



Dear Parents,

FROM THE HEADMASTER

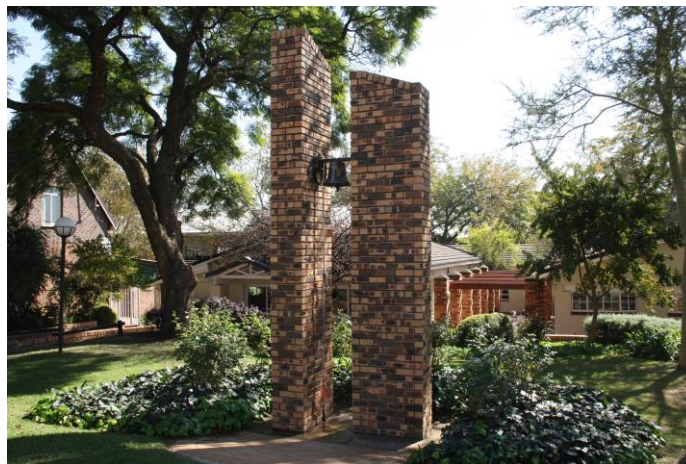
There are three very special bells that can be found on our campus:

1. The Letty Bell. This bell can be found as the centrepiece of the Letty Bell Lawn. It is still used to signal the changeover between lessons and is rung every half hour of the school day by a Grade 7 pupil. I was recently sent the following insight to the life of Ian Letty by one of our parents:

Ian Letty was the brother of a good friend of mine, Lindsay. I asked her to fill in some of the gaps for me as I knew her big brother had died young (Lindsay was only three at the time) but I wasn't sure of the circumstances behind his death.

She sent me the following and I just thought it would be interesting to share this with you. The Letty family built the Bell as a place of remembrance for them. When I told Lindsay that the boys still call it 'The Letty Bell' she was overcome with emotion.

"Ian had leukaemia although was not sick for very long, maybe a few months, but he went downhill very fast in the last few weeks. He died when he was 6 and my parents tell me that he was always really brave despite being in a lot of pain and having to have loads of injections and needles and stuff. He didn't ever really know how sick he was and he was a really happy kid. He was at school just the week before he died and behaving like any other 6 year old boy 😊.



I love that bell, it's the place we go to remember him, even though his ashes are in a garden of remembrance in Bryanston it's the bell that is the really special place for all of us."

2. The Founder's Bell: This bell has been relocated to the deck of Dodson Hall. There is a plaque next to the bell with the following inscription:



1. Quinn's Bell. This bell was donated in memory of Quinn Wagner who passed away on 22 June 2000. It can be found at the entrance to our JP Building. I wonder how many boys and their parents have taken a moment to look at this beautiful bell on their way into school?



I look forward to sharing more of our school history with you as we look forward to our 70th birthday celebrations next year.

Have a great week.

Rob Macaulay

FROM THE JUNIOR PREP

FRIDAY, 14 JUNE

Tomorrow marks the start of a long weekend – with much to celebrate and reflect on. Our boys will have Hot Dog Day and, on this particular Friday of the year, the dads will work as volunteers. Boys also have the privilege of coming to school in civvies – money collected this Friday has been allocated to the Sefikeng Library Project.

On Sunday we have an opportunity to remember the youth uprising of 16 June, 1976. We will be teaching our boys a little more about this day as we reflect on how even young people can influence world decisions. Maria Mngoma (a Grade 0 teacher assistant) will share her story and memories of this time with the boys. She was in Grade 3, but can recall the impact this had on her life and education.

We also celebrate fathers and their impact on the lives of our children. The boys know this is a day to spoil dad and show appreciation for his role in their lives.

BIRDS & BEES TALK

Thank you to the many parents who attended this Coffee Morning today. I know you will agree that Wendy Wentzel gave us both insight and a practical approach to this topic in our homes. Wendy's presentation will be available on the D6 Communicator.

