

# ROSEBANK PRIMARY SCHOOL



## SCHOOL FEES

As we approach the end of Term 3, we urge all parents to please ensure that all school fees are up to date. This includes parents who have been awarded a subsidy; the amount due must be paid.

The SGB would like to inform all parents that Rosebank Primary School has not applied to the Department of Education for School Fee Exemption. This means that the school **DOES NOT** receive any funds from the department for school fee exemptions and subsidies. All subsidies that are given come from the school budget as paid for by our paying parents. Therefore it is the parents of the school who pay for the education of their own children, as well as the learners who receive subsidies.

From 2024, the SGB will be having meetings with all parents who apply for a subsidy, as well as all parents who simply do not pay their school fees as prescribed by the South African Schools Act.

We would like to end the 2023 school academic year on a positive note regarding school fee payment. Non-payment of school fees puts tremendous pressure on the school and the parents who fulfill their obligations to pay their school fees.

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19 September 2023

SASA

stands for

South African Schools Act



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**This a friendly  
reminder to ensure  
that school fees are up  
to date.**



# 2024 RESOURCE FEE

( PREVIOUSLY CALLED LAF)

This is a friendly reminder to please diarise **Saturday, 21<sup>st</sup> October 2023 at 09h00** for the AGM where the SGB will present the 2024 Budget.

The payment collection for the 2024 Resource Fee has been set up on the Karri App. Alternative methods of payment include cash at the Front Office or EFT.

The following amounts are therefore applicable:

<u>PHASE</u>	<u>RESOURCE FEE</u>
Grade R	R500
Foundation Phase	R1 030
Intersen Phase	R850

We request the Resource Fee payments be made by 1 December 2023 to allow the school time to make the appropriate preparations for 2024. This will ensure that all learners have the necessary resources to start the 2024 school academic year.

## WALTONS STATIONERY PACKS

For convenience, we have provided WALTONS with copies of the stationery lists for 2024. Any parents who would like to make use of WALTONS to order a prepacked stationery box, which will include the exercise books and stationery, please contact Mrs Motsoane ([finance@rosebankprimary.co.za](mailto:finance@rosebankprimary.co.za)) for more information.

## KARRI APP

We again encourage parents who haven't signed up on the Karri App to join. As mentioned, the current bank charges incurred due to cash deposits cause a huge "bank charges" burden on the school's budget. Karri is powered by NEDBANK and the school banks with NEDBANK, so the use of the Kari App is beneficial to our Rosebank parents and the school itself.

To successfully install and use the app, please contact Mrs. Motsoane for more information.

**A**  
Annual

**G**  
General

**M**  
Meeting

**21<sup>st</sup> October 2023**

**The proposed 2024 budget will be available in the Front Office for perusal from 11<sup>th</sup> October 2024**

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# ARBOR MONTH

September is Arbour Month in South Africa.

Please consider donating a plant to the school during Arbor Month for our school gardens.

Please could plants be given to the class teacher and depending on the response, we will schedule a planting ceremony in the last week of term for each grade where the plants donated for that grade will be planted by the learners themselves. The hope is to allocate an area per grade, where they can plant their donated plants and watch them flourish.

## EXTRA MURALS

This will be the last week of Term 3 Extra Murals. With Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> September 2023 being a public holiday and school closing on Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> September 2023, the last week of term will be a short, busy one.

Please ensure that the appropriate transport arrangements are made for the last week of Term 3.

## DONATIONS FOR THE SWIMMING POOL

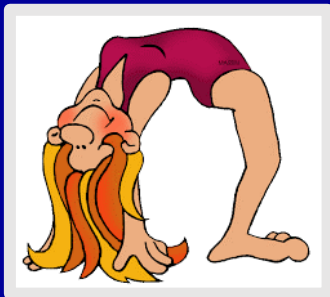
We have not yet managed to reach our target for the swimming pool collection.

An approximate donation of R125 per family would help the school reach the required R65 000 target. We have until the end of the term to pay for the maintenance work that has been done on the swimming pool. Please reach out to friends, family, and your place of employment to see if any of them are prepared to donate anything towards our swimming pool collection. Any amount collected will be greatly appreciated.



