

Dear Parents, Staff, Boys and Girls

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

Afrikaans Olympiads

Congratulations to the following learners who participated in the Afrikaans Olympiads:

Grade 1: Overall grade result: Diamond Certificate
Myra Bailey; Lyric Brink; Myah Martins; Sharanya Moodley; Kaydence Rousseau; Andile Ncube; Lina Laher; Amyra Francis; Zita Joseph; Zoe Leigh van der Westhuizen

Grade 2: Overall grade result: Diamond Certificate
Emily Wadge; Isabella Peter; Ngcalikazi Lusu; Arya Sinovich; Achyut Arunprasad; Ayden Jordaan; Kye Ralph; Advait Randhawa; Erin Ellaya; Jamie Grobler

Grade 3: Overall grade result: Gold Certificate
Kian Evans; Hunadi Bapela; Faith Wicomb; Aryansh Gupta; Bonolo More; Lesedi Challies; Kenya Wildschutt-Prins; Caleb van Zyl; Aanya Nigam; Muhammed Suleman; Mason Bissolati; Busisiwe Ncube; Tanush Veeramachaneni; Zara de Sousa; Etienne Spiljevic; Shyam Mistry

Grade 4: Overall grade result: Silver Certificate
Leané Jordaan; Onaka Nonyana; Ezra Pillay; Khyati Patel; Tanishka Ashok; Arnesh Siddapur; Zara Joseph; Alec Grobler; Bhakti Mistry; Saanvi Anugu

Grade 5: Overall grade result: Gold Certificate
Saish Dabhade; Shloak Joshi; Aahana Kapil; Aqeelah Akbar; Maryam Randeree; Lyra Jane Tomlinson; Zareen Shaik; Simran Naidoo; Cassidy Chetty

Grade 6: Overall grade result: Gold Certificate
Nina Peres; Jehiel Pursad; Robert Mitchell; Liam Richen; Kishan Akula; Alupheli Malangabi; Thendo Thenga; Darshan Naidoo; Rida Farooq; Chatzley Moodley

Grade 7: Overall grade result: Gold Certificate
Tamukanashe Chikowero; Caleb Moser; Tamryn Smith; Nkosana Sibiya; Anirudh Varadarajan; Oghenero Abada; Ethan Human; Oghenovu Abada; Renita Naidoo; Kaylee Niemand; Aayush Salil; Paolo van Schalkwyk; Reece Bingham; Caleb Coates-Moggee; Corban Bailey; Neo Boo; Rishi Chanda; Dimpho Mothengu; Danya Sosola; Manya Saxena

The Foundation Phase received a Diamond Certificate with an overall average of 77%. Congratulations to Lina Laher for receiving 100% for the test! The Intermediate Phase received a Gold Certificate with an overall average of 71%. Congratulations to all of the learners who participated and flew the Montrose flag so high!

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SACEE Short Story Competition

Congratulations to the following learners for their awards in the SACEE Short Story Competition:

Gold: Ryan Currie (Grade 6)
Dimpho Mothengu (Grade 7)
Silver: Robert Mitchell (Grade 6)
Mia Nupen (Grade 7)
Manya Saxena (Grade 7)

SACEE Competition

Congratulations to the following learners who scored the top results in the South African Council for Education Competition (SACEE):

Grade 2: Mahanya Oruganti, Kye Ralph, Drishya Nair, Isabella Peter, Arya Sinovich and Lakshana Surendar
Grade 4: Danielle Moodley (90%), Tanishka Ashok (89%); Owen Hager (88%)
Grade 5: Lyra Jane Tomlinson (97%); Saskia Cool (94%); Aqeelah Akbar (94%); Cassidy Chetty (92%)
Grade 6: Keira Louw (86%); Thendo Thenga (86%); Tariq Sukdev (78%); Chatzley Moodley (77%)
Grade 7: Mia Nupen (89%); Avnita Sinha (88%); Kivaan Singh (87%)

Some interesting SACEE Competition statistics:
The Grade 1 learners from Montrose achieved a 12% higher average than the national average. The Grade 2 learners came in with a wonderful average difference of 10% between the school and the national average. The Grade 3 learners achieved a 9% higher average than the national average. The Grade 4-7 learners from Montrose also achieved an average difference above the national average of 10% in Grade 4, 6% in Grade 5 and 3% for Grade 6. Special mention was made to Montrose who had six learners who achieved 100% in the Grade 2 Puzzle Parade and Lyra Jane Tomlinson who came second nationally in Grade 5 with 97%.
Congratulations

UPCOMING EVENTS

9 November: Battle of the Books (final round) (by invitation)
11 November: Grade 7 Farewell
12 November: All extra-murals end
Learner Council Farewell
15 November: School closes early for the remainder of the year
Grade 1 @ 12h30
Grade 2 @ 12h40
Grade 3 @ 12h50
Grade 4 @ 12h45
Grade 5 @ 12h50
Grade 6 & 7 @ 13h00
All learners must be collected by no later than 13h00.
Grade 4-7 exams begin

