

Dear Parents

JUNE: Report Policy

Please note that a report is an official document issued within our academic policy.

This is a sensitive but important matter which causes many problems as 2% of our parents do not follow the rules. As Principal, I unlock the safe before 11:00 and issue all reports based on the attendance register of each class teacher.

Since school attendance is compulsory (South Africans Schools Act) this also applies to the last day of the term. We close at 11:00 for the holidays and reports are only handed to learners in attendance before they go home at 11:00.

Since we also need to comply with the “exception to the rule” policy, the following is allowed: (1) A medical certificate excusing the child - the Principal will issue their report to the SMT and they will decide how the report will be handed to the learner/parent before 11:00 and (2) A school sport or cultural event confirmed by the SMT, will require the Principal to hand over the reports to the relevant teacher who will hand them out after 11:00.

In the case of children who are absent because they are leaving the school - the Principal will confirm with the administrative office that all documents are in place, he will then scan and email the report to the Deputy Principal who will email the report, in a PDF format, to the parent.

The Principal will lock the safe and any reports not issued in accordance with the policy will remain in the safe until the first day of the next term. The Principal will then hand over the reports to the class teachers if the child is at school.

Only at the end of the year do we hand reports over to parents on a specific day and time as arranged.

Social Media

During a conference in Stellenbosch last week we were in contact with people who use research in education, psychology and neuroscience to understand our world. Experts in both the influential world of media and others in the field can clearly see the influence of social media and the huge risk it poses to children’s mental health. There are definitely benefits if well controlled BUT cyber-bullying, privacy violation, sexting and many more risks are a reality and parents are basically handing the tools for exposure to their child.

Without any control, proper training, measures, instructions, manuals or risk analysis our children are given a powerful, wonderful but a potentially dangerous tool to use - and they are under 18 years of age!

Children create a world of their own on the platforms available and eventually they will find themselves in dangerous territory. Many are lucky and even though they escape many of these dangers the scars left will be forever imprinted in their young minds - scars you might never see! Their privacy or that of others will be violated and their profiles will become a means of exchange but at what price? Boundaries will be pushed - either theirs or their friends and parents - tension and flirting become a reality with innocent, stupid, impulsive actions following. When it is not funny, practical jokes, comments, photos and other information becomes the proverbial elephant in the room. One crazy idea and your whole life can change!

“Those who were seen without social media were thought insane by those who could not hear the screams for help from our dying moral society!” - DVM

Dancing School

We are proud to be seen as a dancing school. Studies show the transformative power of dance for people of all ages and walks of life - even in the harshest of circumstances in peace, war, abundance and hardship. It shows that dance can help restore joy and stability in difficult times and ease tensions in schools.

“The rule is you have to dance a little bit in the morning before you leave the house because it changes the way you walk out in the world.” - Unknown

Sunshine greetings



M DE VRIES
Principal

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Geagte Ouers

JUNIE: Rapportbeleid

Neem asseblief kennis dat 'n rapport 'n amptelike dokument is wat binne ons akademiese beleid uitgereik word.

Hierdie is 'n sensitiewe, maar belangrike aangeleentheid wat eindelose probleme veroorsaak, want 2% van ons ouers volg nie die reëls nie. As Skoolhoof sluit ek die kluis voor 11:00 oop en reik al die rapporte uit, gebaseer op die bywoningsregister van elke klasonderwyser.

Aangesien skoolbywoning verpligtend is (Suid-Afrikaanse Skolewet), geld dit tog ook vir die laaste dag van die kwartaal. Ons sluit om 11:00 vir die vakansie en rapporte word slegs aan leerders wat teenwoordig is, oorhandig voordat hulle om 11:00 huis toe gaan.

Aangesien ons ook aan die “uitsondering op die reël” beleid moet voldoen, word die volgende toegelaat: (1) 'n **Mediese sertifikaat** wat die kind verskoon – die Skoolhoof sal die rapport dan aan die SBS uitreik en hulle sal besluit hoe die rapport voor 11:00 aan die leerder/ouer oorhandig sal word. (2) 'n **Skoolsport- of kulturgeleentheid** wat deur die SBS bevestig is, sal vereis dat die Skoolhoof die rapporte aan die betrokke onderwyser oorhandig, wat dit ná 11:00 sal uitdeel.

In die geval van kinders wat afwesig is omdat hulle die skool verlaat, sal die Skoolhoof met die administratiewe kantoor bevestig dat alle dokumentasie in plek geplaas is, daarna sal hy die rapport skandeer en per e-pos aan die Adjunkhoof stuur, wat die rapport in PDF-formaat aan die ouer sal e-pos.

Die Skoolhoof sal dan die kluis sluit en alle rapporte wat nie volgens die beleid uitgereik is nie, sal tot die eerste dag van die volgende kwartaal in die kluis bly. Slegs dan sal die Skoolhoof die kluis oopsluit en die rapporte aan die klasonderwyser oorhandig indien die kind by die skool is.

Slegs aan die einde van die jaar word rapporte aan ouers op 'n spesifieke dag en tyd oorhandig.

