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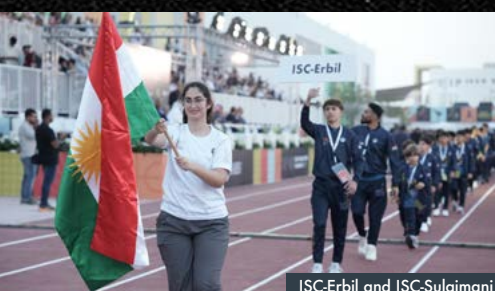
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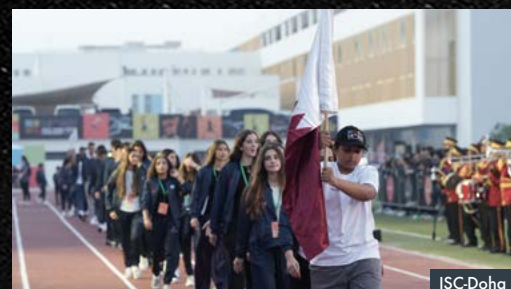
ISC-Muscat


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PARTICIPANTS

The SABIS® Global Sports Tournament (GST) is an exciting, biennial event that brings together student-athletes from across the global SABIS® Network for an unforgettable celebration of sportsmanship, talent, and teamwork. Hosted at an international SABIS® location, GST features competitions in basketball, track & field, swimming, and football. Beyond the games, it's a journey of discovery, where students sharpen life skills, embrace new cultures, and forge friendships that last a lifetime.


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COUNTRIES

The 14th SABIS® Global Sports Tournament (GST) was no different. Co-hosted at the SABIS® International Schools in Yas Island and Al Bateen, Abu Dhabi, UAE, from April 25th to 27th, 2025, the tournament welcomed 1,200 participants representing 31 SABIS® schools across 16 countries — including Brazil, China, Germany, Kenya, and for the very first time, Team USA, uniting young athletes from all corners of the SABIS® Global Network.



ISC-Doha



AIS-Al-Sulaimaniah, AIS-Al-Wadi, and JIA



ISC-Abu Dhabi, ISC-Ajman, ISC-Al Ain, ISC-DIP, ISC-Dubai, ISC-Khalifa City, ISC-Sharjah, SIS-Al Bateen, and SIS-Yas Island



HCCS and ISM



SIS-Yas Island School Director, Mr. Ramzi Al-Eid



Mr. Sulaiman Al Ameri receiving appreciation award



OPENING CEREMONY

The Opening Ceremony, held on April 24th under the patronage of His Excellency Sheikh Nahyan Bin Mubarak Al Nahyan, UAE Minister of Tolerance and Coexistence, brought together a distinguished audience. In attendance was Mr. Sulaiman Al Ameri, Acting Executive Director of the Private Education and Charter School Sector at the Department of Education and Knowledge (ADEK), along with school partners, SABIS® board members, staff, participants' families, coaches, and members of the wider community.

Guests were captivated by a series of stunning performances, including the Abu Dhabi Police Marching Band, a graceful dressage horse show, and energetic student dance routines. The ceremony began with the impressive entrance of the participating teams, each proudly carrying their country's flag, and culminated with a breathtaking customized SABIS® drone show, setting the tone for the exciting event ahead. Mr. Sulaiman Al Ameri, SIS-Yas Island School Director Mr. Ramzi Al-Eid, and SABIS® Vice President Mr. Victor Saad warmly welcomed the audience, highlighting the tournament's importance.

SABIS® DRONE SHOW





Acting Executive Director of the Private Education and Charter School Sector at the Department of Education and Knowledge (ADEK), Mr. Sulaiman Al Ameri



In his address, Mr. Victor Saad emphasized the broader impact of the tournament, stating: *"Beyond the excitement of the competition, this tournament is about so much more. It is about growing leaders, building character, and honing skills that will last a lifetime...As AI continues to shape our world, sports become even more crucial in nurturing essential qualities like leadership and deep emotional connections."*



SABIS® Vice President, Mr. Victor Saad



BASKETBALL

Senior boys' and girls' basketball players lit up the courts with incredible skill and unstoppable energy in more than 72 thrilling games. Having advanced through school-level qualifiers and training sessions, these athletes brought true athletic excellence to the GST stage, delivering unforgettable performances.



Basketball Winners:

	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Seniors	ISC-Choueifat (Lebanon)	ISC-Amman (Jordan)	ISC-DIP (UAE)

	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Seniors	SIS-Adma (Lebanon)	ISC-Amman (Jordan)	SABIS® SUN Azerbaijan

Most Valuable Players:

Category	Name	School
Seniors Girls	Zeina Sadek Ismail	ISC-Choueifat (Lebanon)
Seniors Boys	Johnny Nader	SIS-Adma (Lebanon)



TRACK & FIELD

Track & field events brought out the best in student-athletes, who impressed the crowds with their speed, endurance, and determination. These athletes had previously undergone rigorous training and competed in qualifying events at their respective schools to earn their place at the 14th GST. Their outstanding performances culminated in the breaking of six tournament records.



