



14 November 2024

Dear Parents

**Exams**

We are on track and the exams are running as expected. Our learners are doing well, they are hard at work and come to school well prepared. Our dedicated teachers are bringing their side by a high standard of marking and moderation. We will achieve our goals and would like to thank parents for supporting their children during this important time.

A few learners are still left at school way after the time frame given. Please ensure you keep within this time frame to prevent any negative outcome.

**Work Force**

Our dedicated general workers ensure that our school is not only well kept but neat, clean and ready for teaching every day. Some of the workers will be on duty daily during the festive season to ensure our school remains neat and ready for the start of the new year. For our next civvies day we are requesting donations so as to thank them with a nice gift for their hard work. This is optional and not compulsory. They never ask for anything and as they are always willing to serve us and we would like to spoil them. No amount is too small - we are blessed to have them at our school.

**School Governing Body: By-Election**

We wish to thank the SGB who have supported us during the year to deliver education of a high standard. They play an important role supporting management and enabling our teachers to teach in a positive environment, which in turn supports all our learners.

Our academic, sport and cultural achievements are well known and respected. We thank you for that.

Notice is hereby given of a By-election for two SGB parent members to be held on 6 December 2024 at 08:00 in the school hall. Nomination forms will be available at the office from 25 November 2024 and must be returned by 4 December 2024.

**Reports**

Parents can collect reports from the teachers on the 6 December 2024 between 06:00 - 08:00 at the following gates:

- Grade 1 - Gate 3                      Grade 2 - Gate 2                      Grade 3 - Gate 12
- Grade 4 - Gate 6                      Grade 5 - Gate 9                      Grade 6 - Gate 10B
- Grade 7 - Gate 11A

**According to the Policy**

***"Parents will then have to personally fetch the report from the class teacher or an (\*) authorised person may be nominated. The reason for this is that it is the final promotion of your child and that it is a sensitive and confidential document.***

***No report will be handed to any child or parent outside this policy. We regard every child's report as a confidential record. No report will ever be held back, however, the Principal may request that the report should be collected personally from his office if there is sufficient merit for this. Parents should be notified of such a decision timeously (10 days' notice.)***

***(\*) An authorised person can only qualify to fetch the report if the following three requirements were met:***

- 1) The parent sends an e-mail to [info@sunridge.co.za](mailto:info@sunridge.co.za) or a letter with the written request to hand the report to the person, stating the full names and ID no of the person, as well as the name and grade of the child. This e-mail or letter must reach the school 3 work days before the last school day of that particular term or 10 days before the predetermined date in the last term.***
- 2) The person comes to the school at the given time, with his/her ID as well as the written request by the parent.***
- 3) The person must be 18 years or older."***

Sunshine greetings  
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Principal



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Geagte Ouers

### Eksamen

Ons is volstoom op koers en die eksamen verloop soos verwag. Ons leerders vaar goed, hulle werk hard en kom goed voorbereid skool toe, terwyl ons toegewyde onderwysers hulle kant bring met 'n hoë standaard van merkwerk en moderering. Ons sal ons doelwitte behaal en wil ons ouers bedank vir hul ondersteuning aan hul kinders gedurende hierdie belangrike tyd.

**'n Paar leerders bly nog steeds by die skool lank ná die gegewe tydraamwerk en dit behoort nie so te wees nie. Maak asseblief seker dat u binne die tydraamwerk bly om 'n negatiewe uitkoms te voorkom.**

### Werkmag

Ons toegewyde algemene werkers sorg daarvoor dat ons skool altyd goed versorg, netjies, skoon en gereed vir onderrig bly. **'n Paar van hulle sal elke dag gedurende die feesseisoen vir diens aanmeld, om te verseker dat ons skool netjies en gereed is vir die terugkeer ná die vakansie.** Vir ons volgende civviedag versoek ons donasies om hulle vir die harde werk te bedank. Dit is opsioneel en nie verpligtend nie. Hulle vra nooit vir enigiets nie en is altyd gereed om ons te bedien, daarom wil ons hulle graag 'n bietjie bederf. Hulle hande staan vir niks verkeerd nie en ons skool is geseënd om hulle in diens te hê.

