

# **ERASMIA PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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# Newsletter 17 July 2024

### 1. Welcome Back

We trust that all learners and staff had a very relaxing holiday and are ready and prepared for term 3!

# 2. Raffle draw

Raffle Draw took place on the 13th of June.

1st Prize - R7000.00 Sun City Accommodation voucher was won by Emile Hira

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Brand New Lenovo Laptop won by Nassour Yaya

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize – R3000.00 Cash won by Mpho Matho.

Prizes were also won by our learners for the most tickets sold:

- → 1st Prize Zaynab Ahmed and Ziya Ahmed (Collected R5000,00 each)
- → 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize Giyanna Naidoo, Aaliyah Kruger and Adeena Osman (collected R2000,00 each)
- → 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize Allyah Mallam and Ariana Azmuth (collected R1850,00 each)

The class that collected the most money was Grade 2S. (R13100,00). Congratulations and Well done to all our winners. We are eternally grateful to all our learners, parents, teachers and community for supporting our fund-raising drive.

# 3. Parents consultation

Parents consultation was held on the 16<sup>th</sup> of July between 15:00 and 18:00. Thank you for attending.

# 4. Speech Festival

The Foundation phase speech festival will be held this term. Grade 1 to 3 learners received the topics and details last term.

Round 1 will be held from the 22/07/2024 until the 25/07/2024. All learners must participate. Teachers will listen to learners in class and 5 learners will be chosen from each class to participate in round 2. Parents will be notified by SMS if their child is selected. The final round will take place on the 5<sup>th</sup> of August.

#### 5. Concert

The final countdown has begun for the much-awaited concert. This will take place from the 13<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> of August. Ticket costs R100.00 per person per night. Participating learners do not have to purchase tickets. Although the participants will participate on all three nights, parents do not have to buy tickets for all three nights. Our hall can only accommodate 300 seated people at a

time. Therefore, tickets are first come, first serve. Ticket sales will continue until the 12<sup>th</sup> August. Learners are currently practicing during school. All participants were requested to pay R150,00 for décor, sound, accessories, costumes and props. Please make payment if you have not done so and thank you for payments received. Prayer facilities will be available.

#### 6. Support Classes and extra murals

Support classes and extra-murals are to commence on the 15<sup>th</sup> of July. Co-ordinating educators will inform learners as to the days on which these will take place. Please note disruptions may occur due to compulsory meetings held by department.

Foundation phase activities

- Mini Chess
- Mini Cricket
- Coding and Robotics
- Art Club
- Speech festival

#### Intersen activities

- Coding and Robotics
- Chess
- Girls Soccer
- Cricket
- Art Club
- Speech festival

#### 7. School fees

Please ensure that school fees are paid on time.

Payments can be made by debit order or EFT. Debit orders have started in February and end in November:

(School banking details: FNB Laudium Branch, account number 62036607771 branch code 252-245) *Please use family code as reference.* 

#### 8. Youth day

A time capsule will be made where learners from each grade will add items that represents their time period. This time capsule will be sealed and only opened after 20 years.

#### 9. Mandela Day

Our venture this year is to focus on disadvantaged families within our school community. Each grade will be tasked with collecting different items so that care hampers can be made for these families. More information will be posted on the D6 shortly.

# 10. Important dates to diarise.

- Parents consultation 16 July
- Author day 26 July
- Speech Festival 5 August
- National Women's Day 9 August
- Concert 13,14,15 August
- Grade R Grandparents Day 30<sup>th</sup> August
- Spring Civies day and bake sale 6 September
- Reports to learners 20 September

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