



Dear Parents,

**FROM THE RECTOR**

The Bishop granted the school a holiday, via the Vicar-general, on St Peter's Day. The holiday will be taken next term on **Tuesday, 29 October** to extend the half-term holiday.  
**Greg Royce**

**FROM THE JUNIOR PREP**  
**MANDELA DAY – 18 JULY**

Our boys have spent this week exploring our South African culture through Art. I truly believe the arts provide a universal language which allows for unity, tolerance and understanding. Hopefully with this experience our boys have developed a sense of the unity Nelson Mandela wanted to achieve in South Africa, his rainbow nation. The loss this week of Johnny Clegg who, too, was an icon of unifying our nation, has highlighted the need for each one of us to be proud of our origins and traditions, and to work on growing a strong nation with people who respect each other's roots. As we celebrate the lives and contributions of these two men, let us recall Johnny Clegg's song that he wrote as a tribute to Nelson Mandela and other anti-apartheid activists:

*Asimbonanga.....(we have not seen him)*  
*Asimbonang 'umandel thina.....(we have not seen Mandela)*  
*Laph'ekhona.....(in the place where he is)*  
*Laph'ehleli khona.....(in the place where he is kept)*

In Nelson Mandela's words 'it is music and dancing that makes me at peace with the world and within myself.'

I pray that both these men are at peace and I thank them for their contribution to nation building in South Africa.

**MANDELA DAY SERVICE HELD THIS MORNING ON THE CHAPEL LAWN BY THE MADIBA TREE**



### **GRADE 2 SPORT**

A reminder that the Grade 2 boys will be playing in their first set of competitive football matches tomorrow at St John's. They are extremely excited and I am looking forward to a great afternoon of football. Please come and support them. Please see the attached letter with details of the Grade 2 festival against The Ridge at St Peter's on Friday, 26 July.

**Callan Cronin:** Junior Prep Sport.

### **JUNIOR CHOIR FESTIVAL**

Tonight our Grade 2 choir boys will be performing with the Cadet choir and the Girls School choirs. The performance starts promptly at **18:30**. The Music Department has added additional seating in both Royce and Dodson Halls, due to popular demand. Tickets at a cost of R20 per person will be available at each venue for those parents who have not managed to book. I know our Grade 2 boys have worked extremely hard on their numbers, under the guidance of Melani Fouché, and I am excited to watch their performance.

Reach for the start tonight boys!

### **THANK YOU**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Callan Cronin for the well organised Grade 1 Football Tournament. I was disappointed that I missed this event, due to other school commitments, but I received positive reports from the boys and their parents.

Thanks, too, must be extended to a number of Grade 0 parents who attended our Demo Morning this week. I am so pleased that you enjoyed a little taste of your son's school day. I am always so proud of the JP teachers and their unwavering enthusiasm and passion for teaching our boys. Thank you to the many parents who showed their appreciation to this hardworking team.

### **HOT DOG DAY & SUPPORTING OUR SOUTH AFRICAN NETBALL TEAM**

**Friday, 19 July** is our last Hot Dog Day for the term. Please do send the correct amount of change with your son – R25.

Empty cartridges will once again be collected in the JP foyer for recycling.

In celebration of the success of the South African team at the 2019 Netball World Cup, the boys will be allowed to come to school dressed in South African colours in support of the SA Netball Team. (The SA Netball team have reached the semi-finals) **On Friday boys can wear SA supporter colours to school.**



### **THE WEEK AHEAD FOR GRADE 1**

Next week our Grade 1 boys will have their parent Demo Morning on **Tuesday, 23 July** from **7:30-9:00**. Please find all the details in the letter attached to this newsletter.

On Wednesday they are taking their Grade 1 Sefikeng buddies to the Montecasino Bird Park. All parents should have received a letter outlining the details and requirements for this excursion. They are travelling to the Bird Park on the school buses.

### **TERM 3 CALENDAR**

We are in the process of finalising the Term 3 calendar. Ros has, however, had a number of enquiries regarding the Heritage Day weekend. Both Monday, 23 and Tuesday, 24 September are school holidays. The school term commences on **Tuesday, 10 September** and closes on **Thursday, 05 December**.

**GRADE 2 FOOTBALL**

Please ensure that your son is wearing the correct kit and has his shin pads packed. I would like to wish our boys good sportsmanship and loads of fun for tomorrow's tournament.

**GOLDEN MOMENT**

A Grade 0 class were doing squats in the gym. Mr Cronin asked them what these were called and a boy said "scotts." Another boy said "that's wrong, Scott is my dad's name!"

I look forward to seeing many JP families at our community partnership school, Sefikeng, as we give 67 minutes of service for Mandela Day.

Warm regards,

**Kenda Melvill-Smith**

**FORTHCOMING EVENTS****Friday 19 July**

HOT DOG DAY (R25) please remember to bring empty ink cartridges NB Boys can wear SA supporter colours to school.

13:00-15:15 Grade 2 Football Festival vs St John's & St David's @ St John's

**Saturday 20 July**

8:00-14:00 Give 67 minutes of service to Sefikeng

**Monday 22 July****Tuesday 23 July**

7:30-9:00 Grade 1 Demo Day

**Wednesday 24 July**

8:00 Chapel (birthdays from 22-28 July)

8:00 Sefikeng

9:00 Grade 1 & Sefikeng outing to Montecasino Bird Park

13:00 Grade 2 Choir (Dodson Hall)

**Thursday 25 July****Friday 26 July**

8:15 "Gratitude" Production 2000 for all JP boys

13:00-14:15 Grade 2 Football Festival vs The Ridge @ St Peter's

**VEHICLE SECURITY ACCESS**

For new parents and parents who don't have a QR Code, (to access and exit the school property) please do the following:

**STEP 1**

Submit vehicle details online

Click on the link and capture details of all relevant vehicles requiring access to school.

