



# KING'S CONNECT

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**Dear Parents/ Guardians,**

**Our Biblical worldview theme for the 2<sup>nd</sup> term is; 'SELF-WORTH'. The main verse of scripture we are focusing on is Ps 139:14 'I will praise You, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.'**

**We all have 'WORTH'. Sometimes we go through 'troughs' in life and we feel as if we are not good enough. We feel as if we will never make it. Just imagine, if we as adults, who are mature and have developed certain strategies to cope with such feelings, struggle, how much more will a child that is immature and doesn't have the life experience to cope with such negative emotions, struggle. That's why it is important and very necessary that you as parents affirm your children when necessary. That you genuinely acknowledge them and the reason for affirming them.**

**It is of no value to affirm them when they should be reprimanded. This sends a false message to them.**

**May the Lord grant you wisdom to discern the difference between the two.**

## Upcoming Events

### May 9

Moms & Daughters Day

### May 29

Blind Buddy Day

Bring your R10.00, wear your civvies and your 'shades' (sunglasses) in support of the blind on Friday, 29 May!

### June 2

Parent Evening: Gavin Keller

### June 19

Father & Son Day



It has been a very awkward start to the second term with all the breaks in between. Thankfully, that is all out of the way now!

You will have received the term letters from the class teachers and we urge you to familiarize yourself with its contents. It is one way we strive to keep you informed regarding classroom activities, outings and so on.

We value your continued support as we strive to make your child's learning experience at King's School a very rich and memorable one.



## MOMS & DAUGHTERS DAY

### 10 May is Mother's Day!

We will be celebrating our Moms by having Moms & Daughter Day on 9 May 2015.

We value the Mothers of King's School. We want to affirm you as women that God has ordained to raise your children. To this end, we at King's School have arranged a very special event for you and your daughters.

Entrance is R40.00 (payable by 6 May) and a plate of eats to bring and share.

We look forward to an exciting morning of Mom & Daughter interaction and fellowship.

## UNIFORM (Grade 1 - 4)

The children must please be dressed in the full winter uniform.

## BOOK DAY

Thank you to everyone who supported our annual Book Day! Great fun was had by all the children on Friday when they came dressed as their favourite book character! We raised over R1 000.00 in 'book value' in this venture which will go towards building up our school library.

## GRADE 4

The Grade 4's will be writing formal examinations this term. A formal timetable will be published and distributed to parents. Once again we remind you that we depend on you to ensure that your child does their bit at home.

## PARENTING 101

There is no manual for parenting, unfortunately. At King's, we value families. We acknowledge the fact that strong family units will give rise to better communities. To this end, we aim to present regular 'Parenting' events.

We are hosting renowned Education Specialist, Principal of the Sun Valley group of schools, Mr. Gavin Keller.

Gavin Keller is passionate about education. He firmly believes that if the first eight years are dynamic, a child will develop all

the necessary skills, concepts, attitudes and



values necessary for success in life. It is the school's role therefore, to develop a good self-value in each child, to set high but realistic expectations and to predict what the world will demand by the time the children reach adulthood.

Gavin will be speaking to us on the topic:

**"OUR JOURNEY OUR SHADOWS FROM THE CHOCOLATE BOX TO THE SCRAPYARD"**

He suggests that too many teachers and parents present the chocolate box image of life. In this seminar, Gavin shares his personal journey in discovering the beauty of the scrapyard.

This is a must attend session for all parents. There will be babysitting facilities for the King's School pupils. More details regarding cost will follow in forthcoming King's Connects.

**ACCOUNTS**

The preferred method of payments is via debit order. When a debit order is returned more than twice for whatever reason, the system does not allow us to reload it again for a period of time. These clients/parents must then pay via EFT, cash or speed point at the office. When paying EFT please submit proof of payment to the accounts department: [accounts@kings.org.za](mailto:accounts@kings.org.za). If they have not received this proof of payment they will contact you with regards to outstanding fees.

*Kind regards*

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