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Newsletter

“You cannot solve a problem with the same mind that created it. Change is inevitable. Progress is optional.” Tony Robbins.

1. Welcome

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome our staff-members, learners and our parents in this second term which is already showing signs of being an exciting but hectic term. We wish all of you the fruitful term.

2. School holidays

Please take note of the following public and school holidays:

27 April 2023 – Freedom Day (Public Holiday)

28 April 2023 – School Holiday

01 May 2023 – Workers’ Day (Public Holiday)

3. Winter sporting codes

Learners and educators have started with the preparations of the different winter sporting codes. Each sporting code will communicate separately with the parent. The following sporting codes will be offered this year:

- Soccer (Boys and Girls)
- Netball
- Volleyball
- Chess
- Cross-Country

Trainings will be between **14H00-5H00**. We have observed a huge interest from the learners. My appeal to the parents is to support the learners by means of making necessary transport arrangements.

4. Fundraising drives

As the school we have identified the month of May as our fundraising month to augment our finances which are dwindling due to school fees non-payment. We have attached the weekly programme of the events.

5. School fees

We remind all the parents to ensure that school fees are regularly paid. Parents who are owing school fees from previous years will be handed over to the debt collectors on 1st of My 2023

6. Photographs

Learners will be taking photographs on the **08th of June 2023**. The package is at the Cost of **R70.00**. See the attachment.

7. Learner Awards

Learners who had received **80%** and above were rated from 1 – 10 per subject in the Intersen phase (4-7) and top 3 in the foundation phase. (1-3). This is the initiative by the staff members to encourage quality results in each grade. The initiative has received an overwhelming support from the learners and educators alike. This will be termly event.

8. Parents meeting

As a school we would like to invite all the parents to our **term 1 curriculum feedback meeting**, which will be held on the **6th of May 2023** at 09:00 in the school hall. This meeting will be for all the parents from grade R...7.

9. Deputy-Principal booked-off sick

Please note that our Deputy-Principal **Mrs Mbiza** has been booked-off sick. She will be returning to school on the **5th of June 2023**. Our thoughts and prayers are with her during this time, we wish her a speedy recovery.

We hope you find the above in order.

NB Please note that from now going forth the school will also communicate through the website which you can always use. [<http://www.naturenaprimaryschool.co.za>]

Yours in education.

Mr. K.I. Mashau

Principal

