

Rosebank Primary School



EXTRA-MURALS

All extra-murals begin this week.

The Extra-mural Timetable was posted onto d6 over the weekend on the 15th April 2023. Kindly note that all learners need to participate in extra mural activities on all afternoons when they are not collected straight after school.

We encourage all learners to participate in a **minimum of two afternoons** of extra murals.

If a learner is not at extra-murals, then they should be fetched immediately after school unless they attend Aftercare. Any learner not collected straight after school will be taken to an extra mural activity and if not collected after extra murals, learners will be escorted to Aftercare (where an ad hoc cost will be charged).



PARENTS' ONE-ON-ONE MEETINGS

We have scheduled meetings for invited parents to see their child's class teacher on Monday, 24th April 2023. This is an opportunity for you to discuss the Term 1 Progress Report and any areas of concern.

It is very important that areas of concern are addressed as soon as possible so that sections of the curriculum where your child is struggling can be addressed by the parent and the teacher. It also allows sufficient time for the learner to get the additional help and support that may be needed to help him or her achieve the promotion requirements for each subject.

A letter will be sent out to those parents whom teachers feel need to schedule a meeting. However, if you have not received a letter, and would like to visit the teacher on Monday, 24th April 2023, please feel free to email the teacher or the Front Office to schedule your meeting. All parents are welcome to schedule a time slot, but we are appealing to those parents whose children experienced some difficulties in Term 1 to please make every effort to attend this important meeting.

Upcoming Events

- 1) Parent One-on-One Meetings (24 April 2023)
- 2) Dr Seuss Week (24 - 26 April 2023)
- 3) Book Drive
- 4) Public Holiday (27 April 2023)
- 5) School Holiday (28 April 2023)
- 6) Public Holiday (1 May 2023)

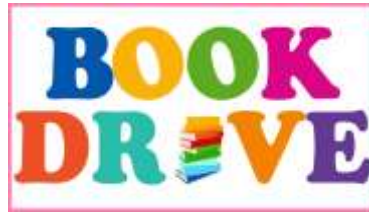
NO EXTRA-MURALS ON MONDAY THE 24TH

APRIL 2023

Due to all educators being involved in the Parent Meetings on Monday the 24th April, all extra murals are canceled on that day. Kindly fetch your child at 14h15 promptly as educators will not be able to monitor them. Children not collected by 14h30 will be sent to Aftercare.

EXTRA-MURAL





BOOK DRIVE FOR WORLD BOOK DAY ON THE 20TH APRIL 2023

Rosebank Primary is excited to celebrate World Book Day. We are calling on parents to:

- Donate used books from home that are still in good condition to classroom reading corners.
- Buy a new book for the Rosebank Library.

All donated books can be sent to Mrs. Barnard and will be re-distributed to the appropriate classes for reading. All books will have a "Donated by" sticker with your child's name to show our appreciation for the donation.



Books can be sent to school during the month of April and May.

Contact Details

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FETCHING LEARNERS DURING HOURS

Parents are kindly requested to make medical and other appointments for learners **after school hours**. Fetching a child for non-emergencies during school hours is depriving your child of contact teaching and learning time and therefore puts your child at a disadvantage as they need to catch up and often miss work and valuable information that has been done in the classroom. Appointments should be made after school or during the school holidays.

As per departmental policy, all learners must attend school on time and be at school for the full duration of the school day.

We thank you for your adherence to this policy.

JUNE CONTROLLED TESTS (JUNE 2023)



Assessment

Controlled tests will be written from the 2nd to the 9th June 2023. Kindly ensure that your child prepares adequately for these tests as they form a large part of the Term 2 Assessment marks for their end of term Progress Report. The Controlled Test timetable is attached below.



Important!

