



Dear Parents, Staff, Boys and Girls

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

A Valentine's Wish for You

Be happy, not sad.
Be good, not bad.

Work hard, don't slack.
Listen well, don't yak.

Keep smiling, no frowning.
Have enthusiasm, no melt downs.

Share laughter, not tears.
Be bold, do not fear.

Have hope, not despair.
Communicate well, don't glare.

Show patience, not rage.
Be optimistic, no rampage.

Accept change, do not stay the same.
Accept mistakes, never pass on blame.

Always persevere, never give up my dear.
Pray often, never lose faith be of good cheer.

Love much, and always be true.
If you do these things life will be good for you.

Poet: Catherine Pulsifer



Cancellation of Extra-Murals

We apologise for any confusion with the late cancellation of outdoor extra-murals today. Unfortunately the lightning warning came very late in the day and we have to wait at least 30 minutes for an all clear. Sadly we did not get an all clear and this led to some confusion as no notifications could be sent to parents during dismissal. Our overriding priority is keeping the children safe. Please note that should any extra-murals be cancelled at short notice, any learners meant to be participating in extra-murals will be kept in a holding class until the end of the extra-murals should parents not be able to collect them earlier. The learners will then be dismissed through the normal exit points for their extra-mural.

GENERAL MONTROSE NEWS

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Montrose Night Challenge
Night Cricket and Night Netball

Spectators Welcome!

Entrance: R20 per person (either cash or card)
We have a capacity of 2000 people at the venue. Once we have reached capacity, the entrance will be closed and will not open again. **Each person entering the premises will be required to be screened and register via a QR code.**
NO cooler boxes - there will be vendors and the tuck shop will be open.

Valentine's Civvies Day

On Monday, 14 February 2022 all learners will be able to wear their pink, red and/or white civvies outfits to school for R10.
If you want to do an EFT, please make sure that you use the student number/Civvies, for example 221560/Civvies. You **must** send the proof of payment to the form room/class teacher. Alternatively your child may bring R10 in cash to school to give to the teacher directly.



GENERAL MONTROSE NEWS

New Regulations and Directives

A letter regarding the new regulations and directives from the Department of Education has been e-mailed out to all parents and can also be found on both the d6 School Communicator and Parent Portal. **Please take the time to read this letter carefully as it contains vital information.**



School Governing Body By-Elections

By-Elections will take place on Thursday, 3 March 2022 at 17h00. Nomination forms will be available from the front office between 09h00 and 13h00 from Wednesday 16 February 2022. Nominations close at 13h00 on Monday, 28 February 2022.

Early collection of learners

Should you need to collect your child early for any reason besides an emergency (e.g. orthodontic appointment), please notify the teacher via e-mail at least a day in advance so that the front office can be made aware of the early departure and the child can be sent to the front office timeously on the day. We do however ask that appointments during school hours are kept to a minimum as learners miss out on valuable teaching time should they need to leave early.

Staff Birthdays

22 February: Mr Makara
25 February: Mr van der Linde



TEST WEEK TIMETABLE [GRADE 4-7]

16 February: English
17 February: History
18 February: Afrikaans / isiZulu
21 February: Geography
22 February: NS/Tech (Grade 4-6)
NS (Grade 7)
23 February: Mathematics
24 February: EMS (Grade 7)



GENERAL INFORMATION



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>

IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

- **Accounts Department:**
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- **Scadsys Parent Portal (registration queries and updating of details):**
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- **Scadsys Parent Portal Website:**
<https://www.scadco.co.za/ScadCo2/Home/ScadsysLogin>
- **Scadsys Parent Portal Registration:**
<https://www.scadco.co.za/ScadCo2/Parent/Registrar>
School reference: 0013



- **D6 School Communicator:**
<https://d6.co.za/education/downloads/>



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Yours in education,

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