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SCHOOL FEES

School fees are especially important in educating a child. To give your child the best possible education, ensure that you meet the obligation of paying your fees timeously. Rosebank Primary School is a Section 21 school, and we rely on school fees to ensure the teaching & learning process is a smooth one.

Parents are urged to keep their accounts up to date to avoid legal action.
The banking details are:

SCHOOL BANK DETAILS:

BANK: **NEDBANK**

BRANCH: **THE MALL, ROSEBANK**

ACC. NO: **1977009042**

CODE: **197705**

TYPE: **CURRENT**

REF: **USE YOUR CHILD'S ACCOUNT NUMBER**

(Alternatively, use your child's name & surname and 2022 class)

TEXTBOOKS

If any Grade 4-7 parent is interested in buying a textbook for their child's own use at home, please contact Mrs Caroline Mosiane in the front office. We have a surplus of various textbooks that parents can purchase at a discounted price, to assist their child with their activities at home and for test or exam preparation. Textbooks have been covered in plastic cover.

FUNDRAISING



All money can be paid to the class teacher as well as on the Karri App.

Other exciting fundraisers to look forward to in the coming months are as follows:

<i>April</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 22nd April 2022 = 100 days of Grade 1 (Grd 1 only) • 29th April 2022 = Colour Run
<i>May</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mother's Day raffle • 27 May 2022 Pyjama Day • 31 May = Cake and Candy (Grade 1 and 2)
<i>June</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Father's Day raffle

DEPARTMENTAL HEADS' REPORTS

SBST DEPARTMENTAL HEAD – Mrs Jugdav:

Week 2

SBST – Support Classes-

We hope that everyone enjoyed the Easter Weekend.

Extra support is being provided for all learners who have not met the promotion requirements for Term 1 in English and Mathematics. Many teachers have reported that the learners who need to be at these classes are not attending regularly.

Teachers both in the FP, IP and SP have set aside an hour in the afternoon to assist these learners with the support they need to benefit them so that this term they are able to meet the promotion requirements. Parents who received Support Letters informing them of extra lessons need to make the necessary transport arrangements so that their children can attend and gain the extra help that they require.



Thank you to all those parents who are trying to assist their child and the school by allowing their children to benefit from these classes. Let us work together for the benefit of our learners.

FOUNDATION PHASE DEPARTMENTAL HEAD – Mrs Barnard:

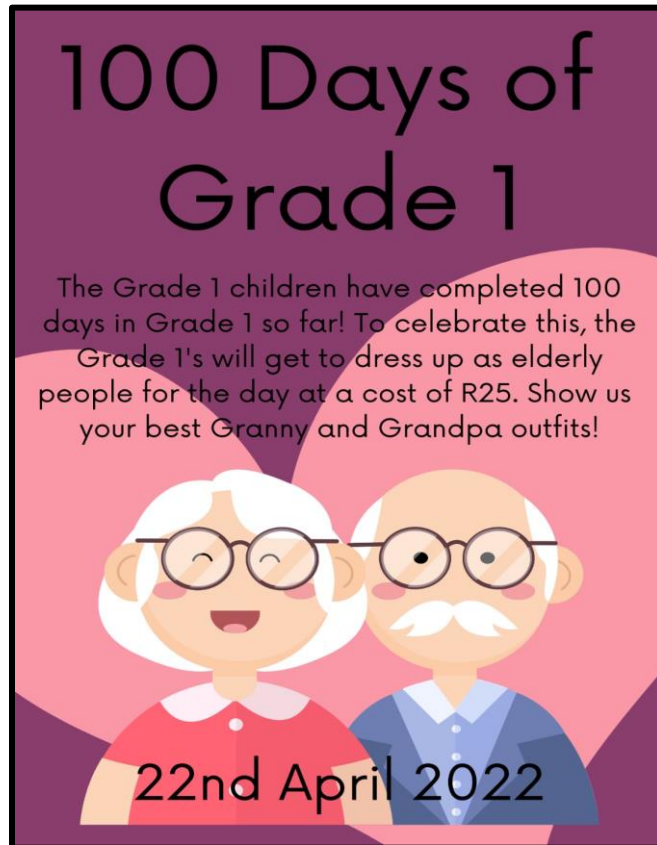
I trust you all had a restful weekend and I hope the magic of Easter visited every household.

Training continues in the Foundation Phase with teachers attending GDE English, Afrikaans, Maths and Grade R training this coming week.

