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"Most of the important things in the world have been accomplished by people who have kept on trying when there seemed to be no hope at all." ~ Dale Carnegie

From the Principal's Desk

Thank you to all those parents who attended the information evenings last week for the Grades R-7. Your support and commitment is appreciated. The Handouts for these meetings were sent with your child last Friday.

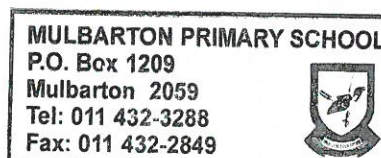
Cycle tests will start this Thursday, 8 February. Cycle tests will be written on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please ensure that your children are preparing thoroughly for these tests. Tests will be written in the morning and thereafter the normal class time table will be followed.

Please note that Choir practices starts as normal this week, however, if children are involved in athletics practice, they will be excused and may resume choir once athletics are over. Extra remedial lessons will continue as normal. All other extra murals are on hold for the next 2 weeks until the inter-school athletics are completed. Please note that Tennis takes place on Mondays and Thursdays.

Please note that our SGB elections will be held on 7 March 2024 at 18h30 in the school hall. *Please see attached Election Notice and letter pertaining to the SGB elections.* It is extremely important that parents attend and participate in these elections. Only parents or legal guardians are eligible to vote – with a valid ID document. Please ensure your names are on the voters roll. Parents who are willing to join the SGB for the next term of office (3 years) may stand for election and will be required to complete nomination forms and a profile form. ***Please note that when completing the nomination form, the proposer, seconder and nominee must all be parents of Mulbarton Primary School (and all three cannot be the same person).***

Thank you for your support and co-operation.

L. Kistadoo
Principal



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Cycle Tests

CYCLE TEST TIME-TABLE – TERM 1 – 2024

08.02	Thursday	ENGLISH	Grade 4-7
13.02	Tuesday	AFRIKAANS	Grade 4-7
15.02	Thursday	GEOGRAPHY	Grade 4-7
20.02	Tuesday	EMS	Grade 7
22.02	Thursday	MATHEMATICS	Grade 4-7
27.02	Tuesday	HISTORY	Grade 4-7
29.02	Thursday	NATURAL SCIENCE	Grade 4-7
05.03	Tuesday	LO/LS	Grade 4-7

Parents, please note that Creative Arts & Technology Practicals for Grade 7's will be completed during class contact time.

Reminders

- **School Shop (for uniform) is open Tuesday and Friday from 07h30 – 08h00**
- Please download the School Communicator onto your PC, laptop or mobile phone for school info and news www.school-communicator.com
- Our banking details are: **NEDBANK BOOYSENS 198005 A/C # 1980316023.**
- **No cell phones, tablets or any other electronic devices are allowed at school** – If you are caught with these items, it will be confiscated and a penalty fee of R200.00 will be charged to get it back.
- **Left behind** - We are appealing to parents not to deliver items that your child has left behind or the parent has gone early morning shopping to bring to the learner – food; money; projects; sports kit; clothes; house keys; etc. What is left behind stays behind! Parents, children will never learn responsibility if you keep running after them. Please instill in them the habit of packing their bags and getting ready for school the night before! This also disrupts classes and lessons when children are constantly called up to the office.
- **Lost and found** - Parents, please insert a clear label with your child's name, surname & grade on all your child's uniform items (this applies to all learners in Grade R–7). We have a large number of uniform items in the Lost & Found container *without* labels, and we find that learners (and sometimes even parents) claim uniform items that do not even belong to them. Please note that all lost uniform items without labels will be washed and sent to our uniform shop for resale.
- **Absent from School** – If your child is not at school for 1 or 2 days, kindly write a note in the diary to the educator and if necessary supply the sick note. If your child is off longer than 2 days – Kindly notify the school, write a note in the diary and you will need to supply a sick note.
- **School Times** –
Grade R – 2 = Monday to Friday 13h30
Grade 3 = Monday to Thursday = 14h00 and Friday = 13h30
Grade 4 – 7 = Monday and Thursday = 14h30 Tuesday and Wednesday = 14h00 and Friday 13h30
(Tuesday and Wednesday is Extral Murals which finishes at 14h45)
School starts = 07h45