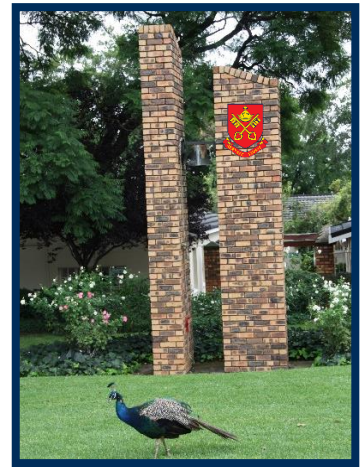




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17 January 2019



ST PETER'S BOYS PREP SCHOOL

THROUGH THE KEYHOLE

Weekly Newsletter of St Peter's Boys Prep School



FROM THE HEADMASTER

It is a pleasure to welcome you back to a new school year. I trust that your boys have enjoyed the first two days of the term. We are happy to welcome a number of new boys to St Peter's for 2019. Their names appear below this article. I am sure that their classmates and parents will give these boys and their families a true St Peter's welcome to the community. We also welcome **Janine Futselaar** to our Senior Prep Staff. Janine will be teaching Mathematics to the Senior boys. In addition, **Bonolo Molefe**, who completed her Internship at the school last year has started in the JP as a Grade 0 teacher. You may be aware that Mrs Sandra van Wyk left us at the end of last year and we are delighted to announce that **Melani Fouché** will be joining our Music Department in May to take on JP Music and Drama.

