



Parent Association 2011

Executive Committee

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**Monthly PA Meetings held in Preparatory School Hall
Please check PA tab on website for dates.**

All New and Existing Parents Welcome!

**Please read the Southdowns College Newsletters in 2011 for information on future
PA events.**

What is the PA?

The PA is an open association of dedicated parents and teachers from Southdowns College who have volunteered their time and unique skills to serve in the best interest of the school and its children. The objectives of the PA are to fund raise for events that will be of benefit to the College, to foster fellowship among the entire Southdowns College community, and to provide an open channel of communication between teachers and parents on matters of general concern.

Why is YOUR involvement important?

In order to ensure the successful attainment of its objectives, the PA continuously seeks the support of and welcomes new parents, who wish to actively contribute toward the building of an enlightened and empowered environment that represents the entire Southdowns College community.

How to get involved?

Join PA Committee in 2011.
Attend monthly PA meetings.
Get involved in fundraising events.





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Why the PA needs YOU?

- You can provide your unique skills and talents to enhance our school community.
- You can ensure that the association represents the entire College community.
- You can ensure that both you and your child have a strong voice.
- You can ensure that both YOU and YOUR child have a 'WOW' experience at Southdowns College.

Some of the PA's Past Successes

2010

Carnival magic at the school's first Mardi Gras
Abba Show at Barnyard Theatre
Golf Day at Irene Country Club
Ladies Champagne Breakfast at Irene Country Lodge
Bags of fun at the Sunset Braai

2009

Sundowners @ Southdowns
Diamonds and Pearls Show at Barnyard Theatre
Golf Day at Centurion Golf Estate
Enlightened Ladies Champagne Breakfast with Gretha Wiid
Nissan Cycle Challenge
Camp Out on Southdowns Fields

Some of the areas where raised funds have been well utilized:

- Comfortable benches, useful braais and metal tables for the school
- Boundary rope, pitch cover and palm scorers for the cricket field
- Tricycles, scooters, dolls and display cabinets for Pre-Preparatory School
- Jungle gym and giant chess board for the Preparatory School
- Pitch Roller to keep the grounds in perfect shape
- Contribution towards whiteboards and projectors at Preparatory School
- Blinds for classrooms with whiteboards and signage for the High School
- A second-hand bakkie and trailer to assist in maintenance of our grounds
- Funding of New Mother's Tea and Soccer Fun Day at Pre-Preparatory School
- Funding of Soccer Diski Dancers at the Preparatory School
- Annual donation to the Southdowns Educational Trust to support outreach schools

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THESE EXCITING EVENTS!

AND

WELL DONE TO ALL THE DEDICATED PA MEMBERS!

