

Newsletter



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Bicycle day...

This week Friday is "Bicycle Day" for our preschool pupils. We are inviting all the Mickey Mouse pupils to bring their bicycles, scooters, skate-boards, rollerskates etc. to school so we can have some serious traffic fun. We will block off a portion of the road on Korhaan Street and create a real-world traffic scene for our little people to enjoy. Please make arrangements with your transports for transporting the extra baggage (we will store bikes overnight if necessary). Also remember, no helmet = no riding! Every child on a bike must wear a helmet please. We look forward to this wheelie fun day!

Once upon a time...



Diskonto is visiting our school on Monday and Tuesday next week. Diskonto is a travelling book selling company that sells books at bargain prices (R30 upwards). We highly recommend that each child has the experience of purchasing a book for their reading pleasure. Parents are welcome to enjoy the sale too, but please bear in mind that they usually pack up and are on the road again by Tuesday 11h00.

Buying a book is like investing in a friend and a life-long relationship with reading.

On the subject of books, "Hooked on Books" is visiting our senior primary pupils (Gr 5 - 7) next week Wednesday morning. "Hooked on Books" acts out short, humorous scenes from children's books to whet young readers' appetites for reading. We have ordered the books on the "Hooked on Books" reading list for our senior primary pupils to enjoy after the show.



Buzzing little bees go spelling...

Our 2017 spelling bee was a huge success and we'd like to repeat the process again this year. Every child from Grade 1 to Grade 7 will be given a list of spelling words to prepare them for the bee. These words are not for marks, but our children will be tested to select who our candidates are for the final competition.

E-N-J-O-Y spells enjoy!!





Sweet tooth...

Our Grade 6M and Teacher Estelle's class is hosting a cake sale for the senior primary and Mickey Mouse pupils this week Friday. Tuck will be closed for the seniors, but the party will be open! Remember your change.

Splashing into spring...

Taljaard's Swim School is starting up again next week. Remember to pack your cozzies if your child participates in this extra-mural.

Cricket news...

Our mini-cricket boys (Grade 1-3) are playing Laerskool Impala on Monday the 6th of August and our senior cricket boys (Grade 4-7) are taking on Bonaero Primary on Tuesday the 7th. Please make sure they have their correct clothing packed for the day.



Mickey Mouse reading programme...

Don't forget to return your book bags tomorrow.

Please give us feedback if any of the books in your bag are damaged...

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There won't be any preschool homework words for next week as it is a short one.

School is closed on Thursday (Woman's Day) and Friday (GDE school holiday - After Care will be open). Enjoy the long weekend.

Prayerfully and playfully
The Solid Foundations Staff

"Never wrestle with pigs. You both get dirty and the pig likes it."

- George Bernard Shaw

