

Newsletter

24 April 2019

Whizzing ideas for the SFSF (Solid's Fun Science Fair)...

You have 7 more days to enter the Grade 5-7 Science Fair, taking place on the 8th of August 2019. Please remember that if you forget to submit your idea by next week Wednesday, you will not be allowed to participate.

Participants get up to 5% extra on their cycle 3 report mark for NST.

If you are stumped for an idea, YouTube and Google are your best friend. Otherwise - explore a question or problem that interests you e.g. Why do my shoelaces always untie? How strong would Spiderman's web really have to be to carry his weight? How can I stop rhino poaching? ☺

Please strongly encourage your child to participate. There is no such thing as a project that is "too simple"! We are waiting in anticipation to see what our young scientists come up with.



Field trip to OCT South...

Our Grade 5-7 pupils are off to a very exciting field trip next week Tuesday. OCT South is an obstacle course centre that focuses on team building and getting children to conquer their physical fears while having fun! Please can our senior primary pupils wear OLD CLOTHES to school on Tuesday. They will be getting dirty and perhaps muddy too.

Remember your lunch packed to go!

Making our tails wag...

Our Mickey Mouse pupils will have a show on Friday called "Pets and their Manners", performed by Grow@eduplus. Ask your child all about it, as they're sure to have fun!



Magazines please...

Don't toss your old magazines. The preschool would like to use them for art projects please.

Upcoming cake sales...

Next week Friday it's Teacher Candice and Mrs Van's turn for hosting a cake sale. All our pre-schoolers and Grade 1-3 pupils (including Grade 4L) can bring their pocket money for the party. Thank you for showing your constant support!



Uniform orders...

For your convenience, MS uniforms will visit us again next week Friday morning (6h30 - 8h00). Please place your orders beforehand (011-050-7842 or 076-711-1443) or browse through the winter uniform stock at school on the 3rd of May.

Report time...

As an independent school, our school does not follow the Education Department's prescriptions for assessment planning. As a result, we have a thrice per year (Grade 1-7) and twice per year (Grade RRR-R) reporting system. Your child's first report (excepting Grade 1 who have already had their first report) is coming out next week Thursday.

Upcoming netball and soccer matches...

24 April (Wednesday)	Netball	Mini-netball (Grade 1-3) matches at Mooifontein
24 April (Wednesday)	Soccer	U11 and U13 (teams have been announced and posted on the hall door) playing Nobel
25 April (Thursday)	Soccer	U11 and U13 (teams will be announced and posted on the hall door) playing Cresslawn
29 April (Monday)	Netball	U9-U13 A teams playing Maranatha
30 April (Tuesday)	Netball	U9-U13 A teams playing at Supero
2 May (Thursday)	Soccer	U11 and U13 (teams will be announced and posted on the hall door) playing Olifantsfontein

SIYABONGA!...

The Allen park Old Age home were so moved by your kindness. We gave them a car-full of ingredients. They asked us to express their sincere thanks to all the incredibly generous donors. Well done!

CompuIQ forms...

Please return all the CompIQ forms by tomorrow. You are welcome to draw a line through it and sign it if you're not interested, but we would like to get our forms back please.





Solid's little miracle...

Mrs Strickler had her long-awaited baby girl last night! Sarah arrived at 21h23. She weighs 3,4 kg and is 50cm long. Mrs Strickler had a very quick, natural delivery (her labour was just shy of three hours from the first contraction to delivery)!

We pray a very special blessing over the Strickler family and this precious arrival. Enjoy every moment!

Prayerfully and playfully

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