



MUSIC DEPARTMENT

CLASSIC FEEL magazine

Every musical family should support the prestigious CLASSIC FEEL Magazine, (Feb/March edition) which may be purchased from Exclusive Books, CNA, PNA and other leading bookstores.

There is a marketing advert for The Grove which has been collated by Mike Dallas, a Grove parent, and graphic designer of note. We are indeed grateful for his expertise, and for putting The Grove on the map alongside schools like St Johns & St Mary's as well as Kearsney College. This is a great honour for us, as this came as an invitation from Trinity College, London. It is a phenomenal magazine as once again it includes articles in which arts & culture are prioritised in education throughout the world.

Music Parents Meeting

Parents are requested to attend this important meeting which takes place on WEDNESDAY, 16 FEBRUARY, 2011, at 19h00 in the school hall. There will be a guest speaker, and this is an excellent opportunity to meet the music teachers.

Grade One Parents

The blue Yamaha Recorders have arrived at Heuers, so please purchase one for your child as soon as possible. The classes will commence in March 2011.

Music Lockers & Bags

Lockers are available especially for orchestral instruments, such as violins & cellos, at R100 per year, made payable to the music department. We still have a few music bags with the GROVE logo on them, for R100 each.

Film 'Janine'

For parents who have an interest in performance and the disciplines that go with it, we as a department urge you to go and see this outstanding film at The Labia on Orange.

Parents who play in bands

If you play or sing in a band (Jazz, Rock, Pop, African, Reggae & so on) please contact me, as we want to have an outdoor Kirstenbosch - style concert in March.

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Please let us have all your clean, unbroken ornaments, bric a brac, toys, unwanted gifts and books for our Cake and Candy. These can be left in the office.

Small plastic pots for plants are needed for the Cake and Candy plant stall. Please leave them in the office.

CAMPOUT NOTICE GOING HOME TODAY

FROM THE FEE ADMINISTRATOR

We would like to remind parents that school fees is a *statutory requirement and thus this debt is a priority debt* and must be paid *before* any other debt. **We therefore cannot allow parents with school fee accounts in arrears to have accounts for private extra mural activities at the school.**

The school would like to urge ALL parents to ensure that their account does not fall into arrears. It has become increasingly difficult for the school to meet the budget requirements due to an increase in non- payment of school fees. The school is in NO way reimbursed by the Department of Education for this loss in income.

The Grove Primary School is only able to maintain the small class sizes of 25 – 29 learners per class if we receive the school fees from parents, as a large portion of school fees received is allocated to the payment of extra educators.

As learners of Grove Primary School your children have access to world class educational facilities. We urge you to pay your school fees so that we are able to maintain these standards.

The Robyn Stonestreet Extra-Mural Fund has been established. Should parents want to apply for such a bursary, applications forms are to be collected from the office. Please note that this is a private Trust and funds are granted at the discretion of the trustees.

CHARLENE IRWIN
FEE ADMINISTRATOR

LIBRARY NEWS

We have a lot of new books needing to be covered for our library. Please contact Mrs White-Phillips if you have an hour or so to help cover books.
bwhitep@grove.wcape.school.za

UNIFORM SHOP

School satchels, large size grades 4-7, are out of stock at present.

Jerseys, sizes 26, 32, 38 are out of stock. Both satchels and jerseys should be due mid February, ie. 14th onwards.

Kindly note that these dates have been given to me by the suppliers, and I am relying on the dates given to me by them.

I will advise via the Grove Talk when stock has arrived.



EARLYACT CLUB

EarlyAct is the 'baby' club of Rotary. It is a service club. The club is run by Mrs White-Phillips, Miss Meyer and a team of Grade 6 learners. We meet on Thursday mornings in the library at 8.05am. Please support our projects for this term:

- **ShelterBox:** We would like to raise funds to purchase a ShelterBox for R8 000. Learners were shown a DVD about the box in Assembly last Friday. Parents can find out more about it: www.shelterbox.org
All learners may wear red and white civvies on Monday, Valentines Day. Please send a minimum of R5 to school in support of this project. A ShelterBox will be erected on our school field on Monday from 11am – 3.30pm. Please feel free to come and have a look. EarlyAct clubs from our local schools have also been invited to join us in this fund raising project.
- We are looking for **donations of peanut butter and wax wrap** for Bread Buddies.
- **Chores for paws** and a Grade 6/7 outreach to an animal adoption centre: Details to follow soon
- **CASE Counsellor/Trauma Boxes:** A project for parents at our school. See the attached letter from CASE. Please contact Mrs White-Phillips if you would like to be part of this project.
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GROVE ADS

“**The aRTeRy**” is a dedicated studio space in a garden setting, offering **creativity workshops for adults**, based on the Awakening Spirit Through Art (ASTAR) approach. Using techniques such as collage, monoprinting, clay, painting and drawing, we focus on experiential process work in an enabling, safe and playful environment. No prior art experience necessary. **Please contact Gabrielle Kaplan – 021 6894819; 082 2954479; gabriellak@mweb.co.za**

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SARAH IS LOOKING FOR WORK AS A DOMESTIC HELPER every day except Thursday. **Please phone her on 073 4798109.** For a reference phone Ncebekezi on 073 6831540.

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR COMPUTER/INTERNET/WEBSITE TRAINING? I have 20 years IT experience and was previously a Microsoft employee. I provide 1-on-1 training. I also build websites for small businesses and assist them with Google, Facebook and similar topics. **Contact Mark: 079 3990532.**

APPETITE CATERING. Catering for all types of events from 6 – 300 people. Hiring, waiters, flowers, décor can all be arranged. **Contact Clare on 021 6898547; 082 4127211; email clare@appetitecatering.co.za; www.appetitecatering.co.za**

CONVERSATIONAL ENGLISH. Do you need help with speaking English? Come for sessions that cover everyday activities so that you can be more confident in communicating. **Contact Danielle Fraser on 082 2212276 or email: english@frasergo.org for more information.**

ENVIRON PRICE INCREASE 1 MARCH. Please contact **Maggie Mouton on 0826035092 / 021 6740112 (A/H)** or email your order to: maggie.mouton@hotmail.com
All products sold below the suggested selling price eg. Ultra Creams R190 & Mild. Classic & Rich Creams R160. **FREE DELIVERY TO GROVE.** Please allow 2 -3 days for delivery.

FREE HOT WATER! INSTALL A "TOTALLY SOLAR" GEYSER and get the latest proven technology. Electricity costs have increased dramatically and will do so again over the next 2 years. 60% of that cost is heating water in your home. Save on average R500 per month. Evacuated tube technology utilising radiation that allows installation in any direction and works even when cloudy. Low maintenance and 5 year warranty. SABS approved and installed by a qualified plumber. Eskom rebate available. **Contact Roger McCallum (Grove parent) on 083 651 0464 for a quotation.**

MY CHAR, AGNES, IS LOOKING FOR A JOB EVERY FRIDAY. **Please contact Jill Theron on 072 2654547** should you wish to employ a cheerful, hardworking person.

FEBRUARY SPECIAL @ BEAUTY ON DEAN

- 30min back massage & deluxe pedicure - R300
- 30min back massage, RegimA facial & express manicure - R450
- GIFT PACK: R205: Unstoppable mascara; eye makeup remover; RegimA marula lip protector; facial sponges. Offer valid until 28 Feb 2011. Book at Beauty on Dean, 43 Dean Street, Newlands.
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