

Newsletter for 9 September 2016

Wynberg Boys' Junior School



NEWS

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

9 September 2016

It has been a proud week for the boys who participated in the Shakespeare Festival performances of *McBeth* at the Masque Theatre. Not to mention their appearance on Espresso Morning Show on Wednesday.

A hearty well done to all the boys who performed, and a big thank you to all the parents and teachers for supporting their boys during rehearsals and show nights.

Ms Fourie what wonderful direction, passion and energy you have shown to make this happen and what special memories you have helped make for these boys - thank you.

WHAT GETS LEFT AT HOME STAYS AT HOME

9 September 2016

Please assist us in teaching the boys responsibility and consequences by NOT bringing items to school for them.

If the boys learn to get organised and prepare for school the night before, this will instill a valuable skill of responsibility and accountability in them which will serve them well in the future. As a community we need to work together to enable and empower our boys.

Please do not take items directly to classrooms - it disrupts lessons and poses a possible security threat.

GRADE 2 CAKE SALE FRIDAY 16 SEPTEMBER

9 September 2016

The Grade 2's will be having a cake sale next Friday. Please support them.

SWIMMING SQUAD PRE-SEASON TRAINING FROM WED 14 SEPT

9 September 2016

With summer on its way, we are glad to have Swim Smart on board once again, assisting our swimmers and developing a more competitive swimming team.

We are now privileged to have a heated pool which allows for squad pre-season training to start on Wednesday (14 SEPT) until the end of term from 06:45 to 07:45 Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and are ONLY for swimmers attending the morning sessions (squad swimmers).

Please note that no other swimming will start until the start of the new term.

We have had a few queries with regards to parents wanting to attend swimming lessons with Swim Smart. Queries of this nature must be referred to Swim Smart directly, contact admin@swimsmart.co.za

BOOK WEEK & FANCY DRESS

9 September 2016

Fancy Dress was exciting for everyone, including staff, and plenty of fun. The boys were very keen on the competitions and found the talks by the various speakers motivating.

The Book People had a very busy 2 days and we hope you managed to pop down and restock your bookshelf. A successful week and enjoyable week for all involved. Thank you to Mrs Roberts for arranging.

SERVICE: Sports 67

9 September 2016

A reminder that we are participating in a sports gear collection for kids in need from 12-16 September.

Please clear out any old kit and gear, clean it up a bit and hand in.

Everything is welcome, from hockey sticks you have outgrown, to cricket balls you may have too many of.

Boys will receive house points for their donations. Please support this worthy cause.

BOYS ARRIVING LATE

9 September 2016

Boys are to report to the Front Office if they arrive at school late.

Parents are not to take them directly to the classroom - it disrupts lessons and poses a possible security threat.

MONDAY 12 SEPTEMBER

9 September 2016

To all our boys, their families and staff celebrating Eid: May this special day bring peace, happiness and prosperity to everyone. Eid Mubarak!

175 RECIPE BOOK

9 September 2016

Wynberg Family World Kitchen Recipe book. This lovely compilation of recipes celebrating 175 years of excellence and cultural diversity including recipes ones from the wives of the outgoing and incoming headmasters, as well as a message written by Ina Paarman.

The World Kitchen Recipe Book is now available and can be purchased at the Fees Office for R150.

CAPE SCHOOLS CRICKET WEEK

9 September 2016

We are looking for 240 items of any product to assist in filling the bags for all the boys involved in the Cricket Festival. Should have you wish to contribute please email Mr Dollie on idollie@wbjs.org.za. The items need to be with Mr Dollie by Monday 26 September.

HOSTING

7 September 2016

We are still in urgent need of assistance with hosting for Cape Schools Cricket Week later this term. If you are able to accommodate visiting boys, please send your reply slip back to Mr. Sabatta as soon as possible, or alternatively you can e-mail him, msabatta@wbjs.org.za. Please remember that hosting is not only restricted to U13A cricket families. We need the assistance of all our Wynberg Families, Grade R - Grade 7. Thank you to those parents who have already shown an interest in assisting us.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

7 September 2016

We have been unable to complete all the team photographs this week, and will therefore need to arrange another day in order to get all the teams done. The next day for group photos will be Tuesday 27 September. Please make a note of this date, and remind your son to bring the kit for any photo he has not taken.

EXTRA MURALS

6 September 2016

Please note that all WBJs extra murals have ended for Term 3, unless your sons coaches have specifically mentioned that practices will continue or start for Term 4. Soccer will go ahead as indicated and boys involved in these practices will be notified once the trials are complete.

HOCKEY VS RONDEBOSCH

5 September 2016

The hockey season is now complete. Well done to all the boys who participated this year and a big thank you to all coaches and parents for their continuous support. A full set of results from the last game against Rondebosch can be viewed under resources.

NEW ARRANGEMENTS FOR AFTERNOON COLLECTION OF BOYS FROM OXFORD STREET

2 September 2016

Some issues have arisen around behaviour and safety of boys waiting in Oxford Street after school.

As a result, the following rules will be implemented with immediate effect:

1. No boys may wait in Oxford Street after 15:00. Parents are asked to collect boys from inside the school grounds from that time onwards. This is to ensure your son's safety.
2. At 15:00, the Oxford Street gate will be closed and controlled by the security guard. Boys who are NOT collected by 15:00 will be forced to go to the Homework Hour class and parents are please to collect them from there.

CALENDAR for 9 September 2016 - 16 September 2016

9th Sep 2016

Gr 3 Cake Sale

12th Sep 2016

EID

19:30 - 20:30 13th Sep 2016

175 Steering Group Meeting

16th Sep 2016

Gr 2 Cake Sale

RESOURCES added in the last 7 days

Hockey Results vs R'Bosch

http://downloads.d6communicator.com/downloads/resources/122_resource_57ccf80c8b6fc846813450.pdf

HOMEWORK

GALLERY Added to to the gallery in the last 7 days. Click on an image to download a hi-res version

Book Week 2016



