

MASERU ENGLISH MEDIUM PREPARATORY SCHOOL



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Newsletter 5

Swimming:

Although the water has only been warm enough in the afternoons for Upper School swimming classes so far this term, all children should come to school on PE days with a swimming costume and towel clearly marked with his/her name. As soon as it is warm enough we will begin to swim in the mornings as well.

Please find attached a preliminary order form for a uniform MEMPS swimming costume. Costumes come in various sizes suitable for use by students aged 5 to 14 years of age. Each costume will have a logo and an individual name. The costumes are being manufactured by Mrs. Phohleli (Tel. 62010162 or 58748109) and will cost M170 each. Purchase is not compulsory. If you would like to indicate your interest in having one made (one piece costume for girls and trunks for boys) please complete the preliminary order form and return it to school so that we can assess the likely demand.

Management Committee AGM: Please find attached nomination forms for the election of parents to the Management Committee at the A.G.M. scheduled to be held on Thursday, 19th of November at 5.30 p.m. Candidates should be prepared to meet once a month to contribute appropriate experience and expertise to the strategic direction and financial stability of the school. Please return nomination forms as soon as possible.

Staffing for January 2010:

Mr. and Mrs. Jen will be returning to Australia to teach in January. Mr. Clark will be leaving the I.C.T. Lab to become self employed. There will be an appropriate moment at the end of term, I'm sure, to express our gratitude for the contribution that they have each made at MEMPS. Meanwhile, please note that Mrs. Glynnis Ranger, an experienced South African teacher, will be returning to MEMPS to take 5J, Mrs. Shupikai Chivese will be continuing in 1J and Mrs. Michelo Mboozu will be providing Learning Support. Ms. Kuena Mokuena has been appointed as ICT technician.

Term 1 Dates:

Friday 13th of November – PTA Movies (Lower School 1.00 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. & Upper School 5.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m.)

Tuesday 10th to Friday 13th of November – Grade 6 visit to Golden Gate

Thursday 19th of November – Management Committee AGM at 5.30 p.m.

Tuesday 24th of November – PTA AGM at 5.30 p.m.

Thursday 26th of November – Lower School Christmas Concert 1.00 p.m. End of Clubs.

Friday 27th of November – Student Council Discos.

Tuesday 1st of December – 1st performance of ‘Cinderella Rockerfella’ 1.00 p.m.

Wednesday 2nd of December – 2nd performance of ‘Cinderella Rockerfella’ 6.00 p.m.

Thursday 3rd of December – Music workshop by arrangement with the U.S. Embassy 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon.

Thursday 3rd of December – 3rd performance of ‘Cinderella Rockerfella’. 6.00 p.m.

Friday 4th of December – End of Term



“Rain, beautiful rain!”