



## GLENASHLEY JUNIOR PRIMARY SCHOOL

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**Newsletter 07/2021**

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Dear Parents,

It is wonderful to hear the sound of singing back in the hall, the splashing in the pool and ballet music coming from the hall in the afternoons. We will be reintroducing computers next term then our school once again, will be fully functional.

We had our School Body elections last Tuesday. To our parent members, I would like to take this opportunity of thanking them for offering their time to the school, to ensure that we offer the families of our school, quality education in a clean and safe environment. Mr Field was elected as Chairman, Mr Sent as Vice Chairman, Mrs Reeves is our Treasurer and Mrs Thorp our secretary, Mrs Odendaal and Mrs Weller were elected as the other two parent members. Mrs Jearey and Miss Krull represent the educators, while Mrs Thorp represents the non-educators.

Tomorrow, Friday the 19<sup>th</sup> March, the Grade One learners will be dressing up according to the phonics sounds that they have already learnt. I am confident our educators will rise to the occasion and I look forward to admiring the various costumes, whether they be nurses, lions or mice.

On Sunday, we will be celebrating Human Rights Day, with Monday being a public holiday. Through this period of COVID, the rights to education has been a major factor while balancing the responsibility of keeping our learners and our staff safe. As a staff, we are grateful to the parents for their continued support, to ensure that they are able to fulfil their duty to educate the learners in their class. I am so grateful to our staff, for the commitment that they have shown towards ensuring the safety of the learners while doing what they do best, which is to impart knowledge. Wishing everyone a happy and safe long weekend.

Kind regards,

Janice McKenzie

Principal

