



Dear Parents

This is not the usual quarterly newsletter which chronicles issues, events and personalities. Rather, it serves to promote three forthcoming projects.

1. The Parents' Association will host a FATHER and DAUGHTER DINNER on 21 May. Traditionally this is a well attended function which promotes basic family values in the school setting. Fathers get the opportunity, not only to meet and greet other Eunice men, but to allow their daughters a few special moments of undivided attention. It is a proud and meaningful occasion. Tickets are R 125 per person (R 250 per father and daughter). The closing date for bookings is 14 May. Don't be disappointed. See you on the 21<sup>st</sup>.

2. Cage Birds

The *Cage Birds*, a short one act play by David Campton and directed by Niel van Niekerk, features seven birds in a cage and raises issues such as freedom(of speech and otherwise ), oppression and indoctrination. The play puts forward poignant questions such as: "Aren't we ourselves to blame for the walls that exist in our heads and in our hearts" ( Marty Meinardi)

Looking at the seven birds - *Gossip, Gazer, Gloom, Thump, Twitting, Wild One and Guzzle* - is like looking at ourselves.

The play will run on Wed 13 and Thurs 14 May in the evenings. Our Grade 8 - 10 girls will see the show during school that week. We are also in planning mode for a bumper pantomime "Alladin with a Twist" in late October.

Please support The *Cage Birds*. Tickets are only R 10. Bookings opens on Wednesday, 6 May.

3. My last newsletter advertised another PA project - the individual photograph packages priced at R 35. The paragraph read

The Parents' Association is offering a package of individual school photographs for R 35 (A5, Jumbo and 2 bookmarks). If you wish to take up this offer complete the form below and enclose R 35.

I..... (name of pupil) in Grade..... would like to order the R 35 photo package (A5,Jumbo, 2 x bookmarks).

PAID: (R 35 enclosed)

The closing date for this package is Monday, 4 May.

Yours sincerely

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