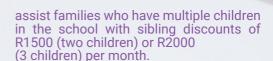


Dear Parents.



Mrs. Gwyn Hannington, Chairman of the Board



It seems hard to believe that we are almost finished with the third term of 2023. But how blessed we are when we take the time to reflect on the year and on God's abundant provision, in our schools as well as in our own lives. David takes time to reflect in Psalm 37 with these words; "The steps of a man are established by the Lord and He delights in his way. When he falls he will not be hurled headlong, because the Lord is the One who holds his hand. I have been young and now I am old, yet I have not seen the righteous forsaken or his descendants begging for bread."

We are very conscious that rising costs continue to add pressure to families and as such have strived to keep the increase in school fees as low as possible as we compile a budget that will equip the school to provide Excellence in Education to the Glory of God. Our fee increase for next year is 6.4%. We strive to remain a very competitive price option in the independent school sector in our region as it is our desire that as many families as possible be able to send their children to a Christian school, where God's Word is upheld as Truth. We also continue to

Independent schools in Johannesburg are now being charged on "Business" tariffs (instead of "Educational"), which has resulted in huge budget shortfalls for many independent schools, forcing them to pass the increased costs on to their parents. We have appointed attorneys and reached out to Rates Watch to appeal this decision since we have operated as a Public Benefit Organisation and non-profit organisation since our inception, and the new tariffs are unsustainable for our school going forward.

We have <u>not</u> included the hike in our CoJ services cost in the fee increase for next year, and would appreciate your prayers in this matter, that God would grant us favour with local government.

As we busy ourselves with all the usual end-of-year functions and activities, may we be intentional in setting time for reflection. And may our hearts echo the words of the Psalmist "Oh give thanks unto the Lord for He is good; for His mercy endures forever."

# FEE STRUCTURE FOR 2024



ALL FEES (unless stated otherwise) ARE BASED ON AN ANNUAL COST DIVIDED INTO 12 EQUAL MONTHLY AMOUNTS

Discount on settlement of fees in advance = 6%

NURSERY SCHOOL				
NURSERY SCHOOL	GRADE	DURING SCHOOL TERMS		DURING SCHOOL
	ORADE	TUITION: 06:30 - 13:00	AFTERCARE: 13:00 - 17:30	HOLIDAYS HOLIDAY CLUB
	3 months to 4 years	10111ON: 06:30 - 13:00	AFTERCARE. 13.00 - 17.30	HOLIDAT CLUB
		R4 045	R830	
		TUITION + AFTERCARE: 06:30 - 17:30		R55 per day
		= R4 875		
PRIMARY SCHOOL	PRE-PRIMARY PHASE			
	RR	R4 682		
	R	R5 035		
	FOUNDATION PHASE			
	1	R6 100		
	2	R6 100		
	3	R6 100		
	INTERMEDIATE PHASE			
	4	R6 650		
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FUND RAISING LEVY		R230.00 per month per child		
(Grade RR to Grade 12)		K250.00 per mornin per erind		
AFTERCARE FEES:		Grade RR to GRAI		AL DAILY RATE
		R1 550 per mo		.00 per day
R	Registration Fee: 7 500.00 per family	SIBLING DISCOUNT: NURSERY SCHOOL TO GRADE 12		
Waiting List Fee:		Two child family: R1 500.00 discount per month Three child family: R2 000.00 discount per month		
R400.00 per child Three child family: R2 000.00 discount per month				

PLEASE NOTE THAT FEES DO NOT INCLUDE EXCURSIONS, TEXTBOOKS, PHOTOS, STATIONERY OR CAMPS. THESE WILL BE BILLED SEPARATELY WHERE APPLICABLE.



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## **IMPORTANT DATES**

**Extra Murals End** 

**Production Full Dress Rehearsal** 

Gr. 6 Prefect Applications Open

Gr. 1 to Gr. 7 Production Performances

**Prelims End** 

Gr. 6 Prefect Applications Close

**Heritage Day Celebrations** 

**NS Fun Day** 

Gr. 8 to Gr. 12 Production Performances

SCHOOL CLOSES

**SACOPA** 

**SCHOOL STARTS** 

- 15 September
- 15 September
- 18 September
- 18 to 21 Sep
- 20 September
- 21 September
- 22 September
- 22 September
- TBC
- 22 September

(PS - 11:45 & HS - 12:00)

- 29 Sep to 7 Oct
- 10 October

#### **WELL DONE BOIKANYO!**

The Sports Department dropped two envelopes each containing R300. The envelopes were labelled and dated. Boikanyo Digoamaje (Grade 6 AG) found the two envelopes and handed them in to Coach Koketso. Coach K helped Boikanyo return the two envelopes to the Sports Department.

Well done Boikanyo, we are proud of you and thank you for your honesty and integrity.



Coach Koketso and Boikanyo Digoamaje (Grade 6AG)

Friendly Reminder: School fees must be paid in advance, before the 7th of each month, 12 Months of the year.

#### **SCHOOL WEAR SHOP**

**OPERATING HOURS DURING SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER SCHOOL HOLIDAY** 

By appointment only, on the following days: 6, 7 and 9 October 2023.

Please call Liza on 072 108 3670

## THE FARM CORNER VISIT

The Preschool enjoyed a wonderful morning with Farmer Harold and Farmer Anton / learning about farm animals, interacting with them, feeding them and every learner enjoyed a pony ride.