<https://goo.gl/forms/NX1PEDAYmpKMctxR2>

**STEP 2**

Download and register with Charlie

1. Download and install the Charlie App from your respective app store (click either [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](mailto:stpeters@appcharlie.com) requesting QR codes. Please include the same details used to update your Charlie profile.

Once you receive your QR code, via email print, cut out and place on vehicle windscreen.

**PA NEWS**

**PAVER PLAQUE ORDERS** - <https://goo.gl/forms/eZGieDiKQnfdyzWu2>



**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.

<https://goo.gl/forms/eZGieDiKQnfdyzWu2>

**PA GOLF DAY**

The PA's annual Golf Day will take place at the Kyalami Country Club on Friday, 27 September. The cost is R4000 per Fourball and includes Green fees, Halfway House, complimentary drinks on arrival and at certain holes, dinner and mulligans. There will be a shotgun start at 12 noon.

Bookings for the Fourballs are now open using this link - [Golf Day 2019 Bookings](#)



ST PETER'S PREP SCHOOLS  
**ANNUAL GOLF DAY 2019**

**CALLING ALL GOLFERS**

**Kyalami Country Club**  
Friday, 27 September 2019

- R1000 per player – includes green fees, halfway house, 2 drinks, watering holes, casual dinner and mulligans
- Shotgun start at 12noon
- Prize giving
- Raffle (no fundraising auction)
- Fourball bookings now open!

For any further information please contact the committee at [golfday@stpeters.co.za](mailto:golfday@stpeters.co.za)

**MAKRO REWARDS PROGRAMME – NEW!****Exciting news!**

Makro have launched a new programme and is inviting parents to join and earn rewards for our school whilst earning **mRewards** on their Makro purchases - at any Makro store!

This programme replaces the existing Makro rebate programme which was only linked to the Makro Woodmead store.

See below for more details but if you need any assistance with joining, please contact Anne on [annedp@live.com](mailto:annedp@live.com)

Please consider joining – it is quick and easy and you no longer need to have your Makro card when you use their **mCard App**. You are also able to track your **mRewards** on the **mCard App**.

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**MAKRO IS LAUNCHING A NEW AND EXCITING EDUCATION PROGRAMME IN 2019.**

Our promise of saving customers time and money is made real with **m=Educ8**. And, our goal is to make a difference in helping people fulfill their potential and realise their aspirations.

**We are calling this programme: m=Educ8**

**How it works**

Each parent simply needs to download the Makro mCard app on their mobile phones, and then, in an instant, sign up to the **m=Educ8** programme. Once they sign up, parents are ready to earn rewards for their school, while also earning all their usual mRewards.

For every R1000 spent by the parents, the educational institution will earn R5 (earnings applicable from R1).

This means that in a school with say, 1 500 pupils, and a spend of R1 000 per parent per month (assuming only one of the parents spends per family), the school can earn a very healthy R90 000 per annum.

Ts and Cs apply.

**STEP 1**  
Open the mCard app (Download it here if you don't already have it)

**STEP 2**  
Click the **m=Educ8** banner on the home screen to link to your school.

**STEP 3**  
Select your school's region and then type in the first few letters of the school name in the search bar. Once you've found your school, link it.

**STEP 4**  
The Home screen will show you are linked. Start supporting your school with your Makro shopping. You can update your preferences in "MORE".

**STEP 5**  
You can delink from a school and/or change schools at any time.

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- On the 31st of December of every year all the school/parent links will be removed and parents will need to sign up again in the new school year.
- Important note:** When linked to a school, users can still earn mRewards as normal
- Problems linking to your school?** Parents who already receive preferential prices will not be able to link to a school. If you're not sure if this applies to you, give us a call on 0860 300 999.
- Can't find your school?** They may not be signed up yet. Please encourage your school head to sign up to the programme by completing the authorization form on our website: <https://www.makro.co.za/makstorefront/m-educ8>
- Terms and conditions apply. Visit [www.makro.co.za](http://www.makro.co.za)

**CHARITY EVENT – GUIDE DOGS ASSOCIATION**

**Family Fun Day**

**Date:** Sunday, 28 July 2019  
**Time:** 10h00-16h00  
**Venue:** Gladys Evans Training Centre, 126 Wroxham Road, Paulshof  
**Entrance Fee:** Adults - R50 (at gate only)  
Toddlers 0-3 years: Free  
Pensioners & Children under 12 - R20

Own camp chairs are welcome  
For more information please contact: Yolande van Rooyen, Tel: 011 705 3512  
Email: [YolandeV@guidedog.org.za](mailto:YolandeV@guidedog.org.za)  
Regret GDA Dogs & Puppies only

\*Interested vendors to contact Yolande

**PAWtjiekos Competition**

Is your pot worth drooling over?  
If you think so, let Yolande know!  
Tel: 011 705 3512  
Email: [YolandeV@guidedog.org.za](mailto:YolandeV@guidedog.org.za)

**Date:** Sunday, 28 July 2019  
**Entry Fee:** R350 per team

**PAWsome prizes to be won!**

**Celebrity Judges**  
**1st Prize: R2,500**