

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- 22 June: End of Term 2
- 13 July: Placement tests for 2019 – make sure to book a place beforehand at VSSB school office 0117877290
- 17 July: Start of Term 3 at 07h30
- 18 July: Mandela Day
- 21 July: Grade 9 parent meeting on subject choices 09h00; reports handed out, parent consultation from 09h00 to 11h30; 11h00 67 minutes dedicated to VSSB in memory of Madiba
- 27 July: orders for school photos close
- 3 August: Night Out with Music Guru – Sean Brokensha,
- 3-5 August: Grade 11 leadership camp, so please ensure that your child's school fees are up to date
- 9-10 August: Women's Day holiday and school holiday on the Friday
- 18 August: Concert Day from 09h00 to 11:30 – cost R10 per person – Invite friends, family and alumni
- 21 August: Grade 12 Preliminary Exams begin
- 27 September: Matric Dance
- 18 November: Telkom 947 Cycle Challenge

SCHOOL BANKING DETAILS:

SEKOLO SA BOROKGO
STANDARD BANK, NORTHCLIFF
BRANCH CODE 006305
CHEQUE ACCOUNT NR
200505750
REFERENCE: LEARNER'S NAME
& SURNAME

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Tumelo Machete in Germany

Tumelo Machete in Grade 8S is currently playing in a tournament in Germany with his local league team. Tumelo and his team won through to the quarter-finals!



Temporary School Office Assistant

We welcome **Vicky Makhatini**, Chairperson of the PA, into the temporary position of school office admin assistant. Vicky has really brought some high-powered skills to the job with stunning effect!

Careers Day

On Saturday 2 June at VSSB, our annual Careers Day was held. The event was presented, free of charge, by the Morningside Rotary Club and the major careers (ranging from Chemical Engineering to the Accounting, Legal and Digital professions, and from Television to the Hospitality industry) were represented. VSSB Grade 11s and 9s were invited and it was inspiring to see the extraordinary turnout from the students! Big thanks to staff members John Nyamunda and Winnie Mandondo, and, of course, to the Morningside Rotarians!

Cake and Candy Challenge

The Grade 10 classes' target for their cake and candy sale was R1 016 – the amount raised by the Grade 11s. Well, they didn't just manage to raise the amount, they more than doubled it – in fact, they raised more than the previous two grades together: R2 778-80!! Well done and thanks for your enormous effort! And thanks to everyone in the school who is supporting the inter-grade Cake and Candy Challenge! Remember that every cent raised is for you, the students of VSSB!

School Photos

Please remember that orders for the **school photo package** close in the second week of next term on 27 July. The package costs R120-00 and consists of:

- 1 class photo
- 2 A5 sized individual photos
- 3 Jumbo sized individual photos
- 4 ID sized individual photos
- 1 bookmark.

Mandela Day

The days from the official Mandela Day on 18 July to Saturday 21 July will be dedicated to forms of involvement in the South African community. Students are asked to bring in old or unused clothing and any non-perishable foods (such as tinned foods and rice, etc) and parents who come to VSSB on the Saturday to pick up their children's reports are asked to dedicate just 67 minutes from 11h00 onward to upgrading VSSB – please come in work clothes and, if you can, please bring along garden tools and plants (to upgrade our garden) or an electric sander, sand paper (40 or 100 grit) or a paint brush (to sand and re-varnish student desks). There will also be fat cakes for sale. Anyone wishing to know more, please contact our PA Chairperson Vicky Makhatini on 0814709124.



DILIGENCE IS
STRENGTH

WHAT WE HOPE
EVER TO DO WITH EASE.
WE MUST LEARN FIRST TO DO
WITH DILIGENCE.
-SAMUEL JOHNSON

“I think it is
possible for
ordinary people
to choose to be
extraordinary.”

—Elon Musk

School Days

SCHOOL-DAYS is a platform for families, parents, and schools to assist with saving and earning to pay for the schools fees of children's school days. **School -Days has already raised more than R9m for parents that have joined.**

School-Days is partnered with Dis-Chem. So...when VSSB parents shop at Dis-Chem and have registered with School-Days, you earn your 'cash-back' in-store at Dis-Chem, **AND ALSO** you earn for VSSB, **AND ALSO** you earn a contribution into your own family school fees bursary account. **Apply at your closest Dis-Chem store.**

Some Gauteng Schools that have recently joined School-Days include Weltevreden Park Primary, Rand Park Primary, Agape Christian School, Robin Hills Primary, St Catherine's Convent, Jubilee, Princess Primary, Northcliff Primary, Panorama Primary, Trinityhouse Schools, and the number is growing.



Telkom 947 Cycle Challenge

**CYCLE FOR A PURPOSE
CYCLE FOR VULEKA**

SUNDAY 18th NOV

Telkom 947 Cycle Challenge

Cyclists are required to purchase a Vuleka cycling shirt (R600) & raise a minimum of R1000 for our **SUPPORT-A-CHILD Project.**

REGISTER
011 477 6917
marketing@vulekaschool.co.za
www.vulekaschool.co.za

Telkom 947 CYCLE CHALLENGE

Application process for VSSB

Please note that VSSB has our own application process which differs from the process parents must follow if they want their children to join a public school. When parents wish to enrol at VSSB, they should call our school office to make an appointment and then bring their child in to write a placement test. VSSB will then contact the parents regarding an acceptance interview. As can be seen, this is different from what happens at public schools.

Workshop for parents

Saturday 9 June saw the first of a series of workshops for parents on how to support their teenage children. School Counsellor Sihle Maseko was most positive about the response of the around 40 parents who attended and he looks forward to the next workshop in Term 3. Parents, too, were positive, commenting on how informative they found it and particularly appreciating the sharing of experiences that the group discussions brought out. Well done all round!



**Vuleka School invites you to join us for a
NIGHT OUT with
SEAN BROKENSHA
THE MUSIC GURU**

Friday, 3 August
St Marlin's-in-the-Field
43 Craddock Ave, Dunkeld, Rosebank
snacks & drinks will be served from 18:00
Sean will speak from 19:00
Theme: Music that changed you and the world.

Tickets: R200
Available from Brandon Townsend
call 011 477 6917 or email
marketing@vulekaschool.co.za

Banking details
Nedbank - The Carlton
Branch Code: 190005
Acc number: 1906384541
Reference: Guru-Surname

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Derby Day

On Saturday 16 June all the Vuleka primary schools came together at St Michael's, Weltevreden Park to compete and have fun – refereed, guided and supported by the Vuleka staff and with the helping hands of a number of our VSSB high school students. Raffles were won and huge fun was had by all!

Basic Education and Health De-Worming Programme

As part of their Integrated School Health Programme, the Departments of Basic Education and Health are implementing a de-worming programme for school children. Vuleka is one of the schools to have been selected for this voluntary programme which will take place in the third term. Early next term, Grade 8 parents will be given all the information for them to decide whether they wish their children to take part.

Admissions 2018, 2019:

Vuleka is open for 2018-2019 enrolment in all our venues.

If your neighbour, family or colleagues are looking for space, please ask them to apply now, as space is limited. Our schools include an **Early Learning Centre** grade 000-00, **Assisted Learning Centre** ages 8-14 for pupils with educational challenges, **3 Co-ed Primary Schools**, **1 Boys School**, **VSSB High School**.

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