



PRIMARY NEWS

DATES FOR THE DIARY

FEBRUARY

- 21st : School closes at 12pm for Mid Term break
- 22nd : Mid Term (school closed)
- 25th : Back to school

MARCH

- 8th : Barnyard Theatre Fundraiser
- 15th : Extra murals end for Term 1
- 20th : End of Term School closes at 12pm

APRIL

- 8th : Staff training day
- 9th : Back to school for learners
- 19th : Good Friday (school closed)
- 22nd : Family Day (school closed)

Dear Parents

Friday's Valentine's Dance was a huge success. Thank you for supporting this event and allowing your children to attend. They had had a super time. Due to the great turn out and the positive feedback from the children we will start planning the next dance for Term 2.

MID TERM

Please note that school is closed on **Friday 22nd February** for the Mid Term break. We will be **closing school at 12pm on Thursday 21st**. Please arrange to collect your children early that day. Those not collected will be taken to Aftercare and parents will be charged accordingly. There will be no extra murals on Thursday due to Mid Term. Please note that **Aftercare** will not be open on Friday the 22nd Feb.

STAFF NEWS

Miss Aamina Hoosain is currently in post as our locum OT, in place of Mrs Stoltz, while we recruit for a permanent OT.

FUNDRAISING NEWS

There are still tickets available for the **Barnyard Theatre Show, Strictly No.1's**, on **Friday 8th March**. Please get your friends and families to also support us at this event. We must know final numbers by Wednesday. Book now to avoid disappointment.

MESSAGE FROM FINANCE

A reminder that fees are due on the first day of the month. Cash payments can be made at the finance office. Please see Mike De Swart.

RECYCLING REMINDER

We are still collecting all plastics for the Owl Recycling Centre.

VALUE OF THE MONTH

February is the month of LOVE, COMPASSION and KINDNESS. We will be discussing these values in assemblies and the classroom. Please support us by reinforcing and discussing our values at home. Thank you.

QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

"If you want others to be happy, practise compassion. If you want to be happy, practise compassion."

Dalai Lama