

# Newsletter

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## That fabulous thing called SPRING!

We are ready to kick off those winter boots and run around bare-footed again! Just a reminder for this week Friday:

Mickey Mouse - come dressed in "fancy dress". Any costume or outfit you can whip up e.g. pirates, princesses, super-heroes or snails are welcome! Solid Foundations (Grade 1 - 7) - come dressed in BRIGHT spring colours (civvies but no black, brown or grey) and wear a spring hat.

As we are all popping our coins into our ARKs for charity, this civvies day is on us and we will not charge our usual R5  $\odot$ !





### Cake sales...

Grade 5V and 3E are up for hosting their cake sales tomorrow. All Grade 1 - 7 pupils are invited to bring their change to show their support.

## Soccer match disappointment...

Regrets, Norkem has cancelled our scheduled soccer match for Friday. This ball was completely out of our hands. So sorry. Our soccer boys will have their usual soccer practice on Friday.





# Safety first...

Just a reminder that if your child is going home with a friend, relative or transport person who does not usually take them from school, we do need you to give us a heads up. A phone call or email will suffice.

#### Really expensive cooldrink...

Did you know that we face the frustration of a child damaging a textbook or classroom reader with a leaking cooldrink bottle at least twice a month? Unfortunately, readers are ridiculously expensive and we will have to charge for a replacement. Instead of experiencing the stress of an expensive accident, please either buy lock-tight juice bottles, pop your juice bottles in plastic bags or use water instead of juice.





#### The need to read...

As you are aware, we are working very hard at boosting our preschool literacy and vocabulary standard. Part of our vision is to have visually interesting books on the bookshelves in our preschool classes. Based on experience, these books are rapidly well-loved and their turn-over is pretty high. If you have any kiddie books lying around at home, please, please, please think of us. We're particularly interested in books with vivid pictures. "Baby books" are also most welcome.



#### Last call for photo orders...

A reminder that we are closing our orders for class photos and sibling/friend photos on Friday. Class photos are R20 and sibling/friend photos are R50. Don't forget that individual photos were included in your "Outings and Stationery" budget.

## Mickey Mouse book-bags...

Don't forget to return your bookbag on Thursday. Please give us your feedback by clicking on the bottom link. Remember that if you do NOT report broken or torn books, we will hold your family accountable for the damage!





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# Classifieds...



Do you have a will?

**Did you know?** You can change your will whenever you want and as many times as you want. You may want to consider changing it when there has been a birth, death or divorce in the family.

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## Prayerfully and playfully

The teachers

