



#### From the Principal's Desk

We are halfway into the second term of 2022, and our June exams will begin soon. However, it is never too late to commemorate our school's events and accomplishments. Many good things have happened since the beginning of the school year as a result of our learners focus and commitment to succeed. I would like to congratulate the Matriculants of 2021. You have exceeded our expectations and we are tremendously proud of all you.

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome all of our Grade 8 learners to their academic journey here at Sarepta. The year 2022 will prove to be an entirely new journey, one that will test, grow, and assist learners to achieve their objectives. Always put your best foot forward and engage in whatever you can. Make sure that this year is one to remember and that you don't have any regrets when you look back on it Throughout our learners academic journey, a strong relationship between the school, parents, and learners is essential, and all of them must fulfil their duties regularly and efficiently.

As we prepare to write our mid-year assessments, in June. I ask that the matriculants of 2022 work hard and raise the bar for the grades below. Work hard to be an example of what learners can achieve. This is a big year for you because it will most likely define your future. Focus on your goal and fervently move forward. Make the most of the year 2022.

There are numerous fundraising functions, sports tournaments, cultural and academic events that learners will participate in. We appeal to parents, guardians, and learners for the support and cooperation to ensure the success of these future activities, events and functions and to make sure that 2022 is the most memorable year.

I'm optimistic that this year will be the year that we put Covid behind us and celebrate life to the fullest. May this year be one in which we rediscover the importance of living life with purpose and emphasize the important things in life, such as family and relationships.

- Your Principal Mrs. Y. Basson

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## Welcome Back to school

#### Surprise Guest Soli Philander

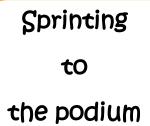
Motivating and encouraging learners to use the opportunities given to them to positively influence their lives and strive for a better future.





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- Waylon Jooste II



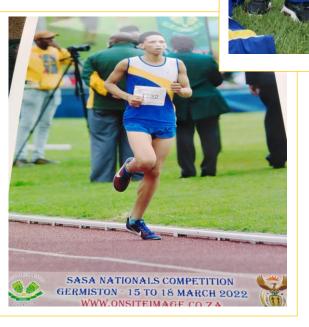
Determination, talent and hard work are what Charlton, Waylon and Jamie brought to each and every event they participated in.

Charlton Jafta , left , U/ 19 proudly showing off his gold medals in 1500 m, 800m and 400m medley. He made it to the top ten in the SASA national champion, Germiston.

Waylon Jooste, far left, U/ 17 won numerous medals for the 400m, 800 m and 1500 m. His most proudest moment was when he came 2<sup>nd</sup> in the 800m at the Nothern Zone.

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- Charlton Jafta 12







Mr & Miss

# Valentine 2022



"Ek wil 'n voorbeeld vir my klasmaats wees en vir hulle wys dat enigiets moontlik is. Goeie dinge gebeur met diegene wat goed voorbereid kom en in hulself glo. Ek kan nie wag vir volgende jaar se Mnr en Mej Valentines nie."

- Nosiphiwe Johnson 10D

"I was overwhelmed, excited and shocked when I won the title of Mr. Valentines. To take part in Mr Valentine one must be brave, have courage and believe in oneself and I believe I proved that."

- Jeremie Kamono, 12 D



Winners of Mr Senior Valentine: From Left 1<sup>st</sup> place Jeremie Kamono, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Giovannie Arendse,



**Back right,** Mr. Junior Valentine, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Lisakhanya Bele, 3<sup>rd</sup> Palce Faraz Khatieb, 1<sup>st</sup> Place Malcolm Fluks. Mr Senior Valentine, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Bongile Sindelo, 3rd Place Giovanni Arendse, Ms Jnr South Africa 2021 Micia Smit, 1<sup>st</sup> Place Jeremie Kamono

**Front Right**, Miss Junior Valentine, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Thokozani Jansen, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Makgethe Jankie and 1<sup>st</sup> Place Leisha Mapiro. Miss Senior Valentine, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Caitlin Arendse, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Be- Uce Williams, 1<sup>st</sup> Place Nosiphiwe Johnson

"I did not expect to win. It was a great surprise. I am very proud to be crowned as Miss Junior Valentine. Events like these can show people that they do not have to be afraid. You are beautiful and have the self – confidence to do everything you set your mind to."

- Leisha Mapiro 9 G







"Ek het trots gevoel dat ek aan die Valentynskompetisie deelgeneem het. Ek het soveel pret gehad. Leerders het dit regtig pret gemaak en deelnemers aangemoedig. Dit het my baie trots gemaak om 'n leerder van Sapreta Sekondêre Skool te wees."

– Malcom Fluks 9 C



**Mr and Miss Valentine Judges:** From Left Micia Smit (Miss Jnr South Africa, Moe Suttle, Wesley Lecap.



**Surprise Guests**: From Right Mr Heinz CPT and Cream Machine











Softball Oudemolen High School

**BOYS vs GIRLS** 

"Ons as 'n span het baie uit ons verliese geleer en ons het saamgekom en harder gewerk by die laaste wedstryd. Ek is baie trots op ons finale resultate. Ek kan nie wag vir die volgende wedstryd nie."