### Skoolbeheerliggaam: Tussenverkiesing

**Ons hartlike dank aan die SBL wat ons skool gedurende die jaar ondersteun om onderrig van 'n hoë standaard te lewer. Hulle speel 'n belangrike rol om die skoolbestuurspan te ondersteun en ons onderwysers in staat te stel om in 'n positiewe omgewing te onderrig, waarby al ons leerders baat vind.**

Ons prestasies op akademiese, sport- en kultuurgebied is wyd en syd bekend en word gerespekteer. Baie dankie daarvoor.

Kennis geskied hiermee van die tussenverkiesing vir twee SBL-ouerlede, wat op 6 Desember 2024 om 08:00 in die skoolsaal plaasvind. Nominasievorms is vanaf 25 November by die skoolkantoor beskikbaar en moet teen 4 Desember 2024 ingehandig word.

### Rapporte

Ouers kan rapporte van 06:00 tot 08:00 op 6 Desember 2024 by die volgende hekke afhaal:

Hek 3 vir Gr 1            Hek 2 vir Gr 2            Hek 12 vir Gr 3  
Hek 6 vir Gr 4            Hek 9 vir Gr 5            Hek 10B vir Gr 6  
Hek 11A vir Gr 7

### Volgens die Beleid

***"Ouers sal die rapport dan persoonlik by die klasonderwyser afhaal of 'n (\*) gemagtigde persoon mag genomineer word. Die rede hiervoor is omdat dit die finale bevordering van u kind is en omdat dit 'n sensitiewe en vertroulike dokument is. Geen rapport sal aan enige kind of ouer buite hierdie beleid oorhandig word nie. Elke kind se rapport word as 'n vertroulike dokument beskou. Geen rapport sal ooit teruggehou word nie, maar die Skoolhoof kan versoek dat die rapport persoonlik by sy kantoor afgehaal word indien daar voldoende meriete is. Ouers moet betyds van so 'n besluit in kennis gestel word (10 dae kennis).***

***(\*) 'n Gemagtigde persoon word slegs toegelaat om die rapport af te haal indien aan die volgende drie vereistes voldoen word:***

- 1) Die ouers stuur 'n e-pos na [info@sunridge.co.za](mailto:info@sunridge.co.za) of 'n brief met die skriftelike versoek dat die rapport aan die persoon oorhandig word, met vermelding van die volle name en ID-nommer van die persoon, asook die naam en graad van die kind. Hierdie e-pos moet die skool 3 werkdade voor die laaste skooldag van daardie kwartaal bereik, of 10 dae voor die vooraf bepaalde datum in die laaste kwartaal.***
- 2) Die persoon kom na die skool toe op die gegewe tyd, met sy/haar ID, asook die skriftelike versoek van die ouer.***
- 3) Die persoon moet 18 jaar of ouer wees."***

Sonskyngroete  
M DE VRIES  
Skoolhoof



## LEARNER ACHIEVEMENTS / LEERDERPRESTASIES

*If not a school event, official results must be emailed to wendy@sunridge.co.za within one week of the event.  
**Indien nie 'n skoolaktiwiteit nie, moet uitslae binne een week na wendy@sunridge.co.za gestuur word.***

**ATHLETICS:** The following learners have been selected for the EP Sub-Youth team to compete at the ASA National Sub-Youth Championships in Bloemfontein - Stian Gerber, Tatum Strumpher, Anke-Mari Roets, Kiane Herion, Wessel Jordaan, Braydin Halgreen and Josslyn Sutton.

**MODELING:** Alizwa Brown was the Top Model of the Year winner and Minke van Jaarsveld the first runner up.

**SWIMMING:** B Age Group Gala - André Strydom (12) 1st 50m breaststroke, 2nd 50m freestyle, 3rd 50m butterfly, 50m & 100m backstroke, Jacques Claassen (10) 1st in 100m backstroke and 3rd in 50m backstroke, Tyla Grobler (9) 2nd 50m breaststroke & 3rd 50m freestyle.

**BALLET:** Royal Academy of Dance Ballet Exams - Alyssa Seaman Distinction and gold medal.

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# KNOW YOUR STAFF

Staff Member: *Samantha Killian*

**Early Life:** I come from PE, but started my school career at Malmesbury Primary School and boarding school, until halfway through Grade 4. We then moved to PE and I was enrolled at Sunridge Primary School. I then went onto Lawson Brown High School.

**Family Life:** I am not married and have no children unless we are talking about my OTHER children which I have plenty of. Fortunately I have the space to have all my fur babies around me - dogs and cats. I am engaged to the most awesome and understanding man, who is also my best friend.

