

# TASIS Alumni News

An e-newsletter connecting the alumni of The American School in Switzerland.



## Alumni In-Program Travel

September 13 - 20, 2009

### Gastronomic and Cultural Experience in Tuscany

This all-inclusive trip includes:

- Three nights in Lugano, Switzerland with a special visit around the TASIS campus and dinner at Casa Fleming
- Three glorious nights at the Gargonza Castle, (a fortified village from the 11th century situated on the Tuscan hills between Arezzo and Siena - for more details consult: [Gargonza Castle](#))
- Dinner and one night stay in Capitignano

The focus of the visit to Tuscany will be tasting the three main regional wines, (Chianti, Montepulciano, and Montalcino) and dining in Michelin Star restaurants in unique locations. Day events also include: visits to the Broglio Castle, Pienza, the Banfi Castle, Abbadia Sant' Antimo and the Corridoio Vasariano in Florence's Uffizi Gallery (open only to private groups).

RESERVE NOW! Space is limited to 20 people – first come, first served! For bookings and more information, please e-mail [alumni@tasis.ch](mailto:alumni@tasis.ch)

### Construction begins on John E. Palmer Theater!

The early days of September have seen the campus transformed as the site for the new theater is being prepared. View construction progress [here](#).

## 2008 Reunions

### Tokyo

All-class reunion  
Friday, September 26th  
Oakwood Premier Tokyo  
Midtown 1F Lounge  
9-7-4 Akasaka Minato-ku  
Tokyo, Japan  
Please respond to:  
[Tokyo@swisslearning.com](mailto:Tokyo@swisslearning.com)

### Seoul

All-class reunion  
Tuesday, September 30th  
Swiss Embassy Seoul  
Please respond to:  
[Seoul@swisslearning.com](mailto:Seoul@swisslearning.com)

### New York

All-class reunion  
Saturday, November 22nd  
The Cosmopolitan Club  
122 East 66th Street  
New York City  
\$60/person (Classes of 2003 and up - \$40)  
Registration is required:  
[www.tasisreunion.com](http://www.tasisreunion.com)

### Aspen

All-class reunion and the  
*Fleming Cup Alumni World Championship Ski Race*  
February 27th - March 1st  
Aspen, Colorado  
For information contact:  
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Photos from past reunions can be found on the TASIS website: [Reunions](#)

## Academic Facts & Figures for 2008 - 2009



Students enrolled - 566  
High School - 331  
Middle School - 63  
Pre-K/Elementary - 172  
Boarding Students - 275  
Day Students (MS/HS) - 119  
Nationalities - 41

## Happy Birthday!

On September 10th, Mrs. Fleming turned 98 years old! Baritone, Björn Larsson made a surprise appearance and started Mrs. Fleming's birthday celebration off with a short concert in the library. View more images from her birthday celebration [here](#).

