



## **KLOOF SENIOR PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**Newsletter**

**7 June 2011**

**Dear Parents,**

### **Staff Development**

Please note that, due to Staff Development taking place on Monday 13 June there will be no Computer Club, Speech and Drama or Learn to Swim after school. All other activities will continue as normal and we apologise for any inconvenience caused.



### **Musical concert at Makaranga Lodge**

We are pleased to advise that our choir will be singing once again this year at “Music in the Hills” - Makaranga Lodge on Sunday 24 July. The choirs will be accompanied by the KZN Youth Orchestra under the baton of Richard Cock and takes place at the same time as “Art in the Hills”.

Please diarise this date if you would like to enjoy this very popular music/art festival. Ticket sales and other details will follow at a later date.



### **Congratulations**

We are extremely proud to advise that Nicola Colyn, taught by Vicky Goddard, passed with a 90% distinction in her recent Clarinet – Trinity Guildhall examination and Natalie Volek, taught by Heather Wills, achieved a 91% distinction in her Trinity Guildhall piano examination. Well done girls on your outstanding achievements.

### **Books Galore 14-15 June**

We remind you of the following:

- Books 2 U sale in the school hall 14-15 June
- An author speaking to the school in Assembly 14 June
- Wednesday 15 June – Readathon and Book Character dress-up

### **Eco Schools – Vegetable Garden**

We are collecting large orange/veggie string bags for our vegetable garden and would be very grateful if parents could assist with our venture.

### **Sponsored ‘Big Walk’**

This fundraising event has been arranged for the last day of term Friday 24 June and takes place around the school grounds. Sponsor forms have been handed out to all our pupils and these should be returned to school by Wednesday 15 June (no money required unless a donation has been made).

Please note this is a compulsory school day and attendance registers will be kept by class teachers.

### **Match fixtures**

As the school is finding it increasingly difficult and time consuming to sort out individual transport arrangements, parents are asked to please arrange/organize lifts for their own children to travel to and from match venues. Thank you for your understanding and support.

### Questionnaire

As part of our strategic review process we will be asking both learners and parents to complete a short questionnaire. Please look out for these and return to school in the envelope provided. The learners will complete their questionnaire during the school day. Thank you for your support.

### Kloof Senior Uniform Shop \* Open daily from Kloof High School

For all school uniforms please contact Chrisna on 0827723030.

### Recycling

Reminder of our days –

**Tuesdays: Glass & Ink Cartridges    Wednesdays: Cans    Thursdays: Cardboard    Fridays: Paper**



#### Did you know?

Plastic milk, water and detergent bottles are used to make:  
Bins, flower pots, pipes, park benches, traffic cones playground equipment SO put them out in the orange bags with your refuse.

### School Fees

A reminder that the school cannot accept cash payments in excess of R50,00. Any payments made directly to the school account must reflect your child's name and what it is for. Banking details as follows:

**First National Bank    Kloof Branch Code : 221526    Current account number : 507 3030 2424**

### Lice

Unfortunately we are experiencing the reoccurrence of head lice and ask parents to please check their children's hair and take appropriate action if necessary. To avoid an infestation we cannot allow children back without a clearance certificate.



### KSP Cares

#### 1000 Hills Community Helpers

With the school holidays approaching and additional children requiring food every day, over and above the normal 1000 plates of food handed out daily the 1000 Hills Community Helpers are appealing for any donations of packets of mealie meal. These may be dropped off at school any time. Thank you for your on-going support!

If anybody would like to assist with the knitting of 'Aids' baby jerseys we do keep the pattern for the jersey in the office. For those wishing to knit squares, you will need double knit wool, size 7 needles and to cast on 30 sts to complete a square.

### Dates to diarise

Tuesday 14 & Wednesday 15 June	Books 2 U
Thursday 16 June	Public Holiday
Friday 17 June	School Holiday
Monday 20 – Wednesday 22 June	Grade 7 Excursion
Friday 24 June	Big Walk and break-up day 10:30

#### **Vision**

To be the leading co-educational Senior Primary School in the Highway Community