

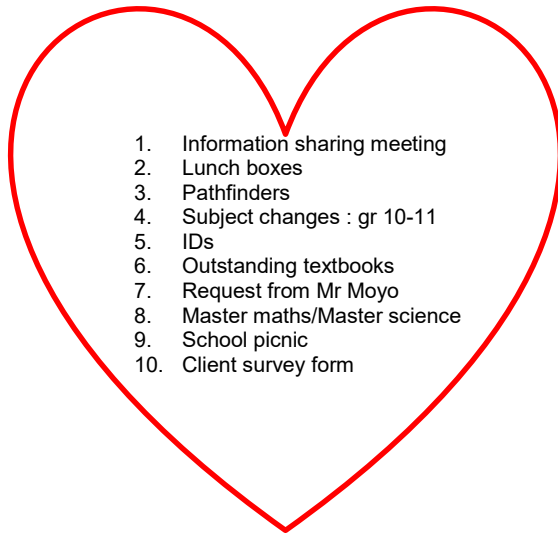


SEDAVEN

TIMES/KRONIEK

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of Sedaven High School is to prepare our young people for responsible citizenship in this world and the world to come !



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12 February 2015

Dear Parent

It is hard to believe that your child/children have been at school for 4 weeks already. How time flies!
Please allow me to share the following inspirational story with you. My prayers for you and your children are also to experience the effects of love.

A woman came out of her house and saw 3 old men with long white beards sitting in her front yard. She did not recognize them.
She said, "I don't think I know you, but you must be hungry. Please come in and have something to eat."

"Is the man of the house home?", they asked.

"No", she said. "He's out."

"Then we cannot come in", they replied. In the evening when her husband came home, she told him what had happened.

"Go tell them I am home and invite them in!" The woman went out and invited the men in. " We do not go into a House together." they replied.

"Why is that?" she wanted to know. One of the men explained: "His name is Wealth," he said pointing to one of his friends, and said pointing to another one, " He is Success, and I am Love." Then he added, "Now go in and discuss with your husband which one of us you want in your home."

The woman went in and told her husband what was said. Her husband was overjoyed. "How nice!!", he said. "Since that is the case, let us invite Wealth. Let him come and fill our home with wealth!"

His wife disagreed. "My dear, why don't we invite Success?"

Their daughter-in-law was listening from the other corner of the house. She jumped in with her own suggestion: "Would it not be better to invite Love? Our home will be filled with love!"

"Let us heed our daughter-in-law's advice," said the husband to his wife. "Go out and invite Love to be our guest."

The woman went out and asked the 3 old men, "Which one of you is Love? Please come in and be our guest." Love got up and started walking toward the house. The other 2 also got up and followed him. Surprised, the lady asked Wealth and Success: "I only invited Love, Why are you coming in?"

The old men replied together: "If you had invited Wealth or Success, the other two of us would've stayed out, but since you invited Love, wherever He goes, we go with him.

Wherever there is Love, there is also Wealth and Success!"

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INFORMATION MEETING

All parents are invited to attend our first information meeting for 2015, on Sunday 15 February @ 15:00. The points of this meeting are

- to share information about the school and school processes that are of mutual interest.
- to introduce the staff to the parents in order to enhance co-operation towards a common goal (success).
- to give parents an opportunity to speak individually to teachers about the progress of their child.

LUNCH BOXES

Your child is allowed to make a sandwich for himself/herself at breakfast and supper. However, the sandwich can only be taken out in a lunch box. Please provide a lunch box for your child in order to make it possible for him/her to enjoy a sandwich during break or early evening.



PATHFINDERS

Please read the attached letter from the pathfinder staff sponsors.

SUBJECT CHANGES : GRADE 10 -11

Please be informed that your child will only be allowed to change subjects until 30 March 2015. I would recommend an in depth conversation with your child, guiding him/her in the decision. If you need input from the school, feel free to contact Mrs Beukes.

IDs

The school is planning to invite Home Affairs again this year, to assist our learners with the application of their IDs. The following information is important:

- Learners must be 16 years or older.
- R30 cash for ID photos.
- Only SA citizens.
- Copy of mother's ID/ number.

OUTSTANDING TEXTBOOKS

Our apologies to parents and learners for textbooks that might not have arrived at school. Even though it is not a general problem or trend, it is causing challenges for the learner, teachers and the parents. We believe that we will solve this issue within the next week or two.

REQUEST FROM MR MOYO

- Grades 10 – 12 learners in Accounting must please bring a hard cover (192 page) exercise book to class.
- The grade 12 learners in Business Studies and Accounting are reminded of the class outing on the 19th March 2015. Please arrange to pay your R 300,00 as soon as possible.

MASTER MATHS/MASTER SCIENCES

As parents, you are more than aware of the challenges your child experiences with critical subjects, Mrs Kosterman, who is running a Master Maths/Master Science centre in town, will address parents on Sunday, during the parent's information meeting.

SCHOOL PICNIC

The Gr 11's of 2015 are planning a school picnic at Kimiad on Sunday 22 February. It will cost R150 per learner. This amount include the transport money, food and activities like swimming, chess, soccer, basketball and putt-putt. It is also in aid of raising funds for the Matric function.

There is space for 70 people. Therefore, the first to pay will be able to go. The last date for payment is 15 February please.

Thank you very much for paying on time.

Mr. Loveland and Mrs. Coetzee (class teachers).



CLIENT SURVEY FORM

Every year at this time, we request parents to please complete the survey form. This will assist us in maintaining or improving our services. Thank you for spending time in completing the form.

Hope to see you all at the parents' information meeting.
God bless

Mrs A Beukes
Principal

