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Dear Parents

PTA MEETING- THURSDAY, 19 FEBRUARY

Our next PTA meeting is scheduled for Thursday, 19 February at 18:00 in the school hall. All parents are invited to attend. These meetings give parents an opportunity to become part of the school by receiving first-hand knowledge of the school programme, it also gives parents the platform to make suggestions on improving the functioning of the school and raise **general** concerns. We remind parents that concerns of a personal nature or regarding their individual child must still be raised through the normal channels of communication as the PTA meetings are not the correct platform for individual concerns. Parents attending the PTA meetings also become part of the planning of our Big Walk. We encourage our parents to please attend these meetings as learners who see that their parents show interest in them and their education normally also stay positive and flourish.

BIG WALK ITEMS

Please remember we are currently collecting items for our 'White Elephant' stall. We have received very few items thus far. Please send any items taking up space in your cupboards, kitchen or garage (gifts never used/unwanted, things that can be sold as second hand). For each item brought in, a point will be awarded to your child's class.

We are also appealing to any parents or companies who wish to sponsor Prizes to contact the office. Sponsorship letters that can be taken to companies are available from the office. Should you require a letter, a note can just be sent to the office, and we will send a letter home with your child. We need prizes for our Tombola stall and some bigger, top prizes for some of our other stalls. We also need small rewards for learners as they reach their 25 laps and 50 laps. **Remember that we are a Public Benefit Organisation and thus any donations to the organisation will be tax deductible in the hands of the donors in terms, of and subject to, section 18A of the Income Tax Act. A S18A certificate will be issued on request to the donor on receipt of any donations received by the school.** Any donations are welcome.

VALENTINE'S DAY CIVVIES

A final reminder about our Valentine's Civvies Day tomorrow. Children who would like to celebrate Valentine's Day may pay R10 to their class teacher or through the KarriApp in order to wear Valentine's Civvies on Friday, 13 February. Children wanting to take part must be dressed appropriately and preferably wear something red depicting Valentine's Day. (**No ripped jeans may be worn** and dresses and shorts must be of an appropriate length.) This is **NOT** compulsory and children not interested can come to school in normal school uniform.

EXTRA MURALS

Swimming results for Wednesday and athletics results for the Inter Primary Athletics today will be in the next newsletter.

SCOUTS- BADEN POWELL DAY

Every year Scouts around the world celebrate the birthday of their founder, Lord Baden Powell, by wearing their Scout Uniforms to schools. All children belonging to Scouts may therefore wear their Scout Uniforms to school on Friday, 20 February. Please just remember to also bring PE uniform should any of them have PE on that day.

Yours faithfully

H. THERON
PRINCIPAL