GRADE 1 & 2 SPORT

Detailed letters for Grade 1 and 2 parents are enclosed with this newsletter. Our tag rugby season has come to an end and, from Tuesday, the much anticipated Football season commences. Football does bring the boys' competitive nature to the fore and we ask that parents support the school regarding sportsmanship and our values.

SOCIAL COHESION TEAM

Attached to this letter is an overview of the JP Boys social cohesion team, their role and the two events organised for 2019. The teams' role is to ensure that all families feel included in the school so that we can continue to build a strong, nurturing St Peter's community.

GOLDEN MOMENT

A boy very proudly brought his ecobrick to show me, claiming he had weighed it to ensure it was the correct weight for the project. He said his brick weighed 640kg!

Enjoy the weekend and keep warm.

“A father is neither an anchor to hold us back, nor a sail to take us there, but a guiding light whose love shows us the way”



Warm regards,
Kenda Melvill-Smith

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Monday 17 June Public Holiday
Tuesday 18 June Football season commences, do not forget shin pads!
Wednesday 19 June 8:00 Chapel (birthdays 17-23 June) 8:30 No Sefikeng (Government school holidays) 13:00 Grade 2 Choir (Dodson Hall)
Thursday 20 June
Friday 21 June
Saturday 22 June 10:00-12:00 Pre-Prep Open Day (JP Building) 11:00 Winter Warmers

VEHICLE SECURITY ACCESS

For new parents and parents who don't have a pre-approval (QR Code), please do the following:

STEP 1 – submit vehicle details online

Click on the following link <https://goo.gl/forms/NX1PEDAYmpKMctxR2> and capture details of all relevant vehicles requiring access to school.

STEP 2 – Download and register in Charlie.

1. Download and install the Charlie app from your respective app store (click either of the following links: [Android](#) or [iOS](#))
2. Sign in with either email or cell phone number (if you use your cell phone number you will receive a 6 digit pin).
3. Once in the app select the blue block to update your profile details.

STEP 3 – Request QR codes

Please send an email to stpeters@appcharlie.com requesting QR codes. Please include details used to update your Charlie profile.

Once you receive your QR code via email, place the QR code on the same side as your vehicle registration (on the left side of the windscreen, when seated in the vehicle).

Lance Camphor (Security Manager)

SWINE FLU

As a School, we are aware of the current outbreak of flu causing high numbers of absentees in the classes.

Please be aware that Swine flu H1N1 Influenza is caused by the type A flu (H1N1) virus. It now forms part of seasonal influenza in most countries at present and is a non-notifiable condition.

Common Symptoms include:

Fever	Headache	Fatigue
Dry cough	Muscle pain	Body aches
Sore throat	Cold shivers and hot sweats	

Please keep your children at home should they be displaying any of the above symptoms and consult you GP for further treatment. It may be advisable to get the flu injection for preventative measures.

Sister Gail Brent

ST PETER'S CHOIR FESTIVAL – 20 AND 21 JUNE

<https://tickets.tixsa.co.za/event/st-peter-s-senior-choir-festival>

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PA NEWS**PA – GOLF DAY – SAVE THE DATE****ANNUAL GOLF DAY 2019 – FOURBALLS AND SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

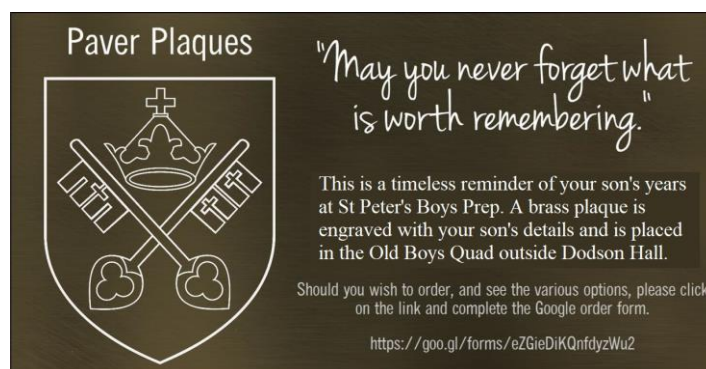
St Peter's Prep Schools is holding its annual Golf Day on Friday, 27 September at the Kyalami Country club. The aim of the Golf Day is to raise funds for the St Peter's Prep Parents Association (PA), as well as provide a fun-filled and enjoyable afternoon for all attending. The proceeds raised will be used for projects, requiring funding by the PA, at the school. Bookings for Fourballs open on Wednesday, 10 July.

