



Dear Parents and Pupils,

Laughter is the best medicine for your relationship with your kids!

By Victoria Prooday

Laughter is a universal language spoken by humans all around the world. Laughter is the best medicine for human relationships. It is a powerful way to connect with our children and build positive emotional bridges. When we laugh we send them a message of love. Laughter is always free, always available, easily accessible, and has no side effects (except for being addictive)! Share laughter and strengthen your relationships.

GRADE 12 - AMAOTI OUTREACH

A HUGE thank you to all our parents and pupils who supported our peanut butter and mayonnaise drive. The Domino Foundation make approximately 15 000 sandwiches a month. Our trip to Amaoti was a real eye-opener for the grade 12's. At the schools we saw four children sharing a desk, 104 pupils in a class and two pupils sharing one book for writing exercises! They have all come away with the realization of how privileged they are to have parents who have afforded them the best education at Wendon. They have their own books, desk, pens, packed lunches, air conditioned class room and 6 in their class!!!

One highlight of our trip was getting to meet a 3 week old baby who will be up for adoption soon.

Achievers for the Week - High School



High School	
Mrs Price	Suvir Maharaj - Most improved in typing
Mrs Gooding	Yusuf Vawda - Excellent preparation for hospitality breakfast
Mr Didlick	Sameerah Desai - Working hard in English and EMS
Mrs Freeman	Aesha Vawda, Sibahle Ngema & Yusuf Bassa - Excellent Maths test results
"CAPTAIN" Workshop	Yusuf Vawda - Great work sanding and persistence. Well done & keep it up
EQ AWARDS / LO	Stirling Proctor - Showing strength and maturity during his school day Bjorn Kruger - Showing kindness towards a fellow pupil

SCHOOL HOURS:

School hours are as follows for ALL our children:-

Primary School	Monday – Thursday	07h45 – 13h20
	Friday	07h45 – 12h10
High School	Monday – Thursday	07h45 – 13h30
	Friday	07h45 – 12h10



**No children will be allowed to leave the classroom on Friday before 12h10.
 No aftercare facilities are available at Wendon.**

Flowers in the Foyer

A special thank you to those families who had kindly offered to donate flowers to make our foyer more beautiful.



TERM 1	
4 th Mar	Whiteford Family Cameron Junior Class

Calendar of Events

February

Wednesday 27 th	Spell-a-thon	Sponsor sheets to be returned to school
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March

Friday 1 st	Spell-a-thon	
Monday 4 th – Tuesday 5 th	Grade 12 Leadership Camp	Details have been sent home
Monday 4 th	PS Parent Feedback	Details to follow
Friday 8 th	Wendon Gala	Parents are invited to join in the fun
Monday 11 th	HS Parent Report Back	Details to follow
Wednesday 13 th	Spell-a-thon	Spell-a-thon sponsor money to be in
Thursday 14 th	Civvies Day & Donut Day Grade 12 Fundraiser End of term 1 at 11h00	R20

Please check weekly newsletter for any changes to the calendar

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING SPONSOR SHEETS

Please will you return all your Sponsor Sheets by TOMORROW.

Parents, please take the time to help your child with their words as the Spell-a-thon is on Friday.

Wendon Gala - Friday 8th March

Every year we have a swimming gala which is a compulsory event for all Wendon Pupils.

The gala is a fun-filled and enjoyable day for all our swimmers and spectators. Participation from the many parents who join us on our day adds to the atmosphere and ambience. This year the gala will be held at Atholl Heights School pool on Friday, 8th March. We will send out further information and requirements closer to the time.



