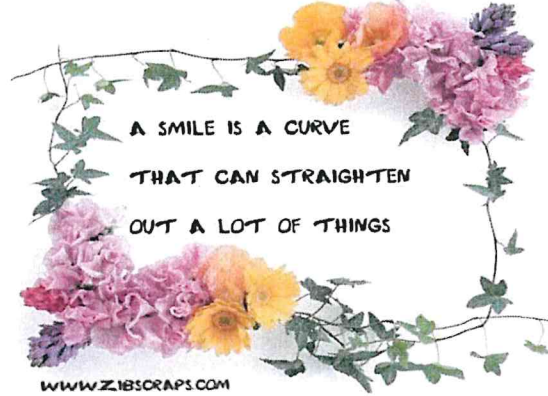


FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK



SGB ELECTIONS:

Due to Ramadan, our SGB Parent Elections that was meant to take place on Tuesday, 19 March will be postponed until after Ramadaan. The next scheduled day for the SGB Parent Elections will be on Monday, 22 April 2024 @ 18h00. This change has been approved by the GDE.

END OF TERM REPORTS:

Learners will be receiving their first term reports on Wednesday, 20 March, the day the term ends. Reports will not be handed out earlier. Reports for absent learners will only be available on this day from 12h00 until 13h00 ONLY from the school hall. Reports not fetched by 13h00, will be given to learners next term.

HOLIDAY HOMEWORK:

May we appeal to parents and pupils to use this break to check that all items of uniform (including shoes) are in a good condition and that children are prepared for the new term. Please do a stationery check and purchase any items that need replacing.

FINANCIAL RETURNS AND DEVELOPMENT:

We express our gratefulness to all those parents who have paid their first term's School Fees willingly and cheerfully. Your support enables us to get things done! Like any commercial business, our school has to be able to honour our monthly financial commitments without embarrassment. Please do not wait until the end of the term before paying school fees. Please rather pay on a regular monthly basis, in advance. We need everyone's support if we are to maintain our standards at LRS.

PLEASE PARENTS:

We remind parents that they **are not allowed to walk into the school to approach learners**. If there are any problems with regard to learners, this matter must be handled by either a member of the School Management Team or an educator.

FUNDRAISING:

We still require prizes for various fundraising events, such as raffles, etc. Therefore, we request parents to kindly donate prizes to our school. We would also like to extend our thanks to all those parents who have, in the past, already donated items to our school for fundraising. Your generosity and kindness are greatly appreciated.

UNIFORM:

Parents are asked to check their children's school uniform daily to ensure that the correct items of clothing are being worn. All clothing must be marked/labelled with the child's full name please. We are currently in summer uniform.

HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS:

Please be aware that **no high school learners will be allowed** to wait outside our school as their idle hands just get into trouble. Any high school learners, who fetch younger brothers and/or sisters, will only be allowed onto our school premises by themselves and not in groups.

NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY:

As the end of term is fast approaching all library books should already have been returned to the **LIBRARY**. **PLEASE PARENTS** help us regarding this. No more loans of library books will be allowed for the rest of this term.

RESPECT:

If any educator reports that your child has been disrespectful, please discuss this matter very seriously with him or her. Please remember Transparency, Honesty and Accountability.

HAPPY RAMADAAN:

Wishing all LRS families observing fast in the month of Ramadaan, a blessed and happy Ramadaan.

KEEPING THE SCHOOL CLEAN:

Regretfully, at times some of our children seem to discard their litter (usually from their lunch packs) all too easily, resulting in the school grounds and buildings becoming quite unsightly. Please follow up this matter with your children and encourage them to take pride in their school by depositing their litter in the bins provided. Sweet papers and cool drink cans, in particular, attract bees. Needless to say, the no littering rule applies when in public places too. Please note, the school is taking this matter very seriously this year.

TRANSPORT:

Parents, please ensure your child travels in a secure and roadworthy form of transport to and from school. We have noticed some children arriving in vehicles which are not roadworthy which can be life threatening.

DATES TO DIARISE:

1. Controlled Tests (Exams):

Please note that controlled tests (exams) will be written next term. Learners will receive the sections to study with the Term 2 Assessment Plan. If any children are absent during this time, a doctor's note is compulsory.

Grade 7 Controlled Tests will be from 20 May until the 27 May 2024.

Grade 4-6 Controlled Tests will be from 20 May until the 24 May 2024.

2. LRS FAMILY BARN DANCE:

The LRS family barn dance is another exciting event at our school. This is a fundraising initiative. Thanks to all parents and members of staff who are working hard to make this event a success. Date to be advised. If anyone is available to be part of organising this event, please contact us on **011 615 7328** or info@lrschool.co.za.

3. OPEN DAY:

Leicester Road School will be having our Open Day on Saturday, 20 April 2024.



The poster features the school's crest on the left, which includes a shield with 'LRS' and 'KENSINGTON' below it, flanked by two lions. To the right of the crest, the text reads 'Leicester Road School' in a large, stylized font, with 'OPEN DAY 2024' underneath. Below this, the dates and times are listed: '20 April 09h00 to 11h00'. At the bottom left, the school's address and contact information are provided: '134 Derby Road Kensington (011)615-7328 info@lrschool.co.za'. The right side of the poster is dominated by two overlapping photographs: the top one shows a large, modern school building with a palm tree in the foreground, and the bottom one shows a group of children and staff posing for a group photo on a lawn.

HOLIDAY:

We wish all our LRS families a happy holiday and safe travelling. School will re-open on Wednesday, 3rd April 2024 for Term 2.

SUPER HERO CRAZY OLYMPICS DAY:

A reminder that our Super Hero Crazy Olympics Day will take place on Tuesday, 19 March. Children have been told what to wear. Parents are asked to please ensure that their children dress appropriately – no skimpy tops, dresses, skirts or high heeled shoes will be allowed.

For this privilege, we ask each learner to pay **R15** which should be handed to his or her class teacher. Children are to bring their bags to school. Parents are welcome to attend.

Grade	Theme
R	Superman / Superwoman
1	Batman / Batwoman
2	Green Lantern / Jessica Cruz
3	Captain America / Captain Marvel
4	Ironman / Iron Heart
5	Hulk / She Hulk
6	Wonder Woman / Aquaman
7	Spiderman / Catwoman

CRAZY OLYMPICS PROGRAMME

TIME	ACTIVITY
07:45 – 08:20	Register
08:20 – 08:30	Learners to sit on the stands
08:30 – 08:40	Each grade perform war cries
08:40 – 08:50	March to games starting from Grade 7 to Grade R
08:50 – 09:10	Game 1
09:10 – 09:30	Game 2
09:30 – 09:50	Game 3
09:50 – 10:10	FIRST BREAK
10:10 – 10:30	Game 4
10:30 – 10:50	Game 5
10:50 – 11:10	Game 6
11:10 – 11:30	Game 7
11:30 – 11:50	Game 8
11:50 – 12:10	SECOND BREAK
12:10	TEACHER VS PREFECTS CRICKET MATCH
13:30	Learners back to classes
Announcement of Grade with best spirit cup in Assembly	

Yours in Education,
Mr KWM DRIVER
School Principal



Sign

18/3/2024
Date

DRAMA PRODUCTION

