

# SUMMERFIELDS PRIMARY SCHOOL

### "KNOWLEDGE IS STRENGTH"

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**11 NOVEMBER 2024** 

# NEWSLETTER#13



**ASSESSMENTS** are upon us and we trust that your child is well prepared for the upcoming exams. Please also ensure that your child is adequately rested. Parents, please support your child emotionally and academically, as this is of utmost importance to them. **Pupils must bring their own stationery.** Please remember that if your child is absent for an assessment, a Doctor's Medical Certificate is required.

## FORMAL ASSESSMENT TIMES 13 - 25 NOVEMBER 2024

Grades 1,2 and 3 7:30 – 12:45 Grades 4,5,6 and 7 7:30 – 13:00

Note that there will be no waiting class during the assessment period.

Normal school hours resume from the 26th November 2024.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR CHILD IS AT SCHOOL BY 07:30 EVERY SCHOOL MORNING.

Please take note of the Weighting of Marks for the final reports as depicted below. Weighting of marks for the final reports, e.g.

SCHOO	OL BASED ASSES	<b>CONTROLLED TEST</b>		
TERM 1	TERM 2	TERM 3	TERM 4	GRADE
	80%	20%	Gr 4 – 6	
	60%	40%	Gr 7	

**GRADE 4 ORIENTATION DAY**- On the 26<sup>th</sup> November 2024, a Grade 4 Orientation Day will be held for all current Grade 3 learners who will be promoted to Grade 4 in 2025.

**PRIZE-GIVING ASSEMBLY:** Please take note of the following arrangements for the Prize-Giving Awards.

Grade 00 & R Graduation Saturday, 16 November 2024 at 09:00

Grade 1,2 and 3 Prize-Giving Monday, 9th December 2024
Grade 4,5.6 and 7 Prize-Giving Tuesday, 10th December 2024

ONLY RECIPIENTS OF AWARDS ATTEND SCHOOL ON THE 9th AND 10th DECEMBER 2024.





We wish to thank <u>PUMA SECURITY</u> for the very generous donation of soccer balls donated to the school. Your contribution is very much appreciated.



Thank you to our parents who unfalteringly send food to the school for our needy families. Our FOOD DRIVE was a huge success. We are truly grateful for your kindness.

Mr. Mayet of the Caltex Garage in Atlas Road has placed a box inside the convenience store for donations that are made by customer to Summerfields Primary. Thank you for your support,



**GRADE 7 FAREWELL** – Our Grade 7 learners enjoyed a day of fun and entertainment at Gold Reef City on the 31st October 2024.



<u>STAFF YEAR-END FUNCTION</u> will take place on Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> December 2024. Please note that the school will close at 12:00. Kindly ensure that your child is collected from school by 12:30 at the very latest if your child does not attend aftercare. The waiting area will be open until 13:00 only.





Parents, in light of the Department's warning issued last week regarding food poisoning, please inform your children to be cautious about purchasing food and beverages from outside vendors. A letter in this regard was distributed to parents from the school on the 10th November 2024.



# PLEASE BE AWARE!!

SCHOLAR PATROL: PLEASE BE OBSERVANT AND CAUTIOUS AND OBEY THE INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN BY THE SCHOLAR PATROL STATIONED IN PHANTOM ROAD.

### Traffic

Parents transporting learners to and from school are requested to take note of the following:

- the one-way traffic signs; i)
- ii) not to drive into the school grounds:
- to adhere to the rules of the road regarding parking. ii)



DO NOT JEOPARDISE THE SAFETY OF OUR LEARNERS BY DISOBEYING TRAFFIC SIGNS.



DO NOT DOUBLE PARK:



LEARNERS LEAVING THE SCHOOL: Should current learners leave the school at the end of the year, please take note of the following procedure:

- 1. Inform the school via e-mail that your child will be leaving the school. E-mails can be sent to: admin@summerfieldsprimary.co.za or info@summerfieldsprimary.co.za
- 2. Please bear in mind that Transfer Cards cannot be processed until such time that all assessments and reports are finalised. If your child is removed from EduPac/SASAMS before this process, they will forfeit their final report as they will no longer be a learner at the school;
- 3. Your child's Transfer Card will be inserted in the envelope containing their report;
- 4. Your child is to ensure that **ALL** textbooks have been returned to the school, failing which R250.00 (per book) is payable for any outstanding/lost/damaged books;
- 5. Kindly request a statement from Mrs. Sweetman to enquire whether any school fees is outstanding;
- 6. Directive from the GDE states that NO REPORTS MAY BE ISSUED TO LEARNERS BEFORE THE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL, i.e. 11 DECEMBER 2024.

NO PARENTS OR VISITORS ARE ALLOWED ON THE SCHOOL PREMISES. REPORT TO RECEPTION VIA THE ENTRANCE TO THE OFFICES IN PIAGGIO STREET TO SIGN IN AT THE SCHOOL.

SCHOOL FEES: At the AGM held on 4 November 2024, a resolution was adopted by the parents that Summerfields Primary School is a school-fee paying school. Please take note of the school fee structure as indicated overleaf, for 2025.

SCHOOL FEES 2025 – Fees must be paid by the 7th of each month, in advance.

R2,200.00 x 11 months = R24,200 per annum per child (**no discount**), plus a once off consumable Gr R

fee of R2,200.00 per child is payable before 7 January 2025.

