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CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to the following learners who have been selected as Council Leaders:

Alexis Naidoo	Sammi-Lee Smith
Kelly Matlapeng	Samkelo Sophete
Seyuran Naidoo	

TOP TEN FOR TERM 2

GRADE 4

Ziya Paruk
Adam Saint
Jadin Oosthuysen
Tatenda Chiramba
Leonie Poobalan
Aliyah Shahabodien
Runyararo Imbayarwo
Lesibana Matlala
Ammaar Haffejee
Ipeleng Motlhabane

GRADE 5

Maldonado Garrido
Cassandra Kleynhans
Thato Ramohlale
Sasha-Lee Peter
Mosa Chala
Brighton Mugomba
Sihle Thatelo/Nkambule
Lee-Ann Chatindo
Mechael Hoosen
Paydja Baumann

GRADE 6

Uthmaan Bhamjee
Alexandra Kistan
Joshua Julius
Nibhaa Pather
Angelique Blumentritt
Simran Channa
Aaliya Ismail
Saaliha Mohammed
Lyndall Edwards
Faiz Akhalwaya

GRADE 7

Prasheel Hargovan
Taliah Samodien
Ryan Chetty
Hamzah Khan
Daniella Kakwata
Laura Nyathi
Reowagile Monnatlala
Candice Adams Janneman
Shonnee Hajee
Zayaan Paruk

80% Average

Congratulations to the following learners who obtained 80% Average or higher in Term 2

Grade 4

Ziya Paruk
Adam Saint
Jadin Oosthuysen
Tatenda Chiramba
Leonie Poobalan
Aliyah Shahabodien
Runyararo
Imbayarwo

Grade 5

Maldonado Garrido
Cassandra
Kleynhans
Thato Ramohlale

Grade 6

Uthmaan Bhamjee
Alexandra Kistan
Joshua Julius
Nibhaa Pather
Angelique Blumentritt
Simran Channa
Aaliya Ismail
Saaliha Mohammed
Lyndall Edwards
Faiz Akhalwaya

Grade 6

A'mmaarah Abdullah
Karina Rasan
Zack van Ghent
Tyrone Fillis
Jadyn Joseph
Dhiren Sookdeo
Shi Hui Ma
Hishaam Daniels
Ayesha Bham
Vivien Njikh

Grade 7

Prasheel Hargovan
Taliah Samodien
Ryan Chetty
Hamzah Khan
Daniella Kakwata
Laura Nyathi
Reowagile Monnatlala

SPELLING BEE DISTRICT LEVEL COMPETITION

This will take place on Tuesday 4 August 2015

FAREWELL TO MS ASMA ISMAIL

It is with very deep regret that we bid farewell to Ms Ismail. It was not long ago that I said in the staffroom that I would not know how to cope without the assistance and support of Ms Ismail who has been Deputy Principal since 2012. All too soon, I have to find out what it will be like to manage the School without her!

We all know that no one is indispensable and an institution like a school moves on regardless of who comes and goes, but we also know that some people leave more of a vacuum than others! Ms Ismail is just such a person and she will leave big shoes to fill. Ms Ismail is a young woman of natural talent and a keen intellect which are qualities ideal for School leadership. Her ability to relate effectively to learners, parents and colleagues sets an example to us all and she has taught me a great deal.

I, on behalf of all the School community, take this opportunity to say how much we have appreciated her contribution to the School and its learners. We wish her and her family everything of the best in their new adventure and hope that their experiences will be happy ones!

As a word of reassurance to all parents, contingency plans have been made to fill the gap left by Ms Ismail so that disruption to School management and organisation does not occur.

Let us celebrate all the happy, successful times that we shared with Ms Ismail during her time at FDR!

H. Westlake

A NOTE FROM MS ISMAIL

As I depart from FDR ...

FDR was never mine ... It was always OUR school.

To the students:

I wish you every success and a bright future. Remember what I say, that you must always be guided by integrity. Stay true to who you are.

To the parents:

Love and protect your children, they are entrusted to you by God. Maintain good relationships with the school, it's a partnership necessary for your child's growth and development. To every parent who has ever interacted with me in the interest of your child, I thank you for the opportunity to be of assistance. Those parents who regularly keep in touch, please continue to do so.

To ALL the staff at FDR:

I have always believed that the most important resource at the school is the human resource. Thank you for good memories, relationships forged and friendships formed. Your role in my personal journey will not be forgotten.

