

**RABERTO SCHOOLS, ABUJA**  
**NURSERY/PRIMARY SECTION SECOND TERM**  
**NEWSLETTER MARCH 2017**

Dear esteemed parent,

We appreciate your dear reliable, unflinching, cooperation, patronage and wonderful roles played in the course of the term. Please, take note of the following:

**1.0 VACATION AND RESUMPTION**

The school closes formally on Friday, March 31st 2017 and resumes on Monday, April 24th, 2017.

**2.0 COLLECTION OF REPORT CARDS**

Parents who have paid their ward(s) fees should collect their children's report cards from the school.

**3.0 6TH ANNUAL INTER-HOUSE SPORT COMPETITION**



I want to thank you for your support and cooperation during the last Inter-House Sport Competition held on Saturday, March 4th, 2017. The School deeply appreciates the financial and material contributions made by you as parent, patron, matron and support from organizations such as; MTN, Etisalat and Skye

bank. Thank God the occasion was a huge success.

**4.0 INVITATIONAL RELAY**

The school relay team participated in various Inter-School Invitational Relay Events hosted by different schools. At the end of the competition, our pupils performed excellently well and they were honoured with medals.

**5.0 LOOK: ALL WE DID THIS TERM**

**Co-curricular Activities**

In order to broaden the mental horizon of our pupils, we participated in the following activities during the term:

- i) Excursion to Kubwa Railway Station



- ii) Excursion to FCT Water Treatment Plant, Usman Dam
- iii) Excursion to 7up Bottling Plant, Idu
- iv) Various inter-school athletics competitions



## 6.0 ACADEMICS: SKILLS ACQUIRED

The Nursery pupils were able to make the following:

- Snowman using cotton wool, a triangle clown using different shapes, designing socks using Ankara material.
  - Spider using black cardboard and goggle eye, a mask, caterpillar, fan, decoration curtains using CD'S and objects, shopping basket and finger x-ray.



The Primary section also made the following:

- Planted beans and watched it grow, moulded cup using plastacine
- Mosaic Art-Using bottle tops to make shapes
- A chart of domestic animals and their habits
- Grade 6 Pupils prepared occasional food (fried rice) during Home Economics practical

## 7.0 IDENTIFICATION MARKS ON CHILDREN'S PROPERTIES

Misplaced or forgotten properties at school such as cardigans, food flasks, uniforms, water bottles, lunch boxes, etc were found. We sometimes find it difficult to identify owners of such items. We urge you to write the names of your child/children on such items for easy identification.

## 8.0 RABERTO FAMILY DAY

Our International Family Day Celebration is scheduled for Saturday, May 13, 2017. Letters to this effect will be sent to parents in due course. We solicit for your usual maximum co-operation in this matter.

## 9.0 PREPARING FOR NEXT TERM

### PUPILS REQUIREMENT

As you shop for "Back to School" kits, do not forget to include the following in your list:

- T-Shirts for or special day's  
Pink- Pre -  
Blue - Nursery  
Nursery Two,  
Grade 1, Green-  
Orange- Grade  
Grade 4, Purple  
White - Grade 6



colour day  
activities.  
Nursery,  
One, Red -  
Yellow-  
Grade 2 ,  
3 , Lemon-  
- Grade 5,

- Navy blue short and white T-shirt not jeans for aerobics
- White sports shoes
- Recorder for music class
- Panty hose (white) for ballet girls

## 10.0 ADMISSION

Our pupils have learnt a lot this term. Do not keep this service to yourself. Call up your friends and direct them to the school office for enquiry and admission. Interview will be conducted on appointment. The form is still Five thousand (N5, 000) naira only.



## 11.0 CONCLUSION

We gladly announce the end of second term of 2016/2017 Academic Session of the school year happily. Thanks to Almighty God for His mercies, protection, provision and security. Our heartfelt appreciations also go to you for sacrificing your time and resources in one way or the other to ensure you support your child and the School.

### HOLIDAY TIPS

Brighten the holiday by making your health and safety a priority. Take the following steps to keep you and your children safe and healthy:



1. **Wash hands often to help prevent the spread of germs.** It's flu season. Wash your hands with soap and clean running water for at least 20 seconds.
2. **Bundle up to stay dry and warm.** Wear appropriate outdoor clothing.
3. **Be smoke-free.** Avoid smoking and secondhand smoke. Smokers have greater health risks because of their tobacco use, but non-smokers also are at risk when exposed to tobacco smoke.

4. **Fasten seat belts while in the car or riding in a motor vehicle.** Always buckle your children in the car using a child safety seat, booster seat, or seat belt according to their height, weight, and age. Buckle up every time, no matter how short the trip and encourage passengers to do the same. Under age children should not be allowed to seat in front seat.



5. **Monitor children.** Keep potentially dangerous toys, food, drinks, household items and other objects out of children's reach. Protect them from drowning, burns, falls and other potential accidents.

6. **Practice fire safety.** Most residential fires occur during the dry months, so don't leave fireplaces, space heaters, food cooking on stoves or candles unattended. Have an emergency plan and practice it regularly.

7. **Prepare food safely.** Remember these simple steps: Wash hands and surfaces often, avoid cross-contamination, cook foods to proper temperatures and refrigerate foods promptly.

8. **Eat healthy, stay active.** Reduce can food and carbonated drinks. Eat fruits and vegetables which pack nutrients and help lower the risk for certain diseases. Make fruit juice and encourage your children to drink. Limit your portion sizes and foods high in fat, salt, and sugar. Drink water often for the weather is hot.



9. **Don't skip meals:** Starving may result to overeating and drinking on an empty stomach will give you a quicker buzz, which is more likely to lead to mindless munching. Eat normally during the day and be strategic at the buffet.

10. **Exercise your body:** Be active for at least 2½ hours a week and help kids be active for at least 1 hour a day.

11. **Security:** Be conscious of where your children go or stay, who comes to the house and gives gifts to your children. You are the chief security of your child.

Finally, I wish you a very happy Easter Holidays and for the children, an enjoyable time throughout the holiday period.

**Have a fun-filled holiday!**

**Joy Emelike (Mrs.),  
Head Teacher.**