



# BRYNEVEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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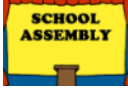





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Dear Bryneven Parents and Community

## Provisional Dates to Diarise

| School Calendar                  | Timetable Day | Events to note from the School Diary  |
|----------------------------------|---------------|---|
| <b>2023 Term 3: Week 5 of 11</b> |               |   |
| Monday<br>14 Aug                 | Day 1         | ISP Assembly<br>   |
| Tuesday<br>15 Aug                | Day 2         | Junior Boys Tennis Bye<br>Cross Country Meet @ Gillooly's Farm<br>   |
| Wednesday<br>16 Aug              | Day 3         | Athletics meet @ Risidale Primary<br>   |
| Thursday<br>17 Aug               | Day 4         | Hockey: Junior Boys vs Bryandale<br>Junior Girls vs Bryandale<br>Cross Country Meet @ Saint Stithians<br>  |
| Friday<br>18 Aug                 | Day 5         | Hockey: Senior Boys vs Bryandale<br>Senior Girls vs Bryandale<br>  |
| <b>2023 Term 3: Week 6 of 11</b> |               |   |
| Monday<br>21 Aug                 | Day 6         | FP Assembly<br>  |
| Tuesday<br>22 Aug                | Day 1         | Junior Boys Tennis Bye<br>Cross Country Meet @ Gillooly's Farm<br>   |
| Wednesday<br>23 Aug              | Day 2         | Athletics meet @ IRG Primary<br>   |
| Thursday<br>24 Aug               | Day 3         | Hockey: Junior Boys and Girls vs Rivonia<br>  |
| Friday<br>25 Aug                 | Day 4         | Hockey: Senior Girls and Senior Boys vs Rivonia<br>   |

## School Tours 2023

| Grades  | Dates  | Departure and Arrival times | <br>Destination |
|---------|--------|-----------------------------|---|
| Grade 4 | 30 Aug | 08h00                       | Klein Kariba  |
|         | 1 Sep  | +/- 14h00 to 14h30          |   |
| Grade 5 | 29 Aug | 07h30                       | Camp Konka  |
|         | 1 Sep  | +/- 15h00 to 15h30          |   |
| Grade 6 | 29 Aug | 08h15                       | Camp Discovery  |
|         | 1 Sep  | +/- 13h30 to 14h00          |   |
| Grade 7 | 28 Aug | 06h30                       | ATKV Natalia - KZN  |
|         | 1 Sep  | +/- 17h00 to 17h30          |   |

**Educational Tours - organisational and booking deadlines:** Our tours are scheduled to depart in a fortnight to the various destinations and there is still a great deal of organisation that must be done. When planning school tours, we have to accommodate between 400 and 500 learners and supervising members of staff during the course of the week at various venues in the country. It is important to note that **all requirements must be met** before a child is able to go on tour. **All documentation should have been completed and returned to the register class teacher if your child is going on tour.** This year our tours (grade 4 to 7) are scheduled to take place from 28 August to 01 September. Details for the different grades and their destinations can be found in the table above. Please note that no electronic devices (cell phones, tablets, etc) are allowed on the tours. Parents are advised to limit the amount of money given for tuckshop purchases as well. The departure times stated above for the various grades will be strictly adhered to, so please ensure that you plan your morning accordingly, as no buses will be delayed for late comers.

### Bryneven's Got Talent 2023

The auditions took place on Monday, 7 August for our junior learners and Tuesday, 8 August for our senior learners. We had a lot of awesome talent which made judging very hard. Congratulations to the finalists. (See below). They will start rehearsals this week and work towards the Final which will be held on Thursday, 28 September 2023.



**Junior Finalists:** Zaya Ghorbany, Chloe-Rita Saad, Lillianna Naidoo, Nena Chandra, Amy Nel, Aluwani Muthakhi & Ayanna Mokoene, Ty van Wijk and Namrah Singhal

**Senior Finalists:** Lilitha Mbayisa & Madison Mampe, Tawana (Eliannah) Chidwayi, Haylee-Grace Hopher & Dawn Munnik, Elia & Zakkai Tshabalala, Andrew Mason, Sibi (Mosebjadi) Mboweni & Lerato Marapyane, Kelsey Pritchard, Ting-Yun Wang, Max Takuva, Lesedi Chademanah, Elisabeth Mbaya, Kennedy Haklett-Sindall and The DC Girls (Lwazi, Linathi, Lemo, Masego & Chantel)

**Guest Performances:** Tanush Singhal and Chloe Alers.

## Eskom Expo

The Eskom Expo for young scientists took place on Friday, 28 July and Saturday, 29 July 2023. The event's organisers commended our Bryneven learners for their passion for science and eagerness to share their projects. Well done to the following learners who were all placed in the Top Three. We are so proud of you.

| Category       | Student Name      | Project Title                | Medal  |
|----------------|-------------------|------------------------------|--------|
| Engineering    | Joseph Bam        | Laser Activated Alarm System | Gold   |
| Engineering    | Andrew Wilson     | Laser Activated Alarm System | Gold   |
| Energy         | Ishikha Penmatcha | Infinite Hydro Electricity   | Silver |
| Energy         | Danika Gevers     | Powering Planet Energy       | Silver |
| Earth Sciences | Ting Yung Wang    | Water Power                  | Silver |
| Earth Sciences | Larisa Puhaca     | Water Power                  | Silver |
| Energy         | Samuel Hahn       | Hydro energy Storage System  | Bronze |
| Energy         | Ibrahim Mahomed   | Air energy                   | Bronze |
| Energy         | Srilekha Mediseti | Hydro Electricity            | Bronze |

## Grade R Athletics – Sports Day

On Friday, 04 August Bryneven held its inaugural Grade R Athletics Day. It was very exciting for all present to see the youngest members of our Bryneven Family compete in some novelty races as well as actual sprints. The day certainly seemed to be enjoyed by all, with even some requests for a Grandparents' race (something we may have to look into). A big thank you to the staff from Grade R for preparing the children for the races and to Mr Naicker and his team for the day.









## KO Cup Finals

Last term a number of our football team made it to the latter stages of the Discovery Joburg KO Cup competition with 5 teams competing in the semi-final stages (the most teams from all the schools competing) and 3 teams making it through to the Final match for their age group. Our Under 9 boys' team competed in their very first year of the competition and finished as runners-up after a tough match. Our Open girls' team had to wait to play their match this term due a technical issue with the lights on the night of their scheduled final and narrowly lost 2-1 to a team that did not have the school break interrupt their preparations. Our Under 11 girls' team (the defending champions from last year) dominated in their final match winning 2-0 to retain the title of 'Champions of Joburg' for the second year in a row. We are extremely proud of all the achievements of our teams.



The Under 9 Boys  
Soccer KO Cup runners-  
up



The Open Girls Soccer  
KO Cup Runners-up





**Under 11 Girls Soccer KO Cup “Champions of Joburg”**

**External Extra Mural  
Showjumping**

Jessica Taggart and her horse ‘Little Princess’, competed in the Gauteng Regional Finals on Saturday, 29 July. They competed as part of the Gauteng Central District ‘A team’ for show jumping (70cm). Jess and Little Princess received a 2<sup>nd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> place, qualifying them to be part of the Gauteng Team to compete at Nationals later this year. Fantastic effort, Jessica! We wish you all the best for the Nationals.



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