



Weekly Newsletter

Applewood Preparatory School

NO: 4



NEWS

We are now entering camping season, as the classes head out on their various **class camps**. The Grade 7 class is currently at Back to Basics. I popped out to visit them this morning and found that they were having a marvellous time. As a school we believe strongly in outdoor education and pursuits, as each year we again see what camps like these do to our children's confidence and class spirit. It is through these challenges and experiences that we help to create ourselves as we develop the gifts and abilities God has placed in us.

Last Friday evening, our hall was transformed into a 'Beach party' for the much anticipated **Friendship Day Party**. This is always a highlight for the children, and has over the years become a sort of unofficial 'rite of passage event' for the Grade 4 children entering into the Senior part of the school. Well done to the Grade 7 class of 2012 who pulled out all the stops to make it a success, from the décor and music to the welcoming atmosphere. I am always warmed when I see how the older and younger children mix so freely and comfortably at these sorts of events. Chatting to one of the founding parents at the end of the evening, he commented on the innocence which our children still display in comparison to their city counterparts. In his words: "This is why we started the school and are prepared to pay for it."

I wish to remind you again regarding the **Huis Groenland collection tins** for the month of February. If you haven't yet received one and would like to participate in this worthy cause, please ask your child's class teacher for a tin.

Congratulations to three of our swimmers: **Wynand and Benje Viljoen**, as well as **Arno Botha**. They have all qualified to swim in the **South African Swimming Championships**. We are very proud of you and wish you all the best. We trust that you will reap the rewards of all the hard work you have put in to get to this point! Well done also to **Crew Freemantle** for being selected to represent the Helderberg Regional Cricket side.

Have a wonderful week ahead.

BRENDAN CARROLL



Courtney de Wet & Darien Simpson
Grade 3

Dates to Remember:

- **Friday 03/02 Gr. 7 to be fetched from camp at 10:00.**
- **Monday 06/02 Gr. 6 depart for camp & return Wednesday 08/02.**
- **Thursday 09/02 Gr. 2,3 & 4 depart for camp & return Friday 10/02.**

GOOD ROOTS PRODUCE GOOD FRUITS

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WOW RECIPIENTS



**Oliver Pritchett, Scott Moorscroft
Sune van der Merwe
Darien Simpson & Jade de Wet**

Recipients of WOW badges:

Grade 1: Sune van der Merwe

Grade 2: Scott Moorscroft
Oliver Pritchett

Grade 3: Jade de Wet
Darien Simpson

Recipients of the Golden Apple:

Grade 4: Stephanie McDonald
Rachel Mudge

Grade 5: Peter Freemantle
Sophie de Villiers

Grade 6: Kye Westmoreland
Dominique Potgieter

Grade 7: No awards.

No buttons awarded this week.

WOW QUESTION

What is an aubergine?

Sune: A machine.

Scott: A vegetable.

Oliver: A bird.

Jade: A vegetable.

Darien: A black disgusting thing!



**Christine Meyer & Wickus Lambrechts
Grade 2**

GRADE 6'S – HSS TIMELINE



2012 SCHOOL DATES

**TERM 1
12/01 - 20/03**

**TERM 2
11/04 - 22/06**

**TERM 3
17/07 - 28/09**

**TERM 4
09/10 - 06/12**

IMPORTANT THINGS TO REMEMBER!

- **Aftercare** telephone number **021 848 9338**. Times: 12:30-17:00 at R10 per hour.
- **Uniform shop** open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday ONLY from 07:45-13:00.
- **Please remember to use your MySchool card** to help raise funds for our school. Herewith the link to apply online – if you don't have a card: <https://www.myschool.co.za/supporter/apply/>