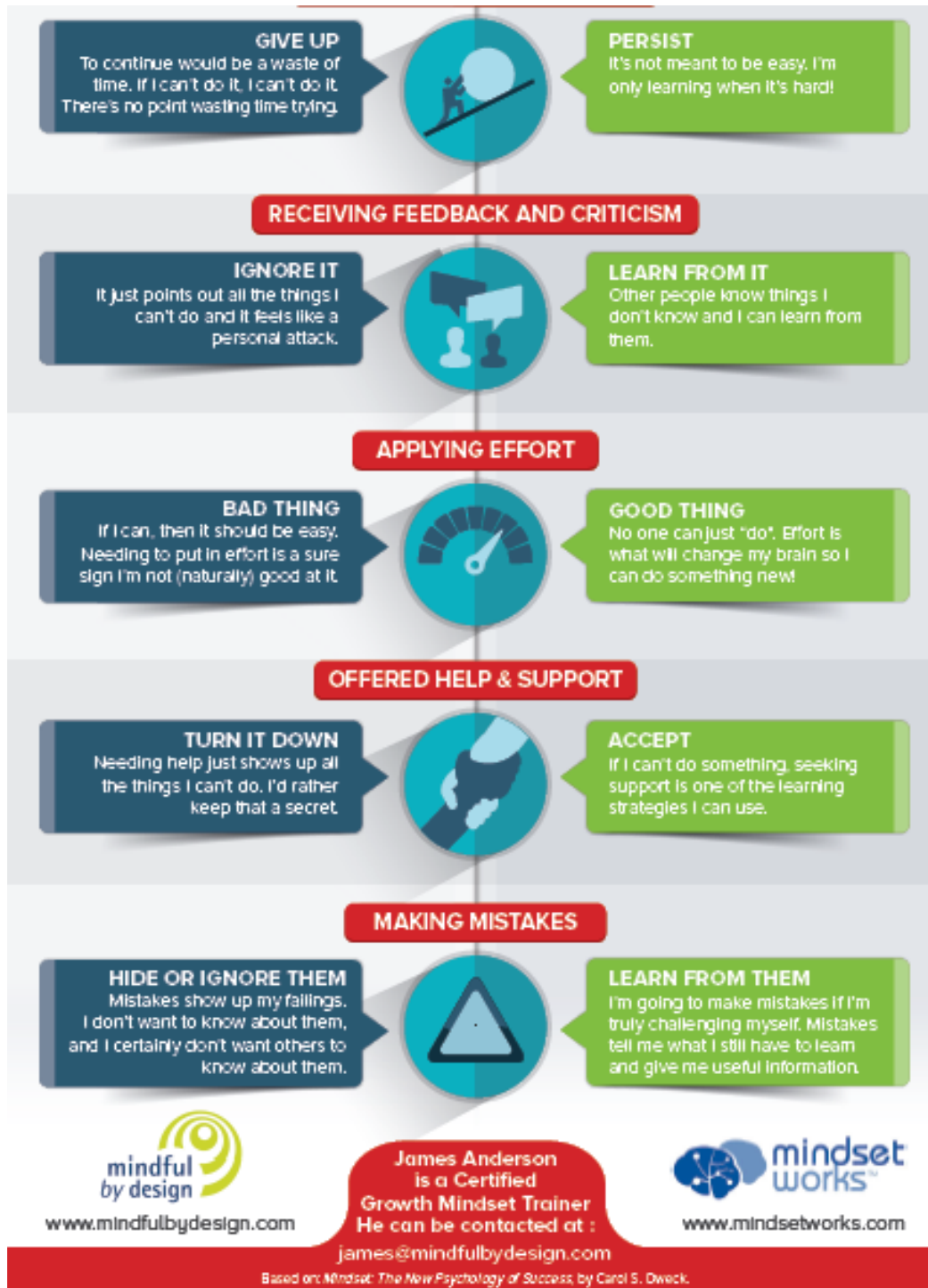


Bonolo Molefe

Janine Futselaar



As you prepare your boys for the year ahead, I would like to remind you of our belief in a "Growth Mindset" at St Peter's. Mrs Katy Mtethwa conducted Staff Development on the latest thinking regarding growth mindsets by James Anderson (www.mindfulbydesign.com) on Tuesday. As you start the term, it will be useful to discuss the differences between fixed and growth mindset responses with your boys.



The teachers will reinforce these responses throughout the year and I am sure that you will be able to celebrate the real progress that your boy makes across all areas of the curriculum as a result of a positive and resilient disposition.

I wish you a 2019 full of growth and fun.

Rob Macaulay

WELCOMES

We welcome the following boys and their families to the St Peter's Family:

Grade 3

Akshaj Lachman
Oliver Pluke
Lesedi Mokoena
Musawenkosi Mdlalose

Grade 4

Ndabenhle Ngumuya
Sikhonathi Gama
Diego Damilano
Lethabo Seabe
Lwandile Mpanza
Luke Kruger
Julian Cameron-Smith

Grade 5

Avumile Bangazi
Kayden Searle
Bethel Musungu
Tristan Vermeulen
Jared Osborn

Grade 6

Xavier Kalify

Grade 7

Liam Searle
Tapiwa Danha
Kamál Naraghi
William Hawley

MUSIC INSTRUMENTAL LESSONS for 2019

To sign up for individual music instrumental lessons, please click on the link below. This will take you to the St Peter's Website which will give you more information as to what is on offer. You will be able to click on the Google form link which will take you to the Music Application form.

The Music application forms for Boy JP and Boys SP can also be found on the **Communicator St Peter's under Resources/BOYS MUSIC.**

BOYS JUNIOR PREP: https://www.stpeters.co.za/boys-prep/content/page/boys-jp-cultural?prep_type=jp

BOYS SENIOR PREP: https://www.stpeters.co.za/boys-prep/content/page/boys-sp-cultural?prep_type=sp

HOT LUNCH

If your son requires Hot Lunch, please click on, and complete, the following Google Form:

<https://goo.gl/forms/zE1KQrBYxm42mvPO2>

This link is also on Communicator St Peter's, in the HOT LUNCH category, under Resources.

The term, week-by-week Hot Lunch Menu is also in this section of Communicator.

NEW SECURITY SYSTEM FOR 2019

A new security measure is being implemented for entrance and egress for parents, staff and visitors. The old sticker security system is being replaced by a QR code that will be scanned on entry and exit.

Information regarding each vehicle will be gathered at the various Information evenings held in the next few days.

Once this information has been processed, each person will receive a QR code, which must be printed and displayed on windscreens. When scanned by the security guards, this QR code will give information about the vehicle owner and identify the St Peter's community.

Families will be issued with two St Peter's branded windscreen discs in which the code can be displayed.

If you have more than one child please only complete the form once.

UPCOMING JANUARY/FEBRUARY HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTATIONS FOR BOYS GRADE 6

The following presentations have been set up for High Schools to present to Grade 6 boys (Grade 7s welcome too).

Venue: Boys Prep Library

Time: 14:00 to 15:00

Tuesday, 29 January St Andrew's College

Tuesday, 5 February Uplands College

Tuesday, 12 February St Peter's College

There is an invitation (details on Communicator St Peter's/ Resources/ BOYS High School Open Days & Invitations for presentations) to 2x Information Evenings for Kearsney College:

Thursday, 31 January at Bryanston Country Club

Friday, 1 February at Houghton Golf Club

FORTHCOMING WEEK

Information Evenings 2019

Thursday, 17 January: Grade 3

Monday, 21 January: Grade 6

Tuesday, 22 January: Grade 4

Wednesday, 23 January: Grade 5

Thursday, 24 January: Grade 7

Please check on the Communicator St Peter's for the 2019 Easter Term Calendar.

You can save and load everything into your electronic Calendar.

PLEASE NOTE: DEADLINE FOR NEWS SUBMISSIONS IS 08:00 ON WEDNESDAYS