

28 May 2025

Newsletter

EXAMS are coming



Time to get ready...

Exams are around the corner, and a reminder that Mr Swiegers will be hosting an excellent study course for those who missed the first one this year, or just want a refresher. The date for the course is this Saturday the 31st of May from 8h00 until 11h00. The cost per pupil is R200 (please pay Mr Swiegers directly on the day). We do prefer parents to attend with their children.

Please RSVP if you are attending on Saturday to admin@solidfoundationsprimary.com.

Be aware...

Sadly, our school has had two cases of car jamming this year. Please check that your vehicle is locked before walking away. Fortunately, we have camera footage of the perpetrators. They drive a white Hyundai with tinted windows and no license plate (see pictures). They used a jamming system to prevent a mommy's car from being locked on Monday, and nicked her cell while she walked into the school to collect her daughter. They returned to our parking again yesterday. Both incidents were between 15h00 and 16h15 in the afternoon while parents and teachers were mulling about. **Please spread the word to be aware of this car, matching these given pictures, in the parking lot around you.** If you see it, please report it to Uncle Darrel who will call our security company immediately. For your own safety, do not approach the vehicle on your own please.



Take me away...



On a happier note, we are so chuffed to hear that many of our families actually went somewhere fun with their children this weekend. Well done for your "date"! For those taking up the quest... Pretoria Botanical Gardens have made a world-class playground for the public. Preschoolers under 6 have free entrance and primary scholars pay R25.

<https://iol.co.za/pretoria-news/news/2024-12-11-minister-launches-r1-9-million-childrens-edutainment-garden-in-pretoria/>

A reminder that tech devices do NOT replace the rich educational experiences that family outings can provide. Let's get our children off the couch, away from a screen and exploring our amazing world!

Soccer and netball champs...

Congratulations to our athletes who are doing really well in their leagues...

SOCCKER

Played against Maranatha

U11 won 2 - 0

U13 won 3 - 1

NETBALL

Played against Shangri La

U10 won 19 - 4



U11 won 21 - 3
Played against Pinnacle
U10 won 10 - 0
U11 won 11 - 4
U12 won 11 - 4
U13 won 22 - 4

Wagging tails...

Pug Rescue SA were so touched by your generous donation. Many furry friends will have a happier winter because of your love. Thank you!



Checking the books...

Every term we send out all workbooks for parents to look through. They will be going home this coming week. Please check your child's books and sign the check slip. Senior primary pupils will also all receive a written exam content break-down this week from each teacher.

Fun shows lined up...

Our preschool is having their annual fireman show this week Friday, and Grade 1-7 will be treated to a theatrical production by On-Cue Theatre on Thursday. The preschoolers can also look forward to a reptile show next week.



Alternative comforts please...

We know that winter is upon us, but try to refrain from sending your child with flasks, travel cups or bottles of tea and coffee to school. We are fighting daily sticky messes caused by leaky containers. Unlike your vehicle, your child's desk has not yet been upgraded with cup-holders yet 😊.

Pizza and bookbags

Grade RRR-2 will be getting new bookbags on Friday. Please return all bookbags tomorrow and report badly damaged books to us on:

<https://forms.gle/hwZxp6ZHpd41NWrD8> or with a general email if you'd prefer.

Pizzas can be ordered in the office tomorrow as usual and hotdogs and tuck will be available on Friday.

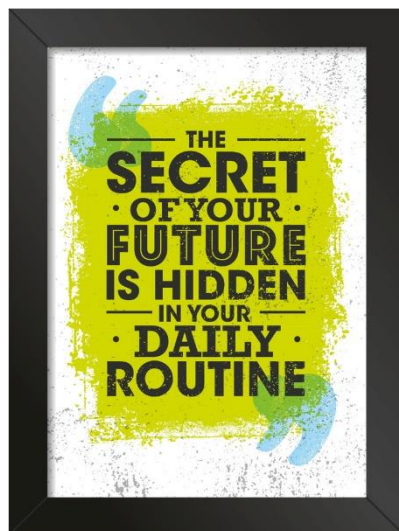


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