



Kwetter Letter

NUMBER 15 OF 2021 : 20/05/2021

= Please read all the information =



IMPORTANT

SCHOOL CLOSED ON 21 MAY 2021

Please note that the school will be closed tomorrow, 21 May 2021, for an in-depth cleaning and sanitizing. The safety of our learners, staff and parent community is of utmost importance, and we appreciate your support in this regard.

The After-School Centre will however be open tomorrow, from 06:45, to accommodate learners whose parents have work commitments.

A detailed communique was published on 19 May 2021. Also see the Riebie Chatter for more information.

GRANDPARENTS' DAY

Partial repeat of recording

Due to a technical glitch beyond our control, which occurred during the virtual recording on 14 May 2021, a certain part of the recording will have to be repeated.

The date for the repeat recording will be communicated in due course.

We thank you for your understanding. We appreciate your cooperation and support.





1. STAFF MESSAGE

LET YOUR MORNING ROUTINE RUN SMOOTHLY

The secret of stress-free mornings is to know exactly what must be done and in which order. Specific tasks and clear routine help everyone to be on time, without having to shout.

Make time to explain your rules and expectations to your children. Make them aware of what does not work and what must change. When mornings become stressful again, refer back to your talk: *"We spoke about this... You know what to do, so go and do it now"*.

Some moms "work much harder" than their children. They call him/her five times to get up and when the child eventually gets up, he/she must be reminded every ten minutes to pack his/her lunch box. Stop this immediately, it does not work anyway. Since you have had a talk about the morning routine, you just need to remind him/her about the rules.

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2. Birthdays

- Congratulations to all our Hasie Kwassie learners who celebrate their birthdays in MAY! Enjoy a fun-filled day!

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 (Remember tackies)
Thursday	-	Tennis - (Remember tackies) ; Swimming
Friday	-	Dance Mouse

Playball	Debbie 082 440 4708	Golf	Jonathan 074 369 0253
Swimming	Ellen 082 920 8747	Ballet	Karlien 083 297 5714
Netball & Rugby Academy	Venessa 083 660 4707 Dawid 081 575 2682	Tennis	Diaan 071 895 1619
Dance Mouse	Elden 078 998 3688	Drama	Lydia 073 829 0593

*** PLEASE CONTACT THE RESPECTIVE COACHES DIRECTLY IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES.**

Please note:

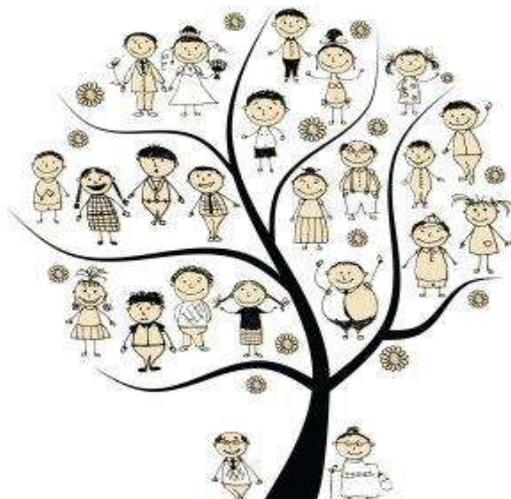
The last day of swim for Hasie Kwassie learners is on 20 May 2021. Swimming will commence on 3 August 2021.



4. Theme for the week

24/05/2021 - 28/05/2021

MY FAMILY





5. Educational

5.1 ASSESSMENT – 2ND TERM

- Already received.
- Help and support your child with reinforcement.

5.2 SHOELACES

- Teach your child to tie his/her own shoelaces.
- Now is the ideal opportunity since the learners' wear shoes.

5.3 KNOW MY ADDRESS

- Assessment.
- You received a picture of a house on 13 May 2021.
- Parents had to write their address on it.
- Learners had to memorize the address.
- **Your child must know the address, Monday, 24 May 2021.**



MY HOME

5.4 COLLAGE

- Date: **28 May 2021**
- Each learner will be making his/her own collage.
- Send “scrap booking” items (redundant gift paper, old buttons, artificial flowers, feathers, etcetera) to school.
- Items must be sent in a plastic bag with your child’s name on. We do not borrow.
- Pritt, glue and A3 cardboard, on which learners will be making the collage, will be supplied in class.

5.5 PUZZLES

- Build puzzles with your child.
- Technique: Build the corners and sides first, and thereafter the centre part.
- Let us look at the picture of the puzzle! (Visual discrimination).



6. General

6.1 IMPORTANT DATES

Please diarise the following important dates:

Thursdays

Fridays

15 June

16 June

20 June

9 July

26 July

News file

News file back

Grandparents' Day recording on D6

Youth Day

Father's Day

School Closes

School re-opens

- *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** and ask to speak to your child's Teacher.

6.3 OUTSIDE PLAY

- Hasie Kwassie learners now play on the Hasie Kwassie playground again.

