



Dear Parents

We have enjoyed a happy start to our fourth quarter. It is a very short and exciting term, with the Senior Primary (Gr 4-7) writing their year end tests, beginning on the 7th of November.

The children have all been well prepared for these tests which are a good summary of each child's work for the year. Much revision has been done and will continue to be done in order to ensure best results and opportunities for every child.

Our congratulations to our 2 debators, Uthmaan Desai and Nasrin Essa who went to Kimberley during the holidays. They came second Nationally, they represented KZN and came first in the district competition. They really did us proud. We look forward to next year.

Thabiso and Nokuthula Latha enjoyed their prize, spending 4 days at Umgeni Valley even though it rained a great deal. They had won the Kingsley Holgate "Save the Rhino" Art competition. Nokuthula won the competition overall. We are very proud of their success.

Children are our future! Each and every day is a building and creation of their skill, insight and knowledge. We are very proud of the success of our present and past pupils. The following past pupils are prefects in their respective high schools. Aimee Durrheim- GHS. She is also the Vice Captain of her House, Travis Pieters -Howick, Rivaan Ramkelewan -Howick and Jason Seaward- Voortrekker.

Children need to be free and must be helped to create massive dreams. We wish you a blessed term with your children.

Marian Bruce (HOD)

Our Debating experience.

Debate and Kimberley are two perfect words, to sum up what happened this holiday, but let me tell you more than two words. Not everyone would agree that waking up early in the holidays would be fun, but to us it was always the beginning of a glorious day.

The debate took place on Tuesday with KZN excelling and grabbing second place. After the debate we had the rest of the week to enjoy and become tourists in our own country. A few of the highlights were the Big hole and an amazing race that was 5 kilometres long. We learnt a huge amount more about farming and Land care.

Kimberley was a great amount of fun and new experiences, we even made new friends! We were sad to come back but all good things have to come to an end.

This was an experience of a lifetime. I learnt a lot of things. Now we shall carry on with debating in high school.

Thank you to Miss Mkhize and Mr Serge for taking good care of us for the week and a jolly big THANK YOU to all the teachers involved in helping us.

Uthmaan Desai, Nasrin Essa and Abuzar Chowdhury



Kodak
Moments
CHEESE!



*Congratulations to Miss Withey who
became Mrs Mapstone
on the 15th of October.*

*We wish you a very happy marriage and
many years of joy!*



Up coming events for weeks 3&4.

(22 October-4 November)

22 nd October- Cricket vs Bisley.

24 th October- Swimming meeting.

25 th October- Mini Gala @ LGS.

26 th October- Cricket vs Lynford.

27 th October- Basketball vs Scotsville & Epworth.

28 th October- Free Weekend.

1st November- Basketball vs Clarendon.

2 nd November- Cricket vs Epworth.

3 rd November- Mini Gala @ Clarendon.



***and on the Sports
Fields...***

Sports results for weeks1&2(10-21 October)

15th October - Cricket vs Scottsville .

U11- Lost.

U10- Won.

U9-Won.

18th October- Basketball vs St. Nicholas

Seniors- Won 1, Lost 1, Drew 1.

Juniors- Won.

19th October- Cricket vs Northern Park

1st-Won.

U11-Won.

U10- Lost.

Basketball vs Laddsworth- Won.

20th October- Basketball vs ST. Nicholas.

Juniors- Won.

Seniors- Won.



VALUES:
Care, Commitment, Community

VISION:
Discovering Potential - Nurturing Leaders

MISSION STATEMENT:
Building a Quality foundation for life

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We can't put all the pictures in the newsletter
so please like our facebook page (Richmond
Primary School) to see more of what we have been
up to!

Please contact Rosheen Billet (072 469 2863) if
you are interested in enrolling your child for
piano lessons. Lessons are in school time, but
independent of school fees.

PIANO

Please contact Ashleigh (072 603 0233) from
Ashleigh Joubert Contemporary Dance Studio
if you are interested in enrolling your child for
dance lessons. Lessons are on a Friday after
school and independent of school fees.

DANCE

*Live life
to the fullest*

**If you have any requests or suggestions,
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