

SAINTS SNIPPETS

9 September 2011

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Important dates 9 September to 16 September

14:00	Friday – 9 September 2011 Council Orientation weekend No Interact	
14:00	2 nd Expo Workshop Grade 6 Kimberley Trip	
18:00	Saturday – 10 September Grade 6 Kimberley Trip returns	
14:00	Monday – 12 September Tennis Gr 2 vs Virginia Volkskool & Sandveld (Welkom club)	
14:15-16:30	Shotput competition Gr 6-11	
14:00	Tuesday – 13 September Community Care visit to Perez Christian School (Bronville)	
14:15-16:30	Discus competition Gr 6-11	
14:00-15:30	Wednesday – 14 September Learning area Quiz Round 3 Sprints training (Gr 1-Gr11)	
06:00	Thursday – 15 September Grade 7 Trip to Soetdoring Pro 10 Cricket U/11 and U/13 (Hennenman)	
18:00	Friday – 16 September COUNCIL LOLLIPOP DAY PTA CULTURE EVENING	

DATES FOR 2012

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11 January (Wed) – 20 March (Tues) 2012

Term 2

11 April (Wed) – 22 June (Fri) 2012

(Long weekend Fri 27 April - Wed 2 May)

Term 3

17 July (Tues) – 21 September (Fri) 2012

(Long weekend 9 August - 12 August)

Term 4

9 October (Tues) – 6 December (Thurs) 2012

2011 DATES

3rd Term

Jul 19th – Sept 23rd

4th Term

Oct 11th – 2nd Dec

THANK YOU

Thank you to Jessica de Freitas Agrela (Gr 2B) for collecting Money for Claws as part of her Oral Project. Claws would like to sincerely thank you for your generous Donation – Kind Regards – Cindy and Rochelle.

CHEERLEADING

DO ANY PARENTS HAVE IDEAS AS TO WHO COULD SPONSOR OUR NEW CHEERLEADING SQUAD WITH UNIFORMS. PLEASE INFORM THE OFFICE OR MISS BARROWS – GR 2B TEACHER. THANK YOU



CONGRATULATIONS TO NTULA (GR 11), ON BEING ELECTED ONTO THE JCC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AS MARKETING MANAGER. KELE WILL BE OUR JUNIOR REPRESENTATIVE ON JCC FOR 2011/2012.

WELKOM STRIDERS PROUDLY PRESENTS

THE ENGEN RUN/WALK FOR TOYS

**FRIDAY
16 SEPTEMBER
2011**

5km (Fun Race) - 18:00
10km Race - 19:00

Start and finish at CLOCK TOWER Staway • Welkom

Gold medals to all finishers of the 10km
Silver medals to all the finishers of the Fun Run

Please bring a toy for charity



Top up your oil on race day at any participating site and get a FREE GIFT While stocks last

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Pre-school snippets

THURSDAY 15 September - GR 00 GIRLS Insects
 FRIDAY 16 September- GR 00 BOYS Insects



Theme for the week: All Classes
INSECTS

PRE-SCHOOL VISIT TO DE RUST
 THE PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN ENJOYED THEIR OUTING. THEY SAW A LLAMA AND AN EMU FOR THE FIRST TIME. THEY HAD A LOVELY PICNIC LUNCH TOGETHER AND THE BUS TRIP WAS FUN.

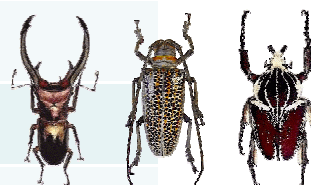
The Grade R's also went to Exotic Creatures. They saw different kinds of snakes, iguanas and monitors.

Please note that children may not be dropped off in the mornings and left on their own. They must be handed over to a teacher. The pre-school door opens at 07:15.

MINI OLYMPICS - SATURDAY MORNING
10 SEPTEMBER FROM 10:00 - 12:00 AT
THE PRE-SCHOOL. ALL PRE-SCHOOL
CHILDREN ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND



<u>EVENT</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>TIME</u>
PLEASE DIARISE THE FOLLOWING:		
Mini Olympics	10 September 2011 SATURDAY	10:00 – 12:00 Playball coaches will Be presenting the races. It will be fun for the whole family!
Athletics Day	22 September 2011	
Pre-school Photos	20 October 2011	
Family Fun Day	22 October 2011 SATURDAY	
Princess and the Pea	25 October 2011	
Grade R Graduation	17 November 2011	
Christmas Party	To be confirmed	




All pre-school children are required to be at school BEFORE 07h30 please!!

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A VERY HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THE FOLLOWING :

Zandie Molala	10/09/2000		Gr 5 M
Phiwe Dauwa	12/09/1998		Gr 12 S
Remo Mahlatsi	13/09/2006		Gr 0 VDP
Gert van der Merwe	15/09/1995		Gr 9 P

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Photographic Club Winter Scramble

Congratulations to Sky Atkinson and Carla de Klerk – shared winners in our Club Scramble.

Their photos were amazing.

Well done, girls!!

There were three categories; “Warm”, “Brown” and “Survival”. The winner and runner up in each category are as follows:

WARM

1st Carla de Klerk
2nd Skye Atkinson

BROWN

1st Skye Atkinson
2nd Carla de Klerk

SURVIVAL

1st Jessica de Freitas Agrela
2nd Mandi Adonis

To all participants, thank you for the wonderful slide show and to our winners, a huge CONGRATULATIONS!!

