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PRE-PRIMARY & DAYCARE CENTRE

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Dear Moms and Dads

WELCOME BACK TO EVERYONE!! I hope everyone is ready for the 3rd term.

Upgrading

We have changed the gate system at Bizweni.

From now the Grade R learners will use the gate on the Primary school side. The same tag system will apply on both sides.

Please contact us if you need to purchase tags from the school to gain entry when dropping off and fetching learners. Tags cost R70 each.

We will be giving the Jungle Gym in the centre of the Pre-Primary playground some much needed TLC.

The D6 communicator is also going to be installed as soon as possible. We will forward more information about this as soon as the program has been uploaded.

We will be adding Educational resources to our classrooms and outside play areas during the term.

Holiday program

Thank you to the Bizweni teachers and staff for ensuring that our holiday program was enjoyable and fun for the learners. Thank you to Dinks and Charlotte for making sure everything ran smoothly.



Safety at school

Please make sure that you close the gates everytime you leave or come into the school

It is very easy for a little one to slip out if a gate is left open so please assist us. This is especially important in the afternoon when there are viewer staff on duty and the office might be closed.

Please ask other people fetching your children to also make sure they close both gates behind them when they come in as well as when they leave.

No children are allowed to play close to the gates.

Themes

Enclosed in this newsletter are the themes for term 3.

You can keep it somewhere at home where it can be viewed throughout the term so that you are aware of what the learners are learning about at school.

There are still some reply slips outstanding for "Returning to Bizweni 2017"
Please send it back to Bizweni as soon as you can.

Upcoming dates

The following dates are important to diarize:

FANSA visit to Bizweni.

FANSA will be visiting us on **Thursday 28 July 2016**. We will be learning more about Plants. This is a not to be missed activity, available to all our Bizweni learners. There will be no extra costs for the parents.

Public holidays:

Please take note of the following dates when Bizweni Pre-Primary will be CLOSED:

- Wednesday 3 August 2016 – Election/Voting Day throughout South Africa.
- Monday 8 August – School holiday. Bizweni will be CLOSED
- Tuesday 9 August – Public holiday. Bizweni will be CLOSED

Cake Sale



Cake Sale - FRIDAY 12 August 2016

Our next Cake Sale will be on FRIDAY 12 August 2016

Parents of the children in the following classes are asked to provide the eats:
Teacher Eleeshi (Grade 1),
Teacher Leslea (Gr R),
Teacher Riana (Gr R) and
Teacher Linda's (Gr RR)

Homemade cupcakes, brownies, biscuits etc. are always welcome.
If you are not an enthusiastic baker, do not despair!

Chips, popcorn, fizzers etc. are also welcome.
We do however try to keep the artificial flavorings and preservatives to the minimum.



How does Cake Sale work you may ask:

The Cake Sale is held outside the office on the stoep.

The Cake Sale will start at 7:30 and parents are welcome to drop off eats on the day, as they drop off the children at school.

Parents are welcome to buy eats to take home or to take to the office, on their way out.



Parents you don't need to buy for your children they will have the opportunity to choose & buy eats themselves later in the morning.

Eats don't go for more than R3 per eat, so you don't need to send more than R10 with your child to buy with at the Cake Sale.



Send your child's Cake Sale money to school in a bank bag/envelope with your child's name on the bag.

ON CAKE SALE DAY YOU DON'T NEED TO SEND A BIG SNACK. DURING SNACK TIME THE CHILDREN EAT WHAT THEY BOUGHT AT THE CAKE SALE.

The money we raise with this cake sale will go towards repairs and maintenance inside the classrooms & outside on the playground.

Photos

On Wednesday 17 August and Thursday 18 August, 2016 we will be taking photos.

The following arrangements regarding the photos will apply:

Wednesday 17 August:

Taking of individual photos and group photos of the younger learners in:

- Teacher Marilyn's class - Gr RR
- Teacher Linda's class - Gr RR
- Teacher Jacqui's class - 3 turning 4
- Teacher Es-Marie's class - 3 turning 4
- Teacher Colette's class - Toddlers
- Teacher Marianca's class - Toddlers

Thursday 18 August:

Taking of individual photos and group photos of the older learners in:

- Teacher Riana's class - Gr R
- Teacher Leslea's class - Gr R
- Teacher Eleeshi's class - Gr 1

Taking of graduation photos (individual as well as group) of the Grade R learners in:

- Teacher Riana's class - Gr R
- Teacher Leslea's class - Gr R

Eye Tests

During September we will be taking our Gr R and Gr RR learners to have their eyes tested. More information will be sent out closer to the time.

The Fire Station was scheduled to visit to our younger learners last term. Unfortunately it rained on the day of their visit. We have requested a new date for a visit from the Fire Station. As soon as we receive feedback from the Fire Station we will let you know as to when the visit will take place.

Please also diarise the following dates

On Saturday 15 October 2016 our **Spring Walk** will be taking place, here at Bizweni. We will start at 10:30 and should be finished by 14:00.

More information about this enjoyable event will follow soon.

On 17 November 2016 our **Concert** takes place here at Bizweni. It will start at 19:00. Please keep the date open.

Please remember that Bizweni closes on 7 December 2016 for the **December holidays**.

Bizweni will close at 11:00 on this day.

We will open again for 2017 on Tuesday 10 January 2017

May each and every learner at Bizweni enjoy the third term.

May our parents and learners all feel happy and welcome when they come to Bizweni.

Please don't hesitate to contact us should there be any questions, concerns, feedback or suggestions you want to share with us.

Be blessed

Lizette and the Bizweni team.