



WEEKLY DIARY

20 November, Monday
Last week of extra - murals

21 November, Tuesday
No Jewish Studies lessons today
New Children Orientation Party:
2:00 for 2:30.

22 November, Wednesday
Parent Support Group
Grade 7 outing to Fourways Mall
Adventure Golf.

23 November, Thursday

24 November, Friday

There will be no
Jewish Studies lesson
on Tuesday 21
November

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*"It is not what you do for
your children, but what you
have taught them to do for
themselves, that will make
them successful
human beings"*

Ann Landers

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

2018 ORIENTATION AFTERNOON

On Tuesday we will be holding an Orientation afternoon for new children entering Crossroads in 2018. Following with tradition, we have asked our current Grade 0, 1 and 2 children to supply snacks. These may be delivered to the office in the morning.

GRADE 7 FINAL ASSEMBLY

The grade 7s will be holding their final assembly on Friday 1st December at 12:30 and parents of the grade 7 children are invited and encouraged to attend. This is not part of the Awards Assembly, but is their opportunity to say farewell to Crossroads, their final 'performance' of their primary school life!

IMPORTANT NOTICES

TEACHER FEEDBACK INTERVIEWS

End of term reports and Leavers Reports will be emailed to parents on Friday 1st December. Interviews will take place on Tuesday 5th December from 14:00 to 16:45 for parents who may wish to discuss the reports with their child's teacher. The meetings will take place in the classrooms.

For these interviews to run efficiently we urge parents to be on time for their appointments and adhere to their 15-minute time slots. Please phone or call in at the school office to book your times. Grade 0-2, ask for Linda (Ext 2), Grade 3 and 4, Lauren (Ext 3) and for Grade 5 - 7, ask for Barbara-Ann (Ext 1). Mev Mouton and Mev Weber will also be available to discuss your child's Afrikaans progress.

THERAPIST FEEDBACK INTERVIEWS

Therapy feedback sessions will also take place on Tuesday 5 December. These will be in the therapy rooms from 8:00 to 16:45. Parents to please email therapists directly for appointments.



The PTA urgently request the donation of coat hangers for the 2nd Hand Uniform Shop.

If parents would like to donate uniforms that their children have outgrown, please send them to the office as soon as possible.

STAFF FAREWELLS

It is that time of year when we need to say fond farewells to certain staff members.

We say farewell to **Miss Melissa Grainger 3M**, who will be getting married in the new year and has taken up a post at a school closer to her new home.

Mrs Mapuso Ramotso 4R, is taking the bold step of relocating to the United States.

Mrs Anne Young 4Y, is retiring and intends joining family in the United Kingdom.

Hayley Hillary, Speech Therapist, recently married and she and her husband are starting a new life in the United Kingdom.

We will miss these valued members of staff, and wish them well in their new endeavours.

END OF YEAR RECOGNITION FOR OUR MAINTENANCE STAFF

As you are well aware, our school would not function without the devotion and hard work of our maintenance staff. I am sure that you would like to acknowledge the hard work of these valuable members of our staff by sending a donation of money, which will be divided amongst them. Please send your donation to the office in an envelope, clearly marked "Maintenance Team Donation".

SAVE THE DATE

The PTA will be hosting a ZUMBATHON on Wednesday 14 February 2018 on the Middle Field, between 5.30 and 7.00 pm. Tickets will be available from the office closer to the time: R100 for adults and R50 for children under 16.

Congratulations to Luke Chellev for completing the Telkom 94.7 Mountain Bike Cycle Challenge on Sunday 12th November (25km in 1hr.37) at the Riversands Commercial Park.



**CORE VALUE
RESILIENCE**

“Failure is an important part of your growth and developing resilience.
Don't be afraid to fail.”

Michelle Obama

**ENVIRONMENTAL
AWARENESS**



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Uniform Shop

The 2nd Hand Uniform Shop is open on the first Tuesday morning of every month, from 07:15 to 08:15. Please contact Lucretia Hitzeroth lehitzeroth@mweb.co.za 084 764 6664 for more information.

OUTREACH

Please send Bread Tags to the office for collection. 200kg of tags buys one wheelchair.

COLLECTIONS

Cartridge recycling is a sustainable way to reduce your community's carbon footprint. In association with the MySchool project we collect empty printer cartridges on an ongoing basis for recycling. Please bring all used cartridges to the office and help raise funds for our school.

My School Card

Please remember to use your MySchool cards at supporting shops so that funds can be generated for the school.

Lerato Matswalala is looking for employment. She is 23 years old and has completed a qualification in Human Resource Management at the Vaal University of Technology. Lerato is computer literate, having done courses in Microsoft Word, Excel, Outlook and Power Point. She also has qualifications as an Administrative Assistant and Assistant Bookkeeper. Lerato achieved the “Overall Top Student” award in 2015 from the Boston City Campus and Business College. She may be contacted on 076 063 8479 or lovedee661@gmail.com

