



# PEPPS MOTHEONG

## Primary and Secondary School

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Dear Parent and Guardian

Due to the long weekend ahead, we decided to rather distribute the **return slips for the extra-murals** on Wednesday when we are back at school. The extra-mural activities in the letter are included in the school fees and no additional payment will be asked from parents. After finalising the number of participants next week, we will be able to start with the formal extra-mural activities as we already have league matches booked and waiting to be played.

**Report Cards** cannot be distributed today as we were waiting for the Department of Education to distribute the SASAMS patch for the assessment. We are in the process of testing and finalising the entry of results during next week. The date for distribution of report cards will be shared with parents as soon as we can confirm the date of printing.

**Photo Day:** 19 May 2021 Grade 1 to 9  
20 May 2021 Pre-School

Please be dressed neatly and groomed according to the school policy.

Thank you to all the parents who attended the **Annual General Meeting** on 21 April via Zoom. We appreciate your attendance and pray for more parent involvement in future.

- The names and constitution for the Parent Association will be shared soon. We are aiming to have everything in place before the end of May as to celebrate a functional Parent Association.
- Our Chairperson of the Board, Mr Dana Mahan, resigned after 12 years of involvement and service to the school. We want to thank Mr Mahan for the contribution he made towards the wellbeing of the school and in leading the Board over the years.
- During the AGM Mr. Chwano Setiloane was voted as the new interim chairperson. He is one of the founders of the school and served as a chairperson of the PEPPS Trust for many years. We know that he has the best interest of PEPPS Motheong at heart and we feel blessed that he made himself available. Over the past two years he attended meetings at the school and advised management on various matters. We wish both gentlemen the best in the journey ahead.

**Staff matters:** During the past month we received the resignation of Ms Egan who teaches Grade 6 English and Afrikaans. It was a challenge to find a teacher who teaches both languages. She has taught at Motheong since September 2018 and made a difference in the lives of so many learners. We wish her all the best with her relocation and taking the risk to start teaching in another phase. We had interviews and appointed Ms Thamae in her place. We will welcome her at school from 1 May 2020.

Mrs Maria Zgambo will be relocating with her family to the Cape in the next month. She will be dearly missed at the Pre-School. We advertised this support staff position internally and will advertise on the ISASA website if we are not able to fill it by the end of next week.

Please remember that this will be a long weekend and all learners are expected back at school on Wednesday 28 April 2021. Please ensure that your child come to school dressed and groomed according to school policy. See the School Diary for guidance. Our next long weekend will be from 16 to 18 June as to survive our 14-week long term 2.

Yours in Education

JJ Berrange  
PRINCIPAL

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