

# **BRYNEVEN PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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Dear Bryneven Parents and Community

# **Provisional Dates to Diarise**

	Dates to Dia		2023	Term 4: Week	7 of 10				
Monday 20 Nov	Day 5	FP Assembly Assembly							
		Controlled Test – Day 4 of Controlled Test							
		Day	Date	Session	Gr 4	Gr 5	Gr 6	Gr 7	
		Monday	20 November 2023	One	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics P1  Mathematics P2	
Tuesday	Day 6	Controlled Test – Day 5 of Controlled Test							
21 Nov		Tuesday	21 November 2023	Two	NSTech	NSTech	NSTech	Geography	
Wednesday 22 Nov	Day 1	Reading Period  We love to read!							
		Controlle	ed Test – Day	6 of Controlle	ed Test				
		Wednesday	22 November 2023	One	Geography	Geography	Geography	EMS NS	
Thursday	Day 2	Controlled Test – Day 7 of Controlled Test							
23 Nov		Thursday	23 November 2023	One	Life Skills - PSW	Life Skills - PSW	Life Skills - PSW	Life Orientation  Technology	
Friday	Day 3	Grade R	Graduation	(08h00-09H30					
24 Nov		Controlled Test – Day 8 of Controlled Test							
KEEP		Friday	24 November 2023	Two				Creative Arts	
CALM LAST DAY OF EXAMS		End of Co	ontrolled Tes	t	!	+	-		
2023 Term 4: Week 8 of 10									
Monday 27 Nov	Day 4	ISP Asser	nbly	Assembly					
Tuesday 28 Nov	Day 5	Soap Box Derby							
Wednesday	Day 6	FP Awards Grade 1 – 08h15 - 09h15, Grade 2 – 10h15 -11h15, Grade 3 – 12h10- 13h10							
29 Nov		Bryneven Sports Programme begins.							
Thursday 30 Nov	Day 1	Normal	Normal School Day						
Friday 01 Dec	Day 2	Grade 7	farewell						
Saturday 02 Dec		Grade R	and One Ori	entation day	(08h30-09h	30) <u>Oric</u>	mianison II		

#### **Final Controlled Test/Examinations**

While we have completed the first week of our controlled test and are heading into the final week, we wish all our learners all the best for this final week. Please take note that while we have allowed our learners to be collected after their papers in the past, the Department of Education has informed us that learners are not allowed to leave early before the school day ends.



#### **Annual General Meeting**

A huge thank you to all the parents who were able to attend the online AGM held on Wednesday, 15 November 2023. After the presentations of the financials the parents voted on the proposed resolutions which also included the school fees for 2024. The official school fees are as follows:

# Approved school fees 2024

Grade	Annual	Discounted	Monthly		
R	R60 280,00		R5 480,00		
1-7	R42 350,00		R3 850,00		
Discounted	6% if paid by 31 January 2024 –(Gr 1-7 ONLY) Discounted amount R39 809.00. Discount R2 541,00.				
Monthly	11 x equal monthly payments				

# **Bryneven Important dates To Diarise**

Function	Date	Time
Grade R Graduation	24 November	08h00
Foundation Phase Awards	29 November	Grade 1 -08h15
		Grade 2 -10h15
		Grade 3 -12h10
Grade 7 Farewell	01 December	13h00
Grade R and 1 Orientation	02 December	08h30
Intermediate Phase	05 December	18h00
Awards		
Grade 7 Valedictory	07 December	18h00

## **National Prepared Reading/Public Speaking Competition**

*English Home Language Category*, we congratulate the following children on their participation in the National Final Round of the Prepared Reading Competition: Ethan Koen (Grade 5), Sara Milic (Grade 6), Atidaishe Kawisi (Grade 6) and Yasthi Naidoo (Grade 7). Unfortunately, we have not yet received all the results in this category.

*Afrikaans Home Language* Category, we congratulate Logan Aucamp and Danika Gevers on their participation in the National Final Round of the Prepared Reading Competition. Unfortunately, we have not yet received all the results in this category.

*isiZulu Home Language* Category, we congratulate Kamvelihle Mnyango (Grade 7) on achieving 2<sup>nd</sup> position and Amila Mehlomakulu (Grade 7) on achieving 3<sup>rd</sup> position in the country at the National Final Round of the Prepared Reading Competition. We applaud the outstanding efforts of Zinhle Ngcama (Grade 5) and Lemogang Nkoane (Grade 6) who emerged as the National Winners in their respective categories. Well Done to our National Champions!

**Public Speaking** Category, we congratulate Yasthi Naidoo (Grade 7) on participating in the National Final Round where she demonstrated excellent elocution in articulating her views, as well as achieving 3<sup>rd</sup> position in the country.

#### **External Extra Mural**

#### 94.7 Cycle Challenge

This last weekend saw thousands of cyclists take part in the 94.7 Cycle Challenge. Two of our leaners, Sulaymaan (Gr 7A) and Yumna Munshi (Gr 6B) also participated in the race. Sulaymaan rode in his 3<sup>rd</sup> Ride Joburg 35km cycle race in a time of 1hr50mins and Yumna rode in her 2<sup>nd</sup> Ride Joburg 35km cycle race in a time of 2hrs1min. Well done to this dynamic brother and sister effort.





#### **Ballet**

Well done to the JDC Dance Company Ballet dancers from Bryneven who competed in the "Beat the Battle - All Stars" dance competition over this past weekend. The dance competition was judged by Quintus Jansen, Producer and director of 'So you Think You Can Dance SA' and 'World of Dance SA', Duerell de Pontes and Glenda Piemer. The judges as well as the audience voted for the winner and the Bryneven Ballet dancers won. Dancers involved: Zoey Nyahunzvi, Isabella Chen, Michaella Juru, Wren Rademeyer, Alexis Langson, Mikayla Bernstein, Ayana Musvaire, Thabitha Zikalala, Malaika Sithole and Zinhle Mabusela





The talented Ballet dancers



# **Grade 7 Leaving Gift to the School initiative.**

Every year our leaving Grade 7 learners collect contributions towards their parting gift to the school. This year they have decided to have a number of "Fun in the Sun Day". While we do appreciate that this is one of many initiatives that will lead to the run up of the Festive season, our Grade 7 learners are asking you to support their efforts by paying your R20,00 for each day. The Grade 7 gift will go towards benefitting the school for the present and future learners.

## **Fundraising News**

Please take note of these last few fundraising events for the year as the Fundraising teams hopes to add to the wonderful support received by the Bryneven community over the course of this year.



# **Bryneven Learner Outreach initiative**

Francesca Maria Comerce in Grade 4 would like to make a difference in an underprivileged child's life this Christmas by asking for pre/loved Teddies to be donated. Please see below and we encourage all our learners to take part, during this season of giving. The collection bins will be clearly marked and placed at the Bantry Road (Jeff's gate) entrance. Francesca will be clearing the collection bins daily and really hopes to make as many underprivileged children smile. Let's support this wonderful initiative by our Grade 4 learner.

## **Early Closure for Term 4**

As mentioned previously we are going to request for early closure for our learners for this term from the GDE. The date we will be requesting is for Friday, 08 December as all our admin work as well as school functions will have been completed by this date. The electronic Report cards will also be issued on this date (should we be granted permission).

The report cards will be available on the Portal for parents to access wherever you are (should families with travel plans not be in the province or country at the time).

It must be mentioned that although we were granted

permission to close early last year for the school holidays, the GDE may or may not grant permission for early closure this year. As we receive any further information on our application, we will update our Bryneven Community.



