



26 FEBRUARY 2018

Crossroads Chronicle

WEEKLY DIARY

26 FEBRUARY Monday
Grade 7 Camp – return 28 February

27 FEBRUARY Tuesday

28 FEBRUARY Wednesday
Parent Support Group

1 March Thursday
Purim Presentation 11am for Jewish Children.
Jewish children may wear a 'dress-up' costume to celebrate Purim.
No Extra murals
School closes 12:00 for mid-term

2 March Friday
Mid-Term

6 March Tuesday
School resumes after mid-term break.
2nd Hand Uniform Shop open 7.15
Grade 4 – 6 books go home to parents

*I wish all children,
learners and staff a
restful and well-deserved
break over mid-term.*

**School closes at 12:00
on Thursday 1 March
– no extra murals.**

Val Witt

MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

Wednesday 28 February, 08:00 – 09:00

The Occupational Therapists will be presenting a talk on Sensory Processing Modulation Impact on Academic Output in the Boardroom, Everyone is invited to attend.

CROSSROADS CARNIVAL - Tuesday 20 March

A huge amount of planning and preparation needs to be done in order to make **Crossroads Carnival** a success. Please watch out for the weekly information flyers that will be sent home with children each Monday. We focus on different types of contributions that are needed

for class stalls. For each item donated your child will receive a slip with his/her name on, which will go into a weekly draw at the Friday assembly, and the winner will receive a prize! Cash donations would also be appreciated so we can purchase large prizes for winners of competitions



and to hire equipment, like Jumping Castles etc. The smaller prizes, like hair accessories, bracelets, stationery, stickers and water pistols, can be used for the children's stalls, and the larger prizes, which could be remote control cars, teddy bears, Barbies, action figures, backpacks, soccer balls, are needed for winners of games.

We also request donations of recently published children and adult fiction books in excellent condition for our bookstall. Books published before 2010 would not be welcome. Please send your donations to the office.



The **Parachute Jump** has always been the highlight of the **Crossroads Carnival**.

Ticket sheets have been distributed to all children. Parents are asked to sponsor paper plates by buying tickets. In the office, Selina



collects these tickets with your name on and pastes them on to the plates. On the evening, the paper plates are picked up by professional sky divers who perform the parachute jump after dark. Winners are then announced.

Extra sheets are available from the office. Tickets are R20 each - buy a sheet and get 1 free ticket. Great prizes are on offer! The sellers of the most tickets in the Foundation Phase and the Senior Phase will receive a prize.

FOOD

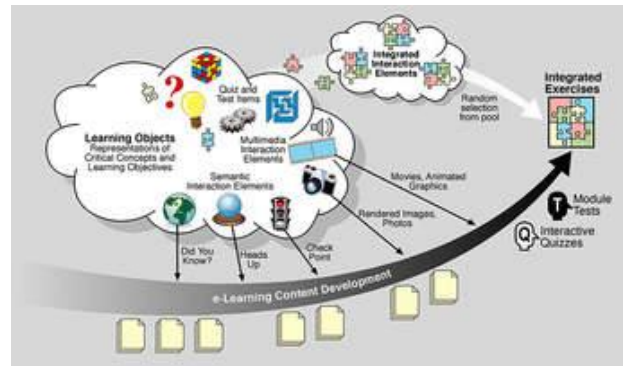
Kosher and non-kosher food will be on sale - a full list of items and prices will be in the next Newsletter.

Aarefah Vally has kindly offered that her therapy room will be open and available during the Carnival for use when the evening prayer time comes in at around 6.45 pm.

The secretaries are hoping to repeat their amazing success with their **IRISH COFFEE** stall at the Carnival, and request, once again, your very generous donations of bottles of whisky.

C.E.A – (A thinking skills programme – Cognitive Enrichment Advantage)

This week we revise the blocks and tools covered so far this term. If we use **SELF-REGULATION** when we approach all tasks it will enable us to carefully **EXPLORE** a task or activity so that we are sure about every detail expected before we start; to **PLAN** the activity carefully and then to **EXPRESS** ourselves (in writing, orally or with our actions depending on the activity) successfully.




For more information regarding the CEA Blocks and Tools, please look on the D6, "Resources".

NEWS OF A FORMER LEARNER




We congratulate Gabi Mascarenhas, who is now in Grade 4 and living in Brisbane, on being voted onto the student council.

PTA INFO	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 Linda van der Lingen lindavdl@gmail.com 083 956 0256 for more information. The next PTA Committee Meeting will take place on Wednesday 7 March at 18:00
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OUTREACH	Collections Please send Bread Tags to the office for collection. 200kg of tags buys one wheelchair.	
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	My School Card Please remember to use your MySchool cards at supporting shops so that funds can be generated for the school.
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	Cartridge Recycling 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.
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	<p>GUITAR AND DRUMMING LESSONS are being offered by Rhythm Junkies Music School on our premises. Contact Craig Atkinson for further details. craig@rhythmjunkies.co.za or 082 302 6000</p> <p>Professor Venter will be giving an evening talk at Bellavista School entitled: WHAT CAN WE REALLY EXPECT FROM TREATMENTS OF ADHD? Wednesday 14 March 2018. R150 per person PRE-BOOKING ESSENTIAL. Contact Bellavista directly. www.bellavistashare.org.za/book</p> <p>LET'S START THE NEW YEAR IN TIP-TOP SHAPE... At DELTA DENTAL CARE we are passionate about making a visit to the dentist a positive experience - especially for children. Come visit us on Level 1 of VICTORY PARK SHOPPING CENTRE - or call 011 888 0600 for an appointment We are also contracted in to medical aids, which makes life a lot easier for Mum and Dad! See you soon!</p> <div data-bbox="901 1045 1559 1291" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <table border="0"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">  Download our App! </td> <td style="background-color: #00aaff; color: white; padding: 5px;"> Craig Atkinson - Owner 082 302 6000 craig@rhythmjunkies.co.za www.rhythmjunkies.co.za f YouTube Instagram </td> </tr> </table> </div>	 Download our App!	Craig Atkinson - Owner 082 302 6000 craig@rhythmjunkies.co.za www.rhythmjunkies.co.za f YouTube Instagram
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