

From the Principal

The end of year has arrived at an alarming rate. We have had an extremely busy term and now our Senior Primary Prize Giving is over. No pupils are informed beforehand regarding the prizes so the 7th December 2016 was a special day for those who had been identified as being worthy of recognition for leadership qualities, academic ability and sporting prowess.

The Grade 7 pupils now leave us to start their years at various High Schools. This is a daunting but exciting time of their lives with many opportunities on offer. We have done our best to equip them with a sound foundation for High School. We shall follow their progress and hope that they emulate the good that many of our old girls and boys have done.

I wish all the pupils an exciting and restful time during the Festive Season. We look forward to welcoming those who are returning in 2017. They have an exciting year to look forward to. All the teachers and support staff also deserve a good and restful break. They have gone the extra mile to provide the best for the pupils. They get the job done properly no matter how long it takes. Many parents have supported school activities and have assisted in fund raising activities and social events. We thank them for taking an active interest and for supporting their children. We have an active Governing Body who meets regularly and makes objective decisions for the good of the school and the people associated with it.

The school is in a healthy financial position thanks to astute financial management and most of the parents paying their school fees. Mrs Lalage Fitton and Miss Kim Westbrook will be leaving as at the end of the term. They have given the school excellent service. We wish them all of the best as they take on their new work and we look forward to keeping in contact with them.

I wish you and yours all of the best during this holiday season. Try new things and have as much fun as possible. I look forward to seeing you again in 2017.

Thank you.

Q. St Leger

Sports Report

The RPS sporting year 2016 has been very busy and productive. Hockey, Rugby, Netball and Soccer have won 70 % of their fixtures, which is an excellent result. Basketball was introduced at the end of 2015, and it is with great delight that we report that virtually all games were won bar 4. A great achievement for the learners and coaches.

Our achievements for 2016:

Hockey

Likhona Maphanga -u13/ Midlands team,
Umvoti, Umgungundlovu and KZN Hockey team,
Osimele Mkhize -Umgungundlovu Hockey team
Sandiso Dlamini and Daluxolo Mbhele -
Umgungundlovu and Umvoti hockey teams

Soccer

Anele Ngcobo and Josh McKinley - KZN Soccer team.

Cricket

Uwais Dawood- Midlands Cricket squad

Our coaches attended a basketball course on the 1st of December, and early next year will be attending a Swimming and Stroke judging course.

Many thanks to all of the coaches for their time, effort, enthusiasm and endless hours that they have put into their coaching. The excellent results are the result.

To the learners who have the "Never Give Up Attitude." -
You are our stars. ★★

G.Boulter

Sports co-ordinator



Kodak Moments

Spirit of Adventure.



Mrs Boulter and a few Grade 7 Girls painted the Evelyn House windows for the Christmas season .

Evelyn House appreciated the help from Richmond Primary.



Up coming events for week 1 of 2017
School resumes on the 11 th of January 2017.



and on the Sports Fields...



Sports results for week 7

26th November- Cricket vs Clarendon

-Lost 2

- Won 2



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 are independent of school fees.

DANCE



If you have any requests or suggestions, please contact Mrs Bruce on 0332122160.