Teachers are preparing children towards the first assessments that will be coming up in the next few weeks. We have already completed the GDE Maths Analysis task. Reading and written homework must please be supervised daily and for the grade's busy with orals and speeches, please ensure your child is well prepared and ready to speak loudly, confidently and clearly.

Grade 1 families, please remember the 100 days of school fundraiser that is coming this Friday. We cannot wait to see your children all dressed up!





INTESEN PHASE DEPARTMENTAL HEAD – Miss Modibedi:

Cycle Test

The Cycle Test for Grade 4-7 is Natural Science this week.

NS Olympiad

**SCIENCE
OLYMPIAD**

The Grade 6 learners will also be writing an Olympiad for Natural Science and Technology from the Department of Education on the 20th April 2022.

This will be based on the content taught in Term 1 to the learners. The NS/Tech teachers have communicated the relevant information to the learners to prepare them for this assessment.

Mathematics Olympiad



The Grade 4-6 learners will be completing a Mathematics Olympiad from the Department of Education on the 21st April 2022. The Maths teachers will communicate with the learners regarding the assessment.

The names of the Top 3 learners with the highest marks in each assessment will be submitted to the Department of Education to represent the school against other schools in our province.

We wish all our learners all the best.

Please ensure that your child is prepared for these assessments.

Have a wonderful week!

SPORT NEWS

NEW MULTI-SPORT MATCH SHIRT

The new multi- sports match shirt (soccer, cricket, netball, athletics, cross-country) has arrived.

These are available at the school shop at the following prices:

R240 for children's sizes

R250 for adult sizes (only Small & Medium)



NETBALL & SOCCER FIXTURES

All Netball & Soccer practices as well as matches will resume this week. Coaches will inform their teams timeously.

POPI ACT



The Protection of Personal Information Act (or POPI Act) is South Africa's equivalent of the EU GDPR. It sets some conditions for responsible parties (called controllers in other jurisdictions) to lawfully process the personal information of data subjects (both natural and juristic persons)

Privacy is a human right. No persons should share personal information of any individual without their written permission or consent. The same applies to handing out someone's contact details , address or **even taking videos or photographs of anyone without their permission.**

Any person/s caught doing so can be liable to pay a fine for infringing on the rights of the next individual. We urge parents to please be aware of this Act and also make children aware.

Recently we have found that inappropriate information is being sent via whatsapp groups formed by groups of learners in school. These platforms create uncalled for trouble.

Children should be taught to make proper use of social media and that there are serious repercussions of bad decisions and actions.

At Rosebank Primary School , upon enrolment parents will sign a form whereby they will either grant or deny permission for us (the school only) to take or post photos or videos of their child/children for our website or the media. If parents deny permission, then we will respectfully not take photos or videos of the child nor use it on any social media platform or otherwise. Parents, learners and staff of Rosebank Primary will also NOT be allowed to either.

Furthermore, no parent has been granted permission to video or photograph children. If found to be doing so, this can be reported as an illegal matter to the police.

These will not even be allowed to be taken on any individuals cell phone. Failure to refrain from such a practice without permission, will result in liable person facing disciplinary action and payment of a fine.

The introduction of POPIA ensures the rights of an individual in these terms is protected.

PARENT ONE-ON-ONE MEETINGS

It is that time of year where we give parents the opportunity to discuss their children's results for Term 1 and the progress for the year with the class teacher. Each family is allocated 10 minutes to see the teacher, discuss any problems and look at exercise books.

These meetings will be taking place on **Tuesday, 3rd May 2022**, starting at 13h15. School will therefore close at 13h00 for all learners on that day. All extra murals will also be cancelled so that teachers are available for the meetings.

Kindly complete the reply slip at the end of this newsletter and return to your child's teacher by **Friday, 22nd April 2022** so that each family can be allocated a 10-minute time slot.

Teachers will then be sending home a reply slip confirming the time slot that has been allocated to you. Please stick to your allocated time slot so that we do not delay other parents or the teacher needing to have their meetings. We will not be able to accommodate parents that run late, and these parents will need to make alternative meetings arrangements.

Additionally, if you feel that you have serious issues that need to be discussed, we ask that you schedule an alternative day and time to meet with the relevant teachers.

Extra murals will be **cancelled** for the afternoon of the 3rd May 2022 and those learners who use the Rosebank Transport Scholar Association, catch the bus or walk home, are asked to leave the school property ASAP so that they can get home safely and are not left unsupervised on school property all afternoon.

