

# Newsletter

#### 29 November 2023

#### Final reports...

Our final reports will go out on Monday. Please remember that Monday is a compulsory school day, and our senior primary pupils (Grade 4-7) will have one last treat with an On-Cue theatrical performance, just to send them off with a smile.

#### School terms for 2024...

Herewith our terms for next year...

TERM 1	17 January – 20 March
	21 March Human Rights Day
TERM 2	3 April - 14 June
	27 April Freedom Day
	1 May Workers Day
TERM 3	8 July- 20 September
	9 August Women's Day
TERM 4	7 October - 5 December



#### First Parent's Meeting in 2024...

When you get your new 2024 calendar, please keep the morning of the 20<sup>th</sup> of January open for our first Parents Meeting (Grade RRR-5). We will remind you again early in 2024.

#### After Care wrap...

All permanent After Care members will be charged half price for December (even if your child is not using the service). After Care will remain open until the 14<sup>th</sup> of December and reopen on the 3rd of January 2024. Please use the gate on Korhaan Street for holiday After Care. If you are planning to drop off your child before 7h30 in the morning in the holidays, please make arrangements with Darrel (078-294-5101) to open up early for you. Non-permanent After Care pupils may make use of the After Care facilities at a rate of R100 per morning (7h30 - 12h00) or afternoon (12h00 - 17h30) or R200 per day (7h30 - 17h30).





#### Pizzas ...

Our last pizza order for the year will be taken tomorrow as usual.

#### Camp feedback...

The pupils are having a terrific time at camp. A reminder that they will return at 12h00 on Friday.

#### Teacher changes for 2024...



We wish Mrs Nothnagel all the best as she is privileged to be a stay-at-home mom when her first-born arrives next year. Enjoy mommy-hood and all the joy it brings! We also wish Mrs van der Merwe (Grade 2 - Mrs Van) all the best as she steps into retirement. We look forward to seeing all of her crocheted creations when she pops 'round for tea! Mrs Moodley (currently our Grade 4 teacher) will be moving to Grade 2 next year, and we have appointed a young and passionate teacher, Mrs Harris, to replace her in Grade 4. Miss Mamapa will be taking on all the Geography classes to replace Mrs Nothnagel, and Miss Masemola is taking on all of her science classes. We are confident that our senior pupils

are in good hands with these amazing ladies. Bring on 2024!

#### Last day...

Our last compulsory school day is Monday the 4th of December.

Please stick to the following collection times for Monday:

Grade RRR-R (preschool): 12h30

Grade 1-3: 12h45 Grade 4-7: 13h00

The parking lot will be congested, and we do apologise. Tuesday (5 December) is an OPTIONAL school morning, and we will close at 10h00 (After Care continues until 17h30 as per normal). Pupils attending on Tuesday may wear civvies.



Please remember to THANK your teachers. A note or card is highly appreciated!









### Water day feedback...

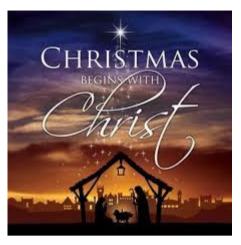
The Grade RRR-3 pupils had a lot of fun on Friday. Thank you for the costumes and towels. The weather was a real bonus too!

#### Final word...

For each family that showed their support, and for each child who worked so hard in 2023... thank you from the bottom of our hearts! May you be blessed with a joy-filled Season, and return refreshed for the New Year.

For every family leaving us... may your feet find grace and blessing wherever your journey leads.

## Merry Christmas from all of us at Solid Foundations.



Prayerfully and playfully
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