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# Wake up! News

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## 'Watch us Work' Day

One Saturday morning parents were invited to school to observe what their children are doing in the classroom. Fifteen pupils came with their parents/guardians to the centre, showed them around the classroom and proudly demonstrated various exercises.

Such a morning helps parents understand what Montessori education is about: to create the conditions for children to learn and become responsible for their own work, helping them along on the road to independence.

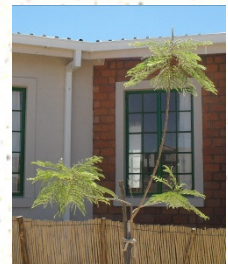


## From the Editor

Welcome to the sixth edition of our newsletter, which is long overdue.

Time caught up with us. Winter is over, the Jacarandas are flowering all over town and our new trees have now got new leaves.

We are now in the third and last school term of 2010 and heading towards the summer holidays!



## Visit to the Zoo

At the end of August we had an outing to the 'Children's Zoo', to see some of the animals we had been talking about in class. This visit held quite some surprises, as apart from goats, guinea pigs, tortoises and the like, the zoo has alpacas, emus, some roaming springbok, eland and warthogs too.



## Road Safety

The City Police in cooperation with the City of Windhoek paid us a visit to give the children a lesson on road safety. Windhoek drivers do not necessarily consider pedestrians as traffic with rights too and therefore children cannot learn early enough to be very careful when using public roads.

