

Newsletter

11 May 2016

Grade 1 Parent's Meeting...

Don't forget our compulsory Parents' Meeting this Saturday morning (14th May) at 8h00 sharp. If you are unable to attend, please send a proxy.



The fab world of fashion...

There are two current trends in school uniform attire that are challenging the boundaries. We will be clamping down on:

1. Wearing a button-up shirt without the tie.
2. Boys' haircuts with a shaved portion around the bottom and a much longer "comb over" section at the top.

I'm sure you can remember crazy fashion quirks when you went to school, but you can also fondly remember that most were frowned upon ☺. We're keeping our uniforms neat and practical. Please help us. Bow-ties and button ribbons are available in the office for R35.

It's getting ch-ch-chilly...

Our After Care staff have asked us to remind parents to pack warmer civvies for the afternoons. Some of our little ones are turning shades of blue before being fetched at 17h30. Packing an extra jersey or jacket will keep your little one comfy.



Mind your manners...

We understand that life is spinning faster and faster and keeping appointments is sometimes challenging. If you are going to miss an appointment time that you've made with your child's teacher, please phone the school to reschedule. A sincere apology also goes a long way! The teachers are meeting with numerous parents, so missing your appointment does throw out their schedules. Let's exercise courtesy and consideration and set an example to our children in this regard.

The power of prayer...

Thank you for all the love, inquiries and prayers for Othando in Grade 4 who was involved in a pedestrian accident last week. Within a few days she has miraculously progressed from ICU to being discharged and she is well on her way to a full recovery.



Blowing our horn...

Three of our Grade 7 pupils applied at Curro for Grade 8, 2017. All three scored 85% or above in their entrance examinations, and all three have been offered the opportunity to apply for a full scholarship. Congratulations Lebo, Nivikar and Remofilwe. You make us so proud!

Time for sniffles...

We have had quite a lot of absenteeism during this change of the seasons. Don't forget to let us know if your child is taking a recuperation day, and when they return, pop us a note explaining the absenteeism so we can file it. Thanks.



Netball matches...

Our girls did wonderfully against Aston Manor Primary last week. They played with grace and passion, and most of our teams won their games. Tomorrow the u/9, u/11 A and B, u/12 and u/13 teams are all playing Maranatha. Sorry - Maranatha has informed us that their u/10 team will not be playing.

We are still waiting for our PDP licences to be cleared from Pretoria, so for now our school bus is grounded and we need parents' help with transporting our girls to and from the match. Please let Teacher Kathy know if you are available. We would also kindly ask that all the netball transporting parents park by the school recycling paper-banks (Maraboe Street) tomorrow. It will make transporting arrangements easier if we don't clash with the normal school pick-up traffic on Korhaan Street. Our u/9 team is playing Kempton West at home today. All the best ladies!



Friday fun...

Our Mickey Mouse pupils will be mashing and crunching through oodles of tactile fun on Friday. It's our crazy collage day and we enjoy playing and gluing with sawdust, rice, kitty litter, flour, macaroni etc. Enjoy the fruits of their messy labour!



Prayerfully and playfully
The teachers

Classifieds...

- Liz's Shuttle Services- Transport services where customer centricity is the driving factor. Contact Liz on 079 029 8047 also on whatsapp and email lizanda.joshua@gmail.com
- ABC transport. Safe, reliable transport to and from school in the mornings, afternoons and late afternoons. Contact Grant 083-411-8533.
- SUMMER BODIES ARE MADE IN WINTER!!

There are about 7 months until the 1st November, so ample time. Depending on your body composition and your body needs, you could lose up to 1kg per week.

All you need: 2 shakes, 1 colourful meal and 2 healthy snacks per day. Add water, moderate exercise (at least 3 times per week), and me coaching you, watch the kilo's melt away.

INTERESTED IN MY PROGRAM? A wellness evaluation to the value of R500 will be done FREE of charge! Don't delay! Contact me (Anina) today on 083 630-5148 or aninah@live.co.za. Free membership to my run club if you sign up as client!



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We offer swimming lessons to kids and adults. Our lessons are Monday to Saturday.
We pick up kids from aftercare, do their swimming lesson and drop them back at aftercare.
If you can, you are welcome to bring them yourself for their swimming lessons after school.

You are welcome to view the facilities. Plse contact us. Details above.

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