CARBON FOOTPRINT AND FOOD - WHAT CAN YOU DO??

Food:

- Eat less meat and more vegetables.
 - Buy local fruit/vegetables.
- Dont buy fresh fruit & veggies which are out of season.
- Don't buy over packaged products.
- Don't buy bottled water. Fill your re-usable bottles with filtered water.

Home The food we consume contributes to [climate change](#). The production, packaging and transportation of food all consumes energy and results in **carbon emissions** which threaten to raise average global surface temperatures. However, not all foods are equal...

The Food Carbon Footprint Calculator (FCFC) provides the opportunity to calculate the resultant carbon dioxide from the food you eat, called your "Food Carbon Footprint".

This website also offers personalised and practical ways to reduce the carbon footprint of your diet, reducing your impact on climate change.



Carbon Facts

Product Size 1 Cheeseburger (130g)

Amount Per Serving	
Kilograms CO ₂ Equivalent	3.08
Kilograms CO ₂ 0.243	Kilograms 0.123
Total C: Energy Sources	
Transportation	
Fossil Fuel (Diesel)	120g
Fossil Fuel (Gasoline)	48g
Electricity Production	
Fossil Fuel (Natural Gas)	75g
Fossil Fuel (Coal)	0g
Other	
Total C: Non-Energy Sources	
Enteric Fermentation	2840gCO ₂ E
Manure	81.0g(184gCO ₂ E)
Other	25.8g(55gCO ₂ E)
Other	5.5g(12gCO ₂ E)
Carbon Product Ratio	23.7
Localism Rating	C+
Sustainable Production Rating	D+
Overall Carbon Code:	ORANGE

*Base on a 3 burgers/week consumption estimate, a typical American's casual burger consumption would result in at least 540kg of greenhouse gas emission.
**Estimates are based on calculations by James Cooke @ www.openbeefuture.com who kindly granted permission for publishing his data here.

Did You Know?
One estimate suggests that the annual American cheeseburger consumption and production results in GHG equivalent to that emitted by 6-20million Hummer SUVs.

PLEASE SUPPORT THE PTA AND GET YOUR TICKETS FOR THE CULTURAL EVENING ASAP - YOU DO NOT WANT TO MISS THIS EVENT!!!

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NIP BULLYING IN THE BUD

Laying a foundation to counter bullying.

Pupils with good self-esteem are more likely to do well at school and later in life. They are more confident and able to enter into meaningful relationships. Having a sense of belonging and security also means that they are better able to deal with the uncertainty of the future. For the next couple of weeks, the Snippets will be looking at 10 ways a school can promote self-esteem.

No 3: BELONGING

- Develop the sense of belonging to community and country
- ❖ Include children in decision making in the family or school.
- ❖ Provide opportunities for children to take responsibility.

Look out for more in the next Snippets!!!



SPORT RESULTS : SNIPPETS

Soccer :

Our U/13 and U/17 soccer teams played in a soccer tournament at Kingdom Academy on Saturday. They played well and enjoyed the matches. The U/17 team went through to the semi-finals , which they narrowly lost (0-1).

Tennis :

Our junior teams are still enjoying the weekly league matches. The Girls U/12 played against Welkom Volksskool. They lost the match but are gaining valuable experience.

Mini-Hockey:

Our teams participated in a tournament held at our school on Monday . Once again the players and parents thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon. Results were as follows :

U/8 : Girls (Gr 1) beat Naudeville	4-0	U/10: Girls 1 beat Edmund Rice	4-1
Girls (Gr 2) beat Edmund Rice	5-0	Girls 1 beat Welkom Volksskool	7-0
Boys beat St Dominics Mixed	4-1	Girls 2 beat St Dominic's	1-0
Boys drew against Edmund Rice	1-1	Boys 1 beat St Dominic's 1	3-0
Mixed lost to Kroonheuwel Boys	1-2	Boys 2 beat St Dominic's 1	2-0
U/10 : Girls 1 beat Edmund Rice	4-1	U/12: Boys beat Edmund Rice Mixed	1-0
Girls 1 beat Welkom Volksskool	7-0	Girls drew with Naudeville	0-0
Girls 2 beat St Dominics	1-0		
U/13: Girls drew with Kroonheuwel	0-0	U/13: Boys beat Kroonheuwel	4-1

Summary :	Played	14
	Won	10
	Drew	3
	Lost	1



Cricket: Congratulations to Calvin King who was selected for the Welkom Schools U/13 team. We are proud of you!



Results for South African National Equestrian Schools Association (SANESA) annual national championship held at Kyalami 7-9 August!

Danielle Kleynhans:

Pre-lim dressage: Individual 2nd place, FS Team 1st place

70 cm show jumping: Individual 7th place

Novice equitation: Individual 8th place

Kobus Matthee:

80 cm show jumping: Individual 4th place, FS Team 1st place

Yolandé Matthee:

Novice dressage: Individual 1st place

Intermediate equitation: Individual 1st place

1M show jumping: Individual 3rd place, 5th and 6th places: FS Team 1st place

Charla Slabbert:

90cm show jumping: Individual 6th place; FS Team 1st place

Kaylee Slabbert:

90cm show jumping: Individual 5th place; FS Team 1st place



Thank you to Mrs Matthee for handing results in!



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