Track & Field Winners:

	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Under 12 60m Sprint	Asil Mzannar ISC-Choueifat (Lebanon)	Paige Doumit SIS-Yas Island (UAE)	Chimamanda Chinedum-Ikeagu ISC-Abu Dhabi (UAE)
Under 16 100m Sprint	Mariam Messaykeh ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	Sarah Francis ISC-Doha (Qatar)	Celina Al Adham ISC-Amman (Jordan)
Under 16 400m Sprint	Alissar Saadallah ISC-Doha (Qatar)	Masa Abu-Samhah ISC-Amman (Jordan)	Zamirah Bett SABIS® Runda (Kenya)
4 by 100 Relay	Julie El Arab Roya Ghanem Lyne Nafeh Mariam Messaykeh ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	Alissar Saadallah Cima Falah Layan Khshaich Sarah Francis ISC-Doha (Qatar)	Aya Wathaifi Celina Al Adham Masa Abu-Samhah Zain Al-Khraisha ISC-Amman (Jordan)
Under 16 Long Jump	Roya Ghanem ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	Emily Maia Gibney Moreno ISF (Germany)	Lyne Nafeh ISC-Koura (Lebanon)



	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Under 12 60m Sprint	Mohammad Khader ISC-AI Ain (UAE)	Milosh Malobabic SABIS® SUN (Azerbaijan)	Karim Dweik ISC-Amman (Jordan)
Under 16 100m Sprint	Salim Al Harthy ISC-Muscat (Oman)	Waleed Ayoub ISC-Sharjah (UAE)	Rayan Nader SIS-Adma (Lebanon)
Under 16 400m Sprint	Nazih Awaida ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	Yuichiro Funatsu ISF (Germany)	Oleksii Galitsyn ISC-DIP (UAE)
4 by 100 Relay	Nazih Awaida Sami Gilani Youssef Dahdah George Jabbour ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	Aarav Bhatia Danwoo Kim Yudai Harada Yuichiro Funatsu ISF (Germany)	Adam Demisi Ahmed Matahen Enad El Fayez Rashed Al Laham ISC-Amman (Jordan)
Under 16 Long Jump	Youssef Dahdah ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	Arafat Ibrahim ISC-Sharjah (UAE)	Ilan Ihab ISC-Abu Dhabi (UAE)



Track & Field New Records:

Girls	Student	School	Record
Under 16 100m Sprint	Mariam Messaykeh	ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	00:00:11.970
Under 16 400m Sprint	Alissar Saadellah	ISC-Doha (Qatar)	00:01:00.508
4 by 100 Relay	Julie El Arab Roya Ghanem Lyne Nafeh Mariam Messaykeh	ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	00:00:52.781
Under 16 Long Jump	Roya Ghanem	ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	4.66

Boys	Student	School	Record
Under 16 400m Sprint	Nazih Awaida	ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	00:00:52.323
4 by 100 Relay	Nazih Awaida Sami Gilani Youssef Dahdah George Jabbour	ISC-Koura (Lebanon)	00:00:45.744

SWIMMING

The swimming competitions broke six records, showcasing the exceptional talent and determination of the student-athletes. Before reaching the 14th GST stage, swimmers competed in multiple qualifying heats across all categories, demonstrating their commitment and skill. At the tournament, they pushed their limits and delivered standout performances marked by speed, strength, and perseverance, earning well-deserved medals for their success.

Swimming Winners:

Girls	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Under 12 25m Freestyle	Seleena Haddad Aghiad SIS-AI Bateen (UAE)	Gavril Serrano ISC-Dubai (UAE)	Dania Abdelaal AIS-AI-Wadi (Saudi Arabia)
Under 12 25m Breaststroke	Anqi Wu ISC-Muscat (Oman)	Dania Abdelaal AIS-AI-Wadi (Saudi Arabia)	Gavril Serrano ISC-Dubai (UAE)
Under 12 25m Backstroke	Seleena Haddad Aghiad SIS-AI Bateen (UAE)	Rodaina Badr ISC-Dubai (UAE)	Retal Abdullah AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)
Under 16 50m Freestyle	Kawtar El Barodi AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Rongxuan Huang SABIS®ULINK (China)	Solaf El Kemary AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)
Under 16 25m Breaststroke	Kawtar El Barodi AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Rukia Ikoa / Tia Naeem SABIS® Runda (Kenya) / ISC-Cairo (Egypt)	Lili Mohamed Mohsen Morad Ibrahim JIA (Saudi Arabia)
Under 16 25m Backstroke	Rongxuan Huang SABIS®ULINK (China)	Solaf El Kemary AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Farah Samra ISC-Cairo (Egypt)
4 by 25 Relay	Gavril Serrano Miral Abudalu Rodaina Badr Ward Bou Khzam ISC-Dubai (UAE)	Kawtar El Barodi Malak Saleh Retal Abdullah Solaf El Kemary AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Farah Samra Kinda Sultan Salma Yasser Tia Naeem ISC-Cairo (Egypt)

