

## 17 February 2016

## Don't forget to send a sunhat in the heat!

#### Going walkies...

Teacher Kathy and Teacher Andrea's classes are going to visit the optometrist in Norkem Mall this week Friday (19 February). It's a lovely stroll for the pre-schoolers and they get a valuable eye examination as an extra reward!

Please can you help us prepare your child:

- 1. Pack an extra bottle of water
- 2. Wear a sun hat and sunscreen
- 3. Wear school shoes/ black takkies

We will also be taking them to Steers for an ice-cream (shhhhh - it's a surprise - so don't tell)!

Teacher Wilna and Teacher Laura are going next week Friday (26 February). This week Friday, these two classes are putting on their Jamie Oliver aprons and "baking up" some magic.

### Our children are precious...

The After Care staff have been instructed not to let any child walk to their car without having the parents/transport sign the clock-out register after 14h30. Please respect this policy. As of today, our groundsman, Darrel Fell is guarding the school gate on Korhaan Street from 14h00 until 15h30. At 15h30 this gate is locked and the After Care staff will manually unlock the gate for each parent. Please be patient - your child's safety is our number one priority!





### Grade 7's going home...

We realise that our Grade 7 pupils are very responsible individuals. Again, to keep our pupils safe and happy, if your Grade 7 child is walking home alone, please take note that we require written permission from you as parents allowing this. Unfortunately, pupils from other Grades are not permitted to walk home without a grown-up accompanying them.

# <u>Classifieds...</u>

- <u>ABC transport</u>. Safe, reliable transport to and from school in the mornings, afternoons and late afternoons. Contact Grant 083-411-8533.
- <u>Helping out with your heart.</u> Mick Wald our school art and piano teacher – has been collecting a large amount of bottled water for the drought-stricken people of the Free State. Unfortunately his transporter has left him in the lurch. Are any parents or





companies willing to help Mike out on his mercy mission? Mike's number is 011-976-4883.



#### Cake sale in the pipeline...

It's cake sale time for Grade 1M next week Thursday (25 February). The Grade 1's will scratch out their granny's recipes and we'll start scratching out our pocket money!

#### Loo time blues...

Some of our little ones in Grade 1 and 2 are battling to undo their buttons on their culottes. This makes visiting the ladies a challenge. Charmaine (our seamstress at 116 Mooirivier) is ready to adjust any buttonholes at no extra charge.

### Mickey Mouse theme for the week:

Let's be safe at home and at school!

Prayerfully and playfully The teachers

