



Dear Parents and Pupils,

We have come to the last Eagle's Nest Newsletter, we sincerely hope that it has been of great help in keeping you in the loop throughout the year.

Parents, pupils and staff of Wendon Academy, I would like to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone for being part of the Wendon Family.

**"Do More of What Makes You Happy"!**

Our programme for this week is well on its way and the children and teachers are having a great week. Last week, Thursday, our Primary School experienced the Snow Wonderland at Gateway. They had a glorious time in the snow. Photo's were sent through on whatsapp to capture the morning. To our parents who assisted with lifts, thank you so much for your help. It was so appreciated.

Yesterday we had uShaka Sea World visit us with an incredible informative and educational day on a variety of living and non-living things which make up an ecosystem. Our children had a huge amount of fun.

## **LETS CELEBRATE SUCCESS!**

**Kyle Ackerman** in Grade 9, was representing Wendon High School in bodyboarding, he won the KZN Representatives Boys Division as overall winner.

Well done Kyle, what an achievement young man. We are so proud of you.

## **Tomorrow we have SOCCER & Hot Dogs R20**

Pupils come dressed in Sport kit. Primary School may wear their tracksuits as well if cold.

High School may wear a tracksuit they have at home, if cold.

All pupils can play in a soccer team - Boys and Girls. Hot Dogs & fried onions will be on sale.

Please bring your costume and towel for a swim, weather permitting.

Grade 12 we invite you to join us at 08h30, wear your PE kit and bring R20 for a hot dog and fried onions if wanting to buy.



## FAREWELL MR DIDLICK!

Congratulations on your Retirement Mr Didlick. It is a farewell which is bitter sweet as we say 'cheerio' to Mr Didlick who will leave us with amazing memories of all his years at Wendon Academy.

This is a new chapter of your life journey and we thank you for all you have given us over the years.

## END OF YEAR BRAAI

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November is Braai and Fun day. School closes at 12h10. This day is for our children to celebrate the end of the year - so come dressed in civvies.

What to bring:

- ☞ Wear civvies
- ☞ Bring your costume, towel, hat and sunblock
- ☞ Bring a braai pack to cook on the fires and any other extra's eg: rolls, salad, that you would like to eat with your meat. Please bring your own plate and cutlery. Only bring enough meat for you to eat. Fires will be made and you will be given help to braai. A separate braai will be made available for our Muslim children.
- ☞ Grade 12 we invite you to join us at 08h30, dress in civvies and bring your braai pack etc and costume for a swim.

Let's have fun and enjoy the day.

## Prize Givings

The Prize Giving evenings are extremely important to attend. This is where we honour your children for the progress they have made throughout the year. **It is a compulsory night for all Wendon Academy pupils.**

**NB: School closes at 12h00 on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November. Please make the necessary travel arrangements if your child is in a lift club.**

### High School

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm.**

The High School are to wear full winter uniform.

### Primary School

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm.**

Primary School are to wear full summer uniform, no tracksuits or jerseys will be worn in the hall, but if cold they may wear a tracksuit top to school.

Please ensure all buttons are sewn onto the blazers for the High School, shoes are polished, hair is neat and the uniform is clean.

I look forward to seeing all Parents and extended family at the Prize Giving Evenings.

# Calendar of Events

## November

Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Grade 7 Movie Day Waltons stationery to arrive at school	Off to their movie today Parents can collect Waltons Stationery
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Soccer on the bottom field & Hot Dogs Donations for School Caretakers	Sport kit to be worn to school, bring costumes & towels & R20/hot dog. Final collection
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	End of Year Braai & Civvies Day	Bring braai packs & costumes & towels
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	HS Prize Giving	<b>18h30 Compulsory for all HS pupils.</b>
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup>	PS Prize Giving	<b>18h30 Compulsory for all PS pupils.</b>
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup>	<b>End of Term 4 – School closes for 2019 at 10h30</b>	Reports will be handed out

**Please check the newsletter weekly for any changes to the calendar**

Have an exciting and enjoyable Christmas Holiday.

Kind regards

*“Time is the coin of your life. You spend it. Do not allow others to spend it for you.”*  
- Carl Sandburg

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