



# Kwetter Letter

NUMBER 1 OF 2021 : 28/01/2021

= Please read all the information =



## 1. STAFF MESSAGE

**A WARM WELCOME TO ALL OUR PARENTS AND A SPECIAL WELCOME TO ALL OUR LITTLE ONES!**

**OUR FIRST DAY WAS AN EXCITING EXPERIENCE AND THE LITTLE ONES SEEM TO BE HAPPY AND CONTENT IN THEIR NEW ENVIRONMENT.**

**MAY 2021 BE AN EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD AND HAPPY YEAR FOR YOU.**



## 2. Birthdays

- Congratulations to Teacher Cathy who is celebrating her birthday today, 28 January. May Teacher have a blessed birthday.
- Congrats to all our Hsie Kwassie learners celebrating their birthdays in January – enjoy a jolly day!

Teacher Sonja	: Naledi 27/01
Teacher Lynette	: Werner 16/01; Leah 28/01; Caitlyn 29/01
Teacher Cathy	: Mizanne 24/01

**NB:** We know that birthdays are very special, but we can unfortunately not allow any party packs, cupcakes or any refreshments at school during the period of Covid.



### 3. Extra Mural Activities

Monday	- Playball ; Drama ; Ballet
Tuesday	- Golf ; Swimming
Wednesday	- Netball ; Rugby Academy ( <b>Remember tackies</b> )
Thursday	- Tennis - ( <b>Remember tackies</b> ) ; Swimming
Friday	- Dance Mouse

Playball	Debbie 082 440 4708	Golf	Keagan 083 782 7781
Swimming	Ellen 082 920 8747	Ballet	Karlien 083 297 5714
Netball & Rugby Academy	Venessa 083 660 4707 Dawid 081 575 2682	Tennis	Diaan 073 829 0593
Dance Mouse	Elden 078 998 3688	Drama	Lydia 073 829 0593

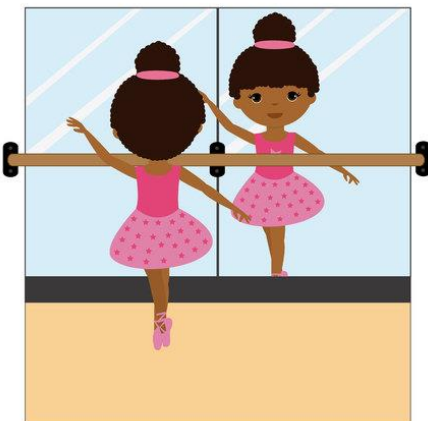
- All activities are commencing in February 2021. You have received pamphlet with information.
- Take note: Activities are not compulsory ; Additional fees are payable.
- Above mentioned activities are coached privately – Direct all enquiries directly to the relevant contact person.
- All activities take place during school hours – (Outdoor playtime).
- Thank you for your co-operation.



### 4. Theme for the week

**01/02/2021 - 05/02/2021**

**ME - THIS IS ME**



Talk to your child about herself / himself.





## 5. Educational

### 5.1 NEWSFILE

- You receive your child's news file EVERY THURSDAY.
- Remove all the documents under sticker. You do not want to miss important information - PLEASE READ THOROUGHLY!
- Return the file to school, by latest Monday.
- You can also read the Riebie Chatter and all information on the web site, [www.riebie.co.za](http://www.riebie.co.za) and **d6**.



### 5.2 SCHOOL HOURS FROM 1 FEBRUARY 2021

- Current school hours for pre-primary are from 07:30 – 12:30.
- Arrive from 06:45 – 07:15 to ensure sufficient time for the Covid routine at the gates and the sanitizing process before learners enter the classroom.
- Only 1/one parent may accompany the learner to the classroom door in the morning.
- **Entrance:**  
All Grade R learners enter at the small gate in Armada street.
- **Exit (12:30):**
  - Teacher Sonja - Small gate in Armada street.
  - Teacher Anke - Small gate in Armada street.
  - Teacher Lynette - Vehicle gate in Rustig Avenue.
  - Teacher Cathy - Vehicle gate in Rustig Avenue.

Please note: Teachers will accompany the learners to the gates at 12:30. NO parents are allowed on the school terrain.

- Waiting class (from 15 February 2021) for learners with older brothers or sisters (Gr 1–7) is from 12:30 - 14:00. Older siblings must fetch the little ones without delay after the school adjourns. No supervision after 14:00. Learner will be taken to the after-care centre at the parent's cost. Please fetch your child on time.
- NO WAITING CLASS ON FRIDAYS.

### **VERY IMPORTANT**

Learners receive a Covid form weekly on a Monday in their schoolbag. This form must be completed by parents and returned on Tuesday. The completion of the Covid form is **COMPULSORY**.



## 6. General

### 6.1 IMPORTANT DATES

Please diarise the following important dates:

#### Thursdays

#### Fridays

3 Feb (18:00)

4 Feb

4 Feb

25 Feb

11 March

11 March

23 March

24 March

#### News file

#### News file back

Parent evening - (Parents only)

Passport photos

Inauguration - Salute our Mascot

Photos (Individual & Class)

In-house show

Class lists for parent evenings on wall (Parents make appointments).