**Career Life:** After school I joined the SA Navy. I then moved back to PE and started working at BTC Technology before coming to Sunridge Primary School. I have been here almost 30 years now and still love my work

**Accomplishments:** We grow almost all of our own veggies and started with fruit trees. To harvest our own food directly from the garden and to put it on our plates or preserve it is so amazing.

**Interesting facts about yourself:** I would bring every homeless animal home if I could. I can't stand it when animals are hurt.

**Please answer the following questions:**

- 1. What was your favourite TV show when growing up?** Wielie Walie, Bennie Boekwurm and TV in general.
- 2. Do you have any strange phobias?** Nothing strange.
- 3. Are you addicted to any strange hobbies/activities?** Nothing strange.
- 4. If you could have any one superpower, which would you choose?** At this stage of my life I would love to have speed. Like Flash.
- 5. What is the first thing you notice about people?** Smile and humour.
- 6. What was the worst punishment you received in school?** Receiving a hiding in front of the class.
- 7. What, or who, are you a secret fan of?** No secret but I admired my mom and her continuous drive she had.
- 8. What are the three things you still want to do in your life?** Travel SA, learn to play a music instrument and learn a new language.
- 9. What is the worst pet you have ever had?** I've never had a bad pet.
- 10. What do you prefer?** A. Beach or Bush B. Braai or Pizza C. Winter or Summer D. Movies or Series



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Staff Member: *Dalene Hart*

**Early Life:** I was born and bred in PE. I am the eldest of 3 daughters and we are blessed to still have our mother with us.

**Family Life:** Peter and I got married 10 November 1990 (34 years ago!). We started our family in 1992 and are blessed to have 2 sons and a daughter. Along the way we have gained a son-in-law and a daughter-in-law who perfectly round off our family. The biggest blessing to date, is the arrival of my granddaughter who recently turned 2.

**Career Life:** : I hung up my extremely stressful corporate hat in 2011 and stayed home for +-2 years. I temped here at Sunridge for part of 2013 and joined the Sunshine family fulltime in October 2014

**Accomplishments:** I genuinely still deem my family as my biggest accomplishment. Very proud mama bear and wife of 408 months and counting and an even prouder granny.

**Interesting facts about yourself:** We love to entertain and I'm always planning some or other get together with friends and family. I love games and we have a large selection. Canasta is our absolute favourite. Lastly, I enjoy sewing, knitting and crocheting. Time is limited though and I wish I could spend more time doing all of these activities. .

**Please answer the following questions:**

- 1. What was your favourite TV show when growing up?** Knight Rider – with the whole family and sweeties on Friday nights.
- 2. Do you have any strange phobias?** I don't have phobias, but I hate moths! For some reason they love my ears.
- 3. Are you addicted to any strange hobbies/activities?** Nothing strange.
- 4. If you could have any one superpower, which would you choose?** Be able to fly wherever, whenever, in record speed. Visiting my son in Australia would be my first stop.
- 5. What is the first thing you notice about people?** General appearance and body language.
- 6. What was the worst punishment you received in school?** Being hit over the knuckles with a wooden ruler in primary school, but I don't remember why.
- 7. What, or who, are you a secret fan of?** P!nk. I would love to go to one of her concerts. One funky lady that seems to have mastered the balance between work and family. I would be really upset if what she portrays on social media isn't real.
- 8. What are the three things you still want to do in your life?** Travel more, go on a European boat cruise and master Thai cooking.
- 9. What is the worst pet you have ever had?** I have only ever had dogs and cats and they are/were all lovable.
- 10. What do you prefer?** A. Beach or **Bush**    B. Braai or Pizza    C. **Winter** or Summer    D. Movies or **Series**



CRICKET RESULTS			
TEAM	OPPONENT	RESULT	PLAYER OF THE MATCH
U/13A			
U/13B			
U/13B			
U/13C			
U/13D			
U/11A			
U/11B			
U/11C			
U/10A			
U/10B			
U/9A HARDBALL			
U/9A MINI			
U/9B MINI			
U/8A			
U/8B			



TENNIS RESULTS			
TEAM	OPPONENT	RESULT	PLAYER OF THE MATCH
1ST TEAM BOYS			
2ND TEAM BOYS			
1ST TEAM GIRLS			
1ST TEAM GIRLS			

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