



MULBARTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

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"If we had no winter, the spring would not be so pleasant." ~ Anne Bradstreet

From the Principal's Desk

Parents, please note that Cycle Tests for Grade 4-7 started last Thursday. This applies to certain subjects only as the other subjects are project based for this term. Please refer to the timetable sent home last week.

Well done to the following Grade 3 learners who have done us proud and have now advanced to the District level competition:

Kelvin Brooze – Mental Maths (3D)

Rialuvhuvra Nemanashi – Numeracy Challenge (3C)

Ayanda Magubane – Spellathon (3D)

SUMMER UNIFORM – Please note that we will be changing over to summer uniform. From next Monday, 2 September all learners to be in full summer uniform. Girls – summer dress, Boys – open neck white short-sleeve shirt (with school badge) with grey shorts (only the Grade 7 boys are allowed to wear long grey pants the whole year). Correct hairstyles, correct hair bands and earrings for girls, correct socks and shoes must be adhered to. Please note that **no mixing** of uniforms are allowed eg. track suit jackets with formal grey pants or track pants with jerseys are NOT allowed. Please ensure that your child takes pride in his/her appearance.

Thank you for your support and co-operation.

L. Kistadoo
Principal

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