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1. **WELCOME**

Welcome back , our newsletter is back again after a very long time of absence. It will be published after every two weeks.

2. **STAFF**

Mrs RT Ngwenya (Deputy principal) who was attached to our school for the past twenty years left our school at the beginning of this year. She was promoted and now is serving as a Delmas Circuit Manager. Congratulations Mrs Ngwenya. May you represent the school very well wherever you are. We will always miss you.

Mr MM Thela who was an education specialist / HOD for Life Sciences retired at the end of February 2013. Mr Thela was an educator of note who produced good results in Life Sciences in Grade 12 over the past years. The school will always miss him.

3. **SADTU go slow**

Parents are informed that teachers affiliated to the union SADTU are on a go slow. They are not allowed to work beyond their contractual obligation of seven hours per day. Parents are made aware that most of the things are not going to be normal. As soon as everything is normal, parents will be informed.

4. **SCHOOL UNIFORM**

Parents who want to buy uniform from school for their children are requested to deposit money into the school's banking account for the item/s they want. Deposit slips should then be submitted to school as a proof of payment . Only socks and ties can be purchased with cash at school. Mrs SF Jiyane and IA Nxumayo are responsible for school uniform.

UNIFORM PRICE LIST

TRACKSUIT	R275-00
T-SHIRT	R80-00
SHIRT	R55-00
SKIRT	R80-00
SOCKS	R30-00
TIE	R35-00
JERSEY	R90-00
PULL-OVER	R90-00

The school's banking details are as follows

BANK: ABSA
ACCOUNT: CHEQUE
ACCOUNT NO: 4051136725
BRANCH : SECUNDA
BRANCH CODE: 632005

5. **VACANT POSTS**

The school is looking for two teachers for Mathematics & Physical Sciences. We need teachers who have an experience of teaching Grade 12. These teachers must have a proven record of producing outstanding results in these subjects at Grade 12 level. Parents who know such teachers are advised to inform such teachers to submit their CV's at school.

6. **SPORTS (NETBALL)**

On the 18th of April 2013 Municipal Trials took place in Secunda. Four (4) of our learners qualified to play in the Semi Finals. On the 24th of April they were playing in Bethal, fortunately three (3) of them were qualified to go through to the finals. The finals will take place in Nelspruit on the 4th of May. The learners who were selected are as follows:

1. **MAHLANGU NQOBILE**
2. **MOLAOA NOMPUMELELO**
3. **NGULUBE NOMSA**

7. **TRIP TO LOWVELD (TOUR)**

Grade 8 & 9 learners and some tourism learners from grade 10 & 11 will be undertaking a trip to lowveld from the 27th of September 2013 to the 29th September 2013. The costs for the trip are R1210.00 per child (all inclusive). Parents are urged to pay in their earliest possible convenience.

8. **NEW APPOINTMENTS**

The following educators have been appointed on an acting capacity

EDUCATORS	POSITION
1. Ms WE Ngwenya	Head of Department
2. Ms PE Vilakazi	Head of Department
3. Ms MNN Nzece	Deputy Principal

The school says congratulations on your new appointments

Yours faithfully

Masondo KM
PRINCIPAL