



NEWSLETTER

LETLHABILE INTERNATIONAL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Issue 12 (Term 2, 2023)

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Greetings and warm wishes to you. Your support and cooperation have been instrumental in the completion of another successful term. We look forward to an even more rewarding term 2. In the last term, our young and vibrant children excelled in both the academic and co-curricular spheres. They have made each one of us proud and have brought laurels to their mentors, who nurture them with loving guidance and passionate zeal. At Letlhabile, we help our children learn the fundamentals of morality and ethics together with the latest innovations. We make sure that children develop to their full potential and are adequately prepared for the challenges of school and beyond because the world today is so different from the one we grew up in.

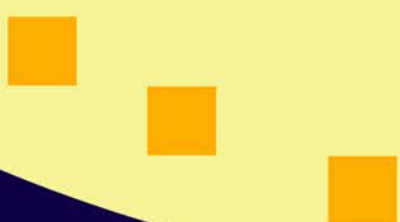
A committed, caring, and supportive management, dedicated teachers, and cooperative parents blend to create a child-centric school, which has always been our pursuit. In this natural ambiance, our children flourish to perform to their highest level.

Teamwork is the hallmark of Letlhabile. I am confident that by working together, we can achieve more to benefit our children who are the future leaders of tomorrow.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation. We look forward to another exciting and jam-packed term.

Warm regards,

Mrs. S. Vincent
Acting Principal



Show & Tell

Nicely done. This is the best way to describe our Reception classes' 'Show and Tell' activity held on the 10th of March 2023 in the school hall. Our little ones spoke with great interest and confidence about their favourite things to an audience that consisted of parents, teachers and our Standard 1s. As each child stood in front to talk, parents and teachers could not help but applaud and cheer at the end of each presentation. Well done, Reception! We look forward to organizing more confidence building activities and we thank our parents for all your support.



Orange Colour Day

On the 24th of March 2023, our Reception children rejoiced in the festivities of Orange Colour Day. Upon their arrival at school, the children were filled with anticipation for the exciting activities that awaited them. Classrooms were decorated with orange artwork, whilst the orange walls further emphasized the décor. Our little ones were all smiles as they donned their crowns and indulged in the variety of activities that were planned for the day. A good time was had by all.

Another reason for us to celebrate this colour was that it is one of the school's colours which makes it even more special. A huge thank you to all our parents for your constant support and to our Reception teachers and teaching assistants for all your hard work and effort.



Civvies Day

On April 5, 2023, as the term concluded, it was Civvies Day. After putting in a lot of hard work over the term, our children arrived at school dressed in brightly-hued, fashionable outfits. They participated in various fun class activities that made the day memorable.



English Elocution

On the 3rd and 4th of April 2023, English elocution competitions were held for upper and lower schools respectively. It was a delight to watch our children take over the stage as they presented interesting English dialogue. In the upper school, the topic of discussion was “Discipline is the key to success” while children in lower school recited poems about “Education”. Each child spoke with confidence and clarity. The presentations displayed the hard work and efforts of our children, parents, and teachers. Congratulations to all.



Afternoon Activities

Afternoon activities in term 2 will begin on the 22nd of May 2023. We have decided to have our school's inter-house practices and contests in term 2 to take advantage of the cool winter afternoons. The winners of these contests will advance to represent the school in the inter-school competitions that will take place toward the end of the term. We wish our children all the best in advance for their upcoming competitions with other private schools in sports like chess, tennis, netball, and soccer. Drama club, music club, Brownies and Cubs, art and craft, home economics, traditional dance, French club, Science club, and aerobics are just a few of the non-competitive activities that will be in full flow. Although participation in afternoon activities is not compulsory, we encourage it for the holistic development of children. Parents are kindly requested to pack enough food for the days that their child stays for afternoon activities.



Drop off & Pick up times

Kindly note vehicles will **NOT BE** allowed entry through the main gates before **6.50 am**. We request parents to drop off and collect children from their designated drop-off points.

Arrival times:

Reception, Standards 1 to 6 should arrive between 6.50 am to 7.20 am. Lessons for all standards start at 7.30 am.

Collection times from 9th May to 19th May 2023:

Reception & Standard 1	12.30 pm to 12.45 pm
Standard 2	12.45 pm to 1.00 pm
Standards 3	1.00 pm to 1.15 pm
Standards 4 & 5	1.15 pm to 1.30 pm
Standards 6 & 7	1.30 pm to 1.45 pm

Kindly note, parents having more than one child in school may collect all children at the same time. Please inform the class teachers accordingly.