Gr 1 R1,660.00 x 11 months = R18,260.00 per annum per child. 10% Discount (R1,826.00) is applicable if

fees are paid in full by 31 December 2024. You therefore pay R16,434.00 per child instead of R18,260.00

Gr 2 – 7 R1,550.00 x 11 months = R17,050.00 per annum per child. 10% Discount R1,705.00) is applicable if

fees are paid in full by 31 December 2024. You therefore pay R15,345.00 per child instead of R17,050.00.

For security reasons, please make direct deposits into our bank account:

Name: Summerfields Primary School Bank Nedbank - Melrose Arch

Bank Code 196605

Account Number 1966 477 805 (Please use your child's name, surname and grade as reference)





We wish to congratulate **Miss Mashava** on being appointed as Manager of the Eastern Cricket Union U/16 Boys team for the December 2024 season. The National Week in which all 16 Provinces compete will be held in Pretoria from the 9<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> December 2024. Well done Miss Mashava.

**Mr. Thatelo** was selected as Coach for Eastern U/12 Cricket in December 2024. Congratulations Mr. Thatelo.

**KEEGAN CLARK** in Grade 5C was awarded **SAAerialnastix Colours** for Tumbling and Trampoline disciplines. He represented Gauteng in October 2024. Well done on your achievements Keegan.



# Important things to remember

#### **DON'T BE LATE**

GATES C & A ARE LOCKED AT 07:30, GATE B IS LOCKED AT 7:40. Parents and transporters are to ensure that children are at school by 07:30 the very latest. Please respect this directive and refrain from dropping your children off at school late. Allow your child to start their school day on a positive note by being at school on time. It is very disruptive

a positive note by being at school on time. It is very disruptive and unfair to learners who are already in class and busy with work when a child enters the classroom late. Please be considerate.

#### GATE D is for PRE-SCHOOL LEARNERS ONLY.

Learners arriving late and leaving early will be recorded in accordance with instructions from the GDE.

#### PARCELS / DELIVERIES FOR LEARNERS

NO PARCELS will be accepted at Reception for learners in any grade. This includes, but is not limited to lunches, projects, homework, PT clothes, sports kits, school bags, stationery, tuck money etc. Kindly ensure that your child has everything he/she needs before being dropped off at school. THERE WILL BE NO LENIENCY IN THIS REGARD, AS PER SCHOOL RULES. Please do not request our staff to disregard instructions given by the Management Team. Only chronic medication will be accepted, e.g. insulin.

#### **HOLIDAYS**

Parents must please arrange their holidays in accordance with the school calendar and ensure that their child/children attend school during the allocated term dates as set out by the Education Department. As school attendance is **compulsory by law** for all children between the ages of 7 and 15, no Educator or Principal may give permission for pupils to take leave during the terms. (Please refer to the Prospectus). **Learners who miss assessments due to vacations taken during the term will receive zero for any missed assessments.** There will be no leniency.

#### **PARTY PACKS**



**SEALED** party packs and cupcakes may be delivered at the office

for learners' birthdays between 07:10 and 07:30. Please do not send cakes that must be cut to school or



cold drinks that must be poured into cups.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 2024					
Term 1	17 January – 20 March		Term 2	3 April – 14 June	
Term 3	9 July – 20 September		Term 4	1 October – 11 December	

IMPORTANT DATES							
13 November	Assessments start	5 December	Staff Year-End Function				
20 November	Foundation Phase Final Assembly	9 December	Grade 1 – 3 Prize Giving				
25 November	Assessments end	10 December	Grade 4 – 7 Prize Giving				
28 November	Fun Day	11 December	Schools close for 2024				







Please phone 011 894 6867 to book an appointment to visit the shop. Good quality used school clothes for sale at very reasonable prices.

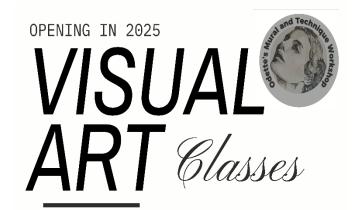
- 1. Only CASH payments accepted
- 2. All items are sold voetstoots
- 3. This is NOT a swop shop
- 4. No refunds
- 5. No return policy
- 6. Only parents may select clothing

# **SHOP HOURS (2024)**

Mondays 07:00 - 07:35Tuesday 13:50 - 14:30Wednesdays 13:50 - 14:30

The above times are subject to change

PLEASE MARK ALL YOUR CHILD'S CLOTHES
CLEARLY



#### **PRICING**

PER SESSION: R250 (2 HOUR SESSION)
MONTHLY PACKAGE: R800 (4 SESSIONS)

MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS 14:00-16:00 BONAERO PARK

GRADE 4-7

THIS CLASS IS DESIGNED FOR BEGINNERS WHO WANT TO LEARN ART BASICS WITHOUT THE PRESSURE. JUST BRING YOUR CREATIVITY AND ENTHUSIASM!

CONTACT US FOR MORE DETAILES:

Email: od.artist@gmail.com whatsapp: 082 396 4284

#### MY SCHOOL CARD



### **EVERY SWIPE COUNTS!**

Please remember to swipe your My School card.

If you don't have a My School Card yet,
please apply for yours now!

#### It's easy!

Go online at www.myschool.co.za Call us on 0860 100 445 Email us @myschool.co.za Or at any Woolworths store

Funds raised Sept 2024 – R1,515.85 Active supports: 402 Tel.

086 142 5493 083 322 6690

24 Hour Monitoring Armed Response Alarm Installations CCTV, Intercoms Gate Automation Medical Response

**Community Monitoring Services** 

Shop 17,

Farrarmere Shopping Centre Contact: Chris 083 375 2750