Grade 4 to 7 June
Controlled Tests

(2 – 9 June 2023)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Session 1</u>	<u>Session 2</u>
02 June 2023 Friday	7	07h45-09h45 Life Orientation	
05 June 2023 Monday	7	07h45-09h45 English	10h00-12h00 EMS
06 June 2023 Tuesday	4	08h00-10h00 NS	11h00-13h00 Mathematics
	5	08h00-10h00 Geography	11h00-13h00 FAL
	6	08h00-10h00 English	11h00-13h00 Geography
	7	08h00-10h00 NS	11h00-13h00 Art
07 June 2023 Wednesday	4	08h00-10h00 Geography	11h00-13h00 PSW
	5	08h00-10h00 NS	11h00-13h00 PSW
	6	08h00-10h00 History	11h00-13h00 PSW
	7	08h00-10h00 Geography	11h00-13h00 Technology
08 June 2023 Thursday	4	08h00-10h00 English	11h00-13h00 History
	5	08h00-10h00 English	11h00-13h00 History
	6	08h00-10h00 NS	11h00-13h00 FAL
	7	08h00-10h00 Mathematics	11h00-13h00 History
09 June 2023 Friday	4	08h00-10h00 FAL	
	5	08h00-10h00 Mathematics	
	6	08h00-10h00 Mathematics	
	7	08h00-10h00 FAL	



SCHOOL UNIFORM

Please note that learners are requested to follow the school's Uniform Policy and come to school in the appropriate uniform. Mixing and matching summer and winter uniform items are not allowed; therefore, learners do not adhere to the school's Uniform Policy. Please take the time to ensure that your child leaves home every morning dressed in their proper school uniform and is dressed neatly and tidily.



All learners can start wearing their winter uniform from Tuesday the **2nd May 2023**.

Learners should be proud of their school uniforms and wear them with pride and dignity representing our school.

AFTERCARE PAYMENTS

Kindly take note that all Aftercare Payments are due. Please make all outstanding payments to the school finance department.



School Tours

Start budgeting.

Grd 4 – 7 school tours

(August – September 2023)

TOURS GRADE 4-7



The Department of Education has given schools the go-ahead to plan for tours this year. The Grades 4-7s will be going on tour after three years due to Covid. These tours

are being planned around August and September and are not compulsory. However, we encourage all parents to allow their children to attend the tours, as it forms part of the learning experience.

For your child to go on tour, your school fees may not be more than 3 months in arrears. While we have not finalised venues yet, please start budgeting for tours at a cost of no less than R1 000. The cost for some grades may be higher, as it includes the number of days,



traveling costs, the number of learners attending, etc.

More details regarding these tours will be available to parents closer to August, but please start saving for the cost of the tour.

STAFF DEVELOPMENT

<u>Date</u>	<u>Subjects</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Educator/s Attending</u>	<u>Time</u>
17/04/2023	All	7	Mrs Eid, Mr Kiefer, Mr Wagner	14h00 - 16h00
17/04/2023	Foundation Phase	Grd R - 3	Mrs Barnard & Mrs Rugununan	14h00 - 15h30
18/04/2023	Foundation Phase	Grd R - 3	Mrs Barnard & Mrs Rugununan	08h30- 10h30
19/04/2023	MST	R	Mrs. Barnard	14h00 - 16h00
20/04/2023	Cluster Meeting	2 & 3	Mrs. Gilles, Ms. Yates, Mrs. Wilson, Ms. De Necker	14h00 - 16h00
18/04/2023	Intersen Phase	Grd 4 - 7	Ms. Modibedi & Mrs Rugununan	08h30- 10h30

We must become the change we want to see - Mahatma Gandhi



MATHEMATICS OLYMPIAD – SCHOOL LEVEL

From the 17th – 21st April 2023 the Grade 4 - 6s will be participating in the GDE Maths Olympiad. We wish them well and hope they will proceed to the next round, which is at District Level.



NATURAL SCIENCE OLYMPIAD SCHOOL LEVEL

Grade 4 learners will be participating in a Natural Science Olympiad on Monday the 17th April 2023. We wish them the best of luck and hope that they too will reach the next level.

DETENTION

This week Friday, the 21st April 2023, there will be detention monitored by the Grade 3 educators. If your child has been given a detention for Friday, kindly arrange transport for them to be fetched after the detention at 13h30.



LEARNERS' BIRTHDAYS

The following learners celebrate their birthdays this week. We wish them a 'Happy Birthday' and lots of good wishes and happiness.



It's time for a little bit of cake and a lot of fun! Happy Birthday!



