



Kwetter Letter

NUMBER 26 OF 2021 : 26/08/2021

= Please read all the information =



1. STAFF MESSAGE

Talk about difficult situations and explain the rules clearly

There must be clear **boundaries** for children to know that Mom and Dad agree 100% about certain things. You will not always agree about the same things. Try to divide certain areas of parenthood. Mom, for example, is the primary decision maker when it comes to pocket money and food. Dad decides about internet access and sleepovers. The other parent is then the secondary decision maker in that area. The children can therefore not play parents up against each other. Mom will sometimes say "no" and at times, Dad will be the one to say "no". Decide not to disagree in front of the children and make important decisions together. Put it on the fridge so that the children will know: "About the following aspects, Mom and Dad decide together – No negotiations".

Build your authority on what you believe is good and right. Talk to each other about it. This way you will prepare your child to be able to look the world square in the eye, due to your discipline and parenting abilities.

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SCHOOL HOURS

Arrive : 06:45 – 07:15

Adjourn : 12:30

- Covid forms are handed out on a Monday and must be back at the school on the Tuesday.



2. Birthdays

- Congratulations to our learners who will be celebrating their birthdays in SEPTEMBER! Hope you have loads of fun!

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.

Teacher Sonja	: Tasmiyah 05/09 ; Rayden 07/09 ; Mashaka 08/09 ; Nyasha 08/09 Sakhile 23/09 ; Chloe 30/09
Teacher Lynette	: Abigail 14/09 ; Linay 29/09
Teacher Cathy	: -
Teacher Anke	: Janieck 02/09 ; Christian 23/09 ; Ashlynn 30/09



3. Extra Mural Activities

Monday	-	Playball ; Drama ; Ballet
Tuesday	-	Golf ; Swimming
Wednesday	-	Netball ; Rugby Academy - (Remember tackies)
Thursday	-	Swimming ; Tennis - (Remember tackies)
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

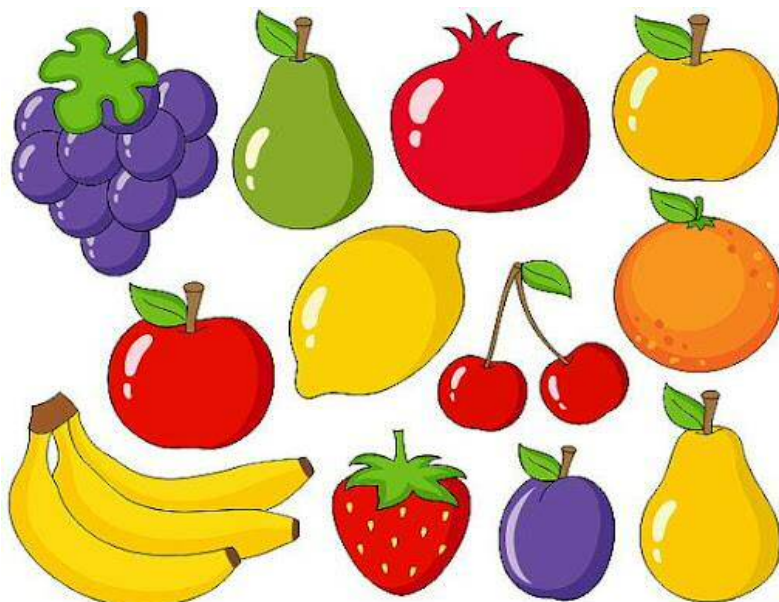
*** PLEASE CONTACT THE RESPECTIVE COACHES DIRECTLY IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES.**



4. Theme for the week

30/08/2021 – 03/09/2021

FRUIT





5. Educational

5.1 SCHOOL RULES

- Not allowed to bring toys to school.
- **Be on time. Your child disrupts class when he/she is late.**
- Always use your Hasie Kwassie school bag.
- We do not fight, we play together.
- Be loyal! Share everything you are learning!
- We do not throw sand.
- We make turns and give everyone a chance.
- We eat with our mouths closed and do not mess.
- Behaviour immaculate.
- Listen.
- Keep quiet when we must.
- Do not bother other learners.
- Hasie Kwassie wallet, around your neck on Friday.
- Remember your news file on Fridays.
- **All monies in a MARKED ENVELOPE.**

5.2 LEFT AND RIGHT

- Raise your child's awareness of left and right.
- Tie a ribbon or a piece of string around child's right wrist. (Something functional that will not get lost easily).
- Let learner come to school, wearing the string or ribbon.
- Let us learn in a playful manner.

5.3 AUDITORY SKILLS

- Auditory skills are important.
- Let your little one re-tell a story you have read.
- Play "listening games" for example: Repeat five numbers (in random order), name five objects, colours, animals, etcetera, while your child listens and repeats these. This is an interesting way to keep your child occupied while travelling.

5.4 WE LEARN TO WRITE LETTERS

- The correct method of writing is very important.
- Start at the dot, look at the arrow and follow the direction of the arrow.
See example on the hard copy annexure that your child receives with the newsletter - Letters "a", "b", "c" & "d".

5.5 PROGRESS OF EACH CHILD

- Work tempo is now faster.
- Standard of work is now more difficult on all levels.
- Behaviour of learners, in- and outside the classroom, is of utmost importance.
- Parents, please support us.

5.6 CREATIVE WORK

- We are going to build a transport item on 3 September 2021. Choose any type of transport.
- Plan, at home, how you are going to build it. (Parents, work with your child and spend quality fun time together).
- If you want to paint, please paint the separate parts at home.
- Bring all the parts to school to stick, push in, tie together or screw tightly, etcetera...!
- Put in plastic bag with child's name on.
- Items must be at school before/on 2 September 2021.
- The final product will be assembled at school.

