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ST PETER'S GIRLS PREP SCHOOL

FROM THE JP HEAD

I hope you all had a great week and celebrated Mandela Day on Tuesday, 18.



CONSULTATIONS AND REPORTING

Parents will be meeting with teachers, either this week, or next, to discuss their daughter's progress. This is a time to reflect on growth and celebrate success. Reports will be handed out to pupils on Monday, 24 August. Consultations take place on Tuesday, 25 and Wednesday, 26 - unless otherwise arranged. Specialists will be available, should you wish to see them. Please make appointments to meet with Specialist Teachers through Kelly Bongers on kbongers@stpeters.co.za

ART WEEK

The girls are in for an adventure - through art, next week. We will focus on Woman Artists; painters, sculptors, musicians and actors. Many of these are South Africans. Please ask your girls to chat to you about this. They will share, through collaboration, and imitate work in order to understand the artist's style.

WELCOME

We welcome **Grace Anderson** and her family to St Peter's. Grace joined Mrs Montagu's class on Monday this week. She has settled in well and we are certain that she will have many happy, fulfilled years here at St Peter's. Her brother Greg, joins Grade 0 next year.

WHAT DO JOURNALISTS DO?

This week, Jennifer Spence presented to the girls, about her work as a photo journalist. As always, the girls' were fascinated. I am so grateful to the parents who are participating in creating an understanding for the girls; of what their mother's do every day and exposing them to a variety of careers.



INSPIRATION

On a weekly basis (on Thursdays), the JP enjoys a presentation, by one of the classes, about some of the learning taking place around our school. Yesterday we were treated, by Grade OJB, to a performance of Zulu dialogue and songs. The girls are making great progress under Ms Ndzwani's tutelage.

GRADE 2 MUSIC ROTATIONS

On **Thursday, 27 July**, the Grade 2s will be having their Music Open Morning. Parents are welcome to watch their daughter's class group and experience what the girls have been learning this term. A letter will be distributed, with specific details regarding your daughter's group and time.

Have a super week!

Heather Kissack
(JP Head)

MANDELA DAY COLLECTION

Reminder: Mandela Day Collection ends tomorrow - Friday, 21 July. Please bring: books, clothes and sport kit for the collection skip situated in the Chapel car park.

GRADE 2 HOCKEY DEMONSTRATION

The Grade 2 girls have been learning hockey skills this term and are excited to demonstrate these to their parents on **Wednesday, 2 August**. They will be involved in showing off some of the skills they have learned through a series of fun activities and drills. This event will take place on **Brecknock field** in allotted times for each class:

12:00	Mrs Glass
12:30	Mrs Montagu
13:00	Mrs Peake

Looking forward to you joining us

Liz Ashmore
Director of Sport

GETTING TO KNOW EACH OTHER - ISAAC NTJILO

Isaac began his time at St Peter's in July 1997 as a cleaner of a JSE quoted company to which St Peter's had outsourced this service. His intelligence and commitment was quickly recognised in his promotion to supervisor. The school became frustrated with the high turnover of cleaning staff seeking better-paid employment. As a consequence, it took the step of setting Isaac up in his own cleaning company in December 2000 when Njilo's Cleaners was born.

Isaac immediately justified the faith, which the school had in him. Service levels improved dramatically and have remained constant to this day. He is extremely sensitive to the needs of the school and is astoundingly obliging. His teams work long and hard hours, sometimes clearing up after functions in the halls or pavilions after midnight when they are required for morning use. He has extremely high standards and we are always proud of the condition of our facilities as a consequence of the commitment of his company. He has embraced greening principles and, as far as possible, all chemicals used are environmentally friendly and pose no threat to the health of the community.

Over the years, his business has expanded. He provides similar services to St Peter's College and Wahoo. Isaac is married, lives in Soweto and has a daughter in the Girls School.

Greg Royce



WEEK AHEAD

2017/07/24			Visual Arts Week	
2017/07/24			Reports go home	
2017/07/25			Visual Arts Week	
2017/07/25			Parent Consultations	
2017/07/26			Visual Arts Week	
2017/07/26	09:00:00	12:30:00	Grade 2 Sefikeng Outing	Sefikeng P School
2017/07/26			Parent Consultations	
2017/07/27			Visual Arts Week	
2017/07/27	10:00:00	11:30:00	Grade 2 Music Open Morning	
2017/07/28	09:00:00	10:00:00	Production 2000 Show Grade 0-2	Royce hall

**GRADE 0, GRADE 1 AND GRADE 2 HOLIDAY CLUB – WEEK 1 OF AUGUST HOLIDAYS**

Grade 0, 1 and 2 girls, friends and younger siblings come and join **Mrs Buck** and **Mrs Steyn** for a wonderfully fun and creative holiday club. **Club staffed by fully qualified teachers.**

- DATES:** Mon 7th Aug, Tues 8th Aug, Thurs 10th, Fri 11th August.
ACTIVITIES: Lots of baking and delicious treats to make, beautiful crafts to create, treasure hunt and bike day.
COST: R200 per day, all payments by 2nd August by EFT.
TIMES: 07:45 – 12:00
VENUE: Mrs Buck's classroom

Sign up on the lists on the JP noticeboard and **collect an information and application form.** Looking forward to having you! Queries jbuck@stpeters.co.za or ssteyn@stpeters.co.za.

ST PETER'S GOLF DAY



The St Peter's Golf Day
29 September 2017
 Kyalami Country Club

EXCITING RAFFLE
 Win tickets to both days of the HSBC Cape Town Rugby Sevens 2017, return flights and 3 nights accommodation at the 5* Radisson Blu Hotel from 8 - 10 December for FOUR people

The Essentials...

- 12:00 shotgun start
- Gin bar on arrival
- Prize giving and casual dinner in the bar
- Draw for the raffle valued at R40 000 (no fundraising auction this year)

BOOKINGS NOW OPEN!
 email golfday@stpeters.co.za for more info and to request a booking form




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Ticket Price R200
 Limited to 500 tickets only
 Email golffaffle@stpeters.co.za to purchase tickets

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The raffle draw will take place at the Golf Day Prize Giving function on the evening of 29 September 2017.
 The prize winner does not have to be present at the raffle draw in order to win the prize.

