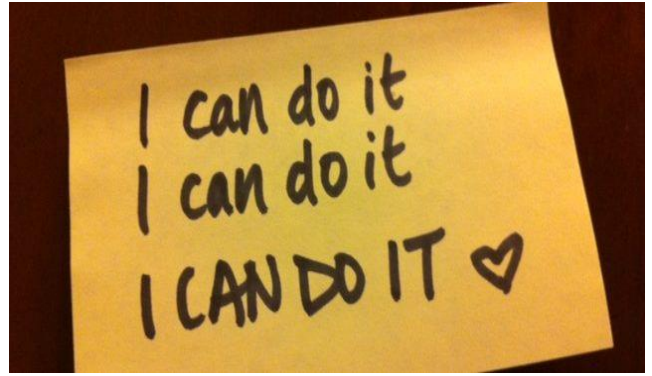


Newsletter

6 June 2018

Exam planning...

We wish our senior primary pupils all the best as they start exams this coming week. Study hard, rest well and we will be praying for you all the way.



W.H.O. DEWORMING CAMPAIGN...

We have been approached by the Department of Health and the Department of Education who have joined hands in implementing the W.H.O. campaign of eradicating worms in South Africa's primary school children. Your child will receive a letter today requesting your consent. Please complete the details if you approve of your child's participation in this deworming campaign.

Children who have worms may have some symptoms like:

- Tummy aches
- Fatigue
- Gas/ bloating
- Weight loss
- Runny noses and "allergy like" symptoms



However, some children with worms experience no noticeable symptoms for years.

Date consent forms must be returned:

Date that deworming tablet will be administered:

Who will administer the tablet:

What age group will receive the tablet:

What is the name of the tablet:

How many dosages will my child need:

What are the common side effects:

Friday 8th June

Wednesday the 13th of June

Class teachers

Grade RRR - 7

Vermox (can be swallowed or chewed)

One

If the child is infested with worms, the tablet may cause stomach cramping and discomfort, otherwise there's usually no side-effects

Free

Cost:

Only pupils who have given us signed consent forms will receive a tablet next week Wednesday.

Say cheese...

It's that time of year again when we have scheduled school photo's. Individual photos will be taken on Tuesday (12 June) and class photos next week Wednesday (13 June). Senior primary students will have their photo's taken after their exam sessions, and if the photographer does not complete all classes on Tuesday, the remainder will spill over into Wednesday, which might push the class photo's to Thursday. In summary, please make sure that your child is dressed in their full, smartest and cleanest school uniforms from Tuesday to Thursday next week (Grade RRR - 7).



Individual and class photos have been covered by your "Outings and Shows" payment. The photographer is willing to do sibling shots if you send a written request for him to do so (email the school) before next week Tuesday. No sibling shots will be taken unless we have this written request from you. The cost for the sibling photo shoot is R60, which is not covered by your "Outings and Shows" budget.

Talented tots and teens...

The "Talent Show Season" has come to an end, and we were very proud of each pupil who bravely stood up to play, sing, perform and dance in front of an audience.

Some of our pupils amazed us, some made us smile and some were simply too cute for words.

Thank you for all the effort you put in as parents to make your star shine!



Waiting Zone...

Please note that if your child is waiting for you or for transport after doing an extra mural, they will be sent to the "waiting zone" by the troll bridge, under the safe and watchful eye of Teacher Joanne. This is a grassy area, blocked off on four sides and is shaded.

If you would rather have your child join After Care and play on the playgrounds this can be arranged with pleasure, but we will be charging After Care fees to your account (R70 per afternoon).

In addition to the waiting time after extra murals, any children fetched after 14h00 not doing extra murals will also be placed in "the waiting zone" area.

Again - if this is inconvenient for you and you would prefer your child to join After Care, this is easily arranged and you will be billed accordingly. Please let the office know on the day if this is your intention.

Do we want a videographer for our concert...

Our school is planning a small concert for the 12th of September, and we would like to know if we need to book a videographer for the event.

The videographer will charge R140 a DVD.

If we do decide to go with a videographer, then our parents will be requested not to make their own recordings but to purchase from the videographer.

We would like to do a quick survey and determine who would like to purchase a DVD and who would prefer to take their own footage of the event. Please drop us an email to give us your decision. Majority vote wins ☺!



Cute family outing...

We're really proud of our music teacher, Teacher Kathryn, who has been invited to sing at the "Hero and Princess Faire" (www.heroandprincessfaire.co.za) at Birchwood Hotel on the 9th of September. Keep your eyes peeled for forthcoming information about this sweet family day.



A very moving "thank you"...

The young boys from the Boetman Home for the Deaf sent a personal clip to our school to say thank you for the paper-money folding competition. Enjoy the moment with us... (highlight the link and press control while you click)...

<https://drive.google.com/open?id=1qpeeK3VqUAQDnyw3WjbNb5EiH6QqpmE>

They are signing "Thank you Solid Foundations for the donation. We love you!"

Any further donations are welcome, but the drive will close this week Friday. We have sent them R3000 to date.

Watch the clock...

It is getting darker every evening as we head into winter, please don't let the After Care staff wait after 17h30 to collect your child. It is both unsafe and unfair. Let's do our part to make our children feel treasured.



Netball and soccer news...



Our junior netball girls played against St Columbus yesterday. The U10 A and B teams won and the U11's lost.

A reminder that the U12 and U13 A and B teams will be playing St Columbus tomorrow.

As with all team sports, the team is highly dependent on every player. If a player is absent, the entire team suffers. We would just like to remind you that although the netball and soccer league is drawing to a close, skill and fitness training continues until November. Pupils who stop attending the training after the league are definitely not guaranteed a spot on the team in the next season.

Mickey Mouse reading programme...

Are you reading daily for your child? Reading stories to preschool children is proven as one of the best ways give them a head start academically. Please remember to return your books and give your reading programme feedback tomorrow (Thursday).

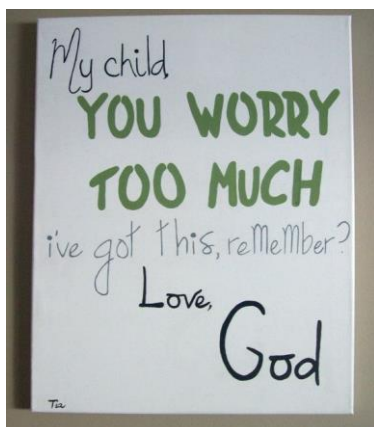
Please give your feedback on this link...

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



Classifieds...

- The painters who recently painted our school were thorough and we were quite pleased with their work. If you would like a paint job done, please contact Victoria Painters at 083-741-0253 or 073-918-6283



After Care contact...

The After Care staff have been given cell phones for emergency calls. If you urgently need to convey a message after hours, please call:

071-876-2968

072-568-7094

Prayerfully and playfully
The Solid Foundations Staff