STAFF NEWS

STAFF DEVELOPMENT & MEETINGS

Tuesday, 19th April 2022

- The Foundation Phase teachers will be attending an English & Afrikaans Home Language meeting.
- Miss M Modibedi & Miss K Wagner will be attending an NS & SS district meeting.

Saturday, 23rd April 2022

- Grade R teachers will be attending a Grade R Language workshop
- Mr F Zagwazatha, Mr J Wagner & all soccer coaches will be attending a soccer coaching course this Saturday.
- Grade 4-6 Maths teachers will be attending a MST training session on Assessment.
- There will also be a SGB Finance meeting this Saturday.

BIRTHDAYS

Miss K Wagner celebrates her birthday on Monday, 25th April 2022. We wish her birthday is a blessed one! Everything of the best to her for the year ahead.



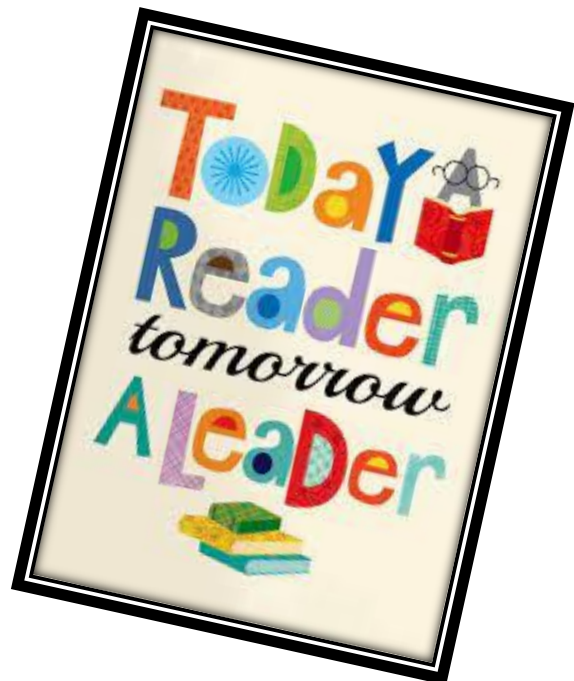
ENGAGEMENT



Best wishes to Miss M Goliath on the news of her engagement. We would like to wish her well in this wonderful chapter of her life.

MOTIVATION FOR THE WEEK

“Behind every young child who believes in himself is a parent who believed first.” *By: Matthew Jacobson*





Is Rosebank, Primary School swiping it Up? And ready to WIN?

Remember, in this year's challenge, we will compare your schools' total number of swipes from April 2021, against the total number of swipes you receive in April 2022.

10 SCHOOLS with the highest percentage growth in swipes will win their share of over **R600 000 CASH**.

Each swipe is an entry so the more you swipe your My School or linked Woolies card, at any of the MY SCHOOL partners, the closer you (and they) will get to winning.

Supporters can also **win their own share of R200 000 CASH**.

Competition ends 30 April 2022

The TOP overall School will win R50 000 CASH.

The top 9 Schools, one per region, will each win R20 000 CASH.

That is 10 WINNERS in total.

We would like to encourage all parents to sign up for a MY SCHOOL card. This is an easy way for the school to receive additional income, as every time you swipe your linked MY SCHOOL card, the school receives a percentage and it costs you nothing.

If any parent would like an application form for the **MY SCHOOL** card, please send a note to your child's class teacher and a form will be sent to you. Alternatively, you can click on the link below and follow the instructions to complete your application online.

<https://www.myschool.co.za/portal/register>

Please join **MY SCHOOL** in support of Rosebank Primary School. Your support will be appreciated.

Dear Parents.

RE: Parent One-On-One Interviews.

It is that time of year where we give parents the opportunity to discuss their children’s results for Term 1 and the progress for the year with the class teacher. Each family is allocated 10 minutes to see the teacher, discuss any problems and look at exercise books.

The date for these 10-minute interviews is **3rd May 2022** and we ask that parents please adhere to the time that is given to them to not inconvenience other parents and the teachers. Please indicate below, which section of the afternoon would suit you best and the class teacher will then inform you of your allocated 10-minute time slot. Also indicate if there are siblings in the school so that the teachers can co-ordinate times.

13h15 – 15h00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<u>REPLY SLIP</u>			
15h00 – 16h30	<input type="checkbox"/>	Siblings: Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>
16h30 – 17h30	<input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, indicate each class that your children are in so that time slots can be correlated:			
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