



ORION COLLEGE

PRIMARY NEWS

DATES FOR THE DIARY

JULY

11th: PS Parent Teacher Meeting

18th: *Mandela Day*

26th: *Olympic activities (civvies at R10)*

AUGUST

01st: *High School Restaurant Evening*

08th: *Pyjama and Movie Day*

09th: *Women's Day (public holiday)*

23rd: Concert Dress Rehearsal (whole school)

26th: *Concert Matinee performance*

27th: *Concert Evening performance*

29th: *Concert Evening performance*

SEPTEMBER

06th: *Interschool Athletics*

09th: *SANBS Blood Drive*

20th: *World Literacy Day (Julia Donaldson)*

20th: *End of Term (school ends at 11h00)*

SECOND-HAND UNIFORM

If you are sitting with uniform items that no longer fit your child, please consider donating them to our second-hand uniform shop (in the admin office).

Dear Parents and learners,

A hearty welcome to our old, and new, families. It is a chilly start to the term but we look forward to keeping the cold at bay with all of our activities.

Please ensure that your child is wearing the correct winter uniform.

PARENT-TEACHER FEEDBACK FOR TERM TWO

The **Parent-Teacher Feedback for Term 2** will take place this week **Thursday, 11 July**. Please contact your class teacher directly, to arrange a time slot.

SCHOOL CONCERT

Term 3 is concert term. There are still some learners who have not paid the **R150** towards the concert costumes etc. Please send this in by the end of this week.

In Term 3, the whole school concert rehearsal schedule will start on Wednesday and Friday afternoons. Please see the concert schedule towards the end of this newsletter. **Rehearsals are compulsory.**

There are only 6 weeks left to go before concert week. Please support your child by ensuring that they come to rehearsals.

Concert tickets will go on sale in August 2024.

MANDELA DAY (THURSDAY 18 JULY)

On **Thursday, 18 July, learners will spend 67 minutes packing soup mix** into coffee jars as part of the Mandela Day initiative, which will then be donated to people in need. If not done so already, please do send your allocated soup mix product into school before the end of this week.

EXTRA MURAL SCHEDULE

The **extra mural schedule for Term 3** will be sent out later this week. **Extra murals will start as from next week.**

THE "TRUCKSHOP" TUCKSHOP - GOOGLE FORM

A **Google form link** has been sent out via the class WhatsApp groups. This is in regards to the preferred cashless options for the Coffee on the Go truck, who will now manage the tuckshop role as well. Your response is greatly appreciated.

THE BARNYARD - SATURDAY, 20 JULY

There are **only 6 tickets remaining for our Barnyard fundraiser** on **Saturday, 20 July**. Grab the tickets ASAP. Tickets can be paid for at the school office.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR A
RESTAURANT EVENING
 TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE 2024 MATRIC FAREWELL

*Featuring Live Performances by
 some of the talent at Orion*

AUGUST
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 2024

SCHOOL HALL

18H00

THREE-COURSE MENU @ R200 PP
 STARTER: SAMOOSAS
 MAIN: LAMB POTJIE
 DESSERT: MILK TART FINGERS WITH ICE CREAM

SPACE IS LIMITED
 RSVP BY 26 JULY 2024



**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.

MATRIC FAREWELL FUNDRAISER



SUPER TROOPERS
 Celebrating the music of
ABBA, BEE GEES & ROXETTE

- 📅 Saturday, 20 July 2024
- 🕒 Doors open at 17h30, Show starts at 19h00
- 📍 The Barnyard, Silverstar

R200

Pre-order Barnyard's delicious pizzas, platters and baskets. Cashless bar available.
No beverages may be brought in from the outside.

Tickets can be purchased at Orion College with cash or card.



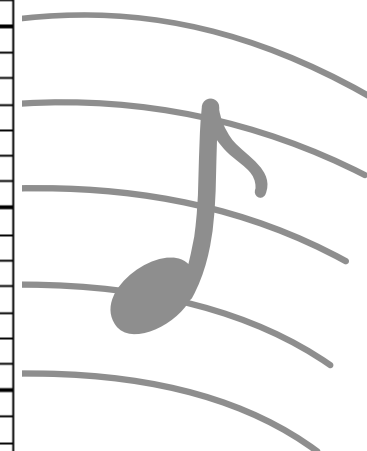

JUNE THEME: GRIT & GOALS

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

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

SCHOOL CONCERT 2024: REHEARSAL SCHEDULE PER CLASS

CLASS	DATE	TIME
Grade R Act 2	Friday, 12 July	12h40 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 24 July	13h20 – 14h30
	Friday, 02 August	12h40 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 07 August	13h20 – 14h30
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
Grade 1 Act 2	Friday, 23 August	13h00 – 15h30
	Friday, 12 July	12h40 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 24 July	13h20 – 14h30
	Friday, 02 August	12h40 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 07 August	13h20 – 14h30
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
Grade 2 Act 1	Wednesday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
	Friday, 23 August	13h00 – 15h30
	Wednesday, 10 July	13h20 – 14h30
	Wednesday, 24 July	13h20 – 14h30
	Friday, 02 August	12h40 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 07 August	13h20 – 14h30
Grade 3 Act 3	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
	Friday, 23 August	13h00 – 15h30
	Wednesday, 17 July	13h20 – 14h30
	Friday, 26 July	13h00 – 15h30
	Wednesday, 31 July	13h20 – 14h30
FPPV Act 1	Wednesday, 14 August	13h20 – 14h30
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
	Friday, 23 August	13h00 – 15h30
	Wednesday, 10 July	13h20 – 14h30
	Wednesday, 24 July	13h20 – 14h30
Grade 4 Act 2	Friday, 02 August	12h40 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 07 August	13h20 – 14h30
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
	Friday, 23 August	13h00 – 15h30
	Friday, 12 July	12h50 – 14h00
Grade 5 Act 3	Wednesday, 24 July	13h50 – 15h00
	Friday, 02 August	12h50 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 07 August	13h50 – 15h00
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
	Friday, 23 August	13h00 – 15h30
Grade 6 Act 3	Wednesday, 17 July	12h50 – 14h00
	Friday, 26 July	13h50 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 31 July	12h50 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 14 August	13h50 – 15h00
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
Grade 7 Girls Act 1	Friday, 23 August	13h00 – 15h30
	Friday, 19 July	13h00 – 14h00
	Friday, 02 August	13h00 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 14 August	14h00 – 16h30
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
Grade 7 Boys Act 4	Friday, 23 August	13h00 – 15h30
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
	Friday, 02 August	13h00 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 14 August	14h00 – 16h30
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
IP Skills Act 2	Friday, 23 August	13h00 – 15h30
	Friday, 21 August	14h00 – 16h30
	Friday, 16 August	13h00 – 15h00
	Wednesday, 07 August	13h50 – 15h00
	Friday, 02 August	12h50 – 14h00
	Wednesday, 24 July	13h50 – 15h00





On The Go

We will be going online and cashless, to save you time!
You can order and choose your time for your Coffee pick up at the Coffee truck in the morning.

Orders for children will be delivered to the school at first break. Remember to give your child's name, surname and grade as reference, you need to add it as a note to the order when you make the payment.

1. Type in the link on your mobile phone.
2. Setup with your e-mail and details.
3. Create a password.

To place an order, choose the option, "change" under when, and pick the date and time for your order.
Follow steps to payment.

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