PROVISIONAL SPORTS FIXTURES FOR TERM 1

| DATE | SPORT | TEAM(S) | VS | VENUE | PA | |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|------------------|------------------------|----|---|
| FEBRUARY | | | | | | |
| 1 | MINI CRICKET | GR. 1-3 | GORDONS BAY | AWAY | N | |
| 7 | LEAGUE CRICKET | U/11 U/13 | DE HOOP | U/11 HOME U/13 AWAY | Y | |
| 8 | MINI CRICKET | GR. 1-3 | SIR LOWRY' S | AWAY | N | |
| 12 | SPUR ADVENTURE RACE @ LOURENSFORD | | | | | |
| 14 | LEAGUE CRICKET | U/13 | HENDRIK LOUW | U/13 away | Y | |
| 15 | MINI CRICKET | GR. 1-3 | HELDERBERG | HOME | Y | |
| 21 | LEAGUE CRICKET | U/11 U/13 | DANIE ACKERMAN | U/11 U/13 | Y | |
| 22 | MINI CRICKET | GR. 1-3 | FESTIVAL | HOME | Y | |
| 24 | IH DUATHLON | ALL | APS | APS | Y | |
| 24 | SPRINT GALA | U/11-13 | BRIDGE HOUSE | AWAY | N | - |
| 25 | MINI CRICKET FESTIVAL | GR 2, 3 | VARIOUS | BRIDGE HOUSE | N | |
| 28 | LEAGUE CRICKET | U/11 U/13 | LOCHNERHOFF B | U/11 U/13 | Y | |
| 29 | MINI CRICKET | GR. 1-3 | DE HOOP | HOME | Y | |
| MARCH | | | | | | |
| 2 | RELAY GALA | ? | BRIDGE HOUSE | TBC | N | |
| 6 | LEAGUE CRICKET | U/11 U/13 | DR JOUBERT | U/11 U/13 | Y | |
| 7 | MINI CRICKET | GR. 1-3 | SOMERSET HOUSE | HOME | Y | |
| 9 | IH GALA | ALL | HIGH SCHOOL | HIGH SCHOOL | Y | |
| 13 | LEAGUE CRICKET | U/11 U/13 | SOMERSET COLLEGE | U/11 U/13 | Y | |
| 14 | MINI CRICKET | | | | | |
| 25 | SPUR ADVENTURE RACE @ OAK VALLEY | | | | | |

FRIENDSHIP DAY & PARTY



APPS ADS

Elgin Dancing



Social

Ballroom and Latin Dancing

ELGIN COUNTRY CLUB
EVERY TUESDAY 19H30 TO 20H15

Join our fun, 45 min group class
19h30—20h15

Only R55,00 per person

New dance every month & social dancing afterwards
(20h15—21h30)!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT

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home@pritchett.co.za

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Extra Maths Classes

Marisa Malan
083 2395 939

polkavdm@gmail.com



Although my focus is high school maths
- students at any level are welcome. I
am in Grabouw
(Eikelaan 8) and ask R700 per term
(10 x 45 minute lessons).



Grade R's



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Apple Pips – Beaumont Girls



Busy Bees

SUN SKIN

Award winning – SASOL - Packaging Trophy
for the family (all ages). Refill the child
bottles from the mother
bottle when empty.

Mobile Sunscreen
Mother (Orange) & Child
(4 x Green) bottles
Non Greasy - Non Whitening
Non-Comedogenic
SPF30

Dot Milton

082 446 5157 OR dot@milton.org



ECZEMA WORKSHOP

Many of us have either suffered from the
problem, or we have children who
suffer. The problem is unfortunately
increasing in the world. It can be an
extremely complicated condition, but,
the good news is, it can be managed.

Date options :

-6 Feb from 17H30 - 18H30 or

-7 Feb 10H00 – 11H00

Venue: 16 Faure Crescent, Somerset West

Rsvp :Dot 0824465157 dot@milton.org

You are welcome to bring any interested
friends – please advise when booking.



MOVIE
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Tuesday is Movie Evenings....Classical, Nouveau
and New releases - Cost **R100.00pp**. Price
includes a light dinner with coffee afterwards &
your movie ticket. Wine on sale or corkage
charged @ **R25.00** per bottle.

Bookings with Dre Johnson on 082 379 2623 or
email: rooikombuis@mweb.co.za

Should you want to be added to our mailing list let
us know.



Grade R

URGENT
ACCOMMODATION NEEDED

FLAT/COTTAGE

FOR CHICHI (MS FELISHO)
APPLEWOOD GR 1 ASSISTANT

IN GRABOUW
CONTACT CHICHI ON
074 677 7100

Matt MacKinnon our Playball coach has made himself available to coach Playgolf at school. The cost is R480 per term. 1 Hour lessons will be conducted weekly. Please collect a form from Mrs Luden if you would like your child to join.



- Individual attention in a non-competitive environment
- Golf enhances leadership, confidence, responsibility, courage and self improvement
- Focused instruction with variety of shots and games
- Etiquette, behaviour, finer points of the rules of the game
- Positive and creative coaching methods
- Classes presented at primary schools, driving ranges, pre-schools and golf courses
- Fun Days and Golf Days
- Encourages active lifestyle
- 6 children per class (boys & girls,

Participation in sport enhances physical development and provides a healthy and balanced outlook on life

For more info, contact:
Matt MacKinnon
084 509 4810
playgolf@vodamail.co.za

SPECIALIZED GOLFING PROGRAMME FOR ALL 5-12 YEAR OLD CHILDREN

- chipping
- putting
- full swing
- bump & run
- pre shot routine
- better concentration
- listening skills
- life skills
- posture
- stance
- grip

