

# ORION COLLEGE

## PRIMARY NEWS

### DATES FOR THE DIARY

#### MAY

31st **Slipper Day for all learners**  
R20 per sticker

#### JUNE

13th **Family Morning**  
(in honour of Father's Day)  
Civvies at R20

14th **End of Term 2 (school closes at 10h00)**

#### JULY

09th **Start of Term 3**

### DID YOU KNOW?



If you refer a new family to our school and they successfully enrol, you can receive up to R1000 off one month's school fees.

This can be further discussed with the bursar.



Dear Parents and learners,

#### INTERMEDIATE PHASE EXAMS

The **Intermediate Phase** have started writing exams from today. Reminder that, **during exams**, the **Grades 4-7** will be leaving at **12H00** **except on Tuesdays**, when the **Grades 4 - 6** will **end at 12h15** owing to dance.

#### SCHOOL CONCERT

**Reminder to please send in the R150 for the concert costumes**, make up ,etc. to the class teacher by latest end of May.

There will be **no after-school concert rehearsals this week**. We will inform you about next week's concert rehearsals before the end of this week.

#### SLIPPER DAY - 31 MAY

**All learners** (including learners writing exams) are **welcome to support Slipper Day on 31 May**. Learners can wear their pre-bought Slipper Day sticker on the day (purchased from one of the supporting retailers). Alternatively, learners can send in their R20 + reply slip by Friday, 24 May, and the school will purchase the stickers on the learner's behalf.

#### WINTER FESTIVAL - DATE CHANGE

Please note that the **Winter Festival** (scheduled for 27 July) **will be moving to later this year**, making it a **Summer Festival**. Exact date will be communicated as soon as possible.

#### IP SOCCER TEAM

**Congratulations** to the **Intermediate Phase Soccer Team**, who **won their last two matches and drew yesterday**.

Match on 07 May, against Baken Akademie (0-7)

Match on 14 May, against Croyden House (2-3).

Match on 20 May, against

We will you all of the best for your future games! #GROWTH #GRIT

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

##### **31 May: Slipper Day (Social Responsibility event)**

Buy your R20 sticker to help kids who are fighting life-threatening illnesses reach their dreams.

##### **13 June: Family morning in honour of Father's Day**

We invite dad or one representative per family, to join us this morning. More details to follow.

##### **18 July: Nelson Mandela Day (Social Responsibility event)**

Classes have been allocated the dry ingredients to fill the jars-of-hope for Mandela Day. Please may these be brought to the class teacher.

**IP EXAM SCHEDULE FOR TERM 2**  
**GRADES 4 – 6 (21 MAY – 04 JUNE)**

<u>Monday 20 May</u> <b>Revision</b> <i>School closes normal time</i>	<u>Tuesday 21 May</u> <b>LIFE SKILLS</b> <i>School closes at 12h15</i>	<u>Wed 22 May</u> <b>HISTORY</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>	<u>Thursday 23 May</u> <b>ENGLISH CREATIVE WRITING</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>	<u>Friday 24 May</u> <b>AFRIKAANS CREATIVE WRITING</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>
<u>Monday 27 May</u> <b>NATURAL SCIENCE AND TECH</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>	<u>Tuesday 28 May</u> <b>ENGLISH</b> <i>School closes at 12h15</i>	<u>Wed 29 May</u> <b>VOTING DAY - PUBLIC HOLIDAY</b>	<u>Thursday 30 May</u> <b>ART</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>	<u>Friday 31 May</u> <b>AFRIKAANS</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>
<u>Monday 03 June</u> <b>MATHS</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>	<u>Tuesday 04 June</u> <b>GEOGRAPHY</b> <i>School closes at 12h15</i>	<u>Wed 05 June</u> <i>School closes normal time</i>		

**IP EXAM SCHEDULE FOR TERM 2**  
**GRADE 7 (21 MAY – 04 JUNE)**

<u>Monday 20 May</u> <b>Revision</b> <i>School closes normal time</i>	<u>Tuesday 21 May</u> <b>LIFE ORIENTATION</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>	<u>Wed 22 May</u> <b>HISTORY</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>	<u>Thursday 23 May</u> <b>EMS</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>	<u>Friday 24 May</u> <b>TECHNOLOGY</b> <i>School closes at 12h00</i>
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# INTERMEDIATE PHASE SOCCER TEAM



## **MAY THEME: GRIT**

'Grit is having the courage to push through, no matter what the obstacles are, because it's worth it!'

- Chris Morris

## **PRE-LOVED TREASURES AND BOOKS WANTED**

As part of the Summer Festival, there will be a books stall and White Elephant stall. When you do your annual clean-up, please do consider **donating your old treasures** that you no longer want, as well as **books** which you no longer need (**especially children's books**) to us. These donations can be left with the front office.



Have a lovely week.  
Barbra Robinson and the Primary School Staff