



# St Anthony's R.C. Primary School

## Weekly News

Term 2 Week 8

28 May 2014

## Welcome ....

Dear Parent(s) / Guardian(s)

The next phase of my journey, the reconstruction, is scheduled for Wednesday, 4 June. I will be on sick leave as of Tuesday 3 June until the end of the term, and with God's grace, resume my duties in the third term.

During my absence Mrs Reinecke will fill the role of acting Principal and she will be assisted by the two Heads of Department, Mrs Rustin and Mrs Thomas.

I am confident that Mrs Reinecke with the support of the staff will serve you well and ensure that the culture of the school is maintained.

Our children will start their June examination on Monday and it is hoped that they are well prepared and that they will make every effort to achieve a minimum of 60% in every subject. With the encouragement of their parents and teachers, they will be successful. If they aim for 90% they could score at least 70%, but if they aim for 60%, they might score 40%. So, let's encourage them to set that bar high!

"Early to bed and early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise."

We welcome Mrs Charles, our new Music teacher who joined us this week. It is most encouraging to hear that the learners have enjoyed their introductory session with her, and that they are eager to stay after school for more lessons. Mrs Charles will avail herself for individual piano lessons as of the third term, but more information will be forwarded at a later stage.

Mrs Reinecke will continue the weekly newsletter and keep you informed of upcoming and important events.

I take this opportunity to thank you for the past few weeks which flew by. I certainly enjoyed being back. Thank you for your continued words of encouragement, the happy smiles, the waves, the hugs. Your love and kindness is greatly appreciated. God is Good, and I see that in each one of you. Enjoy the holidays with your children and tell them that you love them. They need to hear it.

*Easter Joy!*

*Gloria Naidoo*

### Mission Statement

St Anthony's R.C. Primary School is committed to upholding the vision of the Catholic Church of a community serving humanity.

The values of truth, justice and tolerance are instilled in a loving, caring and sharing atmosphere whilst striving towards academic, cultural and social excellence in every learner.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- JUNE EXAMINATION

Monday 2 — Friday 6 June

- FRIDAY 6 JUNE

End of Exam Neon Party

18h00 – 21h00

- FEAST DAY OF  
ST ANTHONY—13 JUNE

Mass on Tuesday 17 June



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PRAYING PARENTS

THURSDAY 12 JUNE  
10h00—11h00

### OUR SCHOOL CULTURE: SAFETY AND SECURITY

1. The school gate opposite the crèche / aftercare will not be used in the mornings as it causes too much congestion which presents a safety risk. Instead your child may be dropped at the pedestrian gate further up the road.

THANK YOU PARENTS FOR YOUR UNDERSTANDING AND KIND CO-OPERATION.



29 May: Tristan Simons RDF  
 30 May: Sophie Ndlovu 3W; Emihle Valtyn 5C  
 31 May: Selina Neath 2K; Kelly Hendricks 4F; Erica Jacobs 4F  
 3 June: Tahirah Hendricks 2T  
 4 June: Elaine Hendricks 3W



### I AM A STAR



Grade RDF	Valentin Bizimana
Grade RBD	Dievie Mulunda
Grade 1C	Tyra Parenzee
Grade 1G	Tyla Willemse
Grade 2K	Natheera Hendricks
Grade 2T	Cleo Smith
Grade 3M	Hannah Pearson
Grade 3W	Jada Dearham
Grade 4D	Jasmina Laso
Grade 4F	Judd Davids
Grade 5C	Mlungisi Buso
Grade 5R	Masixole Pikiso
Grade 6C	Regan Currie
Grade 6VB	Anothando Mguda

### ST ANTHONY AMBASSADOR



Grade 7R Shannon  
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### CLASS OF THE WEEK

Foundation Phase: **3M**  
 Inter Sen Phase: **6C**



### BEST ATTENDANCE RECORD

Grade %



### BEST PUNCTUALITY RECORD

Grade %

### SPECIAL CIVVIES

**FRIDAY 30 MAY**  
**R10,00**



THEME: MY CAREER.

DRESS UP AS A .....



**LOVE YOUR SCHOOL! SUPPORT**  
**YOUR SCHOOL BY PARTICIPATING!**

### ASCENSION THURSDAY

The Ascension of Our Lord, which occurred 40 days after Jesus Christ rose from the dead on [Easter](#), is the final act of our redemption that Christ began on [Good Friday](#).

On this day, the risen Christ, in the sight of His apostles, ascended bodily into Heaven ([Luke 24:51](#); [Mark 16:19](#); [Acts 1:9-11](#)).

### DISMISSAL TIMES

Day	Gr R –2	Gr 3-7
<b>Mon 2—Fri 6 June (examination)</b>	12h45	13h00
Mon 9—Thurs 12 June	Normal dismissal times	
<b>Friday 13 June St Anthony's day</b>	11h45	12h00
<b>Tuesday 17 June ( school Mass)</b>	11h45	12h00
Wed 18—Fri 20	Normal dismissal times	
Mon 23—Thurs 26	12h45	13h00
Friday 27 June ( last day of term)	10h45	11h00

Please keep these dates on your fridge or any place where you can check times regularly.

“God is love”. He is not a sentimental, emotional kind of love but the love of the Father who is the origin of all life, the love of the Son who dies on the Cross and is raised, the love of the Spirit who renews human beings and the world. Thinking that God is love does us so much good, because it teaches us to love, to give ourselves to others as Jesus gave himself to us and walks with us.

Jesus walks beside us on the road through life Pope Francis