

DATES TO DIARISE

Friday	30 April	Gr2 Cake and Candy
Tuesday	4 May	Hotdog day/ FAB Meeting
Wednesday	5 May	Bellavista Parents Evening Talk on Vision and Reading
Presented by		Casha Meintjes
Costs		R80.00
Time		19:00 – 20:30
Enquiries:		011 788 5454 / 011 447 4110

CHESS NEWS

The league match on Monday 3rd May has been postponed. It will be a normal practice day. Reserves can use the opportunity to challenge for a place in the team. Jodie Sher played in the Gauteng South trials on Sunday. She scored a very creditable 2½ points. Danilo Adinolfi also participated but he could play only a couple of rounds before leaving. Eddie Price 011 782 7544

SPORTS REPORT

Last week saw the start of soccer season. The teams played against Rosebank Primary School. Because of the holidays on Monday and Tuesday, practices were scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday as per intercom instructions. **Today Practices are Opens**, Under 11 and Under 9 as well as mini soccer as usual. The **girl's first soccer match** is tomorrow at home against De La Salle. Good luck, girls!

Next week the Fixtures are as per extra mural timetable **but Cup Matches for U10A and U12A soccer teams will be played on Tuesday at home.**

Netball matches started last week against JHB Girls with challenging results. Today's matches are against Norwood Primary as per extra mural timetable.

Tennis continues with practices on Thursdays for Seniors and Fridays for Juniors. Mini Tennis is on Tuesdays

Michael Halley
Sports Co-ordinator

FAIRWAYS SMALLS

GOJU KAI KARATE CLASSES –Houghton, traditional Japanese karate, 2 classes per week. Contact Sensei Russell Sim on 083-601-3464.

NEED EXTRA MATHS?- for Grades 4, 5, 6 & 7. Qualified Maths Teacher, one-on-one tuition. Call Linda (011) 788-9757 / (082) 353 7090 (*I'm just one block away from Fairways School*)

UKUHLE SAZENZELA AFTER CARE! Pick and drop services after school. After care and assist with homework. For enquiries contact Nomonde 082 970 3885.

The Wits University Humanities faculty presents the third annual Wits Arts & Literature Experience (WALE) 21-24 April 2010. This year WALE will showcase a wide array of performances, exhibitions, discussions, and workshops. Please visit our website at www.wale.co.za for programming details, or call 011 717 1371.

YOU ARE NOT ALONE! Worried about family, your business, finances, relationships etc Archangel Michael can help! For further details call Angela 082 712 1283/Pamela 082 871 2988 or visit www.tsl.org.za. Pamphlets attached!



FAIRWAYS PRIMARY SCHOOL

www.fairwaysprimary.co.za

"FAIRWAYS FOCUS"

Respect for self, respect for others, respect for environment



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29/04/2010

The following poem gives us all something to think about.

BE THE BEST OF WHATEVER YOU ARE

*If you can't be a pine on the top of the hill,
Be a scrub in the valley-but be
The best little scrub by the side of the rill,
Be a bush if you can't be a tree.*

*If you can't be a bush be a bit of the grass,
And some highway happier make,
If you can't be a muskie then just be a bass
But the liveliest bass in the lake!*

*We can't all be captains, we've got to be crew,
There's something for all of us here,
There's big work to do, and there's lesser to do,
And the task you must do is the near.*

*If you can't be a highway then just be a trail,
If you can't be the sun be a star,
It isn't by size that you win or you fail
Be the best of whatever you are!*

By Douglas Malloch

Take the advice given and be the best you can be...

T. RAE
PRINCIPAL

CONDOLENCES

Our condolences go to the Ngwenya family on the passing of Trisha's brother, son & nephew. He passed away having lost the battle with cancer.

OLYMPIADE ACADEMICA 2010 FOR GRADE 4 – 7

All learners in Grades 4-7 are eligible to enter. Candidates may enter in one or all of the subjects offered but learners may only enter for subjects in their **own** Grade. Learners **may not** enter subjects in a **higher** Grade.