04/17 Mon	Palesa Debele	Grade 7JW
04/17 Mon	Ntabiso Dube	Grade 7JW
04/20 Thu	Keabetswe Mathiba	Grade 2SA
04/20 Thu	Siphesihle Mkansie	Grade 1KI
04/21 Fri	Tyler	Grade 5GS
04/22 Sat	Goitseone Mokwana	Grade 3TG
04/22 Sat	Lindokuhle Nyathi	Grade 2JW

STAFF BIRTHDAYS

We wish Mrs Leopeng and Mrs. Barnard a Happy Birthday for the 2nd and 9th April 2023. We hope they had a wonderful day and wish them peace, happiness and prosperity for the year ahead.



Thought for the week



FUNDRAISER FOR NEXT WEEK

For the week of the 24th - 27th April 2023 we will be celebrating the beloved children's author Dr. Seuss. Dr. Seuss wrote many books that remain favourites for children and adults alike.

To honour Dr. Seuss and to encourage children to read we will have different themes of "dress up" days for each day from the 24th - 27th April 2023.

We thank you for your participation in this exciting fundraising event.





Dr. Seuss Week

24 April – 26 April

Monday 24 April:
Fox in Socks
(Wear Crazy Socks)

Tuesday 25th April:
Cat in the hat
(Wear your best Dr Seuss Hat)

Wednesday 26th April:
Favourite Dr Seuss Book
(Dress as your favourite Dr Seuss
Character)

R25 per day or R60 for all 3 days

(There will be a best dressed prize for each day)




TERM 2 CALENDAR OF EVENTS



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Calendar of Events: Term 2 (2023)

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
10th April  Family day Easter Monday-Public Holiday 	11th April School Holiday	12th April Term 2 starts SMT (School Management Team) Meeting GDE Gr 4-6 IsiZulu FAL (First Additional Language) Olympiad (School level) Vote for Class Captains Prefects Meeting @ 2 nd break  Afternoon Homework supervision (FP teachers) <i>Mrs M Mannering's birthday</i> 	13th April GDE Gr 4-6 IsiZulu FAL Olympiad (School level) Afternoon Homework supervision (IP teachers)	14th April Staff Meeting GDE Gr 4-6 IsiZulu FAL Olympiad (School level) All Easter Raffle forms & money due today	15th April Grade R Maths Training @ Marlboro (Miss Redman attending)	16th April
17th April  Extra Murals begin GDE Gr 4-6 Maths Olympiad (School level) GDE Gr 7NS Olympiad (School level)	18th April GDE Gr 4-6 Maths Olympiad (School level)	19th April SMT Meeting GDE Gr 4-6 Maths Olympiad (School level) DH Grade R MST Training (Mrs Barnard attending)	20th April GDE Gr 4-6 Maths Olympiad (School level) F.P. Cluster Meeting at Fairways (Mrs Gilles, Miss de Necker, Mrs Wilson, Miss Yates attending) World Book Day 	21st April Staff Meeting GDE Gr 4-6 Maths Olympiad (School level) DETENTION: Grade 3 Teachers on duty	22nd April	23rd April

24 th April	25 th April	26 th April	27 th April	28 th April	29 th April	30 th April
Assembly- Grade 2SA Parent /Teacher One-on-One Meetings R-7  Dr Seuss Week Fundraising begins (Grade R) 	GDE Principals' Meeting GDE Languages Meeting (Gr4-6 teachers) Miss K Wagner's birthday 	SMT Meeting	Freedom Day- Public Holiday 	School Holiday		
<u>Mon</u>	<u>Tues</u>	<u>Wed</u>	<u>Thurs</u>	<u>Fri</u>	<u>Sat</u>	<u>Sun</u>
1 st May	2 nd May	3 rd May	4 th May	5 th May	6 th May	7 th May
Workers' Day- Public Holiday 	Miss A de Necker's birthday  IIAL Meeting @ HA Jack (Ms. Nxumalo attending)	SMT Meeting	GDE SS & NS Meeting (Gr 4-6 teachers) DH Meeting @Rembrandt (Mrs Barnard attending) Mrs A Carruthers's birthday 	Staff Meeting RPS Open Day! 	GDE SS & MST Meeting (Gr 4-6 teachers)	Miss K Illman's birthday 
8 th May	9 th May	10 th May	11 th May	12 th May	13 th May	14 th May
Assembly- Grade 1DB Mother's Day Fundraising (Admin Staff) 	GDE Life Skills Meeting (Gr 4-6 teachers)	SMT Meeting Grade R Subject Meeting (Miss Redman attending)	Mr J Wagner's birthday 	Staff Meeting DETENTION: Grade 4 Teachers on duty	Grade R Maths Training @ Marlboro (Miss Redman attending)	Mother's Day HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY  Mr F Zagwazatha's birthday 