In order to make the Golf Day a successful fundraiser, we are seeking sponsorship for the opportunities outlined below. To acknowledge contributions, the sponsor will be entitled to use their company signage to market their business in the area chosen. In addition to branding on the course, a board with a list of all the sponsors will also be put up at the clubhouse.

- Major Sponsor: Evening event (includes sponsorship of food truck)
- Major Sponsor: Halfway house
- Sponsor: Registration table
- Sponsor: Putting Green
- Sponsor: Hole
- Sponsor: Watering hole
- Sponsor: Prizes
 - any luxury food or drink items that could be used in a hamper
 - any vouchers (for kids or adults to use)
 - any complete hampers
 - any other prize you can think of!

For any further information on sponsorships, please contact the committee at: golfday@stpeters.co.za

PAVER PLAQUE ORDERS



Paver Plaques

"May you never forget what is worth remembering."

This is a timeless reminder of your son's years at St Peter's Boys Prep. A brass plaque is engraved with your son's details and is placed in the Old Boys Quad outside Dodson Hall.

Should you wish to order, and see the various options, please click on the link and complete the Google order form.

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WINTER WARMERS – REMEMBER TO BUY YOUR TICKETS!



2019 Winter Warmers

Family Fun Day

Live music & a warm winter afternoon together

featuring
SIMPLYFOR

SIMPLYFOR is the brain child of Godfrey Ried and Nash Kloossen. Down to earth, passionate entertainers, the band caters for all with their extensive repertoire including golden oldies and current hits.

Including a talented performance from our very own **St Peter's Bands**

FJC Boys Ensemble Band  **Legacy** Girls Ensemble Band

Date: Sat 22 June 11:00 to 17:00
Venue: Mvukuzane Field, St Peter's Prep

2019 Winter Warmers Family Fun Day

Lucky Draw

Stand a Chance to Win

1 of These Fantastic Prizes:

- ♦ Makalali Private Game Reserve holiday
- ♦ The Cavern holiday
- ♦ Protea Fire & Ice holiday
- ♦ Laser Tag Party for 12 children
- ♦ And many more

Buy your Tickets

4 for R100
1 for R25

Draw to be held at approximately 16:00 on 22 June 2019. You don't need to attend the draw to stand a chance of winning.

Winners will be notified via telephone or email ♦ Direct any queries to winterwarmers@stpeters.co.za

<https://tickets.tusa.co.za/event/winter-warmers-2019>

Lucky Draw

Stand a Chance to Win

TALON TOUGH TOOLS
2 x Talon electric chain saws
2 x Talon petrol string trimmers

The Cavern
DRAKENSBERG RESORT & SPA
SINCE 1947
Two nights in Standard Accommodation for two adults sharing. Full board in low season. Value R5 600.

PROTEA HOTEL FIRE & ICE
HARBOUR
Cape Town
2 night stay for 2 people at the Protea Fire & Ice. Value R5,000

INANDA CLUB
Dinner for 2

Krispy Kreme DOUGHNUTS
12 original glazed donuts
Once a month, for 6 months

THE BARNYARD THEATRE
10 Tickets to Barnyard Rivonia
Judo Lessons for 1 Year
Value R4,000

S.W.A.T. LASER TAG
Laser Tag Party for 12 children

LAND-ROVER
Land Rover Driving Experience for 2

Spur
R1,500 Spur Voucher - Mall of Africa

GardenShop
R300 Shopping Voucher

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