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TRINITY PRIMARY AND PRESCHOOL, BUKOTO

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HEAD TEACHER'S REMARKS:

Glory and honour to our Almighty God for enabling us complete the term successfully. Thank you for all the endless support you have rendered us as we ensure quality education for our learners.

ADMINISTRATION MATTERS.

School fees payment:
Thank you for paying school fees on time. Please be encouraged and reminded to clear school fees **STRICTLY through Bank Of Africa**, **Post Bank** or **Stanbic**. Don't bring cash to school. Each pupil has a **PIN** which is indicated on the child's invoice. **Please note that no pupil will be allowed in school without fully paid in fees.** For those who are not able to pay fully, please contact the Head teacher and agree on the percentage to be paid during the holiday. Whoever pays any amount without following this procedure will not be allowed in school. **As for the candidates, all the school fees must be paid in full.**

Below is our school fees structure;

Section	Day	Boarding
Preschool	700,000/=	1,080,000/=
P.1 - P.7	830,000/=	1,080,000/=

DIGITAL YEAR BOOK:

The school has embraced technological advances by introducing the Digital Year Book. This is an interactive, innovative, informative platform that annually captures and preserves the events and lives of pupils while at school. It has set up a permanent high quality webpage, which archives all aspects of the school in terms of current plans, heritage, performance, culture, career videos among others. We will be ready by the end of term III and each pupil will annually pay a given fee as shall be communicated to access a CD with a 4 single pictures of them, a group photo of their class and teachers, a drone footage of the school and the school clubs. However, for the P.7 class 2018 each pupil will be charged 20,000/= (Twenty thousand shillings only) for a copy each. Please visit http://thedigitalyearbook.com/portfolio/trinity-schools-primary/ for more information.

ATTENDING TO SCHOOL MEETINGS:

I would like to encourage all parents to take school meetings vital. We usually send messages; written reminders to parents in day in addition to making phone calls but to our dismay many of you never turn up. Let us value our children's education and be available as we plan for their welfare.

PUPILS' DISCIPLINE:

I would like to urge every parent to be so much concerned about how your child spends his or her free time.

SAFETY OF PUPILS:

I would like to thank you for being cooperative on this subject. In case you have not received the child's I.D, please contact the school secretary or Front Office Desk Manager for help. However, kindly desist from sending people or coming to check on children after 5pm.

RED CROSS CAMP:

The Red Cross society will be going to Jinja from **22nd – 26th Nov** for a camp. They will spend four days. Each camper will pay **UGX 120,000** In case you are interested, please confirm at the beginning of the term for proper planning.

ACADEMIC MATTERS

1. All pupils have received enough holiday work. Kindly provide an enabling environment to do it. No child will be allowed in school unless he or she has done it.
2. The P.7 class has got special programmed homework which shall be handled as follows;
   - The first test will be taken on **24th Aug 2018** and shall be returned on **31st Aug 2018.** They will then take a second test.
   - Second test will be dropped on **-7th Sept** as they pick the 3rd Set, drop corrections for the first set and take the marked scripts for the first test.
   - The third set will be dropped on **14th Sept 2018** as they pick the marked scripts for the second set to go and do corrections.
3. Third term will start on **Sunday 16th September, 2018** as they drop corrections for the second set.
4. We managed to complete the syllabus in time and so this gave us an opportunity to excel. Encourage your child to revise on a daily basis. Make a friendly time table to enable the exercise.

QUESTIONNAIRE:

For purposes of proper customer care, we have included a questionnaire for you to help us improve. Please be sincere and genuine as you respond to the questions. You can submit it to the front office desk officer or put it in the suggestion box or answer via mail and forward your mails to **info@trinityschools.co.ug** or **jbkatungye@trinityschools.co.ug**

SCHOOL UNIFORM:

While majority have tried their best to be smart but we still have some few who are lacking in smartness. Kindly ensure that your child has a complete uniform.

VISITATION:

Kindly follow the procedure given to avoid being inconvenienced whenever you are coming to visit your child

DRESS CODE:
It is a good gesture to dress decently at all times. Let us be exemplary to our pupils for they shall follow suit.

PERSONAL REQUIREMENTS:
Please purchase presentable and durable sandals, class shoes, snickers for P.E, and soccer boots for those who play football. Ensure that you provide sufficient personal effects to avoid social imbalances. For more information, please refer to the **requirements list in the child's envelope.**

REMINDERS:

Term III 2018 Dates:
Kindly study the term dates attached.

School policies:
I would like to encourage you to always read and comprehend school policies regarding hair and visitation.

Parents Teachers' Association:
I would like to bring to your attention of this association which plays a vital role in the school. We will be having an Annual General Meeting on **Sunday 4th November 2018.** Please attend in person and contribute and experience the numerous tasks executed by this committee. We continue to commend the PTA Executive committee who always spare part of their precious time to assess and evaluate school programmes as parents. We have greatly benefited from this association. Special appreciation to **Ms. Gunilla Ouko** for presiding over the parenting talk which was held on Sat 30th June 2018.

What does PTA do in the school?
1. It pays teacher's monthly allowances
2. Rewards teachers who hit academic targets
3. Pays swimming pool charges
4. Pays transport to the swimming pool
5. Buys refreshments for meetings i.e. executive and AGM
6. Pays sitting allowances for executive meetings
7. Contributes to one nurse's salary (70%)
8. Pays the piano trainer
9. Provides annual motivational gifts to non-teaching staff members.
10. Contributes to school major functions.
11. It plays an advisory role to the school management.

PTA Future plans:
1. Constructing a swimming pool
2. To increase the fund by 20,000/= per child.