15 th May	16 th May	17 th May	18 th May	19 th May	20 th May	21 st May
<p>Assembly- Grade 5PW</p> <p>GDE DH Meeting (M Modibedi) @ Linksfield Primary</p>	<p>GDE DH Meeting (M Modibedi) @ Fairways Primary</p>	<p>SMT Meeting</p>	<p>Ascension Day</p>  <p>GDE School visit for Senior Phase</p>	<p>Staff Meeting</p> <p>Curriculum Coverage Due (Mrs Barnard)</p> <p>Mrs T Gilles & Miss M Modibedi's birthdays</p> 		<p>Miss V Redman's birthday</p> 
22 nd May	23 rd May	24 th May	25 th May	26 th May	27 th May	28 th May
<p>Assembly- Grade 6KW</p> <p>GDE School visit for Senior Phase</p>	<p>GDE Languages Meeting (Gr4-6 teachers)</p>	<p>GDE Mathematics & Life Skills Meeting (Gr4-6 teachers)</p> <p>SMT Meeting</p>	<p>Africa Day</p>  <p>Deputy Principals' meeting</p>	<p>Staff Meeting</p>		
29 th May	30 th May	31 st May	1 st June	2 nd June	3 rd June	4 th June
<p>Assembly- Grade RVR</p> <p>Grade 3 Mental Maths Challenge begins (School Level)</p>		<p>SMT Meeting</p> <p>All IP SBA marks due into d6 by 08:00</p> <p>F.P. Spell-a-thon begins (School Level)</p> <p>Mrs M Zagwazatha's birthday</p> 	<p>GDE SAT (School Assessment Team) Meeting</p>	<p>Staff Meeting</p>  <p>Grade 3 Mental Maths School Level concludes</p> <p>DETENTION: Grade 5 Teachers on duty</p>  <p>Pizza & Pyjama Day Civvies (SMT)</p> <p>Pajama Day</p> 		
5 th June	6 th June	7 th June	8 th June	9 th June	10 th June	11 th June
	<p>Grade R Oral Presentation Celebration</p>	<p>SMT Meeting</p>	<p>Miss M Khumalo's birthday</p> 	<p>Staff Meeting</p> <p>FP marks due into d6 by 14:00</p> <p>Term 2 Controlled Tests end (Grade 4-7)</p> <p>2 HR DETENTION: SMT on duty</p>	<p>Grade R Maths Training @ Marlboro (Miss Redman attending)</p>	

12 th June	13 th June	14 th June	15 th June	16 th June	17 th June	18 th June
<p>Father's Day Fundraising (Admin Staff)</p>  <p>Grade 3 BKPSW competition (School Level) begins</p> <p>SCHEDULE MEETINGS F.P.</p> <p>All Controlled Test marks due into d6 by 08:00</p>	<p>Mrs M Eid's birthday</p> 	<p>SMT Meeting</p>	<p>Curriculum Coverage/ SBA due (Mrs Barnard)</p> <p>SCHEDULE MEETINGS IP</p> <p>F.P. Report comments due into d6 by 14:00</p>	<p>Youth Day- Public Holiday</p> 		<p>Father's Day</p> 
19 th June	20 th June	21 st June	22 nd June	23 rd June	24 th June	25 th June
<p>Ratification of Term 2 Schedules @ Halfway house (Mrs Barnard and Ms Modibedi)</p> <p>IP Report comments due into d6 by 08:00</p>		<p>SMT Meeting</p>	<p>Grade 3 BKPSW Competition (School Level) ends</p> <p>Final Assembly – Grade 7AK</p>	<p>Last Day of Term 2</p> 		

OPEN DAY

Rosebank Primary School will be hosting an Open Day on 5th May 2023 from 09h00 until 14h00.

If you know of any parents looking for a school for their Grade R and/or 1 child, or any parents looking for a place for any of the internal grades (Grades 2 – 7) for 2024, please make them aware of the **Open Day** and encourage them to visit us on the 5th May 2023 to see what Rosebank Primary has to offer.

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5th May 2023

09h00 – 14h00

