

KING'S CONNECT

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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

This term our Biblical worldview focus will be on STEWARDSHIP. This theme will help us know God and be restored in harmony with creation.

1 Jn 1:9 'But if we confess our sins to him, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all wickedness.

We will be helping our children to understand what it means to be faithful, obedient as well as the benefits of being diligent, orderly, resourceful, creative, responsible and how to be thrifty.

These are qualities which are sorely lacking in our modern, consumer driven society. We struggle to accept the fact that God is faithful and that He always has our best interests at heart.

God is sovereign over His creation and sustains it for His glory and purposes.

God Bless!

Welcome to the last term of the school year. We trust you had a refreshing break and are ready to get stuck into the last bits and bobs of this final busy term of 2018.

FATHER & SON HIKE

The hike that was postponed earlier this year will take place on Saturday, 20 October at Constantia Nek. We hope this will be a good bonding time for our Dads and their children!



EVENTS & SPECIAL DAYS

20 OCTOBER

Father & Son Hike

3 NOVEMBER

King's School Festival

16 NOVEMBER

Gr 7 Final Exams

[Gr 3 – 6 dismiss at 1:00 pm]

20 NOVEMBER

ECD Parent Orientation

21 NOVEMBER

Gr 4 – 6 Final Exams

29 NOVEMBER

Gr 1 – 7 Parent Orientation

4 DECEMBER (Gr R – 6)

Awards Evening & Gr R

Graduation

11 DECEMBER

Final Assembly

12 DECEMBER

SCHOOL CLOSES



SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

The orders of the school photographs that were taken last term have arrived. They can be collected from the office.



KING'S SCHOOL FESTIVAL

Our annual King's School Festival will be held on 3 November 2018. This is one of our main fundraisers for the year. With this in mind, we truly need your assistance in order for the day to be a success. It can be in the form of helping on the day i.e. preparing boerie rolls, assisting with manning a stall for an hour, monetary donations, wrapped sweets and small novelty prizes. There is somewhere for everyone to be part of our family and enjoy getting to know each other in a relaxed informal way!

The teachers are assigned to the various stalls and will have the lists of 'needs' up outside their respective classrooms. Please keep a look out for these!

We will have the usual booklet ticket system. These booklets are sold for R50.00 and made up of various denominations i.e. R10.00; R5.00. They can be used at the Food and Game stalls. The **Crafters** that will be displaying their wares are run privately and on a **CASH** basis only!



A few examples of pricings:

*Boerewors / Bacon Rolls	R25.00
*Cold drinks	R10.00
*Jumping Castle	R10.00
*Games	R 5.00

FESTIVAL RAFFLE

You will have received a Raffle Form with a wonderful weekend away at Mykonos up for grabs! This prize has been very kindly donated by Jamie Barlow's family (Gr RR). Our sincere thanks go to them for their very generous donation. Please encourage your friends and family to purchase a ticket or two! The Raffle Form together with the donations must please be returned by no later than **Wednesday, 31 October 2018**. Lost forms carry a R100.00 penalty.

UNIFORM ORDERS

The last order for uniforms for this year must be placed at the office by no later than Friday, 19 October 2018. Payment to accompany the order.

END OF TERM PROCEDURES & REQUESTS

The formal, final exams for **Gr 7** starts on **16 November** and the Gr 4 -6 will start on the **21 November 2018**. Grades 3 - 7 will be dismissed at **1:00 pm** on and from **16 November 2018**. Please ensure you make the necessary transport arrangements.

We request that parents assist their child/ren by ensuring that they come to school regularly AND more importantly **ON TIME**. This is a short term with much to be done. Staying absent and being late will only be detrimental to their success as they miss out on teaching time.

A reminder for the ECD parents (Gr RRRR – Gr R): Children in these classes **may not** be left unattended in the morning. Please wait until the teacher arrives to receive your child. They may also not be left in the care of an older sibling. They must be accompanied by an adult at all times.



PARENT ORIENTATION EVENINGS

- **ECD Orientation (Gr RRRR – Gr R)** will take place on the 20 November at 6:30 pm.
- **Gr 1 - 7 Orientation** will take place on the 29 November at 6:30 pm.
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These events are important and **all** parents should attend. It is an opportunity to meet your child's new teacher and to hear what they have in mind for your children in their class of 2019.

AWARDS AND GR R GRADUATION.

This year we will be hosting an Awards Evening and our Gr R Graduation on the **4 December 2018**.

[More info to follow closer to the time]



ECD CONCERT (Gr RRRR – Gr R)

This event will take place here at school on the evening of 7 December. [More info to follow]

FINANCE & 2019 SCHOOL FEE SCHEDULE

Please note the following:

2018 Fees must be paid up by 30 November 2018.

- School fees for 2019 are over 11 months - January – November
- Ad hoc fees are not included in your debit orders and need to be paid either via EFT or Speed-point at the office.
- Please visit our website for the 2019 School Fee structure

STAFF MATTERS:

We wish to bring to your attention the various staff changes taking place at King's School for 2019.

We are pleased to announce that Ms Adams (Gr 4) has been appointed as the acting Intermediate Phase Head of Department.

Aunty Debbie (Gr RRRR), Mrs Watson (Gr 1W), Mrs Pillay (Gr 2P) and Mr Nicholls (Gr 6N) have resigned. Aunty Desire (After School Care) has also, after many years, left in pursuit of new ventures.

We are obviously saddened by this as they all have added great value to King's School over the years and will be sorely missed. We wish them all well in their respective future endeavours and have no doubt that they will be an asset to wherever they may go.

WOOLWORTHS MY SCHOOL CARD

King's School partners with WOOLWORTH'S and it's MY SCHOOL program. We encourage parents to acquire the MY SCHOOL card and to link it to KING'S SCHOOL. It is a very easy, passive, non-invasive form of fund raising for the school. An amount of **R 452.46** was raised for King's School, for the month of September.

Kind regards

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