Sosiale Media

Tydens 'n “konferensie” verlede week in Stellenbosch was ons in aanraking met mense wat navorsing in onderrig, sielkunde en neurowetenskap gebruik om ons wêreld te verstaan. Met 'n deskundige in die invloedryke mediawêreld en ander deskundiges op die gebied van die invloed van sosiale media, het hulle duidelik gesien dat dit 'n groot risiko vir kinders se geestesgesondheid inhou. Daar is beslis voordele indien dit deeglik beheer word, MAAR kuberboelies, skending van privaatheid, die stuur van seksuele tekste en vele meer risiko's is 'n werklikheid en ouers oorhandig eintlik die gereedskap vir blootstelling aan hul kinders.

Sonder enige beheer, behoorlike opleiding, maatreëls, instruksies, handleidings of risiko-analiseerders kry ons kinders 'n magtige, wonderlike, maar potensieel gevaarlike instrument in die hand – en hulle is jonger as 18 jaar!

Kinders skep 'n wêreld van hul eie op die beskikbare platforms en uiteindelik gaan hulle hulself op gevaarlike grond begewe. Talle is gelukkig en hoewel hulle uit heelwat gevare ontsnap, bly die letsels in hul jong geheue voortleef – letsels wat dalk onsigbaar is! Hul privaatheid en dié van talle ander sal geskend word en hul profiele sal 'n ruilmiddel word – maar teen watter prys? Grense sal getoets word – hul eie of dié van vriende en ouers – spanning en flirtasie word 'n werklikheid, met onskuldige, dom, impulsiewe aksies wat volg. Wanneer dit nie snaaks is nie - poetse, kommentaar, foto's en ander inligting - word dit die spreekwoordelike olifant in die vertrek.

Een onbesonne idee en jou hele wêreld verander!

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Dansskool

Ons is trots daarop om as 'n dansskool beskou te word, want studies toon die transformasiemag van dans vir mense van alle ouderdomme en lewensterreine – in tye van vrede, oorlog, oorvloed en ontbering. Dit toon ook dat dans vreugde en stabiliteit in moeilike tye kan help herstel en spanning in skole kan ontlont.

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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.*

JUNE SPECIALS

SWIFT 1.2 GL

FROM ONLY
R3519
10% DEPOSIT REQUIRED
CALCULATED 35% BALLOON PER MONTH



Tavcor  SUZUKI

Port Elizabeth 041 395 8200 suzukipe.co.za

XL6 1.5 GL

FROM ONLY
R4899
10% DEPOSIT REQUIRED
CALCULATED 35% BALLOON PER MONTH



Tavcor  SUZUKI

Port Elizabeth 041 395 8200 suzukipe.co.za



S.PRESSO 1.0 GL+

FROM ONLY
R2641
10% DEPOSIT REQUIRED
CALCULATED 35% BALLOON PER MONTH



Tavcor  SUZUKI

Port Elizabeth 041 395 8200 suzukipe.co.za

JIMNY 1.5 GL 5-DOOR

FROM ONLY
R6199
10% DEPOSIT REQUIRED
CALCULATED 35% BALLOON PER MONTH



Tavcor  SUZUKI

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PHOTO GALLERY / FOTOGALLERY



RUGBY			
TEAM	OPPONENT	RESULT	PLAYER OF THE MATCH
U/13A	GILL	39 - 14	JADEN SASS
U/13B			
U/13C			
U/11A	GILL	45 - 0	FLIPPIE SMIT
U/11B			
U/11C			
U/11D			
U/9A	SELBORNE	7 - 0	LUHAN KAPP
U/9B			
U/9C			
U/8 BLUE			
U/8 BLUE			
U/8 ORANGE			
U/8 ORANGE			
U/7 BLUE			
U/7 BLUE			
U/7 ORANGE			
U/7 ORANGE			

NETBALL			
TEAM	OPPONENT	RESULT	PLAYER OF THE MATCH
U/13A			
U/13B			
U/12A			
U/12B			
U/11A			
U/11B			
U/10A			
U/10B			
U/9A			
U/9B			
U/8A			
U/8B			
U/7 BEES			
U/7 B/FLIES			

BOYS HOCKEY			
TEAM	OPPONENT	RESULT	PLAYER OF THE MATCH
U/14A			
U/14B			
U/14C			
U/14D			
U/11A			
U/11B			
U/9A			
U/9B			
U/8A			
U/8B			
U/7A			
U/7B			

GIRLS HOCKEY			
TEAM	OPPONENT	RESULT	PLAYER OF THE MATCH
U/14A	GILL	5 - 0	AMALIA VAN DER WESTHUIZEN
U/14B			
U/14C			
U/11A			
U/8A			
U/8B			
U/7A			
U/7B			

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

CHESS RESULTS			
TEAM	OPPONENT	RESULT	PLAYER OF THE MATCH
JUNIOR			
JUNIOR			

PRICE LIST 2024

NEW ITEMS FOR SALE	PRICE
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SCHOOL DRESSES (6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18, 19, 20)	R310.00 / R430.00
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- ANY ITEMS RETURNED MUST BE IN THE ORIGINAL PACKAGING WITH LABELS AND INVOICE
- 30 DAY EXCHANGE POLICY