



# Kidz Chronicle

CityKidz Pre & Primary School—Strive to achieve

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# WELCOME BACK

# TERM 2

Welcome back! We hope that you all had a safe and happy holiday break. I trust that you were able to have some rest and quality time with family, friends and loved ones over the Easter holiday. After a great first term, we are ready for an exciting and busy Term 2. There are a few bread and butter issues to note as we start the new term.

**Please note:**

**Collect Term 1 Reports.** Tomorrow the 21st all parents are invited and are encouraged to meet your child's teacher and collect Term 1 report. Teachers will be available from 8h30—12h00. We appeal to parents who did not attend last term's meeting to please visit your child's teacher.

**Winter Uniform:** Our children should be wearing their winter uniform. Please do not send your children to school with different coloured jackets and coats. Settlers Store have our school designed, very warm, wind-breaker and tracksuits to keep children warm during winter.

**Sick:** If your child is unwell she/he must stay at home to recuperate. We recommend resting at home for 24 hours after any vomiting or diarrhoea bugs.

**Homework:** Homework will continue on a daily basis. Children will continue to write their homework in their Homework Diary. They will be required to do reading, spelling, and a maths activity every day (Mon-Thurs).

**Winter Sport:** This term we offer netball and soccer to our learners. The league dates will be given to the teams shortly. Please encourage your child to participate and support him/her as far as possible. The school will subsidize the transport to the various venues but you will need to provide your child with water bottles and a packed lunch. Please be co-operative in this regard.

**Public Holidays:** Please note Please note that 27th April, 1st May and 16th June are public holidays.

**School Fees:** You are once again urged to fulfil your financial obligations towards the school and ensure your school fees are up to date.



**Important Dates April and May**

- 19/04 Visitors from Tanzania
- 21 April Collect Reports and chat to teachers TERM 2
- 23 April -Grade 1 to People's Theatre Alice in Wonderland
- 24th April -Grade 7 Money Museum at ABSA
- 25th April CIVVIES DAY-Kathy and Thalia MMD Easter Party
- 26th April Grade 2 Trip to Dairy Farm
- 27 April Public Holiday— Freedom Day
- 30 April School Holiday
- 01 May Public Holiday— Workers Day
- 04 May Grade 4 Trip to Sterkfontein Caves
- 11 May Grade 5 GO APE SA OUTING
- 18 May Spelling Bee—School
- Sat 12th May Compulsory Staff Workshop
- 25th May UMALUSI Verification



# Pallet and Paint Mural Challenge 2018

Great news ... it's a whole-school competition again !!! The Pallet and Paint Mural Challenge is aimed at taking something ordinary – pallets and re-purposing them to create colourful art pieces.

At CityKidz we want to encourage and showcase how recycling can transform our environment. All you need to do is to create an awesome, beautiful wall mural made from pallets.

The project also will focus on providing a minimum of 10 pallets per class. Each class must choose a theme. Each pallet will represent a character from the theme. The competition starts now, because over the next couple of months you need to encourage children to obtain at least 10 pallets per class, paint and varnish. How you go about this is entirely up to you, but its really important to get our parents involved. Each class will be allocated a wall space in which to hang their panels of pallets.

We will choose areas that can showcase your classes' work and liven up our environment.

Once again, I will invite external judges for the competition to ensure impartiality and fairness. The criteria on how The Pallet and Paint Challenge will be judged are indicated below. I have also included some photographs to inspire you in creating wonderful Pallet and Paint Murals.

There will be prize money for the winning teachers and a party for the winning classes!! I'm sure you will all be buzzing with great ideas on how you can enhance our environment. Parents we need your help! Please contact your child's class teacher and provide input and offer assistance!

Game on, Make a difference! →parents please get involved!



# CLASS CAPTAINS



Grade	Name	Surname	Grade	Name	Surname
Grade RR	Somtochukwu	Ochie	Grade Ra	Atlegang	Ponti
Grade Rb	Musa	Mashamaite	Grade Rc	Kamogelo	Sephula
Grade 1A	Tlhalefo	Sefotho	Grade 1B	Natalie	Bvute
Grade 1C	Lwandile	Mhlongo	Grade 1D	Hope	Gumede
Grade 2A	Lethabo	Kgethwane	Grade 2B	Tshegofatso	Phakedi
Grade 2C	Bonolo	Mphela	Grade 2D	Asanda	Maphosa
Grade 3A	Shalati	Maluleke	Grade 3B	Favour	Amakor
Grade 3C	Kitso	Tshoma	Grade 4A	Makamase	Mahapeletja
Grade 4B	Shawn	Ozioma	Grade 4C	Pelonomi	Kwamongwe
Grade 5A	Thamsanqa	Ndlovu	Grade 5B	Ayanda	Fuyana
Grade 6A	Siphe	Nokwe	Grade 6B	Kayleigh	Fredericks
Grade 7A	Chantel	Bhebhe	Grade 7B	Katlego	Thela

