



## *Wellington Preparatory School*

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# Welcome

A warm welcome to James Lunt who joined the senior playgroup this term.  
We would like to congratulate Keanan Afrika who welcomed a baby sister into his family on Monday.

**Condolences** – our sincere condolences to Anton and Stefano Louw and their family for the recent loss of their grandfather.

## **GIGI'S TREE**

During the holidays we removed the large Syringa tree from the pre-primary play area and we have replaced it with a Liquid Amber tree in memory of our beloved past pupil, Giselle King who died tragically earlier this year. Thank you to Sue Sonnenberg who sponsored half of the tree.



***WPS HAS TALENT!! SEE ATTACHED LETTER ABOUT THIS EXCITING EVENT ON 2<sup>ND</sup> DECEMBER.***

## TERM 4 DATES TO DIARISE

Please note that the dates below are as accurate as they can be for the term ahead. We are, unfortunately, still waiting for final dates from other schools for some of our cricket fixtures. Once these are finalised, we will print them in the next newsletter.

21 October	Communication sheets	All grades	
24 October	MTN Science Centre to visit WPS.	Gr 3 – 7	
25 October	Chaeli Campaign to visit WPS.	Gr 1 - 7	11h00
26 October	Nedbank Tunnel training 2 Oceans Aquarium outing	Gr 2 Junior Playgroup	
28 – 30 Oct	Breede River Rafting		
29 October	Mini-cricket tournament, Bridge House	Gr 1 and 2	
31 October	Final day for can collection	All grades	
3 November	Cricket match vs Merwe Genis	Gr 4 and 5	14h30
4 November	Communication sheets	Gr R - 7	
7-11 November	Elimination round: WPS has talent		
9 November	Outing to Fire Brigade in Paarl	Senior Playgroup & Gr 0	09h00
12 November	Simond Pro 5 cricket tournament	Senior cricket	
14 November	Red Riding Hood at WPS	Junior Playgroup – Gr R	11h00
16 November	2 Oceans Aquarium outing	Gr 4	
17 November	Outing to Honey Bee Foundation	Gr 1 – 2	
18 November	Drum Kidz at WPS Communication sheets	Gr R – 7 All grades	10h30
22 November	Kirstenbosch Gardens	Gr 3	
25 November	End of sport activities for the year		
28 Nov – 2 Dec	Senior Primary exams. School finishes at 12h30 for all classes.	Gr 4 – 7	
2 December	WPS has talent	All grades	
6 December	Arc-en-Ciel outing Grade 7 Farewell	Gr 6 Gr 7 pupils and their parents	08h00 19h00
9 December	Last day of school	All grades	12h30

## STATIONERY AND BOOK REQUIREMENTS: 2012

A separate letter has been sent to all Grade 0 – 6 parents whose children are returning next year. In the past, we sent both book and stationery requirements together. We have decided to split it this year, so stationery requirements will only go out with the final reports. (The only exception is children who are going to Grade 1 next year and would like to order the stationery pack through our supplier; letters will go home today in this regard). The book requirements for 2012 will go out today. Please ensure that book payments reach us by Friday 11 November at the latest.

## *GRADE 3 TEACHER 2012*

Kim Heath will unfortunately be leaving our school at the end of the year. We have advertised for a new Grade 3 teacher in this week's Paarl Post. If you know of any suitable candidates they can send their CV to the office, applications close on 4 November.

## **Collection cans**

Please remember that the end of October is D-Day for all collection tins to be returned. Please keep them coming in, your small change can really make a big difference to our school. We have already collected R6108 from this fundraiser!

## SWIMMING: GRADES 4 – 7

Swimming for the senior primary will start next week. The grade 6's and 7's will swim on a Monday and the Grade 4's and 5's on a Thursday. Please remind your children to pack in their swimming costumes and towels. Ideally, where possible, we would like parents to collect their children from the swimming pool on these days. The Grade 6's and 7's finish at 14h30 on a Monday and the Grade 4's and 5's at 13h30 on a Thursday. If you are not able to do so, children will be brought back to school. Swimming is NOT weather dependent, so please pack in costumes even if rain is forecast. If your child is ill and cannot attend swimming, please either send a signed excuse note or phone the school.