No matter what happens and how far along we go, we will always have FDR as a common thread in the tapestry of our lives.

This institution has been a part of my growth and development as a person and an educator. I wish only the best for FDR ... God bless!! Ms Ismail

Ismailasma24@gmail.com #stayintouch

EVENING OF SPEECHES

This will take place on Wednesday, 5 August by invitation only.
Time: 19:00

CONDOLENCES

We extend our condolences to two families, who lost loved ones during the school holidays.
Our thoughts and prayers are with Yash Mahass, a pupil in Grade 6, with his sister and mother, on the death of his father.
Our thoughts and prayers go out to the Shunmugam family on the tragic loss of Karlen, a twin, in Grd 2.
Counselling sessions have taken place at the school for Educators and learners, and a memorial service was held at the school last week, Thursday for the family and foundation phase learners.

CAKE AND CANDY / CIVVIES DAY

Friday 31 July

Civvies day: PJ's all day long
Cake 'n Candy: Grade 2 & 3

DRY MACS

Parents please note:

The new stock of dry macs has arrived.
Parents can purchase a dry mac from the school fees office, or through the class teacher.
The cost is R150 for sizes 5 – 14 and R200 for an adult small.

OMO or SKIP LIQUID BOTTLE CAPS

Help the school to win a prize from OMO. Collect as many OMO or Skip bottle caps as you can and bring them to school. We could win R10 000 to be used against sports equipment, we can nominate an under-privileged school of our choice to receive R5000 and we will receive a visit from Dale Steyn (Our South African Cricketer).

The competition closes on 14 August 2015

PAPER RECYCLING COMPETITION

We extend our grateful thanks to the parents who assisted the school by giving up their time to help with the paper recycling competition in the Media Centre.
We would also like to thank the learners and their parents for participating in this drive and bringing paper to school.

SPORTS RESULTS

Yesterday, 27 July, we held our inter-house athletics meeting. What started off as a freezing cold day, soon developed into a warm, wind-free day.
The team spirit soon warmed up, with Brunton supporters really supporting their team runners. It proved successful, as Brunton came out on top, in first place with 382 points, with Harrison close on their heels in second place, with 372 points and thirdly Taylor, with 362 points. Well done to Brunton!

CHESS RESULTS

Our chess team participated against Risidale Primary yesterday and beat them 12 – 0. **WELL DONE TEAM!**

SCHOOL FEES & CARE CENTRE PAYMENTS

Parents please note: School fees and Care Centre fees are payable in ADVANCE, at the beginning of each month (unless settled in full) i.e. If you have not made 3 school fee payments, your fees are in arrears. Please make payment immediately.

When paying Care Centre fees please state your family code and **CC** in the reference section.

Care Centre fees are payable in advance and must be received no later than the 5th day of each month. Please note that should your monthly fees not be paid by the 6th of each month, we will not allow your child/ren to attend the Care Centre, as from the 7th day of that month.

Part-time or casual attendance (R44.00 per day)

Full-time: R37.00 per day.

Parents please note: We do not take cash at the school. Please pay by EFT, Bank deposit or card (Debit or Credit Card)

BANKING DETAILS

Franklin D Roosevelt School

Bank: Nedbank Blackheath

Branch Code: 158205

Account No: 1967014671

PARENTS ARE REQUESTED TO INCLUDE THE FAMILY CODE, CHILD'S NAME AND GRADE AS A REFERENCE.

We have received payments without any reference on the deposit slip. If you have made a payment and it has not reflected on your statement, please contact Judy on (011) 949 4335 or email her at cashier@fdrschooll.co.za.

PAYMENT OF SCHOOL FEES BY DEBIT ORDER

Parents who wish to pay school fees by Debit Order may get their Debit Order form from the Bursar's office or can receive the form via email, by requesting it from accounts@fdrschooll.co.za.

There is a saving of R20 per child per month using this method. i.e. R220 if using this method of payment for the full year (11x months).

NST OLYMPIAD

The first round of the NST Olympiad will be taking place on Monday 3 August to select the team going to the District Competition.

Our Inter-house Cross Country will take place tomorrow, Wednesday 29 July.

All learners to have House coloured T-shirts, P.E. shorts, socks and takkies. Learners without tracksuits must wear their winter uniform and bring their running clothes in their bag.

Our first Inter-school Cross country meeting will be taking place at Golden Harvest Retirement Village this Thursday 30 July for the cross country team. We wish them great success.