5.7 EISTEDDFOD

- Congratulations to all the Eisteddfod participants who already performed. We are very proud of you!
- Good luck to the Hasie Kwassie learners who are still going to participate in the Eisteddfod.
- Individual and Choral verse dates have already been communicated to the relevant learners' parents.
- All communication takes place through the coach.

5.8 ABSENTEEISM

- ❖ **IMPORTANT:** We are busy with assessments – Learners must be at the school.



6. General

6.1 IMPORTANT DATES

Please diarise the following important dates:

Thursdays

Fridays

02 September

03 September

17 September

22 September

24 September

News file

News file back

Graduation Photo's

Spring Day / Casual Day

Golf Day

Go-kart Day

Heritage Day

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

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 T-SHIRTS & DRYMAC'S AS WELL AS HASIE KWASSIE SCHOOL BAGS FOR SALE

- Hasie Kwassie T-shirts available @ R100-00 each.
- Dry Mac's available @ R200-00 each.
- School bags @ R50-00 each.

6.4 GRADUATION PHOTOS

- Graduation photos will be taken on 2 September 2021, during school hours.
- The cost amounts to R70-00 per package, payable before or on 1 September 2021.
- Learners must be neat, with clean faces.
- Hair must be clean and neat.
- Learners come dressed in their Hasie Kwassie clothes on the day. No high collar or polo neck tops that will show.
- Graduation gown will be supplied for the photo session.
- No parents present.

6.5 SPRING DAY & CASUAL DAY: 3 SEPTEMBER 2021

- We are celebrating **SPRING DAY** and **CASUAL DAY** here at the school on Friday, 3 September 2021.

We invite all our Hasie Kwassie learners to be part of Casual Day! Learners can pay in R20-00 at their class teacher to receive their sticker. (Please send the R20-00 in an envelope with your child's Name and Surname and Casual Day written on the envelope).

This year's theme is "**Courage and Kindness**". We ask that learners wear something purple, if possible. Learners may also wear a funny "funky" hat with something purple in the hat. Be creative and display the theme in your hat!

Let us Riebies make a difference in the community and be the change that we would like to see in the world.

All funds raised will be divided between Casa Caritas and Con Amore.



6.6 GOLF DAY

- Our Golf Day takes place on 17 September 2021.
- Thank you to all parents who have donated towards our Golf Day.
- We still need the following:
Chips and peanuts, for snacks at our golf station.
Parent assistance – to join the crew at our golf hole on the day.
 Please send an urgent email to anke@riebie.co.za if you can assist.
- Any other donations or sponsors is most welcome and will be appreciated.
- The class competition, for the class who procured the most sponsors, has been extended. The winning class will be announced in the newsletter of 9 September 2021.

6.7 GO-KART DAY: 22 SEPTEMBER 2021

- ❖ Hasie Kwassie learners will participate in **Go-Kart Day** on 22 September 2021.
- ❖ We ask parents to dress learners according to our **Theme**, as below:

THEME: BUNNIES

Girls

2 Ponytails with white ribbons.
 Any colour beads around the neck.
 White T-shirt & comfortable pants.
 White socks.

Boys

Hair, neat.
 White T-shirt & comfortable pants.
 Tie/Bowtie.
 White socks.



Each teacher will share a photo on her WhatsApp-group of a painted bunny face. We kindly request parents to make-up your child with face paint, as on the picture. Also paint your child's mask with a nose and bunny whiskers.



Parents, please note that children will participate with their socks on. (The white socks will represent our bunny paws).



Parents who want more sponsor forms must please request it from the class teacher. Please send a note with your child.



We will have a parade to the start of the race and will appreciate your assistance in making up our learners to look like "Bunnies"! The Hasie Kwassie staff will also be giving "bunny ears" to each Hasie Kwassie learner.



Let's make it fun for all the Hasie Kwassies!

6.8 GRADE R - 2022

Grade R – enrolment is closed, and placements have been finalized. We are already looking forward to 2022! Parents will receive information before/by the start of the 4th term, regarding the Know-my-Teacher event where all the necessary information for 2022 will be shared with parents.

For any information regarding Gr R applications, please send email to naomi@riebe.co.za.

6.9 GRADE 1 - 2022

As already communicated, the date for the online applications is as follows:

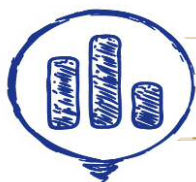
Grade 1 - 2022 online applications open at 08:00 on 13 September 2021, and close on 8 October 2021. Parents must apply **ONLINE** as soon as possible after the applications open, on www.gdeadmissions.gov.za in accordance with departmental guidelines.

Please keep checking the school newsletters and the d6 for further information in this regard.

The following documents must be uploaded to the online system at the time of application, or send to every school that you apply for:

- **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 in parent's name).
- If you are not the biological parents, documents as proof of legal guardianship.

The school is currently busy working through the documents handed in by parents and will in due course communicate with parents regarding any possible outstanding supporting documents.



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

23 August 2021 – 2 September 2021

Classroom: Teacher Sonja

WAITING CLASS 12:30 – 14:00

(Waiting class rotates between classes on a weekly basis. Waiting class is only for learners with older siblings in Van Riebeeckpark Primary School).

NO TUCK SHOP TOMORROW



LYNETTE | SONJA | CATHY | ANKE | VERUSHKA