

25/25
31 JULY 2025

NEWSLETTER

1. SCHOOL FEES

All parents are requested to ensure that their school fees account is up to date. School fees can be paid at the school's finance office using debit or credit card or by direct deposit into the school's bank account. **No cash will be accepted. NB: Please use the correct references when making deposits.**

BANK DETAILS:

BANK: NEDBANK

BRANCH: MIDRAND

ACC. NO: 1686 04 0075

CODE: 168642

TYPE: CURRENT

REF: USE NAME, SURNAME & GRADE OF CHILD

2. TERM 3 COMPULSORY PARENTS' EVENING

Kindly take note that the Term 3 compulsory Parents' Evening will take place this evening, the **31ST of July 2025 strictly from 16:00-18:00 (no late comers)**. Parents will have the opportunity to view learners' assessments, to see/discuss cumulative defaults, to set academic targets for Term 3 as well as to discuss their child's performance with subject teachers. It is vital for at least one parent/guardian to attend this important meeting. We thank you for your co-operation.

3. PYJAMA DAY

Our annual Pyjama Day will take place tomorrow, the **01st of August 2025**. Learners can come to school dressed snuggly in their **WINTER** pyjamas at a cost of R30 payable only on the Karri App. **NO CIVVIES ARE ALLOWED ON THIS DAY!** We encourage our learners not to miss out on the fun!

4. GRADE 4-7 OVERNIGHT CAMPS

Parents and guardians are hereby informed of the Grade 4-7 overnight camps. Please note that for learners to attend camp, their **school fees account must be up to date**. All payments must be made on the Karri App. Kindly note that there are limited spaces based on first-come first-served basis. **The deposit fee of R1000 is due today, 31 July 2025. The cut-off date for the full payment is the 05th of September 2025 after which NO PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED!** Parents are encouraged to pay in instalments (June, July and August) after the payment of the deposit. Kindly note that there will be no water-related activities and all camps have received approval from the GDE. Individual letters will be issued with specific details for each grade. Please take note of the overview of the camp details below:

Grade	Venue	Spaces	Total Amount	Depart Date	Return Date
4	Camp Discovery	120	R2100	30/09/2025 / 07:30	02/10/2025 / 14:00
5	Klein Kariba	120	R2350	10/09/2025 / 07:30	12/09/2025 / 14:00
6	Stoney Ridge	116	R1990	29/09/2025 / 07:30	02/10/2025 / 13:00
7	Zwartkloof Adventures	120	R2600	30/09/2025 / 07:30	03/10/2025 / 10:00

5. GRADE 7 CAREER DRESS-UP DAY & SPECIAL ASSEMBLY

The Grade 7 Career dress-up day and special assembly will take place on the **26th of August 2025 (07:30)**. Letters will be issued today. A special guest has been invited to inspire and motivate our learners. Grade 7 learners will come to school dressed in the attire of their prospective future career choice. Grade 4-6 learners will wear their correct school uniform. **Civvies and make-up will not be allowed on the day. Learners must be dressed respectfully in PROFESSIONAL career-related attire.** We look forward to this special day with our Grade 7's.

Vision: Every learner feels valued and inspired in our innovative education system.

Our Mission: We are committed to provide a functional and modern school where quality teaching and learning take place every day in the classroom. We aspire to promote a disciplined and inspiring environment which enables learners to achieve academic and personal excellence and to be responsible and productive individuals.

6. ONLINE GRADE 2-7 NEW APPLICATIONS FOR 2026

Applications for new admissions in Grades 2-7 for 2026 are conducted online and opened on the 22nd of April 2025 and will conclude on the 22nd of August 2025. To apply, parents/guardians must go to our school website (www.midrandprimary.co.za) and click on the admissions tab. **Required documents:** Certified copy of birth certificate, certified copy of parent's ID's, recent/latest school report, municipality account/lease agreement, and the clinic card/records. Kindly ensure that the compulsory certified documents (not older than three months) are scanned and uploaded. **No late applications will be accepted.**

7. GRADE 1 AND GRADE 8 ONLINE APPLICATIONS FOR 2026

Applications for Grade 1 and Grade 8 admissions are done online and are **NOT conducted internally at schools**. Online applications will opened on the **24th of July 2025** and will close on the **29th of August 2025 at midnight**. We implore parents to apply early to avoid placement issues. Parents/guardians can visit www.gdeadmissions.gov.za to apply.

8. COMMEMORATION OF MANDELA DAY AT MPS

In commemoration of Mandela Day, we will be running our annual **Mandela Day Book Drive** which was initiated in 2022. With this in mind and our need to improve literacy and reading skills in our country, we encourage parents to support our school by donating pre-loved story books / novels (in good condition) or purchasing at least one (or more) children's story books / novels in contribution to our **MANDELA DAY BOOK DRIVE**. Companies/businesses are also welcome to donate books. These books will be used to furnish our Media Centre for our learners to enjoy. The Book Drive will start immediately and will run until the end of Term 4. The class that collects the most books by the end of Term 3 will get to have a **FREE CIVVIES DAY**. The same will apply at the end of Term 4. Let us join hands in enriching the lives of our future leaders.

9. LTSM SUPPLIERS

Midrand Primary is requesting companies that supply stationery, classroom resources, library materials and library books to please submit their business profiles, CSD certificate, and tax compliance certificate to mandy@midrandprimary.co.za on or before the 8th of August 2025.

10. MENTORSHIP FOR BOYS PROGRAMME AT MPS

MPS has partnered with the Brian Molapisa Foundation who are offering their mentorship services to our Intersen boys (Grades 4-7) **FREE OF CHARGE!** The foundation is an NPO (Number: 307-304 NPO) whose main goal is to develop and support boys from local communities. The programme will assist boys in leadership development, character building, personal hygiene, responsibility, and so much more. This extra-mural programme will run weekly on Wednesdays from 14:00-15:00 in C17. Parents who'd like their child to participate can request a consent form on the information letter that will be issued today. The earlier we shape the character of boys, the better it will be when they become men.



Mr. M. Mulaudzi
Principal

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK:

"I learned that courage was not the absence of fear, but the triumph over it." - Nelson Mandela

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