

Newsletter

24 May 2023

"Mickey Mouse Mall!"...

This week Friday our pre-schoolers will be having a very special day when all the preschool classes will magically be transformed into stores and our little ones can shop 'til they drop!

Our preschool shopping day is a wonderful day of fantasy, in which our pupils get to pretend that they are grown-ups shopping in a world of glitz and glam.

What to bring...

1. Please can each pre-schooler come to school dressed in "mommy or daddy clothes". This includes high heels, ties, moustaches, hand-bags, sunglasses, oversized dresses and shirts etc.
2. Please make sure your child has a wallet or purse. This is for play money that we will supply. Please do NOT send real money to school for shopping day, except for the usual Friday tuck money or hot-dog order.
3. Remember to pack a shopping bag to carry all the exciting purchases of the day. (All items sold in the "Mickey Mouse Mall" have been lovingly hand-made by pre-schoolers for pre-schoolers.)

Mickey Mouse Shopping Day makes for very magical memories for our pupils. Mrs Helmbold can still fondly remember her very own "shopping day" at the age of 5 at our school, and buying a "fake sucker" from the sweetie shop!



Cake sales...



Due to our make-believe "Shopping Day" clashing with the real-life planned cake sale date, the Grade RM cake sale will be postponed and the Grade 2V and 5D cake sales moved forward. We hope this doesn't cause too much of a glitch in your planning. Grade 2V and Grade 5D are invited to bring goodies to sell this week Friday (26 May), and Grade RM will only sell their goodies next week Friday (2 June). Enjoy!

First brave contestants...

Last Friday, we had 5 brave participants compete in the first-ever Kempton Park Eisteddfod 'Experimental Prepared Speaking' division

- Nokubonga Xaba achieved a B+ (Chrome),
- Phetogo Poopedi achieved an A (Platinum), placing 2nd for Grade 5s.
- Nikhil Sharma achieved an A (Platinum), placing 1st for Grade 5s
- Nhlamulo Maluleke achieved an A- (Gold), placing 1st for Grade 6s



- Tintswalo Moyana achieved an A (Platinum), placing 1st for Grade 3s
Well done Solids for making Eisteddfod history and being the first brave contestants to present argumentative speeches to an audience of strangers. These are great skills to develop from a young age!

Sports news...

Our stunning little netball stars are really blazing a trail in all their triumphs this week. Well done.

Against Bredell

U10 won 14 - 3

U13 won 19 - 8

Against Pinnacle Rynfield

U13 won 22 - 2

Against Curro Serengeti

U12 won 4 - 2

U13 won 10 - 6

For winter netball, soccer and cricket players may wear their school black and white tracksuit for practices. Please wear the correct footwear.

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The U11 and U13 teams have a match tomorrow against Curro Serengeti and Friday against Cresslawn. Go team go!



Pizza reminder...

So far, the pizza orders have been going along splendidly. Romans has been punctual in their deliveries, and we have only had two confused orders so far. Please remember to order your pizza tomorrow morning if you would like one for lunch on Friday. R30 for either BBQ chicken, Margherita or Regina.

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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Smile a while...

After fighting traffic because of two stuck trucks this week alone, we thought you would enjoy the joke that has been bandied about on social media lately...

History lesson: structures that stood the test of time



Egyptian pyramids of the Giza Necropolis



The Great Wall of China , Beijing China



Elgin Bridge , Kempton Park , South Africa



Colosseum Italy , Rome