



Dear Parents,

It has been a very busy two weeks in the Boys Junior Prep with many wonderful events.

- **JP SCHOOL MUSIC EVENING:** hosted in our building was a great success, with a large audience to support the four choirs that performed. I would like to congratulate our Grade 2 Choir for their beautiful singing and the enthusiasm they showed in the mass choir number. Thank you to Sandra van Wyk and Annette Strouthos for the time and effort they put into this event.
- **THE SANGOMA OF EGOLI:** has been performed four times for an audience, with glowing reviews. The grandparents and caregivers were delighted by the morning dress rehearsal. The parents, friends and siblings thoroughly enjoyed the evening performances. I was extremely proud of every Grade 1 and 2 boy. The class items were varied and creative, the choir sang beautifully, the narrators told the story clearly with animation and the main characters delighted all with their acting skills and confidence. Thank you to all the JP teachers who worked as a team to ensure the "Sangoma of Egoli" was a success enjoyed by all.
- **GRADE 2 MORNING WITH DCS:** was the fourth performance of "Sangoma of Egoli." The Grade 2 boys and girls spent a happy morning at St Peter's on Tuesday. They had time to play, watch the production, share lunch with our boys, play soccer and basketball with the Grade 2's, slide down the slide and receive a jar of sweets. They left happy at the end of a busy but, delightful morning.
- **PHOTOGRAPHS:** For anyone who missed the sale of photographs at the play, Eprints has uploaded them onto their website where they can be viewed and/or orders placed. www.eprints.co.za, click on start here, the access code is St Peter's. Click on the "Sangoma of Egoli" sub gallery and all the photographs can be seen. To place an order please click on the photograph you wish to order and a price list will come up. If you have any further queries in this regard, please do not hesitate to contact Eprints on 011 646-4387 or info@eprints.co.za.

MY STORY



The St Peter's Prep Schools Transformation Committee extends an invitation to you to join us for:



My Story

Date: Thursday, 6 July

Time: 18:30 - 20:30

Venue: Girls JP Hall

We will be hosting our Isematholeni Interns who will be sharing their stories



"Transformation is often more about unlearning than learning"
Richard Rohr

GOLDEN MOMENT

This week in prayers we have been speaking about Jesus' disciples and Peter, in particular, in preparation for St Peter's Day. We also reviewed The Lord's Prayer that the disciples taught to their followers and its meaning. When I asked the boys what special day we would be celebrating on Friday a Grade 0 boy immediately answered "Peter Pan Day." (Although the answer was St Peter's Day he was not wrong as our Grade 0 boys are dressing up as Peter Pan to end their theme!)

Enjoy the long mid-term break; rest, take time out and enjoy spending days with friends and family.

Warm regards,

Kenda Melvill-Smith

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Monday 03 July
7:30 Return to school
Tuesday 04 July
No DCS this week due to Government School holidays
Wednesday 05 July
8:00 Chapel (birthday cards 01-09 July)
12:00-12:20 Grade 2 Choir OR
13:00-13:30 Grade 2 Choir
Thursday 06 July
18:30 The Intern My Story – JP Girls Hall
Friday 07 July
13:00 Grade 1 Football Tournament – Feather's Field

DIVERSITY

Gender Sensitivity Week: St Peter's boys and girls focused on love, care and support for the opposite gender. Gender bias, stereotyping and the use of appropriate language, especially in the presence of women, was also highlighted at assembly talks.

Eid al -Fitr: best wishes to all our Muslim parents and pupils as they celebrate Eid this weekend after the month-long Ramadaan fast. *Eid Mubarak!*

My Story: save the date: 6 July, 18.30. Come and listen to the stories of our interns and gain a greater insight into their history, trials and tribulations. These evenings prove to be very uplifting.

Quote for this week: *"It is time for parents to teach young people early on that in diversity there is beauty and there is strength."* Maya Angelou (Writer and Poet)

Vijay Maharaj (Director: Diversity)

REQUEST: CHRISTMAS MARKET VOLUNTEER

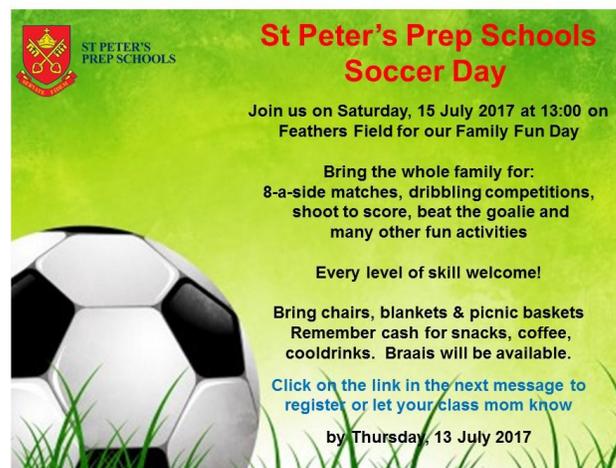
We are looking for a person to co-ordinate the Christmas Market on Saturday, 2 December 2017. The market is held in the afternoon (14:00 – 18:00) of the St Peter's Sunset Carols, which start at 18:00.

The aim of the market is to sell products that would appeal to all ages and provide a range of gift ideas, especially as it is close to Christmas.

The 'Market Volunteer' will register the vendors and, with a dedicated team, co-ordinate the vendors on the day. Please email Monica if you are interested in volunteering to help put the Christmas Market together - msloane@stpeters.co.za

Monica Sloane (Foundation Manager)

PA NEWS



St Peter's Prep Schools
Soccer Day

Join us on Saturday, 15 July 2017 at 13:00 on Feathers Field for our Family Fun Day

Bring the whole family for:
8-a-side matches, dribbling competitions,
shoot to score, beat the goalie and
many other fun activities

Every level of skill welcome!

Bring chairs, blankets & picnic baskets
Remember cash for snacks, coffee,
cooldrinks. Braais will be available.

Click on the link in the next message to
register or let your class mom know

by Thursday, 13 July 2017