Boys	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Under 12 25m Freestyle	Marwan Farrag AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Hamaza Amin AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Ahmed Salem ISC-6 October (Egypt)
Under 12 25m Breaststroke	Marwan Farrag AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Alexander Seregin ISC-DIP (UAE)	Ibrahim Abdel Samad ISC-6 October (Egypt)
Under 12 25m Backstroke	Hamaza Amin AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Ahmed Salem ISC-6 October (Egypt)	Omar Eid ISC-DIP (UAE)
Under 16 50m Freestyle	Adnan Abu-Salem AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Adam Mohamed AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Youssef Abdelmotelb ISC-Muscat (Oman)
Under 16 25m Breaststroke	Adam Mohamed AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Youssef Abdelmotelb ISC-Muscat (Oman)	Atharv Bhat ISF (Germany)
Under 16 25m Backstroke	Adnan Abu-Salem AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Yassin Soliman ISC-6 October (Egypt)	Eyad Abdelmaksoud ISC-DIP (UAE)
4 by 25 Relay	Adam Mohamed Adnan Abu-Salem Hamaza Amin Marwan Farrag AIS-AI-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	Alexander Seregin Eyad Abdelmaksoud Omar Abouzeid Omar Eid ISC-DIP (UAE)	Adam Selim Ahmed Salem Ibrahim Abdel Samad Yassin Soliman ISC-6 October (Egypt)

Swimming New Records:

Girls	Student	School	Record
Under 12 25m Breaststroke	Anqi Wu	ISC-Muscat (Oman)	17.15
Under 16 50m Freestyle	Kawtar El Barodi	AIS-Al-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	26.96
Under 16 25m Breaststroke	Kawtar El Barodi	AIS-Al-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	15.03

Boys	Student	School	Record
Under 16 50m Freestyle	Adnan Abu-Salem	AIS-Al-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	24.27
Under 16 25m Backstroke	Adnan Abu-Salem	AIS-Al-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	12.88
4 by 25 Relay	Adam Mohamed Adnan Abu-Salem Hamaza Amin Marwan Farrag	AIS-Al-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	51.24



FOOTBALL

The football field came alive with action as teams competed in two categories: Under 10 and Under 14. After progressing through school-based qualifiers and rigorous preparation, players showcased their passion, skill, and teamwork across more than 64 exhilarating matches.



Football Winners:

Boys	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Under 10	ISC-Dubai (UAE)	ISC-Sharjah (UAE)	SABIS® Campinas (Brazil)
Under 14	SABIS® Campinas (Brazil)	AIS-Al-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	ISC-Choueifat (Lebanon)

Golden Boot Awards:

Category	Name	School	Goals
Under 10	Enrico Rico Ferreira	SABIS® Campinas (Brazil)	13 Goals
Under 14	Ibrahim Saleh	AIS-Al-Sulaimaniah (Saudi Arabia)	7 Goals





CELEBRATING SPIRIT AND SMILES

The 14th GST was a huge success, offering three unforgettable days filled with great ambiance, vibrant music, delicious food, and high-spirited competitions. Student-athletes showcased incredible strength, sportsmanship, and enthusiasm to the cheers of a lively crowd. Beyond the action on the field, guests enjoyed a variety of fun activities, colorful face-painting, body art stations, and friendly contests at the innovative **SABIS® E-cycling Station**, which kept the excitement alive throughout the event.





A NIGHT TO REMEMBER

On the second night of the tournament, student-athletes and staff gathered for a ceremonial dinner, celebrating the spirit of the event. The evening was filled with captivating performances by talented SABIS® students, who wowed the audience with their vibrant displays of creativity, energy, and culture, making it a night to remember for all.





SIS-Al Bateen School Director, Mr. Firas Jarrah

CLOSING CEREMONY

The tournament wrapped up after three action-packed days of teamwork, spirited competition, and unforgettable memories. A heartfelt closing ceremony marked the end of the event, featuring inspiring speeches, the awarding of medals and certificates for winning teams and individuals, and celebratory group photos.

SIS-Yas Island School Deputy Director Ms. Ghada Naamani, SIS-Al Bateen School Director Mr. Firas Jarrah, and the SABIS® Operations Director Mr. Ryan Bistany spoke with warmth and pride, capturing the spirit of the tournament.





In his speech, Mr. Ryan Bistany addressed the athletes, stating: *"When the final whistle sounded and the last cheer faded across the fields, something far greater remains: the spirit of unity, the flame of hope, and the bond of respect. Though the competitions have concluded, the journey continues; the lessons you've embraced, the connections you've built, and the memories you have created will stay with you forever, reminding you of what you have achieved here together!"*



SABIS® Operations Director, Mr. Ryan Bistany





SIS-Yas Island School Deputy Director, Ms. Ghada Naamani



The 14th SABIS® Global Sports Tournament was made possible through the dedicated efforts of the Global Sports Tournament Committee, in close collaboration with the host schools, all participating schools, and countless valuable members.

The closing ceremony was a fitting end to an event that celebrated excellence, camaraderie, and the lasting impact of sportsmanship.

THE COUNTDOWN TO 2027 BEGINS! WE CAN'T WAIT FOR THE NEXT TOURNAMENT!



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