

**FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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FIBRE INTERNET**STAFF NEWS**

We welcome Mrs Schafer as the new Gr R register teacher, Ms le Roux (Gr 6D register teacher teaching Gr 6 Afrikaans and Gr 5 NST), and Ms Khumalo (Music and Computers). Ms Hoosen is now the register teacher of Gr 1C

We offer condolences to Ms Sigonde (Care Centre Assistant) who lost her brother recently.

**BOOK PACK FEES**

A reminder to all parents that outstanding book pack fees for 2023 should be paid as soon as possible. New book pack fees for 2024 can be paid via EFT, the Finance office or directly to the class teacher.

**SCHOOL FEES**

We appeal to all our parents to please ensure your fees are up to date.

All parents who made payments to FDR bank account using the reference fees, school fees, FDR or any other reference other than the ones mentioned are requested to please submit proof of payment for us to be able to allocate funds to the correct account.

**GRADE R FEE 2023**Full amount **R17 000**

Monthly payment x 11 payable in advance

**R 1 545****GRADE 1 – 7 FEE 2023** Full amount **R18 400**

Monthly payment x 11 payable in advance

**R 1 673****AFTERCARE - 2023 FEES**Full amount **R11 940**

Monthly payment x 11 payable in advance

**R 1 085****Parents please note: We do not accept cash at the school.****Parents are required to pay school fees and aftercare fees by either EFT or debit order.****Below are the BANKING DETAILS**

Franklin D Roosevelt School

Bank: Nedbank Blackheath

Branch Code: 198765

Account No: 196701467

Please ensure that you use the **family code** and **surname** as a reference when paying for fees.

Please do an EFT or direct deposit into our school account.

**EVENTS FOR TERM 4 2023**

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| <b>13 October</b>                                     | Test timetables given to IP learners, see d6 and website   |
| <b>31 October</b>                                     | Gr 4 to 7 Test scope to be given to learners and posted  |
| <b>Ongoing</b>  | Foundation Phase continuous assessment   |
| <b>10<sup>th</sup> November</b>                       | Gr R to 2 Fundraising Picnic<br>Civvies theme Summer Fiesta<br>Gr R, 1, 2 cost R30; Gr 3 to 7 cost R40 |
| <b>14<sup>th</sup> November</b>                       | Assessment begin for Gr 7's  |
| <b>15<sup>th</sup> November</b>                       | Assessments begin for Gr 4 to 6's  |
| <b>17<sup>th</sup> November</b>                       | Orientation Day for new Gr R and Gr 1 Learners – 08:30   |
| <b>18<sup>th</sup> &amp; 19<sup>th</sup> November</b> | IEC Voter Registration for Ward 88   |
| <b>22 November</b>                                    | Final date for all Gr 4 to 7 Text Books to be returned or replaced if lost or damaged                  |
| <b>24 November</b>                                    | All lockers to be cleared of learners belongings   |
| <b>23 November</b>                                    | AGM  |
| <b>1<sup>st</sup> December</b>                        | Gr 7 Farewell Function by Invitation only  |
| <b>5<sup>th</sup> December</b>                        | Gr R Graduation<br>09:00   |
| <b>6<sup>th</sup> December</b>                        | Foundation Phase Award Ceremony<br>By Invitation only  |
| <b>7<sup>th</sup> December</b>                        | Intersen Phase (Gr 4 to 6) Award Ceremony by Invitation only 08:30                                     |
| <b>7<sup>th</sup> December</b>                        | Gr 7 Honours Evening 16:00<br>By Invitation only   |
| <b>13<sup>th</sup> December</b>                       | End of Term 4 school ends 10:00<br>Report Hand out 07:30 to 09:30                                      |

**EARLY LEAVING**

Parents/Guardians please note that during the November Test Period and the days thereafter, learners may not leave school early.

Please inform transport providers that under no circumstance will exceptions be made without a written request including reason, e.g. Doctors Appointment, from the Parent/Guardian which must then be acknowledged by Mrs Chabangu or Mrs Tandree.

### **GRADE R**

Parents/Guardians please note that FDR has space for Grade R learners for 2024. To avoid disappointment please apply as soon as possible.

### **LOST PROPERTY**

Parents are reminded to mark all school uniform, sports kit and stationery with permanent marker in order to claim any lost property from the lost property office.



At present we have unclaimed pairs of spectacles in the main office despite making many announcements over the intercom.

### **SWIMMING SEASON**



Parents are reminded that the swimming season has begun and they are to get the appropriate kit ready for their children (see Uniform in the Learner's Diary) as well as check the timetable for when to pack costume, swimming cap and towel.

### **PEDESTRIAN/SCHOLAR PATROL**

Learners are to cross roads at two points only, the designated Scholar Patrol Crossings on Anreith St. and Anton van Wouw St. in the morning and afternoon, this is according to the approval issued by JMPD. Parents / Guardians / Transport Providers are discouraged from allowing children to cross on Mendelssohn Road as it is high risk, busy road and using this road may compromise the safety and security of the learners. Learners should be preferably dropped off near the tunnel gate on Anreith St. (not on the corner).

### **THOUGHT FOR THE DAY**

"Believe you can and you're halfway there".

-Theodore Roosevelt

### **TERM 3 TOP TEN**

| <b><u>Grade 4</u></b>   | <b><u>Grade 5</u></b>    |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Zamamthotho Tshabalala  | Xiao Pillay              |
| Tshimollo Sono          | Eliana Rungasamy         |
| Gugulethu Tshabalala    | Nicole Sibanda           |
| Lethabo Mofekeng        | Onikelwenkosini Mthiyane |
| Logan Parker            | Seeanna Gounden          |
| Oluwakamiye Akerele     | Ofentse Mnguni           |
| Tshireletso Matshaka    | Rapelwana Tumelo         |
| Thato Tamutan           | Layaan Matheson          |
| Tshegofatso Modiseemang | Kaihil Poobalan          |
| Caleb Swarts            | Shaun Reeken             |
|                         |                          |
| <b><u>Grade 6</u></b>   | <b><u>Grade 7</u></b>    |
| Tehilia Fray            | Shiloh Naidoo            |
| Asanda Mukwidzi         | Unathi Nkomo             |
| Zikhethelo Buthelezi    | Mercy Wafula             |
| Realeboga Mmekoa        | Precious Thekiso         |
| Haiqa Sultan            | Hayden Singh             |
| Amina Khan              | Reagilwe Moleme          |
| Suleiman Bham           | Lungile Shezi            |
| Keatlegile Ndlovu       | Nyeleti Shilubana        |
| Iyinoluwa Oke           | Ayandiswa Rametse        |
| Lethabo Ndala           | Tshepiso Mlindile        |



### **STORY SKIRMISH**

Congratulations to our Gr 4 and 5 learners, as named in the previous newsletter, who participated in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Regional Round which was held at Patterson Park Library on 12<sup>th</sup> October 2023 and came 3<sup>rd</sup> in that round. Better luck next year!

### **BATTLE OF THE BOOKS**

Gr 6 and 7 Learners participated in the Regional Round of The Battle of the Books at Sandringham Library on 18<sup>th</sup> October and came 2<sup>nd</sup>, thus progressing to the final round to be held on 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2023.