



Kidz Chronicle

Dear Parent/Guardians

CityKidz Wish List!

Children are the most valuable human resource and they are the best hope for the future. Each year there are supplies, activities, and experiences that our staff would like to have to enhance our facilities or enrich our learners' learning experience. We have created our Wish List because we simply cannot afford to purchase with existing funds.

We would like to encourage corporates and members of the community to get involved and adopt a minimum of one project a year. If you see an item on the list you would like to purchase or help fund, please contact the school. All gifts are tax deductible and can be made either anonymously or in memory of a loved one.

Families and friends can then make a tax deductible donation to cover the cost of an item from the Wish List. We welcome the idea of co-branding in return for your generosity.

Very Important: We need 8 Additional classrooms and toilets.

Improvements for the Hall. This will be a major project that will need to be done in stages.

This includes:

A stage: high enough to store items underneath the stage.
Display cabinets,
Honours boards,
Purchase and installation of a new sound system,
Purchase and installation of lighting and control panel,
Purchase and installation of stage curtains.



New Building:

Interactive intercom system
Surveillance Cameras
Decorating of the new main entrance
Furniture for our new offices and staffroom
Laptops for teachers
Kitchen - dishwasher and fridge
Flat Screen TV
Shade ports for cars

Classroom items:

board games
legos
arts and craft supplies
puppets
sports equipment
dictionaries and thesauruses
small toys
bookcases and storage cabinets
box fans
carpet squares
wooden puzzles
classroom carpets
educational games
storage boxes
Grade RR toys
fantasy dress up items Grade RR-R
outdoor balls
foam mats
Kids Educational Science Kit

Thank you so much for your continued support!



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Important Dates



Friday 19 April (Good Friday)

Monday 22 April (Family Day)

25th April—Grade 1- Cat in the Hat- People's Theatre

25th April— Grade 7 Money Museum at ABSA

HALF TERM CLOSE Friday 26th April (normal time): RETURN Thursday 2nd May

02nd May—Grade 6- Crocodile and reptile farm

03rd May—Grade 2- Grants Dairy Farm

03rd May—Grade 3- Lion Park

03rd May—Grade 4- Go Ape

03rd May Grade RR /R Macs Farm

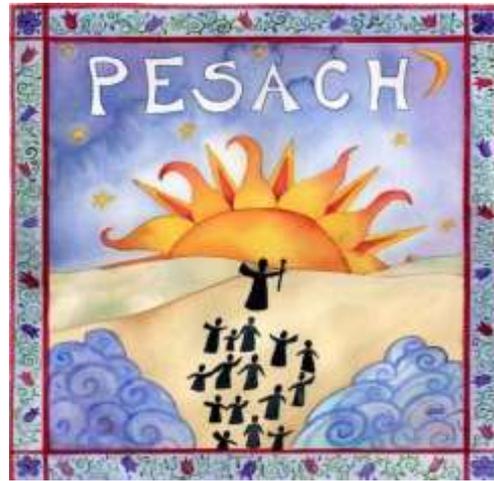
06th May Spur Colouring Competition Gr 2a and 2b

07th May Spur Colouring Competition Gr 2c and 2d

08th May Public Holiday -Voting

09th May Broadway Fundraiser.

10th May CIVVIES DAY VOTING/Ms Fatima Abed/Voting and a democracy



Passover 2019 begins at sundown on Friday, April 19, and ends Saturday evening, April 27. The first Passover seder is on the evening of April 19, and the second Passover seder takes place on the evening of April 20. Passover is a festival of freedom.. It commemorates the Israelites' Exodus from Egypt, and their transition from slavery to freedom. The main ritual of Passover is the seder, which occurs on the first two night (in Israel just the first night) of the holiday – a festive meal that involves the re-telling of the Exodus through stories and song and the consumption of ritual foods, including matzah (unleavened bread) and maror (bitter herbs). The seder's rituals and other readings are outlined in the Haggadah.

The central Passover practice is a set of intense dietary changes, mainly the absence of hametz, or foods with leaven. (Ashkenazi Jews also avoid kitniyot, a category of food that includes legumes.) In recent years, many Jews have compensated for the lack of grain by cooking with quinoa, although not all recognize it as kosher for Passover. The ecstatic cycle of psalms called Hallel is recited both at night and day (during the seder and morning prayers). Additionally, Passover commences a 49-day period called the Omer, which recalls the count between offerings brought to the ancient Temple in Jerusalem. This count culminates in the holiday of Shavuot, the anniversary of the receiving of the Torah at Sinai.

We wish all our Jewish family and friends peace and prosperity and all the joys of Passover.

School FEES

Dear Parents- It is VERY Important that you use your child/ren's **REFERENCE NUMBER** when paying school fees. Please don't use the reference CityKidz. If you are at the bank and forget your reference number , rather use your child/ren's name as your reference. It is difficult for the finance department to trace fees that are not correctly allocated. Please make every effort to use the **REFERENCE NUMBER** as this will avoid unnecessary confusion and incorrect statements .Thank you.



