



FRIDAY, 10 FEBRUARY 2023.  
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# NEWSLETTER



## RIDGEWAY RACES!

A massive thank you to our families who came out in their numbers to celebrate this annual event with us. The event was a huge success and our learners enjoyed the “wonderful weather” which thankfully played along. I am grateful that we forged ahead and didn’t cancel our plans. Please follow our social pages for photos and videos. Good luck to our team with the fixture in Levubu this weekend.

## FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL

Our Ecology club were busy setting up many improvement projects that we have planned for the year and of course a huge thank you to the Garden Shop for their donation of plants.

We hosted our first annual Photoshoot day for our Grade R and 1 children. We would like to thank (SCfotograaf) for their involvement during this event. I can’t wait to see the results as the set up really highlighted the beauty of our school and of course our children.





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1 February is regarded internationally as World Literacy day and we celebrated this by our Grade 7 children reading an original piece from Mr Govender to the Grade 4 children. We want to promote a culture of reading in our school as we all know.

## A PEEK AT OUR WEEK - ECD



- See what our house looks like
- The rooms in a house
- Furniture in the house
- Learn about different types of houses
- What does it look like outside your house?



## 5 REASONS WHY MESSY PLAY IS IMPORTANT AND BENEFITS CHILDREN

- It Fosters Curiosity, Imagination and Exploration.
- It Encourages Communication and Language Development.
- It Practices Good Concentration and Nurtures Future Skills.
- It Promotes Physical Development.
- It Supports the Ability to Play Independently.

## ASSESSMENTS AND TESTS

Our children are now fully engaged with important assessments and tests, which form a critical part of their academic progress. The teachers have already made contact with families of learners who are not performing on the level as per our expectations and a significant percentage of our senior learners need to be reminded of the importance of diligence towards their academic endeavours. I urge us all to remember that there is no substitute for hard work and talent without consistency leads to the most unfavourable results.

