

# KING'S CONNECT

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**Dear Parents/ Guardians,**

***Gen 1: 1 In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.***

God is our wonderful Creator. We are His masterpiece. The truth is, God created mankind to be dependent on Him for all things.

During this term the children will learn that we are created by God for His purposes; that He wants us to have fellowship with Him; that He loves us unconditionally; that God is always patient and kind and is always in control, even though at times it may not feel like it. God has a plan for each of our lives.

God bless!

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Thank you to those who attended the AGM. We do realise that people are busy and often have to work late, are out of town, etc. however, we would like to emphasize the importance of these meetings as vital and relevant information is shared. e.g. Parents were informed of changes that will be taking place in the Accounts Department, which we will share with you in this newsletter under the ACCOUNTS heading below.

The teachers also had a session with parents and have indicated some concern over the fact that not all children had a parent representative present.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDERS

We are pleased to introduce and welcome two new service providers to King's namely, Elmarie Kostermann, who is a qualified Occupational Therapist (O.T.) and Jacolien Britz who is a qualified Speech & Hearing Therapist. These two ladies come with a wealth of knowledge in their respective fields and offer on-site support should your child require either of their services. We welcome them both to the King's School family.



## EVENTS & SPECIAL DAYS

- **12 FEBRUARY**  
Red / White Civvies Day
- **24 - 26 FEBRUARY**  
Gr 3, 4 & 5 Camp
- **SPORTS DAY**  
5 March - Edgemoed Soccer Club
- **17 MARCH**  
Parent / Teacher Meetings
- **18 MARCH**  
End of 1st Term



## CIVVIES DAY

To celebrate Valentine's Day, the children may come dressed in RED and/or WHITE. The 'fine' for this privilege is R5.00.



### COMMUNICATION

Please note that this is the last hard-copy newsletter we will send home. The next edition will be available on the website and the D6 Communicator. Hard copies will only be made available on request.

**Please inform your class teacher if you will need a hard copy.**

## UNIFORMS

We are in the process of finalizing the pricing, order form and roll out of the new uniform. As soon as we have final detail it will be forwarded to you.

### COLLECTION OF MONEY



Just a reminder that any money coming in to the school **MUST** be in a sealed envelope / money bag with your **CHILD'S NAME, CLASS & REASON FOR MONEY** clearly indicated. Cash **MAY NOT** be handed to any teacher or staff member. There is a Money Post Box in the foyer of the school where the money can be posted and noted in the Book to ensure safety and security. Thank you to those parents who adhere thus far to this request.

## SPORTS DAY

Our annual Sports Day takes place on **5 March 2016 at 09h00** at the Edgemoor Sports Grounds (same venue as last year). This is a fun filled event which the children thoroughly enjoy and prepare for weeks in advance. Volunteers will be needed to assist during the morning with things like set up and break down of the gazebos before and after the event, selling refreshments, etc. Please inform your child's class teacher if you are able to help in any way. We also will need gazebos or very large umbrellas to shade the children while they wait for their specific race. Please let us know if you are able to help in this way. Boerewors rolls will be on sale (we will not be pre-ordering as in previous years) on a first come, first serve basis. There will be cold-drinks and crisps on sale as well. The event will start at 09h00 and should be approximately 2 hours. More information will follow on the D6 communicator.



## CAMP: GR 3 – 5

Our Grades 3 - 5 will be going on camp from 24 – 26 February to Glencairn, Fish Hoek. Parents are reminded that they will need to transport their own child to the camp. If you are willing to lift any child to the camp please indicate to your child's class teacher via email or Message Book. Please refer to camp info that has been sent out already and on the D6 communicator.



## ACCOUNTS

### PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING IMPORTANT INFO RE ACCOUNTS

- **REVISED DEBIT ORDER FORM**

We have a revised Debit Order Form. This will be sent home in your child's message book on Monday, 15 February 2016. Please complete legibly, sign, date and return to school by no later than **22 February 2016**.

- ❖ Should you pay for fees **annually** or by **Stop Order/EFT** or **Speedpoint**, the Debit Order Form **must still be completed** and returned. The banking details need not be completed but the options must please be clearly indicated and the form signed and dated.

- **PAYMENT PLAN**

Next year, 2017, will see us move from a 12 month payment plan to a 10 or 11 month plan. The annual fee will stay the same, with the usual annual increments, but the monthly payment will be adjusted accordingly. This is to alleviate the pressure of the December payment.

- **STATEMENTS**

The statements will be sent out quarterly.

Carmen Carelse, the Bookkeeper, is in the office on MONDAYS from 08h30- 14h30 and on Fridays from 08h30- 12h00. She is also available on the e-mail address [accounts@kings.org.za](mailto:accounts@kings.org.za), any day of the week.



*Kind regards*

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