

## 23 August 2023

## <u>Preschool cake sale...</u>

Our little Grade RRRs are hosting this week's cake sale for our preschool children on Friday. Tuck will be closed for them, but our little ones are definitely in for a delicious treat with baked goodies instead.

<u>Next week Friday (Spring Day) Grade 3J and Grade 6M will be</u> <u>hosting cake sales</u> for the Grade 1-3 and 4-7 groups respectively.



## <u>So long, farewell...</u>

Teacher Kirsty, our substitute teacher will be leaving us next week Friday to pursue her dream of working on a Disney cruise liner. She will be replaced by Teacher Linky, who is currently studying towards her teacher's degree. We wish both ladies well in their new ventures!

## Celebrating spring...

Next week Friday is Spring Day, and pupils are invited to wear civvies in spring colours. We also have prizes for the pupil wearing the best spring hats.

Bonnets, caps or any other fresh and fun head attire is welcome! Let's spring into this happy season from our heads to our out-ofclosed-shoes toes.





## <u>Solids has Talent…</u>

A reminder that next week is our Talent Show week. All pre-schoolers wanting to perform must send a note or message to the school or teacher please. Please remember that we regard the small things in life as the most precious, so telling jokes, blowing bubbles or skipping are guite acceptable talents for the show!

Grade 1-7 will have their names posted on the hall door by Friday if they have made their audition and are performing next week. Here are the days of the respective shows:

# Monday: Grade 1-3 Thursday: Grade 4-7 Friday: Grade RRR-R

Performers may wear "costumes" all day on the day of their performance.

## Budget checks...

A reminder that our school does have a policy in place whereby pupils with school fees in arrears may not attend outings and shows. Please pay your school fees promptly to avoid this heartbreak. We would also remind parents that the Senior Primary camp to





Camp Yakol is around the corner (28 Nov - 1 Dec), and the fees for this are R2250 per child. Camp payment may be made in advance, as long as your EFT reference specifies your child's name and "camp" please.

#### Lost and found...



We are gathering huge amounts of lost property around the school as the weather starts to warm. Please write your child's name on every item of clothing.

And on the subject of lost-and-found, Vhutali in preschool has lost his mom's blue lace curtain on "tent day" at school. Please return all things that don't belong to you, including random curtaining.

#### Splashing into spring...

Swimming as an extra-mural has started again, and Taljaard Swimming School invites all pre-schoolers to join them for lessons during school hours. Swimming lessons take place on Mondays and Wednesdays. Contact Ellen (082-920-8747) to enrol.



#### Mystery payments...

We have had the following mysterious payment made into our school account...



15 August
Paid R3000
Reference "Solid Foundations"
21 Aug
Paid R2500
Reference "J28409"

Just give us a call if either of these are yours.

## Two weeks to go for our charity drive...

A reminder that we are collecting baking ingredients for the Allan Park Retirement Home for their annual fair. Our collection closes on the 8<sup>th</sup> of September, and pupils who have brought an item may wear civvies on this day. Help us to bless these special elderly people by

bringing: Canned fruit Condensed Milk Rice Canned mixed veggies Oil Flour Brown Sugar



Thank you!

#### Heavenly sounds...

Don't forget the incredible free production presented by UPSO (University of Pretoria's Symphony Orchestra) this week Friday at 16h00 at the main university campus in Pretoria (Aula auditorium). The orchestra has increased in size for the performance (120 musicians), with powerful music that will leave you hungry for more. UP requests for persons attending to bring toiletries for charity if possible. Yes - it will really be worth it to get into your car and drive the distance on Friday afternoon, to expose your child to this incredible world.



(This photo was taken during their rehearsal this week)

#### <u>Pizzas and bookbags...</u>

Don't forget to order your pizzas from the office tomorrow. Bookbags (Grade RRR-2) will go out on Friday, so remember to return your bags tomorrow. Report any badly damaged books on: <u>https://forms.gle/hwZxp6ZHpd41NWrD8</u>



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