Atholl Heights School is very particular about us wearing swimming caps, so we request that you purchase your child's swimming cap in the colour of their house mentioned above, as soon as possible, to wear both at school and at the gala. **NB: Please write their name in their cap.**

SCHOOL HOUSES, NAMES AND COLOURS

#	HOUSE NAME: EAGLES HOUSE COLOUR: BLUE	GRADE
1	REYNOLDS, LUKE	3
2	MKHIZE, LASEMBO	4
3	STEWART, CHLOE	5
4	HILL, KATIE	5
5	MOTALA, YUSRA	5
6	HEWER, JAMIE-LEE	6
7	MIYA, ASIBONGE	6
8	MBAMBO, KUKHANYA	7
9	SHABALALA, YANDANI	7
10	AMOD, ABDULLAH	8
11	MOUTON, MADELINE	8
12	PILLAY, DARSHANI	8
13	ACKERMAN, KYLE	9
14	LISTER-JAMES, RYAN	9
15	MAHARAJ, SUVIR	9
16	RAMSAY, NICHOLAS	9
17	DESAI, SAMEERAH	10
18	GOSAI, DARSHAN	10
19	MKOSI, UMTA	10
20	LIEBENBERG, BRANDON	11
21	SHABALALA, BATHANDWA	11
22	TIMMER, PAUL	11
23	BHIM, JUANITA	12
24	HAZELL, EMMA	12

#	HOUSE NAME: FALCONS HOUSE COLOUR: PURPLE	GRADE
1	ROTHWELL, JAMES	3
2	PARUK, AYESHA	4
3	WHITE, AUSTYN	4
4	NIKELO, SONTI	5
5	MAPHUMULO, ANDISWA	6
6	MUNGWE, UYANDA	7
7	SHABALALA, THABO	7
8	HALEY-ROBERTS, OLIVER	8
9	THOMAS, CARTER	8
10	MAKHANYA, ZAMOKUHLE	8
11	NZUZA, BAYANDA	8
12	CELOTTI, CALEB	9
13	KRUGER, BJORN	9
14	NGUBANE, NOKWANDA	9
15	SHABANE, YENZIWE	9
16	XABA, NDUMISO	9
17	MOOSA, AISHA	10
18	NGCOBO, BUHLE	10
19	PILLAY, KUILIN	10
20	IMPSON, LEONARD	11
21	PEDLER, LUKE	11
22	PROCTOR, STIRLING	11
23	PURAN, ATISH	11
24	VAWDA, AYESHA	12

#	HOUSE NAME: HAWKS HOUSE COLOUR: PINK	GRADE
1	WHITEFORD, CAMERON	3
2	MKHIZE, NOTHANDO	4
3	GILLMER, MILA	5
4	MAHOMED, NURAY	5
5	NOWEK, SHANNON	5
6	NZAMA, MINENHLE	5
7	KHUMALO, KHULAKAHLE	6
8	ROOM, WYATT	6
9	SINCLAIR, ROWAN	6
10	VANYA, AVIWE	7
11	LAWRENSEN, SAGE	8
12	PILLAY, JADEN	8
13	VAN BILJON, FEYA	8
14	EDMONDS, ROBERT	9
15	MKIZE, ASANDA	9
16	PHEWA, OLWETHU	9
17	RAMPERSAD, MEHIR	9
18	CROFT, KYLE	10
19	GUBELANA, ZINTLE	10
20	VAWDA, YUSUF	10
21	MAKHANYA, MILA	11
22	ROUX, DANIEL	11
23	BASSA, YUSUF	12
24	FORDE, MEGAN	12
25	NGEMA, SIBAHLE	12

CIVVIES ON BREAK UP DAY - 14th March - R20

"Go Nuts with a Donut"

It's break up day and pupils come dressed in civvies and receive a tasty, freshly baked Donut! For catering purposes, please complete the reply slip below and return to school.

Have an enjoyable week ahead.

Kind regards

*"Tell the truth, or someone will tell it for you."
- Stephanie Klein*

Mrs Wendy Hicks
Managing Director

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"GO NUTS WITH A DONUT" CIVVIES & BREAK UP DAY – Thursday, 14th March - R20

Name: _____ Grade: _____

I would like to wear civvies and enjoy a donut on Thursday, 14th March

I have enclosed R_____