**COMMUNICATION SHEETS** for all grades will go out today, please sign and return them on Monday.

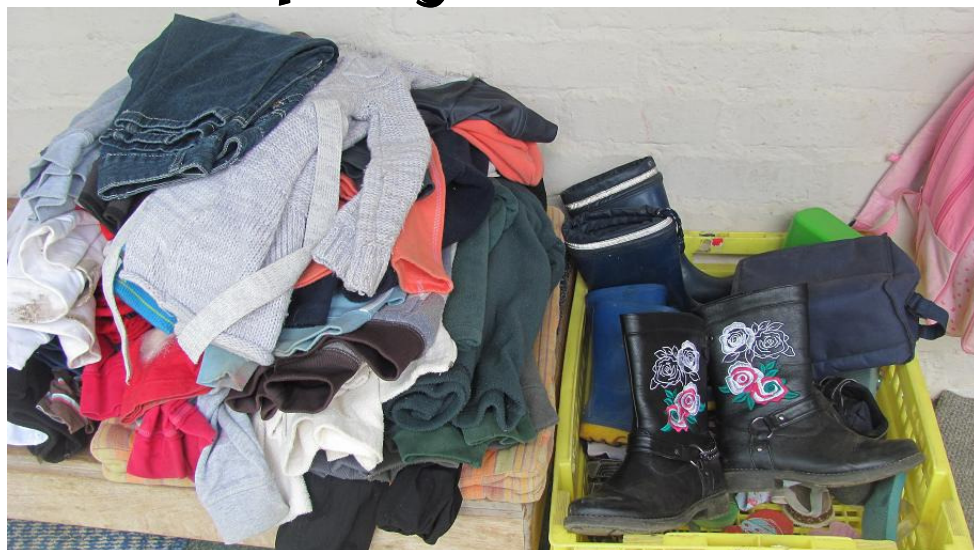
## Children attending school sick

It is not fair to the other children in your child's class if you send your child to school sick. If your child has a fever or has been diagnosed with an infectious disease, please do NOT send them to school under any circumstances. The school reserves the right to send children home if they arrive sick, but by the time we have noticed this they will already have had contact with other children.

## LAZY LUNCH TERM 4

26 October	Pancakes – cinnamon	3.50
	Pancakes – caramel	4.00
2 November	Hamburgers	8.00
9 November	Toasted cheese	6.00
	Toasted cheese and tomato	7.00
16 November	Hot dogs	7.00
23 November	Pancakes – cinnamon	3.50
	Pancakes – caramel	4.00
30 November	Hamburgers	8.00
7 December	Toasted cheese	6.00
	Toasted cheese and tomato	7.00

## Lost Property



We currently have a large amount of lost property in both the aftercare and Gr 2 classrooms. Please check to see if any of the items belong to your children. We will soon be donating unclaimed items to a charity where children can enjoy using these clothes, most of which are in very good condition.

# Photographs

The individual and class photographs that were taken last term will be sent home with your child today. If you would like to keep the photographs, please send R45 in cash to your class teacher. This money goes directly to Forma Photography so we cannot accept cheques or EFT payments. The class photographs cost R15 each and can be viewed and paid for in your child's classroom. If you would like another set of photographs, then please send the payment together with the code on the back of the print that starts with the grade of your child. Final payment is due by **Friday 18 November**.

## TUCK DUTIES TERM 4

Date	Pre school	Gr 1-3	Gr 4-7
21 October	Meeka Cupido Telelo Thando Lee Williams Shane du Plessis	Somila Matakata Noah Steph-Lazarus Deena Foulkes Jody le Cordeur	Ethan Clack Kade Gillespie Thomas Hudson Uthmaan Pietersen
28 October	Kate Adshade Kayla Aubin Madeleine Borel-Saladin John Chibanda	Dillan Pillay Lucas Milner Shazia Gaffoor Felix Goetze	Irin Arendse Bevan Blaauw Damian Pietersen Arron Snyder
4 November	Keanan Afrika Kiara Beamish Buhle Kutuka Tristen Haai	Luke Castell Stefano Louw Chelsea Lubbe Connor Rademan	Axolile Yabo Jemima Carey Fayyaad Arnold Phiwe Tshaya
11 November	Sarah Hudson Cole Macdonald Mekaeel Abbas Jesse Prinsloo	Lizzy Thomson Mbali Conana Misha Perrins Nur Pietersen	Sven Geiger Tanya Lewis Sinead McDermott Byron McCabe
18 November	Lakhe Meje Morgan Rogers Jordan le Cordeur Charlotte Seynhaeve	Keishe de Kok Nande Kutuka Khaalid Tyer Anschen Vaughan	Christiaan Maree Ana Sampson Emma Warwick Mpelo Hlatuka
25 November	Lulibo Landu Oliver van Schalkwyk Rita Tshaya Carla Viljoen	Emil Duvenage Abdul Gaffoor Ross Macdonald Simon Schouteden	Amy Daniels Gregory Johnson Rainier Fourie Joshua Theron
2 December	Sino Tsholoba Kirston Stubbs Eden Wittles Zaydaan Tyer	Angelica Bellmunt Bocasho Braaf Caris Samuels Kiara Soobramoney	Isabelle Blaauw Anton Louw Danné Cameron JP McKay

Thank you for your continued support,  
Mike Aubin and the WPS team

**We are looking for a Boxer puppy (under 4 months). We have a lovely farm garden and a brother boxer anxiously awaiting a friend. If you know of such a puppy please contact Chrisna Faure on 0732893311.**