



MULBARTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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"Who can find a virtuous woman? She is far more precious than rubies... Charm is deceptive and beauty is fleeting but a woman who fears the Lord will be praised." ~ Proverbs 31:10, 30

From the Principal's Desk

The **MPS 30TH Birthday Bash** held last Saturday was a great success. A BIG THANK YOU to all those parents, learners and staff who supported this event. A SPECIAL THANK YOU to all the Staff, SGB members, parents and learners who assisted on the day and also to the Fundraising Committee for all their hard work in putting the event together. I think they out did themselves – well done!

Please note that we will be having T-Shirt Fridays, where learners can wear their 30th Birthday T-Shirts with jeans on Fridays (**this is the only T-Shirt that will be allowed**) – there is no cost for this. Learners can still order and pay for their T-Shirts (R150) if they don't have one. If learners do not have a 30th Birthday T-Shirt, then normal school uniform must be worn. There will be NO T-Shirt Friday on the 17th & 24th May as this is in the middle of the Mid-year examinations.

We wish all our moms a Happy Mothers' Day this coming Sunday! Thank you for the role you play in the family and in society as a whole.

Parents, please note that Grade 4–7 learners will be writing mid-year controlled tests starting on 16 May 2024. Please see copy of test timetable below. Learners will be advised as to what will be assessed in these tests for each subject. Learners need to be focused and to work hard in order to produce a good term 2 report. Please note that all learners (Grades R-7) will dismiss at 13h00 from 16 May until 30 May 2024. Please make the necessary transport arrangements. Please note that this week will be last for extra murals this term.

Please note that this Thursday, 9 May is Ascension Day. Majority of the staff members have applied for religious leave for this day. There will only be 10 staff members at school. It is advisable to keep children at home on this day. Those learners that do come to school will be supervised for the normal school day.

Parents, please note that children who are extremely ill should be kept at home and given the necessary care and attention. Far too many sick children are sent to school and they cannot cope at school and spend many hours in the sick bay until they are collected by their parents – these children are simply too ill to benefit anything from class.

L. Kistadoo
Principal

Thank you for your support and co-operation.



L. Kistadoo
Principal

Controlled Test Time-table

MID-YEAR CONTROLLED TEST TIME-TABLE – TERM 2 – 2024

16.05	Thursday	ENGLISH	Grade 4-7
17.05	Friday	GEOGRAPHY	Grade 4-7
20.05	Monday	NS/NS TECH	Grade 4-7
21.05	Tuesday	AFRIKAANS	Grade 4-7
22.05	Wednesday	LO/LS	Grade 4-7
23.05	Thursday	MATHEMATICS	Grade 4-7
24.05	Friday	TECHNOLOGY	Grade 7
27.05	Monday	HISTORY	Grade 4-7
28.05	Tuesday	CREATIVE ARTS	Grade 7
30.05	Thursday	EMS	Grade 7

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.