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ALMA NEWS LETTER



BUDDY BUDDY "KLEIN KLITSIES"

**ALMA SCHOOL
NPO 001-127**

**News Letter Nr. 6
11 May 2015**

Our "Klein Klitsies" day on Friday 8th May commenced with 2 nursery schools visiting Alma School. "Orrelpypies" and "Verfkwassies" arrived at 09:00 to have a "jol" of a time with our learners from groups 3-10. Mr. Bondesio welcomed everybody and teacher Jane informed our new friends about disabilities. The activities theme was stars and hearts and the 3 groups visited the different stations to complete a creative and cake decorating activity. Thereafter a physical activity followed and visitors could release bottled up energy. Lunch consisted of a hot dog, cold drink and chips, whereafter the visitors were treated with a puppet theatre. Teacher Marietha and Teacher Wilmie acted like professionals and the concept of accepting

one another although we may not look alike were taught. Everybody received an emergency case to take home and with happy hearts all our friends returned to their respective schools. What an enjoyable day for all !!!



DINOSAURES

The children were very excited but also a little bit scared to visit the massive animals. They could touch



the dino's and climb into dino eggs, to take a photo. They enjoyed it very much and learned about Stegosaurus, Tyrannosaurus Rex, fossils and reptiles.

EMERGENCY PLAN

On Tuesday 6th May a strange siren rang through Alma corridors. There was lots of shuffling as everyone made their way to the teachers parking area. Everyone assembled in neat rows and Mr. Pietman after consulting with all HOD's announced that our first Emergency plan practice round went off smoothly. We will schedule another practice soon.



16 of our class assistants attended a "Disability" course.

They all received Certificates at a special ceremony in the school hall.

We would like to congratulate all the ladies with a job well done!



We need empty 250ml "cobe" bottles before 22 May 2015.

Please do not throw away if you have any and send the empty bottles to school with your child....

Thank you





Tekkie Tax

**Buy your Tekkie Tax shoe lace set and
Stand a chance to win a TABLET!!**

**1 Shoe lace set = 1 Entry into the lucky draw.
The Lucky draw will take place during the Tekkie Tax
festivities at Alma School on Friday 29 May 2015.**

This offer does not apply to Tekkie Tax stickers sold loose.

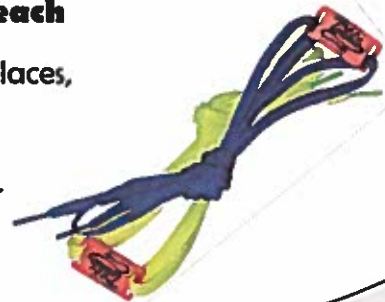
Although the campaign states that you can buy the sticker from the charity group "where your heart lies", we would like to tell you that Alma School is registered under the DISABILITY sector and thus gains most from sales in that category.



R10

Tag set: R30 each

Includes: 2 shoe laces,
2 tekkie tags &
a sticker of your
choice



TEKKIE TAX ORDER FORM

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| Parent's name: | | | | | | | | | |
| Contact No: | | (w) | | | | (c) | | | |
| | | e-mail: | | | | | | | |
| Child's name: | | | | | | Group: | | | |
| STICKERS (@ R10 each) | | | | | | | | | |
| Total no of stickers: | | | | | | | | | |
| Break down of stickers ordered: | | | | | | | | | |
| Animals | | Basic Community | | Children | | Disability | | Education | |
| TEKKIE TAG & SHOE LACE SETS + STICKER (@ R30 each) | | | | | | | | | |
| Total no of sets: | | | | | | | | | |
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**Happy
Birthday**

PERSONNEL BIRTHDAYS:

Marietjie Hopley - 17 May
Eugene Mposhomali - 20 May
Magda du Preez - 20 May
Marietha Malan - 21 May

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MySchool
MySchool MyVillage MyPlanet

Please remember to use your card.

Each transaction is to Alma School's advantage!

If you do not have a My School or Makro card that is linked to Alma School, please contact the office for application forms.

**SECOND HAND SCHOOL T-SHIRTS
WANTED!**

Please consider donating your child's school shirts that he/she has outgrown to the school's clothes bank. All shirts that are still in a good condition, even though the colour may have faded, are welcome and appreciated. Kindly send these shirts directly to the office.

Thank you!

There is an information day on the 3rd of August for parents and care givers. There will be exhibition stalls from care centres and they will have information available regarding placing of young adults with disabilities that leaves the school.

It is going to take place at Con Amore School in Kempton Park. Please contact the school if you are interested.

**RENTING OF
BUILDING AND TERRAIN**

The following areas are available for renting:

- The school hall and kitchen
- Picnic Terrain and kitchen
- Lapa (Tea Garden) and kitchen
- Junior Play Grounds for children's Parties

Please contact the main office for costs, more information and bookings.

Toys for Africa - 26 May 2015



On 26 May 2015 Toys for Africa will set a new World Record for children with disabilities packing pencils in 10 letters (Alma School), number of pencils in the shortest time.

We will also have Chris Batts, holder of 24 World Records, attempting to drag a 2 ton truck for 25 meters in a record time. This will be done to motivate and empower the children of Alma School in their minds so that they can also accomplish it.

A disability knows no gender, race, financial status or religion.

We will have every child in Alma

School helping with the packing of pencils. Thus every child will be a co-holder of a World Record. There is currently no such record and this will be a first.

Our goal is to reach 50 000 pencils minimum and accomplish the World Record with a percentage of the pencils in 4 hours.

There is ample space for all our sponsors to set up their banners, posters and marketing material.