

TUCK SHOP TENDERS!!
PTA AFTERNOON TEA PARTY!!

Dear Parents and Students,

As our lovely school works toward strengthening our tuckshop in all respects, over the past month a total of 24 tuckshop tenders were submitted to WIS, with the SLT narrowing the tenders to a final list of four contenders!

The second step in our tuckshop tender process took place during the past week. An Interviewing Tuckshop Team of eleven, comprised of six students from both our Primary and Secondary sections, together with Ms. Sian Griffith, Coordinator of Student Services, and our SLT, conducted four 30 minute interviews with the final four contenders.

The questions posed by each and every member of the Interview Team revolved around the following criteria which the students believed were imperatives:

1. Fresh and Healthy food
2. Affordable price, with these prices clearly visible
3. Varied menu, with prices clearly marked
4. Halal
5. Pre-ordering option

The third, pivotally important step begins next week. Each of the tuckshop contenders has been given a full day next week to provide the food on their respective menus using our own school facilities. Our intrepid Tuckshop Team students will be handing out survey forms to each and every student, parent and WIS staff member who buys food from the respective contenders, asking them to fill out the form and return it to the Tuckshop Team student after they have eaten.

I am requesting that all parents consider coming themselves next week to pick up their child(ren) in order to allow them to pop down to our tuckshop to try the food on offer each particular day, Monday through Thursday.

I am also requesting that all teachers, admin and tertiary staff do the same.

All survey forms will be collated each day by our Tuckshop Team students, and on Thursday afternoon a decision will be made by the whole Tuckshop Team as to who will provide Tuckshop food to our school community into the future.

Afternoon Tea Party!

To all our young ladies and your mothers, please plan on attending the PTA's "Afternoon Tea Party" here at WIS tomorrow from 2 – 5 pm. There will be lots of fun activities such as a bouncy castle and face painting, and I am sure that the 'question and answer' with Hon.Minister Bogolo Kenewendo will prove inspiring.

What a spectacularly entertaining evening took place last night with the Upper Primary Production: "Shaping the Future Through Peace". The singing, dancing and theatrical work

was quite simply outstanding throughout the entire night. BRAVO AND CONGRATULATIONS TO EACH AND EVERY YEAR 3 – YEAR 6 student, all of whom performed so beautifully, as well as to each and every teacher, classroom assistant, and support staff member involved in its production!!

And to each and every parent, family member and friend who cheered on our Upper Primary Students – please take a well deserved bow!

Financial Front

A continuing reminder that in order to ensure the health of our school community in every way, full payment of the Term 3 tuition fee(s) must be made to the school prior to the start of Term 3 in order to ensure your child(ren)'s entry into their respective classes.

Proof of payment of your child(ren)'s full Term 3 tuition fee enables your child(ren) to attend school on Tuesday, September 4.

No cheques, either current or post -dated, will be accepted as a form of tuition fee payment.

As we move toward there being no cash at all on our campus, please consider strongly making any payment to our school via bank transfer, by swiping at the point of sale, or by depositing at the bank.

To any and all families who intend to take up the monthly scheme of payment in Term 3 2018, the first, and subsequent, payment(s) to be made at the beginning of each month, please contact the Business Office this month to arrange to sign a form as to this effect.

The above measures will constitute standard WIS procedure going onward into the future for our school community.

Coffee Chat

When: Wednesday, September 5, 2018

4:30 – 6 p.m.

Where: School Foyer

Topic: Child Protection/ Health and Safety Committee

To you all I wish a most gentle week-end.

Warmly yours,

Mr. Matthew
Matthew Kirby
Head of School