



## NEWSLETTER

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# TERM 3 HONESTY & ACCEPTANCE

Elsen is proud of the following learners:

**Cameron Hills** (Gr 7) who took part in the RS Tera World Championships in France (see Page 2 of this newsletter)

**Alné van Eeden** (Gr 4) for winning bronze in the 100m breaststroke at the Madiba's Gala in Newton Park

**Kristin Emslie** (Gr 9) and **Nicole Wiseman** (Gr 4) are taking part in the finals of Dans in jou taal, a Kyknet DSTV production in Johannesburg this coming weekend

**Kristin Emslie** (Gr 9) took part in a Model Hunt competition recently and came 3rd out of 42 girls.

#### School Times:

Gr 1&2 Mon -Thurs: 07:40 - 13:30

Gr 3 Mon - Thurs: 07:40 - 14:00

Gr 4-12 Mon - Thurs: 07:40 - 14:10

Gr 1-12 Fridays: 07:40 - 13:00

Learners must be on the school premises in time for the **first bell at 07:40**

#### Finances:

##### ELSEN Academy Bank Account:

FNB : Account no: 620 929 20993

Branch code: 211 217 0

Please check your monthly statements and query any discrepancies within 30 days by contacting Colleen: 041 582 3289 or email: [colleen@elsen.co.za](mailto:colleen@elsen.co.za).

For tax deduction queries contact:

Brendels Consulting—Disability Tax Specialists: 041 101 1029.

#### Elsen Facebook Page:

Please visit our web page

[www.elsen.co.za](http://www.elsen.co.za) for all important updates including newsletters etc. Also, find our **ELSEN Facebook page** and **LIKE it for updates, pics and news**

Governing Council—parent liaison members:

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Virginia Solomons—[vsolomons07@gmail.com](mailto:vsolomons07@gmail.com)

Elsen Uniform supplier:



#### SPUR SHADOW SHIFT TUESDAY 29 AUGUST

17h30 — 21h00

This is one of the most **fun fundraisers** Elsen has, so keep Tuesday night free.

Moms (and some Dads) you get a night off kitchen duty! Your children get to have tremendous fun in the company of their classmates. Our High School learners gain working experience while at the same time doing their bit to raise funds for Elsen.

It is an all-round **funtastic** evening!

#### BACK TO THE 80'S ELSEN FUNDRAISER

Thank you to everyone who supported the show. The full amount raised for the school will be communicated in our next newsletter.



#### LOST PROPERTY SOLUTION:

Every year we have many items of clothing, etc handed in without names. Help us to return your property by labelling your child's clothing, stationery etc.

Tower Labels offer an easy solution so please consider ordering their School Label Pack—[www.mytowerlabels.co.za](http://www.mytowerlabels.co.za).

Any unmarked items of clothing will go to our 2nd hand shop at the end of each term.

#### Elsen Concert

Thursday 21 September

There will be a full dress rehearsal for all Elsen grandparents on Wednesday 20 September. As we have very limited seating on the night of the concert, we encourage you to invite all elderly family members to attend the dress rehearsal performance for which there is no charge.



#### SECOND HAND CLOTHING SHOP

Nadene Reynolds is the convenor and may be contacted on:

083 411 2783.

#### DATES TO DIARISE:

- 28 August: Matric Trials start
- 29 August: Spur Shadow Shift
- 30 August: 2nd Hand Clothing Shop  
7:30am—9:30am
- 1 Sept: Blue Day Bake Sale
- 2 Sept: Interact Beach Clean up
- 20 Sept: Concert for Grandparents (AM)
- 21 Sept: School Concert
- 28 Sept: School closes @ 2pm-learners

NO AFTERCARE



## RS TERA WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

Seven nations and 104 children converged on Yacht Club Carnac in Southern Brittany, France, for 5 days of racing in the 2017 RS Tera World Championships.

A first for the World championships, the practice day races were followed by a highly visual opening ceremony parade on the water. Competitors decorated their boats to represent their country, with some inventive results! Cameron & Ashley (RSA) won the prize for the best dressed.



11 races were sailed and Cam finished 44<sup>th</sup> overall in the Sport fleet which is a great accomplishment as team RSA had no coach, trainer or support boat to assist them.

Colleen Weddell, our Bursar's assistant, is proud of her son Luke (Grey High School), who came 25<sup>th</sup> out of a fleet of 37 in the Pro Fleet competition.



Most of the SA team celebrated in Disneyland Paris before returning home.  
“When in France . . . “

**CONGRATULATIONS TO CAMERON AND LUKE**



The 2018 RS Tera World Championship will be held at the world class Olympic venue of WPNSA, Weymouth, UK from the 4th-10th August 2018 for those who qualify. Holding thumbs!