- Netbal Saun Lee Diedericks & Anthea Jansen

### Netball Bosmansdam High tournament results:

U/16

- 1. 12-0 (verloor)
- 2. 12-1 (verloor)
- 3. 3-0 (wen)

U/19

- I. II-4 (verloor)
- 2. 14-4 (verloor)
- 3. 3-2 (wen)





**APRIL 2022** 









Working hard and dedicating an endless amount of time Sarepta Secondary educators were awarded by the Metro East Education District NSC with 20% and above improvement in the 2021 NSC subject pass rate in the following subjects:

- Physical Sciences
- Mathematics
- Accounting
- Business Studies
- Economics



Sarepta is awarded a certificate for the following category: Number of distinctions per subjects in 2021 NSC examination with a minimum of 20 learners:

• Afrikaans First Additional Language – 25

Sarepta is awarded a certificate for the following category: 10% and more improvement in the 2021 NSC pass rate (Minimum 60% pass rate)



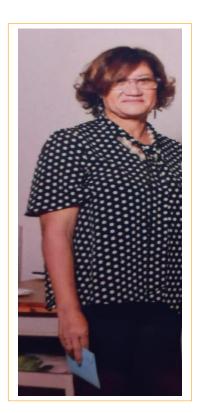
# Faculty and Staff leaving Sarepta Secondary School

#### Farewell Ms. R. Jeftha , Mr. A. Engel and Ms. J. Ruiters

Teaching is the profession that creates all other professions and we are grateful that you chose to be a teacher and that we were able to study under your guidance. You joined Sarepta Secondary many years ago and have given countless hours to the learners and school. You have worked diligently to mould our minds and guide us along the right road. When you're having a wonderful time, time flies by, and we had the finest time under your supervision. Goodbyes are difficult, but they are also special because they allow you to express how important someone is. We would like to say thank you for teaching us to realise that the possibility of our dreams can be a reality and for pushing us to think creatively. Thank you for your enthusiasm in teaching your topics. We wish you the best of luck on your new journey.







# Birthday Announcements Dear teachers we wish you a very Happy Birthday!

EDUCATOR	DATE
G. Josephs	2 January
K. Rossouw	13 Januanry
M. Morris	29 January
S. Раи	9 Februarie
A. Makinana	12 February
G. Jafta	21 February
Y. Basson	29 February
A. Heugh	2 March
R. Starr	2 March
S. Petersen	4 April
E. Mettler	18 April
C. Davis	19 April
A. Jansen	22 April
E. Carelse	27 May

# WE WELCOME NEW STAFF MEMBERS



Mr. W. Blankenberg

Subjects: Afrikaans & Mathematics

"If the plan does not work , change the plan not your"



Mr. C. Rossouw

Subjects: Afrikaans Huistaal

"Vir solank as wat jy leef, het jy altyd n kans om oor te begin"



Mr. R. D. Starr Subjects: Mathematics & Life Orientation "Be teachable. You`re not always right:"



Ms. T. Branders

**Subjects:** Social Sciences, Natural science, Mathematics & Creative arts

*"We aspire to inspire the future generation of our rainbow nation."* 



Ms. S. Pau

Subjects: Mathematics and Mathematical Literacy

"Life is a math equation. In order to gain the most, you have to know how to convert negatives *into positives*"



Ms. C. Tobo Subjects: Social science & Technology "The journey is the reward"



Ms. M. De Wet

**Subejcts:** English & Life Orientation

"Reach for the stars so you'll end up on the moon"



Mr. A.D. Malgas

Subjects: Afrikaans EAT, Social Science & Life Orientation

"There is beauty in the struggle."



Ms. E. Carelse Subjects: Physical Science, CAT

"Everyone is a genius. But if you judge a fish by its ability to climb a tree, it will live its whole life believing that it is stupid."



Ms. S. Scheepers

Subjects: Accounting, EMS and Natural Science

"Believe you can and you're halfway there."



Ms. M. Februarie Subjects: Social Science & History "All limitations are self- imposed

### Did you know?

- Sharks can grow up to 50,000 teeth in their lifetime. There are approximately 100,000 hairs on an average human head.
- There are far more airplanes under the sea than submarines up in the air!
- The distance between the fingertips of your left and your right hand when you stretch out your arms to the sides are equal to your height.
- When you're chewing, you're only moving your lower jaw.
- A healthy human thigh bone is tougher than concrete.

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Resource URL https://wcedeportal.co.za/eres ource/62811



Resource URL http://www.eduone.co.za

# Important Dates to Remember for Term 2:

	DATE	EVENTS
1	15-18 April	Easter Weekend
2	22 April	World Book Day
3	27 April	Freedom Day
4	1 May	Workers Day
5	3 May	Eid ul Fitir
6	11 May	UCT Math Competition
7	26 May	Ascension Day
8	6 June	Exams Starts
9	17 June	Exam Ends
10	24 June	School Closes (Reports Gr8 -12)
11	19 July	School Starts
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