



# Frances Vorweg School

*For cerebral palsied and learning disabled children*

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## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

*"Mistakes are proof that you are trying"*  
Unknown

## SGB MEMBERS

The School Governing Body elected office bearers at their last meeting.

Chairperson: Mrs. M. Stone  
Deputy Chairperson: Mr. M. Henning  
Treasurer: Mrs. C. Delpont  
Secretary: Mrs. T. Lindsay  
Other parent members are Mrs. M. Muggleton, Mr. T Mosia and Mrs. E. van Niekerk. We wish the SGB strength and wisdom in their role as governors of the school.

## IMPORTANT DATES

**27 February:** Formal assessments start  
**28 February:** LSEN Athletics for able bodied athletes.  
**28 February:** Closing date for applications for school fees exemption.  
**3 March:** TOC test series start  
**8 March:** Inter Schools Athletics Germiston Stadium  
**8 March:** School closed for non-athletes

## THANK YOU FOOD PARCEL PROJECT

We wish to thank all the parents and learners who contributed tinned food to our Food Parcel Project during the Valentine's day celebrations. Every donation makes a huge difference to a family in need. Please feel free to send any non-perishable tinned foods to your child's class teacher for distribution to the Food Parcel project.

## LEARNERS LEAVING THE SCHOOL PREMISES

It has come to our attention that some learners, who are dropped off before 7:00 in the morning, leave the waiting area to visit the 'tuck shop' across the road from the school and/or visit the convenience store at the Shell service station without permission from their parents.

We would like to re-iterate that the area is not safe for learners to leave the waiting area. Rifle Range Rd carries high traffic volumes and our learners, who are often impulsive, can be hurt if they cross the road.

The school provides adult supervision at the waiting area before school from 7:00 and after school hours until 14:30.

## ONE WAY TRAFFIC

Parents are requested to follow the road signs when entering the school premises to drop off learners in the morning.

Vehicles must enter the school at the main entrance and then to continue past the sport field to exit the premises at the top end of Rifle Range Rd.

The school is investigating options to improve the condition of the road to improve traffic flow.

## PARENT SUPPORT

*Parent Reality* is a public benefit organization which was started by two parents of children with special needs.

They are quite active in the south of Johannesburg and aim to provide emotional and informational support to other parents who may feel isolated and in need of practical advice.

They can be contacted on [johanni@parentreality.co.za](mailto:johanni@parentreality.co.za) or via Facebook and Instagram

**Ms. Susan Viljoen**  
Principal