



Dear Parents, Staff, Boys and Girls

FROM THE OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL

End of Term 1

Nine weeks have flown by and we are already at the end of the first term of 2022.

The month of April (going into May) will be a strange month in the sense that there are two separate long weekends.

Please take careful note of the Parent Term Planner once it has been uploaded on the various platforms as it will contain important information for the upcoming term and one or two exciting events for the parents and children.

Even if you are not planning to go away on holiday, we hope that your family will be able to use some of the holiday time to be together and to enjoy each other's company.

Use the days off to reconnect and ensure that your children take this holiday to rest and recharge as the second term is going to be a very busy and long term (being a month longer than the first term).

I hope you have a good break and hope to see everyone safe and rested on Tuesday, 5 April 2022.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 17 March: Crazy Hat / Civvies Day @ R10 per learner for charity
Term 1 reports sent home with learners
School closes for Term 1
- 5 April: School opens for Term 2 @ 07h00

GENERAL MONTROSE NEWS



Crazy Hat Day will be taking place during school on **Thursday, 17 March 2022**. All learners are invited to participate and have some fun in these crazy times. Pay R10; come to school in civvies and add a crazy hat to the mix.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Dismissal Times - Term 2

Please note that the dismissal times for learners will be adjusted as follows **from the start of the second term:**

- Grade 1: Monday: 13h00
Tuesday - Friday: 13h30
- Grade 2: Monday: 13h05
Tuesday - Friday: 13h35
- Grade 3: Monday: 13h10
Tuesday - Friday: 13h40
- Grade 4: Monday: 13h00
Tuesday - Friday: 13h30
- Grade 5: Monday: 13h05
Tuesday - Friday: 13h35
- Grade 6-7: Monday: 13h10
Tuesday - Friday: 13h40

The Foundation Phase gate will be closed at 13h15 on a Monday and 13h45 from Tuesday to Friday. Any learners remaining at school will be taken to the Netball Court gate, which gate will be closed at 13h30 on a Monday and 14h00 from Tuesday to Friday.

**DISMISSAL TIMES
THURSDAY, 17 MARCH
2022**

Please ensure that you take careful note of the staggered dismissal times for Friday:

Foundation Phase:

- Grade 1 @ 11h35
- Grade 2 @ 11h40
- Grade 3 @ 11h45

Intersen Phase:

- Grade 4 @ 11h40
- Grade 5 @ 11h45
- Grade 6 & 7 @ 11h50

All learners must be collected by no later than 12h00!



Be Fearless



GENERAL MONTROSE NEWS

Parent Portal

The assessment portion of the Parent Portal has been deactivated in preparation of reports and will be reactivated once reports have been finalised.



Birthdays

19 March: Mr Jones
20 March: Miss Langkilde
2 April: Miss Zeelie
6 April: Mrs Moodley



FROM THE AFTERCARE DESK

Holiday Club

Should there be enough interest, the aftercare will run a holiday club during the March holidays - either full or half day, from 07h30 - 17h30. Please note that there will be no holiday club on 21 March as it is a public holiday. Any parents interested in sending their children to the holiday club are please to contact Ryan Carbarns to confirm your child's attendance.

When settling accounts for aftercare or the holiday club, please remember to use your child's name and surname as a reference.

Please contact Ryan Carbarns on 071-464-8735 or ryancarbarns@gmail.com for further information.



SCHOOL CALENDAR

Terms

Term 1: 12 January - 17 March
Term 2: 5 April - 24 June
Term 3: 19 July - 30 September
Term 4: 11 October - 14 December



Public Holidays

21 March: Human Rights Day
15 April: Good Friday
18 April: Family Day
27 April: Freedom Day
1 May: Workers' Day
2 May: Public Holiday
16 June: Youth Day
17 June: School Holiday
8 August: School Holiday
9 August: National Women's Day
24 September: Heritage Day



GENERAL INFORMATION

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
- Please make sure that you stock up on winter uniforms for your children for the upcoming winter season.**



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>



Yours in education,

MRS S. VAN LOGGERENBERG * PRINCIPAL