Monkeynastix

Monkeynastix is a programme that provides gymnastics and physical exercises for children aged seven years and younger. We are happy to announce that Monkeynastix has returned to our school post Covid-19. Our children in Reception, Standards 1 and 2 meet with the instructors every Thursday in the school hall for their weekly sessions. Registration for term 2 will start after the school reopens.



School Fees

We thank all the parents who have completed their payment of the school fees for Term 2. Kindly note that three payment options are available for school fee payment for Term 2. If you have not already submitted the form with your selected option, kindly do so immediately or contact the Bursar's office if you may require any further clarification.

Please note that only one of these 3 options will be accepted for school fee payment. The school will only be able to fulfill its mandate of imparting seamless education if school fees are received on time. Kindly contact the Bursar's office if you may require any further clarification.

Fee Structure for 2023

Registration Fees : P100.00
Reception Fees : P6000.00 per term
Standard 1 - 6 : P9600.00 per term
Standard 7 : P14400.00 per term (to be paid only for 2 terms)

School fee payment can be done directly at the school or via bank transfer. Please find the banking details below:

Account name: Kgosi Educational Investments (Pty) Ltd
Account number: 1011035 Branch Code: 290367
Bank Name: Absa Bank Branch: Gaborone Industrial

We request parents to fax (3190729), email (letlhabile.accounts@gmail.com), WhatsApp (71448489) or bring the remittance advice to the bursar's office. Please kindly state your child's surname, initials, and class as a reference when paying through bank transfer or direct deposits.

We look forward to your continued support.

Calendar

TERM TWO CALENDAR

- Tuesday 9th May - START OF TERM, School opens at 7:30 am
- Thursday 18th May - Ascension Day
- Saturday 20th May - Soccer/Netball Coaching Clinic (Phakalane)
- Monday 22nd May - Afternoon Activities Start
- Tuesday 23rd May - Assembly Standard 5A
- Thursday 25th May - Soccer/Netball Fixtures
- Friday 26th May - Blue Colour Day Reception Class
 - Assembly Standard 1A
- Tuesday 30th May - Assembly Standard 5B
- Wednesday 31st May to 6th June -CA Tests**
- Thursday 1st June - Soccer/Netball Fixtures
- Friday 2nd June - Assembly Standard 1B
- Tuesday 6th June - Assembly Standard 5C
- Wednesday 7th June - U9 Tournament (Letlhabile P. School)
- Friday 9th June - Assembly Standard 1C
- Saturday 10th June - U11 Tournament (G.I.S)
- Tuesday 13th June - Assembly Standard 5D
- Thursday 15th June - Soccer/Netball Fixtures
- Friday 16th June - Assembly Standard 1D
- Saturday 17th June - Cross Country (Kidz Academy)
- Tuesday 20th June - Assembly Standard 5E
- Wednesday 21st June - 'Mom & Me' Reception Class
- Thursday 22nd June - Soccer/Netball Fixtures
- Friday 23rd June - Assembly Standard 4A
 - Inter House Track Events Lower & Upper School
- Saturday 24th June - Champion Of Champions (Phakalane)
- Tuesday 27th June - Assembly Standard 4B
- Friday 30th June - Athletics Coaching Clinic (Hillcrest)
 - Afternoon Activities End
 - Assembly Standard 4C
- Tuesday 4th July - Assembly Standard 4D
- Saturday 8th July - Field Events (Hillcrest)
- Wednesday 12th July - Track Events (Stadium)
- Thursday 13th July to 21st July -Mid Year Examinations**
- Monday 17th July - PRESIDENT'S DAY**
- Tuesday 18th July - Public Holiday**
- Wednesday 19th July - School re-opens at 7.30 am
- Friday 21st July - Red Colour Day Reception Class
- Monday 24th July to 28th July -Computer Practical Week**
- Friday 28th July - Drawing and Colouring Day (Lower School)
- Wednesday 2nd August - Song Competition for the Lower School
- Thursday 3rd August - Song Competition for the Upper School
- Tuesday 8th August - Open Day (Lower School 1:45 pm to 3:45 pm)
- Wednesday 9th August - Open Day (Upper School 1:45 pm to 3:45 pm)
- Thursday 10th August - Civvies Day
- Friday 11th August - END OF TERM, School closes at 10 am