Parent Evening: GIRLS (13:00 – 14:00 / 16:00 – 17:00)

Parent Evening: BOYS (13:00 – 14:00 / 16:00 – 17:00)

- *Further dates and information for the rest of the term will be added in line with the amended school calendar.*

**This programme is subject to change.  
Please also refer to the Riebie-Chatter  
Web & D6**

### 6.2 CONTACT THE SCHOOL

- Should you have to contact a Hasie Kwassie staff member, please call between **10:30 and 11:00**

### 6.3 INTERHOUSE (ATHLETICS)

- Interhouse athletics had to be cancelled due to Covid restrictions.

### 6.4 PARENT EVENING – 3 FEBRUARY 2021

Please note that during this parent evening only important general information will be communicated. Due to Covid regulations no personal discussions will take place before/after the parent evening.

Parents are divided into two groups. Parents of boys and parents of girls will attend in different timeslots, as summarized below:

- Date : **3 FEBRUARY 2021**

#### **BOYS' PARENTS**

**Only 1/ONE parent, please (no children).**

- Arrival : 17:45 to 17:55
- Entrance : At motor vehicle gate in Armada street.  
Proceed to the SCHOOL HALL for Covid regulations and registration.  
Temperature is scanned, sanitize and sign the parent evening register.  
Thereafter proceed to your child's CLASS.
- Meeting : 18:00 – 18:25
- Adjourn : 18:25 – Parents use the exit at the small gate in Armada street.

- Date : **3 FEBRUARY 2021**

### **GIRLS' PARENTS**

Only 1/ONE parent, please (no children).

- Arrival : 18:15 to 18:25
- Entrance : At motor vehicle gate in Rustig Avenue.  
Proceed to the SCHOOL HALL for Covid regulations and registration.  
Temperature is scanned, sanitize and sign the parent evening register.  
Thereafter proceed to your child's CLASS, as soon as the boys' parents have adjourned.
- Meeting : 18:30 – 18:55
- Adjourn : 18:55 – Parents use the exit at the small gate in Armada street.

### **6.5 PARENT COMMITTEE MEETING**

- The parent committee meeting, which was scheduled for 8 February 2021, has been postponed until further notice.

### **6.6 PASSPORT PHOTOS**

- Passport photos (for administrative purposes) will be taken on 4 February 2021.
- Please send R15-00 in a clearly marked envelope, to your child's teacher, before/on 3 February 2021.
- Wear Green Hasie Kwassie T-shirt for photo.

### **6.7 CLASS PHOTOS & INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS**

- Class photos and Individual photos will be taken on 25 February 2021.
- Cost:  
Class photo - R40-00  
Individual photo package - R60-00
- Please send relevant amount, in a clearly marked envelope, to your child's teacher, before/on 24 February 2021.

### **6.8 RULES REGARDING ENTRANCE GATES**

- MAIN ENTRANCE at office (Rustig Avenue East).
- Currently no visitors or parents are allowed on the school terrain. Please make an appointment with the school office should you have to visit the school.
- Please ensure that you drop your child off on time for school and at the correct entrance, as indicated in point 5.2 of this newsletter. It is very disruptive for your child and for the class if a child reports late for school.
- Gates are **locked** during school hours.

### 6.9 HASIE KWASSIE T-SHIRTS & DRY MACS

- Receive order form in newsletter, today.
- Send order form and money in clearly marked envelope to class teacher.
- You will receive order on the same day.
- T-shirt may be worn with any pants.
- We are going to look great !

### 6.10 PERSONAL INFORMATION FOR PROFILES

- Receive form today.
- Please complete in clear, legible handwriting and make sure that all information is completed in full and correct.
- Return on or before 1 February 2021.
- Thank you for your co-operation.

### 6.11 NAME TAG / MASKS / VISORS

- Your child received a pin-on **name tag** on the first day of school. Please ensure that your child wears the name tag every day.
- **Masks** are compulsory and your child must wear it every day.
- Your child also received a free **face visor** today which may also be used in the class.



## 7. Finance

SCHOOL FEES FOR HASIE KWASSIE IS R1530-00 per month,  
PAYABLE IN ADVANCE FOR 12 MONTHS.

**NO MONEY MAY BE ACCEPTED BY TEACHERS, UNLESS THE EXACT AMOUNT IS PLACED IN AN ENVELOPE,  
WITH ALL THE DETAILS CLEARLY WRITTEN ON THE ENVELOPE.  
DO NOT PLACE FORMS IN THE ENVELOPE.**

### **BANK DETAILS**

Name : VAN RIEBEECKPARK PRIMARY  
Bank : FNB (CHEQUE ACCOUNT)  
Branch code : 205609  
Account Number : 62749134243  
Reference : Gr R and Child's name & surname

- Contact Ms Liesl van Straaten in the finance office for any enquiries.



## 8. Waiting Class

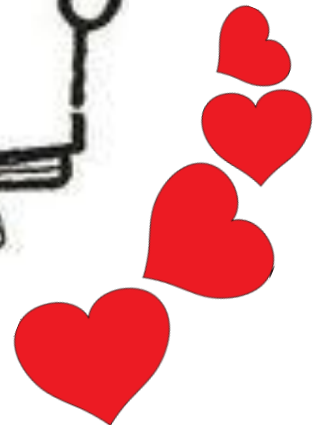
12:30 – 14:00

**WAITING CLASS** from 15 February

Waiting class rotates from class to class, on a weekly basis.  
Only for learners with older brothers / sisters in VRP Primary School

**No waiting class on Fridays – School closes 12:30.**

**TUCKSHOP** every Friday from 19 February 2021



**LYNETTE | SONJA | CATHY | ANKE**