to Paris, Accommodation at Hotels for 2 Nights, Breakfast at Hotels. Snack Service for Lunch (Fruits), Dinners at Restaurants; City Guided Tours, Events Tickets to Eiffel Tower Ticket (till 2nd floor), Le Louvre Museum Ticket

For details contact Mr. David Ochieng, Project and Olympiad Coordinator. Tel: 0773001657 email: [d.ochieng@gisu.ac.ug](mailto:d.ochieng@gisu.ac.ug)





## PTA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

25 JANUARY 2020 | 10:00 AM.

Our next PTA Executive Committee Members' Meeting will be held on Saturday, 25 January 2020 at 10:00 am. Please note that this meeting is only for Executive Committee Members.

## INDEPENDENCE CONGRATULATORY MESSAGE



Galaxy International School Uganda would like to wish families and friends of the Republic of Chad happy belated independence celebrations.

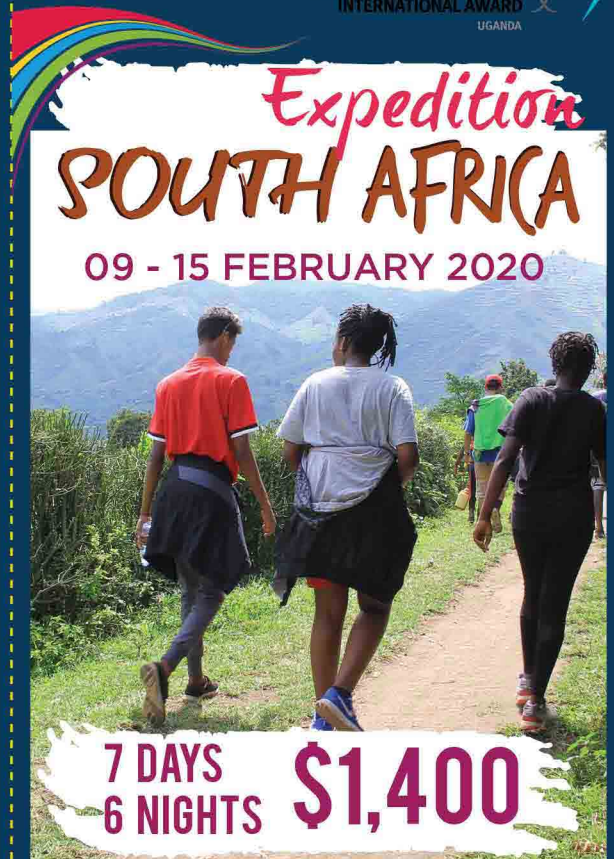
**Share your Parents' feedback  
via Email: [pta@gisu.ac.ug](mailto:pta@gisu.ac.ug)**

## NEXT WEEK'S ASSEMBLY THEME

Let's join the world to celebrate '*The International Day of Education*' on Friday, 24 January 2020. This is a day proclaimed by the United Nations to honour Education and its centrality to human well-being and sustainable development. Education is a path to a promising future.

The UN will celebrate the many ways learning can empower people, preserve the planet, build shared prosperity and foster peace.

The week's theme will be:  
**Holistic Education**



Galaxy International School Uganda (GISU) is organizing its annual Duke of Edinburgh's International Award - Expedition for Bronze, Silver and Gold participants (Year 10 to Year 13). This year our adventurous journey will take place in South Africa. It will take place from 08 February 2020 to 15 February 2020. The cost of the expedition will be 1400 USD for all participants. This serves to humbly request you to give an opportunity and hence permit your child(ren) to participate in this year's expedition.



# KAMPALA ROUND 2020

30 MARCH 2020 - 1 APRIL 2020



**Scholar's  
Challenge**



**Team  
Debate**



**Collaborative  
Writing**



**Scholar's  
Bowl**

**Early Alpaca: UGX 175,000**

**Late Alpaca: UGX 200,000**

## Theme: *A World Renewed*