Thank you for an 'agricultural' morning The Farm Corner!



#### HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

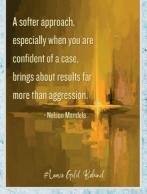
Still on the topic of

"#LeaveGoldBehind", we would like to share two of our Bi-weekly quotes by late president Nelson Mandela:



May these quotes remind us firstly, of the hope that we profess and His faithfulness as per Hebrews 10:23-25; and secondly, that we strive to live by James 1:19-20 that states that we should be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to get angry. Let us continue to Leave Gold Behind through whom we are in Him.







# GIRLS SOCCER

#### JVW LEAGUE (UI6 & UI7):

- 1. U16 vs Grace Trinity School: lost 3 1 2. U17 vs Grace Trinity School: won 8 1 3. U16 vs KHS: lost 8 0
- U17 vs KHS: won 5 0
- We are very pleased with our u17 team who are unbeaten this season with one fixture to play. They are placed first in their stream and will most likely qualify for the JvW National Playoffs Go King's!

### D12 TENNIS LEAGUE HIGH SCHOOL

Congratulations to our u15 Blue team who have won their league for 2023 — Well done Mr Steyn and your team.



**U15 BLUE TENNIS TEAM** 

**Primary School:** 

U11 vs Roodekrans LS: lost 37 - 15



# **ATHLETICS**

22 of our High School Athletes took part at the SACSSA Invitational Athletics on Saturday 9 September at Germiston Stadium. This year, SACSSA expanded the competition to include Athletic Clubs and more Public Schools such as: I Have Talent, Titans, Vozmax, UJ and Helpmekaar Hoërskool.

#### Our athletes achieved the following results:

#### **LONG JUMP**

U/13 Girls

- Davina Makota 3rd place (lost to IPT athletes club athletes) out

of 17 athletes

U/14 Girls

Skyla Blignaut 1st place (out of 23 athletes)
 Ocean Martins 5th place (out of 23 athletes)

U/14 Boys U/15 Girls

- Gloria Shaba 1st place (out of 17 athletes)

U/15 Boys - Khodani Nwedo 1st place (Jumped 6 meters for the win)

#### SHOTPUT

U/15 Girls

- Gloria Shaba 2nd place (out of 23)

U/17 Boys

- Tristan Bastiaans 1st place

#### **DISCUS**

U/14 Boys U/17 Boys Kgato Masangane 4th placeTristan Bastiaans 3rd place

#### 100M (Each age group had about 23 athletes competing)

U/14 Girls

- Skyla Blignaut 4th place

U/15 Girls

- Gloria Shaba 4th place

U/15 Boys

- Khodani Nwedo 1st place / Olwethu Khoza 2nd place

U/17 Girls - Naomi Dziga 3rd place

#### 200M (21 athletes per age group\*)

U/15 Boys

- Olwethu Khoza 3rd place / Khodani Nwedo 4th place

U/17 Girls - Naomi Dziga 2nd place

#### 800m

U/17 Girls

- Lusani Mudau 3rd place

#### 400m

U/17 Girls

- Naomi Dziga 1st place

U/17 Boys

- Mario Gomez 2nd place

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# SUMMARY OF RESULTS: MEDALS: 6 GOLD MEDALS 4 SILVER MEDALS 4 BRONZE MEDALS

16 ATHLETES QUALIFIED FOR SACSSA NATIONALS.



#### 4 BED HOUSE TO LET POORTVIEW R22 000 + W&L

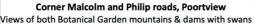












Private garden ± 1500m<sup>2</sup>. House ±350m<sup>2</sup>, Duplex 94m<sup>2</sup>
3 ensuite bedrooms, 2 lounges, dining room, large kitchen,
2 undercover patios, 3 garages, 4 carports, 2 entrance gates

1 self-contained duplex with ensuite bedroom, lounge, kitchen
Contact Ina 079 884 3044

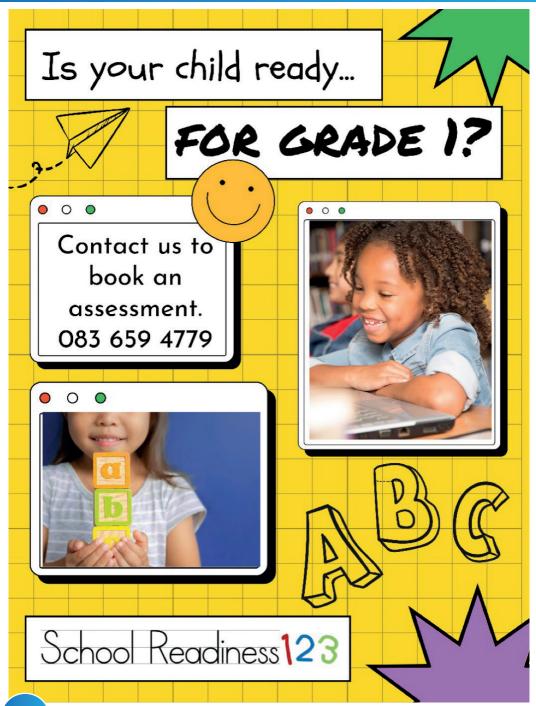












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