

Newsletter

14 February 2018

Happy Valentine's Day!

May love fill your thoughts, hearts and actions on this special day.



Healthiness and wholeness...

Please remember to pack healthy lunches for school. We have moved all our cake sales to Fridays from this point onwards to ensure that every Monday to Thursday is a healthy stretch for our pupils.

Also remind your child to stick to what you have packed and not ask others for their healthy treats. Although sharing is a beautiful characteristic, begging certainly

isn't. Let's create happy, healthy young citizens.

Office hours...

We know that the office only opens at 7h30 and many of you need to be on the road to work at this time. If you have a form to drop off (e.g. an extra mural enrolment), money or medicine to hand in, please do so with the staff at the gate. They are extremely reliable and will relay your info to the office as soon as it opens. Don't leave important or valuable things on a teacher's desk, but rather hand it in to a staff member please.



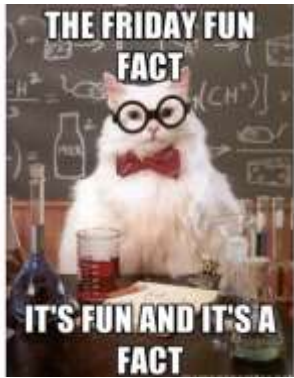
Reading programme feedback...

Thank you for your feedback regarding the condition of the books in your child's book bags. Please remember to return your bookbag tomorrow.

You can give us online feedback (very quickly) by following this link...

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1a0BdiF2bl2M3rqKzBb7IHQ3b3R4v46zO9jAXRStYbmA/viewform>

P.S.: did you know that Thursday the 16th of Feb is "world read aloud" day. Parents throughout the world are encouraged to read 10 - 15 minutes aloud to their children sometime on this day.



Upcoming Fridays...

This week Friday, On Cue Theatre is performing for our Grade 1 - 3 pupils. This is an amazing opportunity for our pupils to experience the magical world of theatre. Our Mickey Mouse pupils are in for some sand-art fun on Friday.

Next week we're in for another fun treat, when the East Rand Youth Orchestra will be visiting our school to do demonstration concerts for our pupils from Grade R - 7.

As our Grade RR's are regrettably not part of this event, they will be walking to the Norkem Mall to have their eyes tested by the optometrist instead (note the slight change in the school calendar on the D6 App). Please ensure that your little one is wearing shoes, has a sun hat and has a water bottle. We have had some parents ask us about safety measures we take on this walk. We can reassure you that we send four cell-phone carrying teachers with the group (front, middle and back) and each child is "buddied" with another while we walk. Our staff also take along a medical aid box. We have never had an incident concerning us on this walk, and we will keep all 8 adult eyes on your precious kiddies the whole way.

Owing to their tiny size, our Grade RRR pupils will not be walking, but will keep that exciting experience for next year. They will join the Grade R's in in "baking" something delectable instead.

Cake sale...

Mrs McIntosh's class is up for sponsoring a cake sale next week Friday. Keep your eye on this delicious date.



Have a blessed week!

Prayerfully and playfully

The Solid Foundations Staff