6.4 SCHOOL HOURS: MONDAY TO FRIDAY IMPORTANT

Please do not be late for school. Academic time is lost, and it is very disrupting for the class when your child is late.

Arrive : 06:45 – 07:15

Adjourn : 12:30

6.5 T-SHIRTS

- Remember, specific Hasie Kwassie T-shirt for each day.
- T-shirt may be worn with short or long pants.
- Long-sleeve T-shirt may be worn underneath the Hasie Kwassie T-shirt on cooler days.
- Girls: May wear same colour ribbons as the T-shirt, in their hair. Short hair, neatly combed.
- Boys: Hair short and neatly combed.

6.6 T-SHIRTS & DRYMAC'S FOR SALE

- Hasie Kwassie T-shirts available @ R100-00 each.
- DryMac's available @ R200-00 each.

6.7 CLOTHING (GENERAL)

- It is getting colder. Place a warm garment in your child's schoolbag.
- Mark ALL garments – Name and Surname.
- Staff accept NO responsibility for lost clothing.

6.8 GENERAL RULES FOR DRESS CODE

- We are making a friendly request to parents to ensure that Hasie Kwassie learners are dressed appropriately and neat, suitable for school. Please avoid skimpy clothes and clothes that are too small, which is uncomfortable, and pulls up or down when the little ones' sit down.
- We appreciate your cooperation.

6.9 GOLF DAY: 28 MAY 2021

The school's theme for the year is: *"Learn from Yesterday, Live for Today, Work for Tomorrow"*. We have engraved this motto into everything we do, including the organisation of the Legendary Golf Day.

On advice from the Department of Health and the rising number of positive Covid cases, the school has decided it will be in the best interest and safety of everyone to postpone our Golf Day to September 2021. **BUT DO NOT PANIC!** It will be at the same venue and the same information will apply as before. The specific date will be announced in due course. We sincerely apologise for any inconvenience caused by these circumstances beyond our control.

There are off course some positive outcomes for postponing the date, thus giving you more time to prepare and improve your handicap 😊. The weather will be warmer, hopefully Covid numbers will be less, and this will also give us more time to source even bigger prizes for the day. **With your help, we can make this the best Golf Day ever!**

Please refer all further enquiries to: golf@riebie.co.za.

If there are any parents who are willing to assist in any way, please send an email to anke@riebie.co.za in the interim.

You can also visit our website for more information and costs, and online bookings can be done at www.riebie.co.za.

Together we plan the new TOMORROW!



6.10 GRADE R - 2022

We remind parents to please hand in their applications for **Grade R (2022)** without delay, to avoid disappointment.

Parents who still need application forms, must urgently contact Ms. Naomi van Niekerk at the school office.

Completed application forms must be put in a sealed envelope, together with the supporting documents, addressed to Ms. Naomi Van Niekerk, in the blue container at the school office entrance gate in Rustig Avenue.

For any enquiries regarding Gr R applications, please send an email to naomi@riebie.co.za.

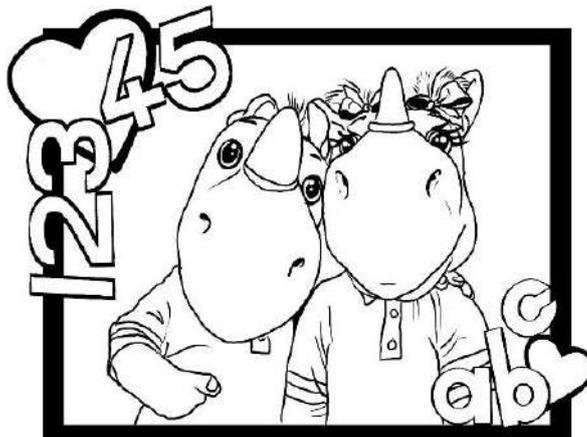
The following **compulsory supporting documents** must be handed in with the application:

- **Certified** copy of child's Unabridged Birth Certificate.
- Copy of Immunisation record.
- **Certified** copies of **both** parents' ID documents.
- Proof of residential address, not older than 3 months (W&L account in parent's name or lease agreement on official agency letterhead).
- If you are not the biological parents, documents as proof of legal guardianship.

6.11 GRADE 1 - 2022

The opening date for **Grade 1 - 2022** applications has not yet been announced by the Department of Education. Please keep checking the media and school newsletters and communiques, for the opening date and for more information.

Once the date is announced, parents must prepare to apply **ONLINE** at www.gdeadmissions.gov.za from the specific opening date, in line with departmental guidelines. The school will share more information in this regard with parents in due course.





7. Finance

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

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

24 May 2021 – 27 May 2021

12:30 to 14:00

ROOM: Teacher Anke's classroom

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

Do not forget the following... !



WEAR YOUR MASK...

WASH AND SANITIZE YOUR HANDS...

KEEP SOCIAL DISTANCING...

STAY SAFE...