

# Newsletter




26 March 2025

## It's a wrap...

We've had a delightful first term and the teachers and pupils are really on track to smashing 2025 out of the park! Thank you for your support.

The last events for the term include:

27 March	Grade 1 and 2	"Baking Day" Ingredients supplied by the school for a sweet conclusion to the term.
27 March	Grade 3	Medieval Fayre Pupils come dressed in medieval garb and enjoy a day in the dark ages.
27 March	Grade 4 	"Snuggle day" Pupils come dressed "snuggly" (PJ's welcome) and bring blankies, pillows, teddies, snacks and A GOOD BOOK to read. Pupils are welcome to "build forts/ tents" with sheets and blankets, so please send some clothing pegs too. Grade 4s may leave at 12h30 on Thursday.
27 March	Grade 5-7	Sleepover We know that there is a chance of rain, but that has never stopped us before! Please remember to send something to sleep ON and UNDER, as well as snacks and torches. If it does pour, we will be using the classes and the hall for board games and movies. Senior primary pupils are permitted to leave between 6h30 and 7h30 on Friday morning if more convenient for parents. Please be aware that they will miss the volleyball match between staff and pupils if they opt to leave earlier.
28 March	All grades	<b>Non-compulsory school day</b> and break up day at 10h00 for Grade RRR-3 and at 10h20 for Grade 4-7. <b>Pupils may wear civvies.</b> Grade 7 pupils will be challenging the teachers to a volleyball match.



## A reminder regarding Term 2'S weird dates and times...

School will **reopen on Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> of April.**

School will close "normal time" (NOT 10h00) on Thursday the 17<sup>th</sup> April for the Easter weekend (18 April- 21 April).

School will close again "normal time" (not 10h00) on Friday the 25<sup>th</sup> of April for the second GDE holiday (28 April to 2 May) and reopen on Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> of May.

## After care news...

After Care is open throughout all the holidays **excepting public holidays.** Holiday After Care will use the gate by the staff parking lot -next to the hall on Maraboe Drive - for drop off and collection. If you are planning on dropping off your child before 7h30 on a holiday day, please call Uncle Darrel (078-294-5101).

If you would like to use After Care during the holidays and you are NOT a permanent member, you are welcome to do so. Our rate is R100 per session (7h30 - 12h00 or 12h00 - 17h30) or R200 for the full day. After Care pupils are welcome to bring games and toys for the holidays, but we are unable to take responsibility for any damage or loss as a school, so please don't send expensive or irreplaceable items.

Have a restful week and we'll see you again on the 7<sup>th</sup>.

Prayerfully and playfully

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**HOLIDAY**  
PROGRAMME



### Classifieds...

- Do you want to add fun and "class" to your birthday party, wedding or corporate event? **SNAPS** is a photo booth company that will ensure you have memorable pictures of your guests having a blast. Basic package is R1500 first the first hour, with an additional R500 per hour thereafter and R500 if you'd like customised backgrounds (theme photos) and a green screen setup. Contact 073-931-3508 or 073-563-5073 for bookings. We guarantee excellent, reliable and punctual service.
- Dream Cuisine Caterers supplied the delicious food at our Sports Day this term...

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