



SMS NEWSDESK

The weekly newsletter of St Michael's School for Girls Bloemfontein

THANKS FOR SUPPORT

Mrs Stumpfe, Mrs Winckworth and Mrs Pienaar would like to thank the parents and families of the Intermediate Phase learners for the wonderful assistance and support they gave the girls for their Market Day last Friday. Despite waking up to a rainy day, the market was a huge success, enjoyed by stall holders and market-goers alike. It was a marvelous learning experience for all concerned.

Congratulations Grades 3, 4 and 5. You did a very good job, indeed.

EXCITING INVITATIONS

Pulane Lenyehelo (Gr 8) has been invited to attend the 2010 People to People World Leadership Forum in Washington, D.C. She was nominated by her previous primary school that believed her to be a student with high academic standing and promising leadership potential. Congratulations and good luck, Pulane.

Thuto Sethole (Gr 4) is a winner in the McDonald's Escort Competition for the 2010 World Cup, so she can look forward to escorting the soccer players onto the field. What fun!

EMS SCIENCE + MATHS SCHOOL

Learners who are in Grades 4 – 10 in 2010 and who have an interest in, and talent for, Mathematics may register for 3 Maths enrichment classes in May. These classes prepare you to do well in Mathematics Olympiads. Several learners have found success after attending these classes, including four Grade 7 learners, who regularly attended the classes, who competed in an International Maths Competition for Primary Schools in the Philippines in December. You can register at the rate of R300 for the 2nd term of 2010, if you pay and register before Wednesday 28th April 2010 at 15h00. After this date, the cost will be R330.

Anyone interested can fetch a letter from Mr. Hughes

NAUTILUS

The second Nautilus Mathematics camp of 2010 takes place on Saturday 8 May.

It is for all learners in Grades 4 – 12 who are interested in Mathematics and want to sharpen their skills with some of the biggest Mathematical brains in the Free State. The cost is R110. See Mr. Hughes for details of how to register. Payment **MUST** be in by 30 April.

THE WEEK AHEAD

Friday 23 April: 12:00 START OF EXEAT WEEKEND.
Monday 26 April: School holiday
Tuesday 27 April: FREEDOM DAY (Public holiday)
Wednesday 28 April: 17:30 Board Exec Meeting
Friday 30 April: DEDICATED GIVING

Please note that the **BAKER STREET BOOKS** book fair that was to be held next week, has had to be postponed until the 26, 27 and 28 May 2010.

Netball League Fixtures

Round 3: Thursday 29 April 2010

vs Rosenhof at SMS

u/16A; U/19 3rd

vs Sand du Plessis at Sand du Plessis

u/19 1st and u/19 2nd.

TENNIS RESULTS

The 1st Senior SMS tennis team started the season with a win against Fichardt Park B at the SMS courts last Wednesday afternoon. They won the match by 21 games. Well done, girls.

They have 2 more fixtures this term:

5 May : vs Eunice D at SMS

12 May : vs Oranje D at Oranje

Songs of Celebration

Sunday 2 May

15:30

DR Church Universitas

The St Michael's Chapel Choir will be one of seven choirs performing.

There will be mass choir items and congregational singing.

Don't miss it!

NOTICE FROM THE UNIFORM SHOP

The uniform shop will not be open this Monday, 26 April (school holiday).

It will, however, be open on Tuesday, 27 April, from 14h00-15h00.

Please note that all clothes purchased must be paid for at the Uniform Shop. No clothes will be sold if money has been paid into the school's account or left at the office

**2010 LONDON REUNION
THURSDAY, 24 JUNE**

**CALLING ALL
ST ANDREW'S SCHOOL BLOEMFONTEIN OLD BOYS
&
ST MICHAEL'S SCHOOL BLOEMFONTEIN OLD GIRLS
Including members of the Saints' community
Residents 7 visitors- wives/husbands and/or partners**

**You are cordially invited to join Tom, Gareth and Garth -
MEMBERS OF THE LONDON COMMITTEE OF
ST ANDREW'S BLOEMFONTEIN OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION -
TOGETHER WITH CLIVE MOTT (OBA REPRESENTATIVE/STAFF MEMBER)
FOR AN EVENING OF GOOD FELLOWSHIP
AT**

**Venue - THE BOATHOUSE, BREWHOUSE LANE, PUTNEY, SW15 2JX
(MEZZANINE LEVEL) Website - www.boathouseputney.co.uk
Time - 18:00 ONWARDS
Refreshment - CASH BAR
Dress code - SMART CASUAL (OLD BOYS' BLAZERS OPTIONAL)**

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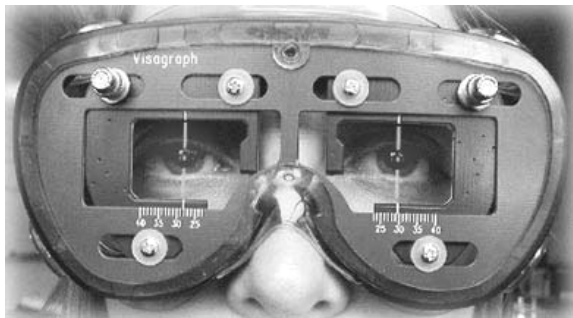


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