LABELING PERSONAL PROPERTY:
All pupils' in day and boarding are required to label their property. This helps a lot especially when tracing misplaced or stolen items. No child in boarding however will be allowed in school without labeled property.

PACKING OF FOOD:
By policy, **cooked food is not allowed in school.** You can only pack food for your child ONLY on VISITATION DAY which is once a term. However, the following can be packed for pupils at any time; **1. Juice, 2. Fruits, 3. Yoghurt**

SWIMMING:
Please ensure that your child packs sandals and a swimming costume on the days for swimming.

NURSE'S CORNER:
- Please insure your child with our medical service providers by adding 20,000/= on the child's school fees per term.
- Inform any of the school nurses in case your child is not well and has reported with medicine at school on **0779098463** or **0704366214.** Please note that sometimes I will instruct the school nurses to call you direct in case of an emergency. Kindly treat their calls with utmost attention.
- Provide your child with a handkerchief before coming to school every day.
- All pupils in boarding are expected to come with a treated mosquito net.

CATECHISM OR CONFIRMATION CLASSES:
Please contact **Ms. Maureen Zawedde** on **0701944365** for more information.

PUPILS' INTERVIEWS:
A few places are available in all classes for both boys and girls. Those intending to join us are encouraged to come for interviews during the holiday Monday to Friday. Offices will be open from 8:30am to 3:00pm.

SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS:
Please ensure that your child has a Good News Bible, Oxford Dictionary, handwriting book (Kinder – P.6), art book, and atlas (P.5 – P.7) among other things. For more information, refer to the requirements' list. Pupils in P.4 and above are expected to buy Bic pens because of the size of the nib which enables them to write well. We have noticed that some parents are not providing water bottles. Please do so. We don't encourage sharing of water bottles to avoid spread of diseases.

Counter books will be on sale at school as pupils report for the first two days;
- 2 quire dozen – 30,000/=
- 3 quire dozen – 36,000/=
- 4 quire dozen – 45,600/=
- 2 quire 1 book – 2500/=
- 3quire 1 book – 3000/=
- 4 quire 1 book – 3800/=

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:
1. Child's birth certificate
2. Child's immunization card
3. Previous report card
4. Interview fee – **30,000/=**
5. Admission fee – **100,000/= for boarding and 70,000/= for day scholars.**

PLEASE NOTE:
School offices will not operate on the these days as staff members will be involved in some trainings: **Sat 1st Sept, Wed 5th Sept, Fri 7th Sept and Sat 15th Sept.**

With best regards from:

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IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM III 2018:

DATE	ACTIVITY
Sun 16/09/18	Boarders report
Mon 17/09/18	Day scholars report
Fri 21/09/18	B.O.T Staff Assembly –DETERMINATION
Fri 28/09/18	P.5W Assembly-Association, New Parents' meeting Preschool – P.7
Sat 29/09/18	P.7 Study Tour to Meteorological center and NAGRIC Entebbe
Fri 05/10/18	P.3W Assembly-Hospitality
Sat 06/10/18	Parenting talk 10:00am – 12:30pm
Tue 9/10/18	Independence day - Holiday
Fri 12/10/18	P.1 W Assembly - Fearless
Sun 14/10/18	P.T.A Executive Meeting
Tue 16/10/18	Midterm examinations, P.7 PRE PLE SET I – External
Wed 17/10/18	Midterm examinations P.7 PRE PLE SET I – External
Thur 18/10/18	Mid-term examinations
Thur 18/10/18	Midterm examinations
Fri 19/10/18	P.7 PRE PLE SET II
Sat 20/10/18	Red Cross Outreach
Mon 22/10/18	PRE PLE Internal exam
Tue 23/10/18	PRE PLE Internal exam
Fri 26/10/18	Kinder Assembly- Courage
Sun 28/10/18	P.7 Benediction /Dedication (10:00-1:00pm)
Fri 2/11/18	Candidates' P.L.E briefing, P.4W Assembly-Responsibility
Sat 3/11/18	Scouts good turn
Sun 4/11/18	V.D/open day/Sc. fair & Annual General Mtg (P.T.A). Half term: Preschool – P.6
Mon 5/11/18	P.L.E; Preschool – P.6 Holiday – Half term
Tue 6/11/18	P.L.E; Preschool – P.6 Holiday – Half term
Fri 9/11/18	Preschool Assembly - Love, Science
Tue 13/11/18	End of term examinations - Internal
Wed 12/11/18	End of term examinations - Internal
Wed 12/11/18	Pre-School graduation (7:30 – 9:30am) and Christmas Party (2-5pm), E.O.T
Wed 12/11/18	E.O.T Picking of reports by parents, Red Cross camp (22nd – 26th Nov) in Jinja

PICTORIAL

STAFF ASSEMBLY

P.4E ASSEMBLY

P.4 girls recite a poem about morality

Rodney explains morality

P.4's entertain parents in a dance

SPELLING BEE

Prayers before spelling bee

Some spelling bee participants P.4 -P.6

Moderators during our spelling bee

PRESCHOOL ASSEMBLY

Beasts of Bukasa in Nsangi story

Benjamin telling a story of Nsangi and the beast

SCOUTS OUTREACH

END OF TERM 2 ASSEMBLY

P.2's entertain parents in a dance

P.2's in a play

Preschool Academic giants

P.1 Academic giants with Aggregate 4 and their parents

P.2 Academic giants with Aggregate 4 and some of their parents

P.3 Academic giants with Aggregate 4 and their parents

P.4 - P.6 Academic giants with Aggregate 4 with some of thier parents