Message from the Principal

South Mansfield College has continually provided dynamic and balanced learning opportunities to students over the years. From few College degree programs, the school has grown into offering Basic Education from Preschool to Junior High School. Next academic year, SMC is one with the Department of Education in the pursuit of global competitiveness of secondary graduates by offering the Senior High School that is internationally-benchmarked. This progress attests to the quality international education the school is providing to its students. In SMC, we value the development of global perspectives and an outlook of excellence and service.

1. Academic Excellence: We are proud to have the highest general weighted average among SGEN (Southville Global Education Network) schools. Our winnings in academic competitions and high passing rates of our graduates in top universities serve as a testament that indeed SMC students are prepared well to hurdle academic rigors.

2. Values Excellence: The Good Manners Program (GMP) aims to develop the 3Rs-HI (Responsibility, Relationships, and Respect)-Humility and Integrity among the students, faculty and non-teaching staff. Students and employees also engage in community service activities through South Mansfield for Others (SMO).

3. Interpersonal Skills: A vibrant student life in SMC highlights the development of interpersonal skills. Students work in harmonious relations with others. After School Programs (ASP) such as varsity, interest clubs and advanced learning classes provide them opportunities to synergize and enjoy learning.

4. Drive and Determination to Achieve: This academic year, achievers and students with high potentials will be provided with a weekly special class through the Visions and Tasks Circle (VAT). This is to develop giftedness and skills in leadership, critical thinking, problem solving, as well as their interpersonal abilities.

With this year’s theme of “Global Excellence through the AVID: Achieve, Lead, and Make an Amazing Difference”, all faculty and staff vow to an amazing year for the SMC students and the community. Together, we can make our students achieve excellence in academics and values. Let us all make this Academic Year 2015-2016 an AMAZING year.

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Value of the Month: “Affirmation of Self and Others”
Basic Ed Advisers
Kinder (Lilac) — Gwen Maria S. Faminialagao
Junior Prep AM (Periwinkle) — Frances Kim Solivio
Junior Prep PM (Cerulean) — Arabele Hope Tiano
Senior Prep AM (Amber) — Andrea Del Cano
Senior Prep PM (Auburn) — Camille Ann Bolos
Grade 1 (Kindness) — Sarah Mishael U. Nilo
Grade 1 (Respect) — Hannah Natividad
Grade 2 (Unity) — Maria Cristina Molera
Grade 2 (Cooperation) — Wilnalyn Williams
Grade 3 (Honesty) — Rod Andrew Babera
Grade 3 (Empathy) — Geneva Winona Elago
Grade 4 (Resourcefulness) — Hazelle Tacda
Grade 4 (Creativity) — Roxan Victoriano
Grade 5 (Humility) — Jo Ann Agustino
Grade 6 (Perseverance) — Nancy Olorvida
Grade 7 (Altruism) — Angela Gogolin
Grade 8 (Commitment) — Amiel Yacon
Grade 9 (Integrity) — Aira Jean Corteza
Grade 10 (Resilience) — Arianne Mae Camba

Basic Ed Non-Advisers
Paolo Leyva
Jayroe Ramos
John Phillip Napal
Paul John Dawal
Mary Grace Gabriel
Pamela Galvez

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Early Dismissal on June 22-23

To ease traffic during the first days of school, the following dismissal time will be followed on June 22-23:
Grade 1-2—1:00 PM    Grade 3-5—2:30 PM    Grade 7-9—3:30 PM

Thank you, parents and guardians

We extend our heartfelt thanks to all Basic Education parents and guardians who attended the New Students and Parents’ Orientation last June 6, 2015.

Our strong home-school collaboration will lead us towards the achievement of our students this academic year.

Value of the Month: “Affirmation of Self and Others”
**Parenting Corner**

**Ease first day of school jitters**

With school starting, many kids get a little apprehensive about being on their own at school. They worry that no one will like them or want to be a working partner with them in class. There are a number of things that you can do to help squash the fears of your youngsters as school starts:

1. Remind them it’s the first day of school for everyone. Everyone has jitters on the first day and during the first week or so of school. Let your child know that everyone in the class is going to have the same fears as your child.

2. Encourage them to be themselves. While everyone wants to fit in, it is important that your child knows the best way to make friends is to be themselves. Let them know that it is okay to pick up a new “like,” but they don’t have to go out and buy everything that their new friend has.

3. Teach them the importance of a smile. Chances are pretty good that on the first day of school there are other shy kids that are afraid to be the first to talk to anyone. So tell your child if there is another child that they want to talk to they should smile at him/her and say hello. It is amazing the impact of a simple smile and the small phrase, “Hi”.

4. Ask about their day. Be excited about their school day. Ask how their day was and then listen actively to what they tell you. Show them that you are interested in what happened at school so they know that you are really excited about what excited them. ([http://www.more4kids.info/1114/parenting-tips-first-day-of-school-jitters](http://www.more4kids.info/1114/parenting-tips-first-day-of-school-jitters))

**Schedule of Regular Classes**

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**Accomplish Fetcher’s Pass for your child’s security**

The Fetcher’s Pass Form is a requirement in picking up/fetching the students every school day. It also ensures safety and security of the students.

Parents with more than one child to be picked up may accomplish only one Fetcher’s Pass Form unless there are separate fetchers for each child.

Rolly S. Donato  
Principal/School Head

**REPLY SLIP**

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