



Kidz Chronicle

Dear Parent/Guardians

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Voting for a CityKidz President- Voting Day 10th May

CityKidz brought election season to the classroom. Through campaigning and the voting process learners have developed an appreciation for the power and influence of casting your vote.

Many realistic and futuristic goals were set by the Nominated Presidential candidates. Learners had an opportunity to listen and interact with each of the five candidates. This was to ensure that the children could understand the purpose of the "mock election", the process of voting, why it is important to vote and how to vote based on your judgment rather than that of what will be promised.

Friday 10th May was filled with great excitement. Eager voters were ready to make their mark. The hall was set up as a mini voting centre. The Grade 1 teachers, CityKidz voting officials, Ms Fatima Abed, Ms Thembi Moyo, Miss Christabel Nengasha and Mrs Saneliso Moyo ensured that the process was free and fair.

Our voters all had to present their CityKidz ID documents. These were required for the registration process. After registration, keeping in true election style the voters thumbs were inked.

Voters were then directed to the voting booths where they could mark their X in secret

The Grade 7 school prefects were waiting at each booth to help, assist and guide our little Grade 1s and the rest of the school. "Policeman" kept guard, controlled the queue and ensured that no voters were swayed when marking their X. (Grade 1C boys: Phalo, Kamogelo, Shane, Lukhanyile, Blendolph, Sizwe and Thandolwethu took turns in assisting.)

Ballot papers were then inserted into the sealed Ballot box.

All learners and staff members cast their vote for the CityKidz President candidates.

The polling station closed at 12pm after which Ballot papers were counted and the results are as follows:

Education Power- Miss Phiwe Buthelezi - 35 votes
Education United Party - Mr Lloyd Nyamazdawo - 53 votes
Education with Production - Mr Brighton Mlotshwa - 116 votes
Educational Change - Mr Melusi Sibanda - 136 votes

The winner with a landslide victory was:


Phronesis - Miss Isabel Ndebele - 368 - votes.

Well done, President Isabel Ndebele!!

A big Thank You to Mrs Fatima Abed and her Grade 1 team for ensuring the day went off smoothly. It was an educational and fun day.



Important Dates



24th May— 31st May Exams

Grade 3 Tasks begin from the 24 May to 14th June 2019

Grade 6 will write the Provincial Examinations on the 04th and 07th June

03rd June - 14th June Normal Teaching and Continuous Assessments

14th June School Closes at 11 for learners. Return back on 10th July

Grade 2 Trip— Grants dairy farm

Early Friday morning on the 3rd May the Grade 2 group embarked on the bus, ready to go to Grants Dairy Farm in Germiston. The children were in high spirits and sang songs until we reached our destination.

We received a warm welcome from Aunty Dalene and her amazing team.

We started the morning off by learning about horses and goats. (The children even had turns brushing down the magnificent horse.)

After our lesson we were divided into different groups.

Each group had a turn to make butter, Ricotta cheese, walk around the farm, feed the animals, and tour the milk factory.

We saw how the milk is pasteurised, how cream and yoghurt is made. The yoghurt was amazing! (Hmmm best taste ever and farm fresh)

Each learner had the opportunity to sample and take milk, butter and some cheese which they made home with them.

After our tour in and around the farm we had a super-duper burger lunch and juice.

To end off an already wonderful day the children went on a tractor ride and had an ice-cream before leaving to go back to school.

Back in the bus, some children laughing, others talking non-stop and some sleepy heads were reminiscing or dreaming about the trip.

Oh, what a fun day we had!

We will visit soon again!!!!

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
20/05	21/05	22/05	23/05	24/05
FAT-SBA/ Grade 1-7 to be conducted	FAT-SBA/ Grade 1-7 to be conducted	FAT-SBA/ Grade 1-7 to be conducted	FAT-SBA/ Grade 1-7 to be conducted	FAT-SBA/ Grade 1-7 to be conducted
Study for Exams	Study for Exams	Study for Exams	Study for Exams	Study for Exams



Thank you



On behalf of CityKidz we would like to thank **Ester and Willem Van Rensburg** for the most beautiful Zimmermann piano.

The children were so shocked and amazed that they were given such an awesome, generous gift. We will treasure this and use it to uplift our music.

Exam timetable and Common Assessments

Friday 24 May	Session 1 Grade 7 Creative Arts Session 2 Social Science Gr 4-7 Geography
Monday	Session 2 Session 1 Afrikaans (FAL): Skryf: Opstel en Transaksionele tekste. Papier 2
27th May	Session 2 English (HL) Writing: Essays /Transactional texts Paper 2
Tuesday	Session 1 Technology Grade 7
28th May	Social Science Gr 4-7 History
Wednesday	Session 1 English HL Paper Comprehension and Language Grade 4-7 Paper 3 Session 2 Natural Science and Technology- Grade 4-6 Natural Science Grade 7
29th May	Session 1 Mathematics Grade 4-7
Thursday	Session 2 Grade 7 EMS
30th May	
Friday	Session 1 Afrikaans (FAL) Begrips/Taal Graad 4- 7 Papier 3 Session 2 Life Skills 4-6 Life Orientation Grade 7
31st May	
Tuesday	Session 1 Grade 6 Common Assessments—Mathematics
04th June	
Friday	Session 1 Grade 6 Common Assessments—NS /Tech
07th June	

PLEASE NOTE : The Grade 3's and 6's will write the Provincial Assessment Tasks and Examinations.
Grade 3 Tasks begin from the 24 May to 14th June 2019. English HL, and Mathematics. **Grade 6** will write the Provincial Examinations on the 04th and 07th June as indicated above.

QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

Never interrupt someone doing something you said couldn't be done.

Amelia Earhart

General Knowledge question for the week

What is the normal boiling point of water ?

Answer to question in our last newsletter.

How many bones are there in a human neck? There are seven bones in the neck, or cervical spine. Each bone is called a vertebra



Maths Challenge for the week

Ravi sells 152 books in one day. How many books he sell in one week?

Answer to question in our last newsletter.

There are 20 people in the park, if 5 people leave, what fraction of people will be left in the park? **75% will be left.**

Behaviour Awards

Most Merits Week Ending 17th May 2019

Grade	Name	Surname	Grade	Name	Surname
Grade RR	Nathan	Maphosa	Grade Ra	Masego	Matau
Grade Rb	Bryce	Mdluli	Grade Rc	Molemo	Rankoe
Grade 1A	Kutlwano	Modisane	Grade 1B	Olona	Gubelana
Grade 1C	Lukhanyile	Gumbi	Grade 1D	Nanette	Chingono
Grade 2A	Bongani	Masina	Grade 2B	Buhle	Mkhize
Grade 2C	Latoya	Matlou	Grade 2D	Didintle	Mataboge
Grade 3A	Lonwabo	Maluleke	Grade 3B	Maikarabelo	Simane
Grade 3C	Nkosinathi	Mthethwa	Grade 3D	Ruthale	Mosiane
Grade 4A	Lwazi	Feliti	Grade 4B	Lwandile	Maluleke
Grade 4C	Owami	Odia	Grade 5A	Ofentse	Botsi
Grade 5B	Uchekuku	Nduka	Grade 5C	Makgotso	Nyembe
Grade 6A	Ankonisaho	Netshangawe	Grade 6B	Zoe	Bhebhe
Grade 7A	Siphe	Nokwe	Grade 7B	Keith	Lupahla

Spelling Bee

cacophony	cannabis
cactus	cantankerous
Caesarean	capable
callisthenics	capacity
camaraderie	cappuccino
camouflage	captain
campaign	carapace
candidate	carbohydrate

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Warm Regards

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