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### Grade 0 2020 Applications

Grade 0 2020 applications are now being finalised at Dainfern College. If you are looking for a space for your child in Grade 0 next year, please be so kind as to contact the Enrolments Manager, Claire Young on 011 469 0635 or email her on [cyoung@dainferncollege.co.za](mailto:cyoung@dainferncollege.co.za). They look forward to assisting you.

### Ubuntu Day

In lieu of Human Right's Day coming up on the 21<sup>st</sup> March, we have decided to celebrate a Child's Right to have an identity. To make this fun, we would like the children to come to school on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March dressed in an outfit that speaks of their culture or heritage. For their snack on Friday, each child can bring a traditional food that they can first discuss with the class as part of their show and tell.

### Games Evening

As mentioned in the previous newsletter, we are holding a games evening on 4<sup>th</sup> April 2019. Please remember this is about you and your preschool child working together and having some good, old-fashioned fun. We have not done an evening like this before and have hired a professional company to facilitate some of the games as the teachers will be busy running some of the other activities. The Soccer Starz Team will also be holding some fun activities outside. The children will receive a "goodie" bag with a milo drink and a few other surprises in it. The whole event should take no longer than an hour to an hour and half. As discussed in last week's newsletter it might be a good idea to give your child supper before they come to school for the event. For this event there will be no picnicking on the lawn and we would like to strongly discourage any siblings attending. Once again, more information will follow in next week's newsletter.

### Covering of New Books

The Chicken Group of 2018 kindly collected for and then donated a substantial voucher for Reader's Warehouse. Teacher Natalia, who is involved with the library, managed to buy some beautiful books with the money. However; these books need to be covered. Please, if you are able to assist with the covering etc may we ask that you speak to Teacher Natalia.

### Studs on Boots

Some of the boys in the Chicken Group are wearing soccer boots with studs to the lessons. We would like to discourage them from wearing them and rather encourage them to wear their sneakers. It makes it safer for everyone concerned.

### Toys

There are still a number of children who are bringing toys to school. Please may we ask that you check your child's bag and assist the teachers by explaining to your child that toys are not allowed at school. Thank you for your support in this matter.

### Upcoming Dates

Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	UBUNTU	All Morning
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Public Holiday – Human Rights Day	All Day
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	School Holiday	All Day
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Games Night	17:30
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> April	School Closes	13:00
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> April – Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> April	School Conference at Dainfern College	

**Have a great week!**

**Jenny and The CRS Team**

