

#### WESTWOOD HIGH SCHOOL

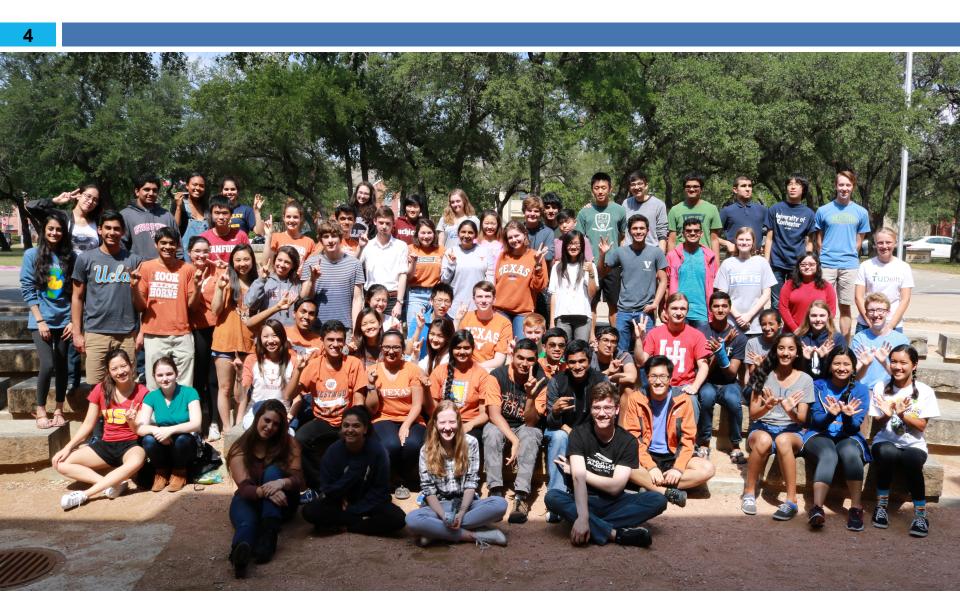
# Meeting Etiquette

- Please allow the speaker to determine when / how to engage in Q&A.
- O Please:
  - wait to be called upon to speak.
  - do not repeat questions or comments; be additive.
  - keep comments productive and constructive; critique ideas, not individuals.

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### Class of 2017!



# IBDP Program Update

- Class of 2017: the year in review
  - 61/65 (94%) candidates earned the IB Diploma
  - High score of 41/45; average 35 (24 required for Diploma)
  - Broad-based strength vs. ROW in all subjects; improvement required in German & Mandarin SL, and Physics SL/HL
- Class of 2021: growth in the Pre-IBDP
- On-going evaluation of alternative paths through IBDP
  - Options being considered in English & Social Studies, possible implementation for class of 2019, likely for class of 2020
- 2017-2018 is an IBO program evaluation year

# **Upcoming Events**

Date	Time	Location	Event				
September 12, 2017	12:30-2:15p (as needed)	WHS Library Great Room	BYOLunch: Parent Panel on Transitioning to HS The transition to high school can be a period of high anxiety for parents. In this BYOL, those who have travelled the freshman road to high school will share their insights and advice on how to manage some of the issues that come up, such as family stress, time management, organization, study skills, etc. The format is brief prepared remarks and Q&A.				
September 29, 2017	5:30-7:00p	Glass Half Full Taproom	IBPA Parent Social An after school gathering at Glass Half Full for parents to mingle socially.				
October 11, 2017	TBD	Grisham & Canyon Vista Middle School	Middle School Outreach: Canyon Vista & Grisham Outreach sessions are parent-led sessions designed to break the mythology behind the IB Diploma Program and to engage with parents sooner rather than later in their IB consideration.				
October 18, 2017	5:30-7:00p	La Madeleine	IBPA Book Club: Where You Go Is Not Who You Will Be (Bruni) This book focuses on issues surrounding college selection and the translation we make to life success.				

#### 2017-2018 Calendar of Events

	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
Business & Annual Meeting (TBD)	5: Meet Mr. Acosta				9: Young Alumni Panel		1: IBDP & College Admission		3: Annual Meeting	
BYOLunch (TBD)	12: Transition to WHS				11: IBDP Parent & Student Info Night			15: The Core		
Information Night (TBD)					11: IBDP Parent & Student Info Night					
Social Events (TBD)	29: Parent Social		17: Second Annual IB Community Picnic				22: Parent Social			
Book Club (5:30-7:00, la Madeleine)		18: Where You Go Is Not Who You Will Be		14: Designing Your Life: How to Build a Well- Lived, Joyful Life		1: Daring Greatly		4: The Last Lecture		27: The Innovator's Mindset
Middle School Outreach (TBD)		11: The IB Learner, IBDP & College GMS	9: The IB Learner, IBDP & College GMS				8: Now What?:What You Need to Know to Prepare for Pre-IB			

### IBPA Program Update

- Officer Ratification
  - Madhu Rao, Secretary-Treasurer
- Volunteers
  - IBO Program Evaluation Committee (?, Hiten)
  - Ambassadors (6 parents, Ruma)
  - Mentor Circle Leaders (as many as possible, Hiten)
  - Picnic (as many as possible, Chunyan)
  - Scholarship Committee (3 non-senior parents, Chunyan)

#### WHS IB Merchandise



- The IB Program Office is selling WHS IB merchandise for students and parents to show their IB Spirit!
  - Net proceeds will be used to fund the newly formed IBPA Scholarship
  - Certain items are available; if out of stock, please complete an order form and give to an officer or student to bring into IB Program Office

# Mr. Acosta





#### **Old Business**

#### **New Business**

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 Have questions? Reach out to an Ambassador at ibpavppreib@gmail.com