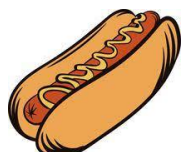


OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

19 October 2017

Dear Parents

FUN DAY



Saturday, 28 October 9am to 12pm

Be prepared for a day of fun with a jumping castle, face painting and delicious food. Should you wish to host a stall at a cost of R50, kindly contact Carmen or Tracy at 046-622 2935 (no food, clothing or second-hand item stalls). Should you be able to assist with donations, kindly complete the reply slip at the end of the newsletter. We encourage you to clear your homes of unwanted items for the white elephant stall and clothing for the nearly new stall. Please spread the word and encourage all your family and friends to attend.

IMPORTANT REMINDER: AGM and Budget Meeting to be held in the school hall on Wednesday, the 8th of November 2017 at 5.30pm. The SGB treasurer will present the budget and proposed school fees for 2018. The budget will be available for perusal at the school from the 25th of October onwards.

Intermediate Phase Sports Day 2017

Sports Day was held at Graeme College on the 13th of September. We are very thankful to Graeme College for letting us use their wonderful facilities. What an exhilarating Sports Day it was. Our athletes pushed themselves to new levels with many records broken as well as new records established for forthcoming years. Well done to all the athletes. Thank you to the parents who supported the event. A special thank you goes out to the Oatlands staff for their hard work and dedication to our amazing learners.

Intermediate Phase Cultural Evening

One of the highlights of last term was the Intermediate Phase Cultural Evening which was held at the City Hall on the 28th of September. Each of the Grade 4 to 7 classes performed music and dance items from the 80's. Everyone enjoyed the show immensely and the support of family and friends was greatly appreciated. A big thank you to all our teachers and pupils who worked so hard to make this event a success.



Intermediate Phase Prizegiving

Thursday, the 26th of October at 5.30pm

Prizegiving will be held at the City Hall. Further details will follow.

Civvies Day, Friday, the 27th of October

Pupils may pay R5 and come to school dressed in civvies.

Exams for Grades 4 to 7

The exams will take place from the 13th of November to the 24th of November. As from the 13th of November school will end at 1.30pm for Grade 4 to 7 pupils. There will be **NO sport or clubs for the remainder of the term.**

Oatlands Foundation Phase Play – The Jungle Book

Please Note:

Our school play rehearsals will take place at the Rhodes Theatre from Monday, the 13th of November to Friday, the 17th of November.

We will hold evening performances on Thursday, the 16th and Friday, the 17th of November at 6pm at the Rhodes Theatre. The evening performances will be open to parents and the public at a cost of R50 per adult and R20 per child. Tickets will be available at the school office. Please encourage your friends and family to attend this popular event.

All Grade 1 to 3 pupils are to be dropped off at Rhodes Theatre on the Thursday and Friday evenings at **4.30pm** and collected at **8pm** on Thursday evening and **7.30pm** on Friday evening. All Foundation Phase pupils participate in the play.

Please take note of the following important arrangements:

- All Grade 1, 2 and 3 children are to arrive at school at the usual time each day before proceeding to Rhodes Theatre.
- Grade 1, 2 and 3 pupils are to be **fetch** **promptly** from Rhodes Theatre at **12 noon** each day.

Kind regards

Rosaria de la Mare
Principal

Dates to diarise:

26 October 2017	Intermediate Phase Prizegiving Evening
27 October 2017	Civvies Day
28 October 2017	Oatlands Fun Day
8 November 2017	AGM AND BUDGET PRESENTATION
13 November to 17 November 2017	Foundation Phase Play Week at the Rhodes Theatre
16 November	Foundation Phase Play: Evening Show
17 November	Foundation Phase Play: Evening Show
29 November 2017	Grade R Nativity Play
1 December 2017	Grade 7 Valedictory Service
6 December 2017	Fourth Term ends
17 January 2018	First Term of 2018 begins

REPLY SLIP

Fun Day Donations (Please tick the appropriate block)

Donating wood	<input type="checkbox"/>	Donating potatoes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donating carrots	<input type="checkbox"/>	Donating meat for potjie	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donating rice	<input type="checkbox"/>	Donating tomatoes	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Child's name _____ Teacher: _____

Parent's name: _____ Contact No. _____