**No Extra Murals**

**25 – 28 September  
2023**



**Grd 4 - 7**

**Gym Display**

19<sup>th</sup> October 2023

**Tickets R50**



## GYM DISPLAY

Tickets for the Intersen Phase Gym Display are now available on the Karri

App. Alternatively, please contact Miss Redman ([vredman@rosebankprimary.co.za](mailto:vredman@rosebankprimary.co.za)) if you would like to purchase or enquire about tickets. There are only 250 tickets for the **19<sup>th</sup> October 2023**.

- **Tickets will cost R50.**
- We are still required to adhere to COVID Safety Protocols so please ensure that you purchase your tickets early to avoid disappointment.
- We regrettably will not be able to allow standing and crowding in the hall.
- We can investigate the possibility of opening for a second night if the 250 tickets for the 19<sup>th</sup> October 2023 are sold out.

## MEETING WITH JMPD

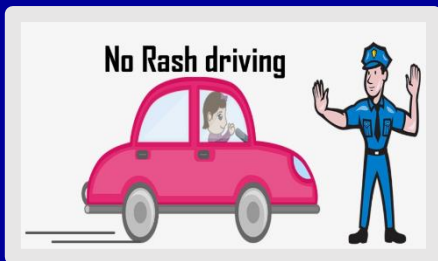
As mentioned in last week's newsletter, a meeting was held with the transport drivers, the JMPD, and representatives from the SMT and SGB.

The following was discussed:

- ❖ The main aim of JMPD is the safety of learners and to build a relationship with the school and the Transport Association.
- ❖ JMPD offers a training program to make sure that transport drivers have all the basic emergency skills needed to drive safely and assist children in any emergency.
- ❖ Children are being dropped off on the corner of Jellicoe Avenue in the 7 am traffic. This poses a great risk as there is no demarcated parking area and cars/transport vehicles are stopping in the driving lanes.
- ❖ On Friday's when the school closes at 12 midday, there are learners waiting for transport and they are playing soccer in the street.
- ❖ Learners identified as not obeying road rules and not listening to the transport drivers are the Grade 5, 6 and 7 learners.
- ❖ The transport drivers were reminded that the parents have given them the responsibility to look after their children. They need to be firm and if any incidents occur, they need to be reported directly to the parents and the situation dealt with immediately. It is not the school's responsibility to sort out transport issues.



- ❖ Problems are stemming from the drivers who are not part of the Rosebank Scholar Association. These drivers disobey the rules and drive recklessly.
- ❖ A database list of names and registration numbers is to be emailed to JMPD.
- ❖ JMPD will follow up on the offending drivers.
- ❖ Rosebank Transport Drivers to encourage the other drivers to be part of the association and inform them of the free training program and the certificate they will receive.
- ❖ Forms will be given to the transport drivers to complete (names of learners who travel in each vehicle). This will also help the driver in emergencies.
- ❖ Most of the concerns that were raised are regarding the non-transport association members.
- ❖ Parents are double parking and children are exiting vehicles on the wrong side of the road into the oncoming traffic. We do not want a situation where the media is involved because of careless behaviour.
- ❖ JMPD has started pedestrian safety at schools for one week, assisting different grades. Other matters that are addressed are bullying, drugs, and gangsterism.
- ❖ The transport drivers requested that a JMPD officer be present for a few days, just to shake up/give tickets to parents/drivers not obeying the road safety rules.



