Newsletter

17 May 2023



Serious about studying?...

It's the four-week countdown to senior primary exams. Is your child ready to put in the work?

"Brain Gain" is hosting a study skills workshop at our school on Saturday.

Date: 20 May

Time: 8h00 until 10h30

Venue: Mr Swieger's classroom or school hall at school

Cost: R145 per child

Please bring: Stationery, exam pad and history books



The host, Ian Goldworthy, would like <u>parents to</u> <u>attend the course with their children</u> for the course to be particularly beneficial.

BOOKING FOR THE COURSE IS ESSENTIAL. If you have not already done so, please book your space by tomorrow (011-976-5300/admin@solidfoundationsprimary.com). Payment is made directly to Ian on the day.

Tulela Kempton Park...

Tulela is a community-based non-profit organisation serving Kempton Park in a social welfare capacity. The social workers at Tulela have reached out to us and requested that they have a few minutes to address our children during Child Protection Week to create an awareness of cyber safety and bullying. We have agreed, and would like to do a little fund-raiser for their organisation on the $2^{\rm nd}$ of June, whereby our children may wear civvies but will need to pay R10 towards this drive.



The funds raised will go towards Tulela's early intervention and prevention services, skills development, food parcels, poverty alleviation and community work programmes. We will remind you of the drive closer to the date.



Pizza feedback...

We were quite stunned by the large pizza order last week Friday. Over 150 pizzas were delivered!

To help us with administration going forward, pizza orders will be taken on a THURSDAY and delivered on FRIDAY.

If you would like to order a pizza this week, <u>please send</u> your money to the office tomorrow morning.

Unfortunately, we will not be taking any last-minute orders on Friday mornings, and any lunch money brought on Friday will be used exclusively for hotdogs or tuck.

A reminder that pizzas are R30, and children have the choice of Margherita (tomato and cheese), Regina (ham and cheese) or BBQ chicken.



Upcoming events...

Grade RM will be hosting their cake next week Friday, and Grade 2V and 5D are scheduled for the week thereafter.

Our pre-schoolers are in for an exciting Fireman Show on Friday (please make sure your fees are paid in full so your child can attend)

Enjoy!

Sports news...

Congratulations to our U13 netball team and Coach Kathy who came in second in the Jeugland Tournament this past weekend. You made us so proud!

Our netball teams also recently played:

Pinnacle Hill

U10 lost 2-1

U11 won 12-1

U10 & U11 mixed won 10-1

Shangri La

U10 won 13-0

U11 won 23-2

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Our soccer teams made a concerted effort but lost against Nobel Primary this week. Keep trying chaps!

Honesty table...



Your child may have come home talking about the "honesty table" at school.

This is part of an initiative to encourage honesty and integrity at our school. We have a table outside the hall with fudge for sale and a pot for change. Children are allowed to buy fudge for R7 a piece, at any time, and control their own payment and change. There isn't a person "manning" the table (although we do

have cameras ©).

We are <u>super impressed</u> with our pupils so far. The honesty displayed at the table has been heart-warming. Well done Solids!

Proceeds from the "honesty table" go to charity.

Hungry "Junk Monster" ...

Please don't forget to collect storeroom junk for our preschool. We love empty cereal boxes, polystyrene trays, rinsed out soda or milk bottles, toilet roll inners, veggie containers, old wool, magazines, empty match boxes,



toothpaste boxes etc. You can leave your junk outside Teacher Kathy's classroom door, and watch how the "Junk Monster" devours it without delay!



Book bags...

Please return all bookbags tomorrow. Also remember to report any badly damaged books. You can click on the link below...

https://forms.gle/hwZxp6ZHpd41NWrD8

Prayerfully and playfully
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