The class captain's role is extremely important in order for a class to run smoothly. They will receive mentoring from Ms Corrigan and Miss Patel. Some of their duties will include the following: Responsible for delivering classroom messages

Assist the class teacher with classroom duties and activities. Turn off lights and fans at break time and at the end of the day.

Motivate classmates to keep the class tidy at all times and many more duties.

The following children have been chosen as class captains for this term.

Each year during Easter the MMID hosts a fun function for all the children in the area. Once again an invitation is extended to our children to join in the Easter party festivities. Our children will attend the Easter party held by the MMID 25th April. They will have the opportunity to play games, experience the foam machine and to slip n slide. Let's hope for good weather! They will be given hot dogs, Easter eggs and cold drink. Once again we thank the MMID and in particular Thalia, Kathy and their team for inviting us. We look forward to sharing a splendid day with them.

**Date:** Wednesday, 25 April 2018

**Venue:** The Park in Frederick street (between Troye /Delvers streets)

**Dress:** Civvies- NO CHARGE. Bring Costumes and towels- There will be a Slip n Slide and a Foam machine!

**Time:** gam till 1pm- Children will need to be collected from school at 13h30. This includes INTERSEN PHASE.

There will be loads of fun and games and activities .



## What's happening the following week?

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
23/04	24/04	25/04	26/04	27/04
Foundation Phase Collect children at 13h30 CASS/FAT	Foundation Phase Collect children at 13h30 CASS/FAT	MMID Easter Party	Grade 2 Trip to Dairy Farm	Public Holiday
Grade 1 to People's Theatre Alice in Wonderland	Grade 7 Money Museum at ABSA	School Closes for all learners at 13h30		30 April School Holiday 01st May Public Holiday 02 May Return to School





# BEHAVIOUR BANK AWARDS

The following learners achieved the most merits in his/her grade in Term 1. We see you working and learning every day.

Grade	Name	Surname	Grade	Name	Surname
Grade RR	Shekinnah	Vutuza	Grade Ra	Wandile	Gumbo
Grade Rb	Natasha	Wilson	Grade Rc	Patience	Gumbo
Grade 1A	Thlalefo	Sefotlho	Grade 1B	Kayla	Chimufombo
Grade 1C	Keamogetswe	Raditau	Grade 1D	Hope	Gumede
Grade 2A	Nangamso	Beja	Grade 2B	Tshegofatso	Phakedi
Grade 2C	Oritanda	Nematswerani	Grade 2D	Anna	Matela
Grade 3A	Tshegofatso	Madlazi	Grade 3B	Bandile	Sibanda
Grade 3C	Pamela	Chitungo	Grade 4A	Quinn	Morgan
Grade 4B	Shawn	Ozioma	Grade 4C	Makanaka	Dehwa
Grade 5A	Thamsanqa	Ndlovu	Grade 5B	Onothando	Nondala
Grade 6A	Angela	Odei	Grade 6B	Owami	Mguni
Grade 7A	Chantel	Bhebhe	Grade 7B	Natasha	Nyoni

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## GENERAL KNOWLEDGE QUESTION FOR THE WEEK

Which kind of 'bulbs' were once exchanged as a form of currency?

Answer to question in last newsletter

In which country is the Aswan Dam? Nile in Aswan, Egypt.



## Maths Challenge for the week

Tyler's favourite TV show starts at 7:30 p.m. It is now 4:50 p.m. How long does he have to wait for his show to begin?

Answer to question in last newsletter

There are 22 walnut trees currently in the park. Park workers will plant walnut trees today. When the workers are finished there will be 55 walnut trees in the park. How many walnut trees did the workers plant today?



## Quote for the Week

*The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched - they must be felt with the heart.*

## Spelling Bee

abandon	abundant
abbreviation	accessible
abhorrent	acclimatise
abnegation	accompanied
abominable	accomplishment
absence	abomination
absorb	acquaintance
absurdity	aborigine



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