



Circular 3/2020

Dear Parents



"The secret to getting ahead, is getting started."

SGB By-Election: Due to the fact that Mr Goosen, our chairman’s daughter, is now in Grade 8, he has to step down from the SGB. A by-election to replace him will be held on 21st February 2020. Nomination forms are available at reception. All parents are welcome to come and vote when dropping their children off for school until 3pm.

Athletics: We have decided to only send children who came first at the Interhouse Athletics to any further EL Athletic Meetings due to the following: The organization was absolutely chaos. The meeting was meant to start at 7:30 but only begun at 10am. The children had to sit in the sun the whole day even when they were not participating. The facility at Jan Smuts is very poor. The toilets are in a terrible condition, there was no toilet paper as well as only one working tap with running water for all the athletes to use. No shade whatsoever for the children. Therefore we have decided to scale down and only give the best athletes the chance to move on. We are losing valuable teaching time when sending our learners during school hours to participate under these conditions.

GI Forms: There are still many General Information forms outstanding. Parents, these forms are of the utmost importance. Should we need to reach you for any reason, we refer to these forms for details. Please ensure that these forms are completed correctly and in full and returned to school as soon as possible.

Cash Raffle: It’s that time of the year again where we are launching our cash raffle. All learners will received a raffle book with 10 raffle tickets per book. If all learners sell at least one booklet we can raise R180 000. 00. There are fantastic prizes up for grabs, 1st prize R20 000 cash, 2nd prize R5 000 cash and 3rd prize 5 x R1000. All monies brought in will go towards the completion of our new building. We need all parents to support this raffle in order to make it successful. Thank you for your support.

School Uniform: We want our children to be proud Georgies, well dressed and well mannered. Please help us in this regard. The old tracksuits are not part of our uniform anymore and we allowed a year for it to be phased out. We encourage each child to have a new tracksuit.

School Fees: Parents, the year has begun and there are still outstanding fees for last year. Please ensure that all outstanding fees are paid. Please pay your school fees timeously to avoid unpleasantness. All school fees/aftercare fees/Gr000 & Gr00 have to be paid every month in order for our school to function efficiently and to give our learners the best education possible. Thank you to our parents who do pay timeously. We appreciate it.

Survey for Girls Only: The Governing Body has asked us to do a survey regarding socks or stockings. Please complete the survey and return it by Friday this week.

Birthday Cakes/Cup Cakes: Parents, if you need cup cakes or a cake for your child’s birthday, please contact Belinda van Gass on 071 821 0797. She will deliver the cakes to the school the morning of your child’s birthday. Belinda makes the most beautiful cakes and cup cakes at very affordable prices.

"No matter how you feel. Get up, dress up, show up and never give up!"

Yours in education

Gert Swanepoel

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I, _____ parent of _____ in Grade _____ acknowledge receipt of

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Signed: _____

Date: _____