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**Teachers cannot water a seed that you never
planted. It starts at home!**

NEWS LETTER 03/2021

Thursday 8 April 2021 to Friday 23 April 2021			
Date	Time	Subject	Venue (where applicable)
Thursday 8 April 2021	07:20	Tin Food Project	Register Class
Friday 9 April 2021	07:20	Tin Food Project	Register Class
Monday 12 April 2021	07:20	Photo Day Grade 1	School Hall
Tuesday 13 April 2021	07:20	Photo Day Grade 1	School Hall
Wednesday 14 April 2021	07:20	Photo Day Grade 2-7	School Hall
Thursday 15 April 2021	07:20	Photo Day Grade 2-7 NO CIVIES	School Hall
Friday 16 April 2021	07:20	Civies R5.00	Register Class
Monday 19 April 2021	07:20	Formal school day	
Tuesday 20 April 2021	07:20	Formal school day	
Wednesday 21 April 2021	07:20	Civies R5.00	Register Class
Thursday 22 April 2021	07:20	Civies R5.00	Register Class
Friday 23 April 2021	07:20-10:00	School closed at 10:00	
Monday 3 May 2021	07:20	School re-opens	

FINANCE:

Could the persons who made the following deposits with the incorrect references into the school's bank account please contact Ms. Atkin at 012-331-0871 (Finance Office). *Please ensure that you have your proof of payment at hand, as this will have to be emailed to the school!

Date of payment	Reference	Date of payment	Reference
30/01/2020	Ongama Masuku	24/10/2020	3537 3935 Cell 1190
10/02/2020	SCHOOL FEES	03/11/2020	0732981697 4M3
23/02/2020	3155	04/12/2020	Grade 4A
25/02/2020	Ongama Masuku	11/12/2020	Rietfontein-Noord Primary
13/03/2020	3155	15/12/2020	Mbali Matlou
03/04/2020	Capitec T Ntuli	30/12/2020	3537 3935 Cell 1190
15/04/2020	3155		
14/08/2020	Capitec T Ntuli		
17/09/2020	3537 3935 Cell 1190		
16/10/2020	3537 3935 Cell 1190		

SCHOOL ROSTER

DATE	DAY	ROSTER	GROUP	
12/04/2021 7:00 – 14:00	MONDAY	MONDAY	A	PHOTO DAY GR 1
13/04/2021 7:00 – 14:00	TUESDAY	MONDAY	B	PHOTO DAY GR 1
14/04/2021 7:00 – 14:00	WEDNESDAY	TUESDAY	A	PHOTO DAY GR 2-7
15/04/2021 7:00 – 14:00	THURSDAY	TUESDAY	B	PHOTO DAY GR 2-7 NO CIVIES
16/04/2021 7:00 – 13:00	FRIDAY	FRIDAY	A	CIVIES
19/04/2021 7:00 – 14:00	MONDAY	WEDNESDAY	B	
20/04/2021 7:00 – 14:00	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	A	
21/04/2021 7:00 – 14:00	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	B	CIVIES
22/04/2021 7:00 – 14:00	THURSDAY	THURSDAY	A	CIVIES
23/04/2021 7:00 – 10:00	FRIDAY	FRIDAY	B	SCHOOL CLOSES
TERM 2				
3/05/2021 7:00 – 14:00	MONDAY	MONDAY	A	SCHOOL RE-OPENS
4/05/2021 7:00 – 14:00	TUESDAY	MONDAY	B	
5/05/2021 7:00 – 14:00	WEDNESDAY	TUESDAY	A	
6/05/2021 7:00 – 14:00	THURSDAY	TUESDAY	B	CIVIES
7/05/2021 7:00 – 13:00	FRIDAY	FRIDAY	A	CIVIES

FACE MASKS: Covid-19 Protocols

Is it compulsory to wear a face mask to school. Each learner received two face masks in 2020. Each learner will be receiving another cloth face mask in the coming week. We urge parents to ensure that learners bring their face masks to school everyday. Please pack an extra mask every day. The school cannot supply masks on a continuous basis. If a learner comes to school without a face mask a mask can be purchased by paying R10-00 at the gate.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE

Dear Parents,

I trust that you are well during this challenging time of our lives. The effects of the COVID-19 pandemic continue to be felt in both our personal and professional lives.

We have had a very slow and scary start to the school's financial year. Our collection rate for school fees is at the lowest it has ever been. In the first month only 88 parents paid school fees. That is less than 10% of the entire school comprising of more than 800 learners. This means wages, rates and taxes, administration costs, maintenance fees etc had to be covered using the little surplus we carried over from last year.

The above situation is not sustainable and if not turned around urgently we run the risk of collapsing the school. If we can't pay for wages, buy learning and teaching support material, buy sanitizers and cleaning material, pay for electricity and water, maintenance etc then the school cannot function. I therefore write to implore you fellow parents to assist in turning this around and pay school fees, regularly and timeously. I am fully aware of the challenges brought about by the corona virus pandemic in our lives, but I plead with you to never compromise on the quality of education for our kids. It will be a necessary annoyance, but the school's finance office will embark on a vigorous collection campaign and non-paying parents will be handed over for debt collection with the possibility of ITC listing should due monies not be paid.

I remain optimistic that each and everyone of us will play our part in ensuring that we avoid the unpleasant scenario of collapsing the school's financial capacity.

In conclusion, this is the last newsletter contribution from me as chairperson of the school governing body and I wish to bid you farewell on behalf of my colleagues with whom I served for the past 3 years. I would also like to congratulate the newly elected members and to wish them luck for their term ahead.

Let us continue to observe the COVID19 protocols so that we can all be safe ahead of the envisaged third wave. May God continue to protect us all.

Regards

Mr. Bryan Lesheke
Chairperson

Principal
Mr. G.P. Swart



TEAR-OFF SLIP

I hereby confirm receipt of Newsletter 03 of 2021.

Learner: _____

Grade: _____

Signature Parent / Guardian: _____

Date: ____/____/2021