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SOME WORDS OF WISDOM:

“Enthusiasm is excitement with inspiration, motivation and a pinch of creativity.” – **Bo Bennett**

“Dreams can often become challenging, but challenges are what we live for.” – **Travis White**

EXAMS:

I would like to remind our parents that this is an exam term. Exams will be written from Grade 4 – 12 from early June. Exam time tables have been handed out to all the pupils and can also be viewed on the website.

SPORT:

Our Preparatory football, netball and chess teams took part in the Colin Mann Winter Sports Festival on Saturday 28th May. Medals were won by the following teams:

Netball: U/9 – Silver Football: U/12 – Bronze
 U/10 – Silver
 U/11 – Bronze
 U/13 – Gold

I would like to thank all our parents who travelled to Colin Mann to support our teams. We really appreciate it.

I would also like to congratulate our U/9 football team on making the semi-finals of the league, where they were unfortunately beaten by Woodlands.

EDUCATIONAL EXCURSIONS:

On the 19th May our Gr.4 and 5 pupils went on an excursion to the Johannesburg Zoo and the Gr. 6 and 7's went to the Planetarium.

The Gr. 8 and 9's went to Sci - Bono Body world's exhibition on the 3rd June.

The Gr. 1,2 and 3's are going to Grant's Dairy Farm on the 14th June.

The Gr. 10 and 11's are going Maropeng and Sterkfontein caves on the 14th October.

SMARTBOARDS:

In our efforts to continually strive to improve the quality of education offered at the school, we have installed smartboards into a number of classrooms. These boards allow teachers to do interactive teaching making use of the internet. We are hoping to install more of these boards next year.

ENERGY DRINKS:

It has been brought to my attention that a number of our pupils are bringing energy drinks like Monster, Dragon, Red Bull etc. to school. I would like to impress on parents not to send drinks of this nature to school with your children as they are **not allowed, and will be confiscated.**

YOURS IN EDUCATION
MR.C.H.BEHRENS
(HEADMASTER)