



# Newsletter

24 August 2016

## Cake sale...

Grade 4M is hosting their cake sale tomorrow. Don't forget your change and a healthy appetite!

## Spring into fun on our casual Friday...

As per tradition, we do support Casa Caritas and are selling Casual Day stickers for civvies day next week Friday. Stickers are R10 and proceeds go directly to this excellent cause. All our grades (Grade RR - 7) are invited to join this national charitable event. Stickers are available at Mrs Bradshaw's bursar office.

Mickey Mouse would like to up the event a notch and have asked for a "Fancy Dress Friday",

instead of just plain civvies. Bring out the princesses, pixies, pirates and paupers for some spring madness!



## Label, label, label...

We would remind you to mark all your child's clothing with their name. We have baskets full of lost and unlabelled items that get donated to charity every term. That being said, also check if your child has arrived home with someone else's item of clothing! Here is an excerpt from a desperate mommy this week...

*Good morning to you.*

*I wonder if you might be able to help me? The first week of the new term I bought Siyanda a windbreaker...*

*She forgot it at school and it has never been found since (I had not even marked it with her name yet). May you please include a note about it in the weekly newsletter? It is brand new, size 11 to 12 years.*

*I would appreciate it very much.*

Ironically, we do have two size 11/12 jackets in our lost property. Both are unlabelled but none are brand new.

Help us fight this lost property plague and label all your items as soon as you get them please!

### Got an eye for home videos?

We have not arranged a formal videographer for the evening of our concert (we're trying to keep prices as low as possible). Would one of our parents be able to video the entire concert and cut DVD's thereafter? We are not expecting a Hollywood-style production, but simply a keepsake for our moms and dads without cameras. Let us know if you would like to help.



"I MISS THE DAYS WHEN THE ONLY THING I COULDN'T WORK WAS THE VIDEO."



### Money recycling...

We are regularly finding money lying around on the playground and just as regularly find ourselves consoling little ones who have lost their precious cash. Please send money to school either in a labelled envelope or in a wallet that hangs around your child's neck. No matter how small the amount is, it is precious to them and we'd like to keep it safe. Thank you.

### Concert reminder...

If you missed the last newsletter, just a reminder that our school is putting on a little concert on Wednesday evening the 14<sup>th</sup> of September.

Venue: Maranatha Community Church

Time: 18h00 for 18h30

Cost: A grocery item for the less advantaged  
Our pupils are budding with excitement about the event. Invite grandparents too, it will be family-friendly-fun.



### Africa Kids CD

Nicolie visited our Grade 1-4 group this week and sang some delightful African songs in their assembly. She is selling her CD's for R95. If you are interested, please send your money to school in the provided envelope.

Nicolie will also be available at the concert on the 14<sup>th</sup> September.



### Go Team...

We were so proud of our delightful pupils who were on the news yesterday! You waved the South African and Solid Foundations flag high at OR Thambo! Well done to Mrs Tudhope for coordinating the outing for our seniors.

Prayerfully and playfully  
The teachers