Entry Fees Per Candidate - Late entries: R15 per subject		
1 Subject R10	4 Subjects R24	7 Subject R42
2 Subjects R12	5 Subjects R30	8 Subject R48
3 Subjects R18	6 Subjects R36	

Grade 4 learners can only take 2 subjects namely,

1. English 1st language
2. Mathematics

Grade 5 – 7 may enter more than 2 subjects but at the educator's discretion.

The **SUBJECTS** offered are as follows:

1 English 1 st Language	5 Zulu 3 rd Language	9 History
2 English 2 nd language	6 Mathematics	10 General Science
3 English Spelling	7 General Knowledge	11 Life Orientation
4 Afrikaans 2 ^{de} Taal	8 Geography	12 Computer Literacy

GRADE 2 CAKE AND CANDY

Grade 2's will be having a cake and candy tomorrow. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy cake and candy with us and please don't forget to bring money.

ON CUE THEATRE

Grade R – 3 will be having On Cue Theatre on Thursday 22 July 2010. R15.00 will be charged and must be paid in class before next term.

WINTER UNIFORM

With the sudden change in the weather, many parents have contacted the office regarding winter uniform. Our winter uniform consists of:-

Girls – Grey leggings, grey pinafore / grey slacks and Green check shirt, green blazer, grey socks, grey jersey and black shoes.

Boys – Grey trousers, white shirt, tie, grey jersey, green blazer, grey socks and black shoes.

Track suits – are **not** part of our daily uniform for Grade 1-7. **Grade R may wear their tracksuits to school.**

CHILDREN ARE EXPECTED TO WEAR THEIR UNIFORM WITH PRIDE AT ALL TIMES, PLEASE!. STANDARDS IN BEHAVIOUR AND PERFORMANCE DROP WHEN THE DISCIPLINE OF WEARING UNIFORMS CORRECTLY IS ALLOWED TO SLIP.

HOT DOG DAY

The Fairways Active Body (previously PTA) will be hosting a HotDog day on Tuesday 4 May. The pack (hotdog, chocolate, liquifruit) will sell for R25,00. The Tuckshop will be open from second break and after school.

Please support this fundraiser!



ASTRONOMY EVENING

Please diarise Saturday 22nd May for a wonderful afternoon of fun with your "special person". Then enjoy an evening of star gazing with an expert. Bring and braai and stay overnight in your tent. Don't miss this fantastic event.

FAB want to appeal to everyone, even if they are not able to make it on the Astronomy evening to donate ANYTHING you can, which can be used to make decorations i.e.: Cardboard, coloured paper, old gift wrapping, doilies, magazines, buttons, material, even pasta to stick on and lentils, etc, we ALSO need pens, highlighters, glue, glitter, paint, etc, etc, anything and everything to decorate with.

FAIRWAYS OPEN DAY

Our Open Day for admission for 2011 will be held on Wednesday 12 May 2010 from 09:30-12.00. Activities include: Tours of the facilities, application forms available, extra murals offered and refreshments will be served.

LICE

We once again have an outbreak of lice at the school which usually occurs this time of the year. Please check your children on a daily basis to ensure that they have not been infected.

Shampoos are available at Dis-Chem. Please ensure that children do not wash their heads while they are bathing but do so over a basin as the shampoos can be extremely toxic. Children must have a clearance certificate before coming back to school.

FAIRWAYS HAS TALENT

Auditions will begin in May. Look out for entry forms and more information...

CHILD TRAFFICKING EVENING

Thursday	29 April	Child trafficking, child protection and legislation. How best to protect your child during 2010 World Cup and beyond.
Venue		Fairways Primary School
Costs		R20.00
Time		18:00 – 20:00
Guest Speakers		Ajwang Warig from Anti Trafficking Colonel Kgarabo

Two DVD's will be shown with sensitive images.

NO CHILDREN ARE WELCOME