

Kidz Chronicle



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Our theme for this year is:

Accept and Embrace CHANGE

Term 2 Ends next week

May I start the last newsletter of this term by thanking you for all your continued support, patience and understanding during this very challenging time. With the impact of Covid-19 on teaching and learning we are constantly forced to be creative and think outside the **norm. We have forged ahead with the "new normal" and have tried by all means to create** a renewed sense of normality and routine. Our children have, once again risen to the occasion.

It is hard to believe we are near the end of another term, although the weather has certainly signalled that we are in the depths of winter the show goes on! This term has been very busy, with the focus on controlled tests, several outings for the different grades such as, The Reptile and Crocodile City, Go Ape, The SAA Airport museum, and of course the Konka trip. Mrs Ncube and her team organised the Virtual Planetarium. This was a fantastic experience being in the solar system!

Teachers are in the process of completing Term 2 reports and schedules. These reports will be issued to parents on the first Saturday of Term 3. Please diarise the date– 24th July. A time schedule will be issued to parents to adhere to Covid-19 protocols. It is important that you attend the meeting to review your **child's progress**. Teachers will send you the relevant information.

2022 SCHOOL ENROLMENTS

As the year rolls on, we are keen to ensure that all of our current families have their Foundation Phase children enrolled for 2022. (Grade RR/ R and 1). These enrolments allow us to plan for next year which includes our ability to keep all class sizes as small as possible to give children the best possible start to their education. Therefore, it is highly important for us to have an idea as to how many learners may be enrolling at our school for next year. If you know of a neighbour, friend or a relative who has a child who is three turning four before the 30th June 2022, (Grade RR) please ask them to visit our website for a registration form. Fees for 2022 are also available.

We look forward to meeting all of our new families enrolling CityKidz and making them a part of our community.

June 2021

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FRIDAY

RESUMPTION

Term 3 starts on the 19th July. During the holiday, continue reinforcing our message to learners to pay extra attention to health and hygiene, please ensure your child does not attend social gatherings, even while away from school, to continue to wear a mask in public, sanitise regularly and social distance in support of the effort to contain and slow down the spread of COVID-19 third wave.

Please do not let allow your child/ren to return to school if they have any flu-like symptoms, this includes coughing, fever, shortness of breath, fatigue, headaches, pains, etc. Learners are expected come with a copy of their medical report upon resumption.

We are all on high alert to keep everyone in our care safe. Each of us has a vital role to play in the collective fight against this pandemic.

Let's remain alert, stay healthy and keep safe! I wish you all a happy holiday.



Special points of Interest:

- 18th June- My Dad Rocks Civvies
- End of Term 25th June school closes
- Term Three begins 19th July
- Parents collect reports on Saturday 24th July
- Future Kings breakfast- Grade 6 and 7 boys 1st August.



GRADE RR and R's Accomplishments

As we near the end of Term 2, Winter has made its chilly appearance but this has not changed the Grade RR and R 's warm, positive attitude toward Learning Through Play! The little learners arrive each day wearing their CityKidz Winter School uniform, eager to learn something new with their Class Teachers. The learners bring along their blankets for extra warmth and comfort - creating a home away from home feeling—as the CityKidz Family that we are.

Together this Term we have learnt the importance of Friendship and how to be a good friend. Friendships begin at an early age and some friendships tend to last a lifetime when positive friendship traits are learnt and taken care of in a nurturing way. As a Teacher, reuniting with learners is always a heartfelt reunion as you undoubtedly form bonds of friendship with each learner that crosses the threshold of your CityKidz classroom.

The learners were taught the importance of Transport in our community and it is music to our ears as you listen to the Grade RR and R learners singing "The wheels on the bus" and "The Traffic Light Song". These songs can be heard as you make your way around CityKidz School during the day or when it is time to go home. The learners have enjoyed their creative moments making a traffic light, a bus with passengers drawn sitting in the bus, an aeroplane puzzle - that is safe enough to fly in after flight restrictions have been fully lifted due to COVID19 restrictions (wink, wink). Each creative masterpiece is a treasure!

Our Homes projects were really amazing and we thank our Parents for assisting our learners.

Our Country, South Africa is beautiful and filled with amazing opportunities for learners. Thinking back on our trip to Rietvlei Animal Farm earlier this term. The learners learnt to sing the South African Anthem and what the meaning of each colour is on our National flag. Creative art was fun as we decorated our South African flags using strips of paper, paint or crayons.





Grade 2—Reptile and Croc City



On Thursday 17 June 2021, Grade 2s went on a day trip to the Crocodile and Reptile Park in Chartwell. We learned about the life cycle of the crocodile and got to hold a crocodile egg, a baby croc and real crocodile skin! We also were introduced to different snakes and were allowed to touch really big ones! It was so exciting. Then we had so much fun zip-lining and we could see the crocs, rabbits and tortoises from way up high. It was thrilling! We also ate yummy hot dogs and juice and played in the big playground. It was the best outing ever!



Teddy Bear Picnic



If you went down to CityKidz on Tuesday, you would have been in for a "beary" big surprise! For every Teddy Bear that ever there was, was gathered with our little Grade RR and R learners on the grass for a picnic!

The little learners snuggled on their blankets with their Teddies and enjoyed tasty snacks, juice/water and a treat packed by our caring Parents.

The Mamma Bear teachers gave their little bear cubs a treat of marshmallows to take home after they sang and danced with their Teddies! Bubbles were blown and seen drifting off into the sky with much glee as we left the grass to go back to class.

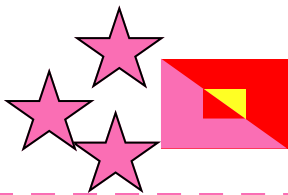
We enjoyed the Teddy Bear Picnic and look forward to our next adventure in Term 3!

Grade RR and R Team

BEHAVIOUR BANK - MOST MERITS

Most Merits Week Ending 18th June 2021

Grade	Name	Surname	Grade	Name	Surname
Grade RRA	Thelma	Mpofu	Grade RRB	Miguel	Madisha
Grade RA	Keamogetswe	Shuping	Grade RB	Nolwazi	Malunga
Grade RC	Kganya	Tsatetsi	Grade 1A	Nolukholo	Sibanda
Grade 1B	Ndalo	Malobane	Grade 1C	Rahim	Salehe
Grade 1D	Owethu	Ndlovu	Grade 1E	Nkosinathi	Zwane
Grade 2A	Mbalenhle	Masuku	Grade 2B	Memuna	Opeloyeru
Grade 2C	Hope	Makgopa	Grade 2D	Kokamo	Setogang
Grade 3A	Kopano	Mtshali	Grade 3B	Ryan	Dube
Grade 3C	Osego	Fuleni	Grade 3D	Naledi	Molepo
Grade 4A	Omphile	Ngcobo	Grade 4B	Didintle	Mataboge
Grade 4C	Prince	Maniragena	Grade 4D	Omphemetse	Maduku
Grade 5A	Mmanaledi	Mokoena	Grade 5B	Sasha	Mujeri
Grade 5C	Sibusiso	Masina	Grade 5D	Lethabo	Thokoane
Grade 6A	Kefilwe	Ncube	Grade 6B	Reneiloe	Leketi
Grade 6C	Thatohatsi	Thamae	Grade 7A	Masedi	Lesedi
Grade 7B	Nonhlanhla	Mulaudzi	Grade 7C	Quinn	Morgan



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Quote for the Week

Youth is happy because it has the capacity to see beauty. Anyone who keeps the ability to see beauty never grows old.

Franz Kafka

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Warm Regards

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