FROM SPORTS & CULTURE DESK

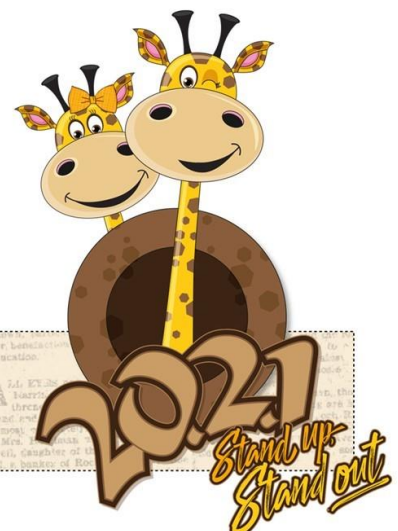
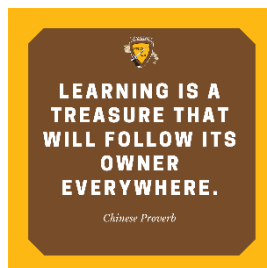
Swimming

Swimming trials for current Grade 4 learners for the 2022 team will take place on Wednesday, 10 November 2021 from 13h45 - 15h00. Trials for the current Grade 2 and 3 learners are taking place during their Phys. Ed. swimming lessons throughout the term.



Extra-Murals

Please note that all extra-murals come to an end for the year on Friday, 12 November 2021. All learners must be collected directly after school from Monday, 15 November 2021 for the remainder of the year.



Don't forget to check the D6 Communicator and the Parent Portal regularly for more information and updates.

GENERAL MONTROSE NEWS

2022 Online Admissions (public schools)

Phase 1: For **Grade 7** learners in public schools going to **Grade 8**; placements will take place from 15 October - 30 November.

Phase 2: For **Grade 1** (and Grade 8 not in public schools); placements will take place from 15 November - 15 December.

Hats and sunblock

Please ensure that your child remembers to bring a hat and sunscreen to school, especially during this heat.

Staff Birthdays

9 November: Miss Raath



20 November: Miss Hennessy; Miss Simelane

25 November: Miss Little

29 November: Mrs Heidstra



MySchool

The MySchool MyVillage MyPlanet fundraising programme is one of South Africa's biggest community programmes. They raise funds for schools, charities and environmental organisations through a card system that allows supporters to raise funds for their beneficiary (school or charity) every time they shop at our partner stores. Partners make a contribution, on behalf of the supporter/ cardholder, towards the beneficiary they have selected.

To become a supporter, you need to be registered with MySchool MyVillage MyPlanet and select a school or charity to support. You can register online or get a card from your local Woolworths.

It's quick and easy! Use the following link to register today - <https://www.myschool.co.za/supporter/apply>

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Montrose Primary School South Africa

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#MontrosePrimary

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EXAM TIMETABLE [GR 4-7]

15 November:	Technology (Grade 7)
16 November:	EMS (Grade 7)
17 November:	English (Grade 4-7)
18 November:	Afrikaans/isiZulu (Grade 4-6) Afrikaans (Grade 7)
19 November:	History (Grade 4-7)
22 November:	NS/Tech (Grade 4-6) NS (Grade 7)
23 November:	PSW (Grade 4-6) LO (Grade 7)
24 November:	Mathematics (Grade 4-7)
25 November:	Geography (Grade 4-7)
26 November:	Creative Arts (Grade 4-7)



Assessments / Exams

The What to Study for Grade 4-7 learners can be found on the Parent Portal and on the d6 School Communicator.

All learners (from Grade 1-7) are busy with assessments/exams until 26 November 2021 and we ask parents to ensure that their children do not miss any school days. If your child is sick, they will require a doctor's note for any missed assessments.

Please note however that if your child is not feeling well or showing any Covid-19 related symptoms and is due to write an exam, they must stay at home and obtain a doctor's certificate.



TUCK SHOP, AFTERCARE AND UNIFORMS



Tuck Shop

Tuck Shop Grade Schedule:

- Grade 1: Friday - 1st break
 - Grade 2: Friday - 2nd break
 - Grade 3: Thursday - 1st break
 - Grade 4: Thursday - 2nd break
 - Grade 5: Wednesday - 1st break
 - Grade 6: Wednesday - 2nd break
 - Grade 7: Tuesday - privileges revoked
- All main tuck shop orders will still need to be pre-ordered and paid for by parents. Parents are to continue to communicate directly with the tuck shop on 082-566-8566 should you wish to place a lunch order or have any queries.



Aftercare

The Aftercare Centre offers friendly assistance with homework, a good meal, snacks and a plan for the day. A short stay rate for learners who will be collected by 15h00 has been introduced.

Aftercare is also there for parents who may need a free afternoon away from the parenting stress or for other needs which may arise. We are open until 17h30 daily.

For more details and information please contact Sonia Carbarns via carbarns@mweb.co.za or on 082-888-0397 or Ryan Carbarns on 071-464-8735. Please note that aftercare bookings will be on a first come first served basis as we will still need to comply with social distancing regulations.

Uniforms

Uniformity School & Sportswear:

Although our in-house uniform shop, Uniformity, is not operating on the school premises on a fulltime basis, they are open for business. For help or assistance please call Mrs Alexis Scott on either uniformity@outlook.com or 082 453 7875.

- Attaché** is the second uniform supplier and can be found at Unit 6 Sak's Corner, 140 - 11th Street, Parkmore. For any queries, feel free to contact Attaché on (011) 783-4037



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WhatsApp Support Line: 0600-123456



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Yours in education,

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