



PRE-PRIMARY & PLAYSCHOOL

28 July 2010

Dear Parents,

Outreach

There are badges with Gina at the Pre-Primary Reception which are on sale for R8. All proceeds will be donated by SAHETI to charity.

Grandparents Day at the Pre-school

Grandparents Day at the Pre-school will take place on Friday 20 August. All Grandparents are invited to come and spend a special morning with their grandchildren. The day will commence at 08.00 with tea in our Pre-School reception area. Grandparents will then go into the classrooms where the teachers have planned a fun-filled day. Children may go home with their grandparents at 11.00 as a special treat.

Please note that this is the last day of term and school closes at 11.00. There will be no aftercare.

Storytelling Evening

Due to the overwhelming response to last year's Storytelling Evening we have decided to limit numbers this year.

Aki Kalliatakis will be coming to tell two charming Roald Dahl stories. He is an accomplished storyteller with a great love for children and this evening should prove to be very worthwhile. Due to the content of the stories, the evening is more suited to our older Grade 00 and Grade 0 pupils.

Tickets are on sale with Gina for R30 per child and R10 per adult. Please book early to avoid disappointment.

Children can come in their pyjamas on this evening and will be served hot chocolate.

It starts at 18.00 and will take place in the Playschool. A variety of books will be on sale for the evening.

This event will be repeated in the following term for the younger children as well as giving the opportunity for more children to attend.

Story-telling at the Playschool

This took place today, all children arrived at school in their pyjamas. There was excitement in the air as they were served hot chocolate by their teachers and settled down to the well-loved story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears told by Machteld van Nieuwkerk of Puppetales.

Photographs

We apologise for the delay in the photographs. They have been printed but were not of a good quality. The photographer is having them re-printed and will deliver them as soon as possible.

Crocodile Farm Visit

Our Grade 00's are going on an outing to the Crocodile Farm on Friday 6 August. The cost of the outing is R40. Please pay your child's teacher as soon as possible.

Traffic control officer talk

A big thank you to Dezi Kassimatis and Maria Panagiotou for educating and entertaining our Grade 000 children on their current themes of 'The Doctor' and 'The Dentist'.

Interviews for our Grade 00 and Grade 000 learners

These will take place on Thursday 12 August and Monday 16 August. Please book a time to speak to your child's teacher as well as his/her Greek teacher from Monday.

Playschool Interviews

Interviews at the Playschool will take place on Tuesday 10, Wednesday 11 and Thursday 12 August. Please book a time to see your child's teacher with Denise.

Mobile Incubator

3 Mobile incubators containing fertilized chick eggs will be left at the school from the week beginning 1 October. The eggs will be left to hatch under the lights and the chicks will emerge during the course of the week. The Mobile EduZoo from Honeydew will then give a little talk and allow the children to touch the chicks,

"If you say don't touch, you say don't learn"

The cost per child will be R30. Please pay your child's teacher this money and remember it is for the whole of the Pre-Primary as well as the Playschool.

World Cup Soccer bid

Congratulations to our World Cup Bid winners!

1st Prize went to Andrew Stavrides.

2nd Prize went to Linda Hughes and our 3rd Prize to Peter Dairopoulos.

Thanks to all of those that contributed and particularly to the moms that organized the competition!

Books

If you have any books at home that your children have outgrown please donate them to the school. We will use the suitable ones for Book Corner and donate the rest to Hospice.

Themes for the week ending 6 August 2010

The theme for the Grade 0's is "Dinosaurs"

The perception for the Grade 0's is "Horizontal, Vertical, Parallel"

The theme for the Grade 00's is "Reptiles – Lizard, Crocodile"

The perception for the Grade 00's is "Size (Big, Small, Medium)"

The theme for the Grade 000's is "The Post Office"

The perception for the Grade 000's is "Big & Small"

Themes for the Playschool for the week ending 30 July 2010

The theme for the Toddlers is "Air Transport"

The perception for the Toddlers is "Yellow"

The theme for the 2 – 3 year olds is "Transport – Water"

The perception for the 2 -3 year olds is "Green"

PRE – PRIMARY REMINDERS

- Box of tissues for each term.
- R40 for Bakers Day.
- Please be punctual in the morning. Doors will close promptly at 08h00.
- When you bring your child to school in the morning please do not linger in the classroom.
The sooner you say goodbye, the quicker your child will settle and enjoy his/her day.
- Your child will require a library bag for library ring. They are available from Gina at a cost of R30. Your child will not be allowed to take out a library book for home if they do not have a library bag or have any books outstanding.
- SAHETI Pre-Primary School t-shirts are also available from Gina at R70 each. It is compulsory for the children to wear the t-shirts on every outing.
- Sun hats are on sale for R60.
- Recipe books with delicious recipes are on sale at a cost of R120.

PLAYSCHOOL REMINDERS

- Parents please don't forget to send a box of tissues, nappies, baby wipes and barrier cream for your children.
- Please pack a change of clothing for your children.
- Bakers Day takes place every Friday at a cost of R40 for this term. Please hand this to your child's teacher. The Bakers Day money collected will be utilized to purchase construction toys.
- Recipe books with delicious recipes are on sale at a cost of R120.

New account number for

Aftercare

Please note new account number
for all transactions for Aftercare:

Standard Bank Alberton

Acc no : 020654138

Branch no. 012342

Name : SAHETI School

Ref : Name of family and Aftercare.

NEW TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR AFTERCARE IS 011 479-3768.

NEW TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR PRE-PRIMARY is 011 479-3731

NEW TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR THE PLAYSCHOOL IS 011 479-3730

Thanking you.

Terri Ohannessian

Principal

SAHETI Pre-Primary/Playschool