

Heads Up

- the nuts and bolts for the week -

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Dear parents

A quick Heads Up for the week:

Stationery 2019

Stationery lists have been sent home. Thank you to those parents who have already submitted their forms and payments. When referencing your payment please remember to use your child's name. Due date for stationery orders is 30th October.

Sex Education in the senior grades

From time to time, parents enquire around an opportunity to cover sex education at school, in the senior grades. Last year, we did a module for Grades 6 and 7. This is not typically a school or prescribed curriculum matter, although reproduction is covered in the Grade Seven Natural Science (NS) coursework. On the last three occasions where we have hosted a programme, we found that the facilitators were just not able to navigate the diversity of values, naivety and concrete thinking in the group and the result was not optimal for many of the children. Rather than commit the parents to the additional expense and also risk the sensitivity of the delivery, we have opted to preserve the timetable time for subject instruction and limit the input to the NS curriculum opportunity. We strongly encourage parents to take on the role of sex education in their child's life. There are wonderful books, guides and internet based programmes to consider as you do it. In this way, YOU, the parent will input your values directly, which is first prize. By when, you may ask? Certainly, by age 11 years you should start the discussions and then, as their dilemmas and questions arise, be completely approachable to talk further.

Pantomime

The entire school will be going to see the Pantomime "Snow White" on the 1st of November at the Mandela Theatre. The show begins at 10.30 and is about 2hours long. The children will be transported by bus 2000. A consent letter will be sent home for signature closer to the time.

KweZwe thanks

Thank you to the parents, children and staff who continue to support Ukhukanye KweZwe nursery school with food items and resources throughout the year. The children and staff of KweZwe enjoyed a wonderful Christmas party with Bellavista last week.

Enjoy the week

Alison Scott (Mrs)



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Fanny Kachingwe
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