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	22/04	23/04	24/04	25/04	26/04
Family Day/Pesach		CASS-FAT-SBA Grade 1-7 to be conducted	CASS-FAT-SBA Grade 1-7 to be conducted	CASS-FAT-SBA Grade 1-7 to be conducted	Assembly- Theme Freedom Day/ Mrs Fortune / CIVVIES DAY/Pesach
School Holiday			Sexuality Talk Grade 7 - Mrs Krain / Mr Mlotshwa	Grade 1 to PEOPLE'S THEATRE - The Cat in the Hat / GRADE 7 MONEY MUSEUM AT ABSA	

EASTER CIVVIES DAY

We are excited for our Easter Civvies day next Friday 26th April. An exciting Day has been planned.

Grades RR to 5 will be rolling, and jumping on jumping castles.

Grade 6 and 7 will participate in an exciting CityKidz netball and soccer tournament.

Easter Eggs will be on sale. Price R10.00- All money collected will go towards LSM, paying for prizes and the jumping castles.



Easter is one of the most well-known holidays in modern times, and just like Christmas, Easter is celebrated by Christians and non-Christians alike. When you think of the Easter holiday different things may come to mind: church services, crosses draped in purple, outreach activities, Easter egg hunts and painting eggs, filling baskets with candy and small gifts, and possibly the Easter bunny. Because of the mixture of gospel celebration and commercialism, Easter is celebrated under different definitions by a variety of people all over the world. As with Christmas, Easter presents an opportunity for conversation and hospitality to talk about the true meaning of the holiday and why Christians continue to celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Easter is the celebration of the resurrection of Jesus from the tomb on the third day after his crucifixion. Easter is the fulfilled prophecy of the Messiah who would be persecuted, die for our sins, and rise on the third day. (Isaiah 53). Remembering the resurrection of Jesus is a way to renew daily hope that we have victory over sin.

The early Christians began remembering the Resurrection every Sunday following its occurrence. In A.D. 325, the Council of Nicaea set aside a special day just to celebrate the Resurrection. The problem with an official day was deciding whether the Resurrection should be celebrated on a weekday or always on a Sunday. Many felt that the date should continue to be based on the timing of the Resurrection during Passover. Once Jewish leaders determined the date of Passover each year, Christian leaders could set the date for Easter by figuring three days after Passover. Following this schedule would have meant that Easter would be a different day of the week each year, only falling on a Sunday once in a while. Others believed since the Lord rose on a Sunday and this day had been set aside as the Lord's Day, this was the only possible day to celebrate His resurrection. As Christianity drew away from Judaism, some were reluctant to base the Christian celebration on the Jewish calendar.

Finally, the Council decided Easter should be celebrated on the Sunday following the first full moon after the vernal equinox. Since the date of the vernal equinox changed from year to year, calculating the proper date can be difficult. This is still the method used to determine Easter today, which is why some years have Easter earlier than other years.

We wish all our Christian family and friends a Happy Easter. May the Lord's gift of love light up the lives of you and your loved ones.

QUOTE FOR THE WEEK

No one can
make you
feel inferior
without your
consent.

Eleanor Roosevelt

General Knowledge question for the week

The malfunctioning of which organ in your body causes jaundice?

Answer to question in our last newsletter.

Who is the only athlete to win the Olympic marathon twice and in successive Olympic games?

Abebe Bikila –an Ethiopian runner



Maths Challenge for last week

Amy has 200 balloons, 25 percent of the balloons are green, 10 percent of the balloons are orange, and the remainder are blue - can you work out how many blue balloons Amy has?

Answer to question in our last newsletter.

Frank's birthday is in 13 weeks and 2 days, can you work out how many days it is until his birthday? **93 days**

Behaviour Awards

Most Merits Week Ending 19th April 2019

Grade	Name	Surname	Grade	Name	Surname
Grade RR	Lesego	Padi	Grade Ra	Oteng	Nawe
Grade Rb	Beryl	Tshuma	Grade Rc	Naledi	Motsori
Grade 1A	Thuto	Tsilwane	Grade 1B	Wandile	Gumbo
Grade 1C	Tawananyasha	Mudavanhu	Grade 1D	Divine	Lawal
Grade 2A	Sibusiso	Dube	Grade 2B	Dumoluhle	Ncube
Grade 2C	Sfiso	Mtimonye	Grade 2D	Praise	Khan
Grade 3A	Bandile	Bhebhe	Grade 3B	Fedosia	Mathapo
Grade 3C	Bandile	Khumalo	Grade 3D	Lynn	Matutu
Grade 4A	Andisa	Hadebe	Grade 4B	Elami	Gaji
Grade 4C	Johanna	Chengu	Grade 5A	Ayanda	Khumalo
Grade 5B	Sandile	Sibanda	Grade 5C	Nthabiseng	Loate
Grade 6A	Itumeleng	Ponti	Grade 6B	Nicky	Mayo
Grade 7A	Ayanda	Gulu	Grade 7B	Ontshiametse	Pilane

 Spelling Bee



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Warm Regards

Mrs S REYNOLDS

PRINCIPAL



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abalone
abandon
abattoir
abbreviate
abhorrent
abominable
accomplishment
abomination
aborigine
absenteeism
absolute
absorb
abstemious
abstention
absurd