



Nordic School

After school

TEAMWORK



September 2015

Newsletter

## Dates & Notes

**12th -18th October:**  
Short Break-School  
closed

**19th October:**  
Teacher Training Day-  
School closed for  
children

**22th October**  
AGM 17.30

**Parents:**  
Put name on your  
child's  
clothes/swimsuits

## ALL

Parents of after school!

Activities with the children to start with. Building since already opening has now passed, and we're doing perfectly fine! With a wonderful group of children and a rare group chemistry we've been able to work on that even more, by focusing on Teambuilding a lot of the time.

Thank you to all the parents that showed up at the parent meeting for feedback, questions and general discussions.

As I said then I'll say again that you are more than welcome to grab me, (Rasmus), whenever you want to if there's any questions, comments or anything concerning after school.

If you just want to talk football & life you are very welcome to do so aswell.

Now, lets get to it – What have we done during August & September at after school.

To start off, we still have our daily routines and activities going on, in which I assume most of you are familiar with by now, the games, the aula, the swimming pool, the pearl-makings and such.

But as said we've also held bigger group strengthening



Our family tree begins to take shape



Our meals which more often ends with one or more kids wanting to dance, tell a story, or showing other "skills" – perfect example of



The first Nordic House-club-day for the boys.



After Marie redecorated the AS room it now displays a much more

### How have we tried to do so?

With inviting children to play with a big group of other children that they may or may not be accustomed to talk with on a daily basis, and with a simple activity such as five in a group are going to build a house out of wooden boxes, (any house that their imagination tells them to build; candy-house, volcanoes) and through this they learn so many important social skills such as communication, imagination and how to put ideas into action, listening, describing, body languages if they do not understand each others mother tongue, prepositions, laughter, shapes, colors, problem solving, negotiation, team work, risk taking and many more which ultimately gives the child more confidence.

In order to try to make every child feel as comfortable with A/S as they possibly can we've also held a pool-party, which was a success so it is not the last time.

We keep on trying to organize more play with more children involved, by doing "corn hole" games, treasure hunts & water-gun shooting, and to really maximize the experience us teachers volunteered/was forced to act as human targets, which was really fun – for the children! ☺

### **Nordic House Club**

Our new Nordic House Club has had an excellent kick-off last Thursday where the guy-group competed for prizes in two creative competitions, a Draw-a-robot-with-super-powers race and a Create-the-nicest-flag-on-our-basketball-court contest. A lot of fun ☺

This week the girls too will do a creative activity after we've eaten together in the Nordic House.

Following the Autumn Break we will have our first big Evening Event which will run from 2 PM to 6 PM!

We would therefore like to invite all NHC members to join us for fun Tanzanian themed activities at the Nordic House on

Thursday the 29nd of October

With Marie and Alexander the HN clubbers will be making chapatis and creating a Nordig House

