

Newsletter

27 July 2022

Happy Birthday Mickey Mouse!!



This coming week, 50 years ago, Mickey Mouse preschool was started!!!

We are so proud to be part of such an incredible legacy.

Our school is planning to celebrate on **MONDAY the 1st of August** (official date that our preschool began). Please send your child to school wearing DISNEY themed clothing OR the colours of Mickey Mouse (red, black, white and pink) with a set of Mickey Mouse ears (cardboard is fine). We will be having a special celebration for the whole school at the end of the day, and this may affect your child's COLLECTION TIME. Please can Grade RRR-3 be collected at 13h00 and Grade 4-7 be collected at 13h20 on Monday. Thereafter, collection times will be back to normal for the rest of the week.

The pen is mightier than the sword...

It's time for our annual survey!

Please can each family click on the link below to answer our survey.

<https://forms.gle/iccEgM5trcYZWCnM7>

We are expecting a response from EVERY FAMILY in our school (one response per family please).

It should take about 10 minutes.



Wagging tails...

Don't forget that Kaeden's Grove Dog Shelter is visiting our school on Friday. We are collecting pet food for them as well as other pet rescue organisations. Please remember your tin or bag of pet food, and you can wear civvies as a reward on Friday.

Internet Café reminder...

A reminder that our school has an "Internet Café" open every Wednesday in Mrs Babcock's classroom. Please drop the school an email before Wednesday if your child is going to make use of the services.



Report time...

Reports are going out next week. Please keep an eye on your child's bag. A reminder that a pass mark at our school is 50% and above. Children are required to pass English and Maths in order to pass the year. Children may also not fail more than three other subjects. If your child has not passed this term, based on these criteria, please contact your child's teacher and discuss a remediation plan. Appointments with teachers can be made through the office.

Suggested small changes to uniform policy...

For the argument of neatness, we would like to remove grey pants as a clothing option for preschool as of 2023. The grey pants and grey golf shirt combination is not aesthetically pleasing. We would like to implement black pants **only** as of 2023 (shorts, skorts or official school tracksuit pants).

We would also like to add that "v-shaped" hairstyles are not permitted for our boys.



Reading programme...

Grade RRR-2, don't forget to return your bookbags tomorrow. Report any damaged books to: <https://forms.gle/hwZxp6ZHpd41NWrD8>

Theme for next week for preschool: Tweet tweet (birds)

Ballet reminder...

Please remember to dress your child correctly for our ballet extra-mural. As of this term, dancers with incorrect clothing may be excluded from lessons.



Netball news...

Our U10 and U11 team played a friendly match against St Columbus yesterday.

U10 won 10-6

U11 lost 10-7

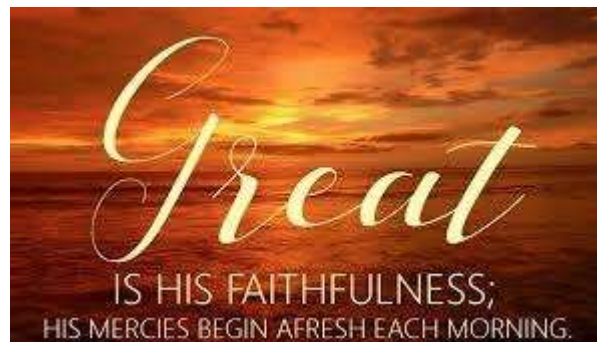
Well done girls!

Prayerfully and playfully

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Classifieds...

Swimming classes:

Taljaard's Swimming School is starting classes again as of the 11th of August. Classes are on Mondays and Thursdays and preschool children are fetched from school. Please contact Ellen at 0829208747