**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**



## BIRTHDAYS FOR THE WEEK

### LEARNERS

The learners who celebrate their birthdays this week are listed below. We wish them a happy birthday and a wonderful year ahead! ☺

<u>NO</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>SURNAME</u>	<u>BIRTHDAY</u>	<u>CLASS</u>
1	Nomalungelo	Mdlalose	18 September	Grade 7 ME
2	Lesego	Sedibe	18 September	Grade 7 AK
3	Siphiwe	Dulaze	19 September	Grade 3 LY
4	Somila	Phirwa	21 September	Grade 1 DB
5	Isagoentle	Sibeko	21 September	Grade 1 DB
6	Lesley	Mabasa	22 September	Grade 3 LY
7	Khloe	Sevume	22 September	Grade 5 GS
8	Tlotliso	Khumalo	22 September	Grade R VR
9	Kopano	Maleka	22 September	Grade 6 KW
10	Mduduzi	Mncube	23 September	Grade 4 OB
11	Princess	Mlilo	24 September	Grade 1 JT

## STAFF

NO	TITLE	SURNAME	INI	BIRTHDAY
1	Ms	Mosiane	C.	21 September
2	Ms	Letsoalo	MM	23 September

## END-OF-TERM PROCEDURES

- Term 3 ends on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2023.
- Term 4 starts on Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
- Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> September 2023: PUBLIC HOLIDAY – **No School**
- Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> Sept – Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> Sept: **No Extra Murals**
- Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023: **Term 3 Final Assembly**.
- Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> September 2023: **End of term** (school ends at 10h00).
- Term 3 reports will be emailed (**please ensure that the office has your correct email address**).
- Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> September – Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> October 2023: Happy Holidays.
- Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> October 2023: **Term 4 starts**.

## STAFF DEVELOPMENT & MEETINGS

DATE	DESCRIPTION	VENUE	TIME
2023-09-17	IP Possible Retention & Term 3 Schedule Meeting	Rosebank Primary	08h00 - 14h00
2023-09-19	Submission of mid-year PMDS	District Office	09h00 - 15h00
2023-09-26	WSI Meeting	Bryanston Primary	09h00 - 15h00

## HERITAGE DAY & PIZZA DAY

On Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023, all learners may come to school wearing their **Heritage Clothing** at no cost. Please note that this is not a Civvies Day, but rather a day where learners can celebrate their heritage through clothes.



**PUBLIC HOLIDAY**  
**Monday**  
**25<sup>th</sup> September 2023**



**END OF TERM**  
**Friday**  
**29<sup>th</sup> September 2023**  
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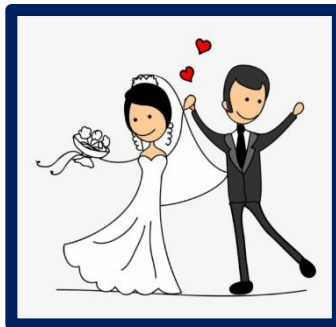
We will also be having a Pizza Day on Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023. The collection for Pizza Day is on the Karri App.



Friday  
22 September 2023

## BEST WISHES & CONGRATULATIONS

Rosebank Primary wishes to congratulate Mr Baxter on his upcoming marriage. Mr Baxter is getting married on Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> September 2023.



Mr Baxter will be away from school from 22<sup>nd</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

We wish Mr Baxter and his bride best wishes on this wonderful journey, as they build their new lives together.

## OUR LEARNERS' ACHIEVEMENTS



**Nomusa Mgcaleka**  
(2JW)

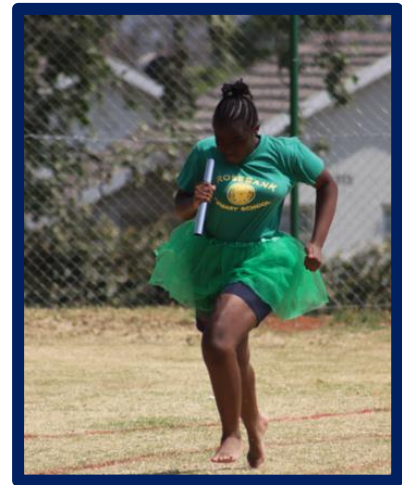
**Foundation Phase IIAL (isiZulu  
2<sup>nd</sup> Additional Language)  
Puppet Making**



## Boy and Girl Top Athletes of 2023



**Moreki Mokhutle**



**Malita Ramarumo**



**A big Thank You to Waltons for the donation of the prizes for the Top Athletes of 2023.**



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