

Term 1 Week 4

From the Interim-Head's Desk:

06 February 2025

Good Day to all parents. We welcome the wonderful rain today, as well as cooler temperatures!

I would like to mention that we do have a procedure to follow, should you be unhappy with an issue concerning your child at School. Kindly follow these steps;

Make an appointment to see your child's teacher, in the classroom when no teaching is taking place;

Should you still be concerned about the issue, after having spoken to your child's teacher, then please make an appointment to see the relevant Head of Department;

If the problem has not been resolved, after meeting the HOD, then you may book an appointment to see either my-self or Mrs Brokensha, the interim Deputy Head.

Hopefully, you will be able to sort out the problem after talking to your child's teacher.

Mrs Chance and Mrs Lurie, the new owners, have been hard at work, sorting out the Tuckshop and Uniform Shop and getting ready to open these shortly. It is safe to say that you and your children will be pleasantly surprised at what you will be able to buy from the newly renovated shops!

Enjoy a restful weekend!

Derek Reynish

Week ahead:

Grade 4-7 Standardised Test: 10-15 February: Afrikaans.

Thursday 06 February - White River Primary League Relay Gala.

Friday 07 February - Grade 7 Leadership Camp.

Wednesday 12 February - Athletics Field Events @ Flamboyant.

Thursday 13 February - PA Bring 7 Braai.

Friday 14 February - Riverview turns 28!

Saturday 15 February - MJ Zwane Independent Athletics @ Penryn.





From the Sport's Desk

The Athletics season is almost at its end and we are looking forward to the MJ Zwane hosted by Penryn this year. The past week our athletes participated in the Sub-Circuit event hosted at Laerskool Malelane where they were competing for a spot in the Nkomazi Sub-District team. The U8 to U11 sprinters showed off their talents at Rob Ferreira's Sprints and Relays event that was hosted as WRP primary. The swimmers will be making waves this afternoon in the pool at White River Primary as they compete in the relay gala.

We are looking for any dads of moms who can get involved with our rugby coaching this year. Practice will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:30 - 13:30 (JP) and 13:30 - 14:30 (SP). Please contact Mrs. Dreyer if you are interested.

Congratulations to the following athletes who have made it through to the Districts event on Monday 24th February @ Laerskool Nelspruit.

Ntsika Masilela (75m hurdles)

Melinke Fourie (70m hurdles)

Andrew Granville (shot put)

Nobuciko Mabunda (200m /long jump / 75m hurdles)

Mabuthonke Mdhlovu (high jump / long jump)

Natalie Maritz (high jump)

Hugo Vieira (long jump)

Vutomi Mthethwa (shot put, high jump, long jump)

Absent: Lwandle Mnguni (high jump)



Grade 6 Investigations: Photosynthesis

The Grade 6s have been exploring photosynthesis of plants in more detail and our first investigations all centred around plants storing the glucose they produce as starch in different parts of a plant itself. Our investigations started by testing both corn starch and glucose powder for their solubility. We then proved that we could identify the presence of starch in a substance using an iodine solution (iodine has a change of colour reaction in the presence of starch, which is a great visual for our young scientists) We then moved onto identifying what different foods contain starch using the same iodine solution. Some food reactions were obvious, for example bread and rice, whereas other such as potato and apple were to a lesser degree. Then there were some foods that didn't react at all for example meat and oil.

All in all it was a worthwhile investigation and the Grade 6s were reminded about the format of scientific investigations, and drawing conclusions based on their observations.















Pre-Primary News

This week the Cubs learnt all about their teeth. The very first teeth we get as babies are called milk teeth or baby teeth. The tooth fairy visited the Cubs to tell them how to take care of their teeth. You must brush your teeth twice every day with a toothbrush and toothpaste.







The Grade 000s making the most out of their time outside. Learning all about team work and some driving skills.







The Grade 00 class have been learning all about their bodies and how to take care of it. God made us all unique. They traced their hands and measured how long their hands are by counting the blocks. "We are all different and that's beautiful" -Karen Salmansohn







The Grade 0s are getting to know the class behaviour buddies. Some have been awarded them for being good listeners, willing helpers, working well together, being respectful and gentle with their classmates. All qualities we want to encourage as they grow up.











"Knowing God leads to self-control. Self-control leads to patient endurance, and patient endurance leads to godliness."

2 Peter 1:6 NLT









What are Global Soccer Schools International

Global Soccer Schools International are the largest network of soccer schools in South Africa. The coaching is unique, innovative and the most complete development programme of any sport worldwide. Global Soccer Schools International are often copied, but never replicated, and no one has ever come close to achieving the same results. The aim of Global Soccer Schools International is long term and ambitious: to change the game of football for the better and to make it more exciting and skilful by changing the manner in which young people are trained.

The Global Soccer Schools International syllabus covers every area of football. The coaching is by no means exclusively Brazilian however there are four key areas that have their origins in Brazil: Futebol de Salas (*FoS): Emphasis on Individual skills; Increased Training Time; Physical Training.

What is Futebol de Salao (FDS)

Futebol de Salão* (FDS) is a 5 aside version of football, originating in South America, that is played with a smaller (size 2) and heavier (645g) ball that has virtually no bounce (10%).

The game became very popular in Brazil with players such as Pele, Rivelino, Zico right through to Juninho, Rivaldo and Ronaldo who were brought up first playing fds before moving on to conventional football.



Payment Structure

Registration Fee (once off): R900.00

1 session p/week: R650.00 p/month

2 sessions p/week: R890.00 p/month

3 sessions p/week: R1190.00 p/month

4-5 sessions p/week: R1500.00 p/month

2nd sibling : 5% discount on above fees

3rd sibling : 10% discount on above fees

Please note, invoices will be sent out on the

25th of the month.



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Skills Badge Challenge And 'TRIPLE P' Concept

The Skills Challenge is central to our training programme, helping players' measure progress, develop quick feet, control and confidence.

Combined with our 'Triple P Concept' of practice, patience and persistence it has value beyond football.

The First Step and Kick Start badges introduce our 'core moves' and juggling, challenging players to believe they can master the ball.

Improvement comes gradually through practice, patience and persistence, as does helief and confidence Once the First Step and Kick Start badges are completed players move o to our full programme. This includes turns, moves to beat a player, passing, balances, traps and floor to air moves. The current levels are from 1-5.



Players complete each badge at their own pace and gain confidence throug achievement, encouraging them to attempt the next badge.









GLOBAL SOCCER SCHOOLS SESSION TIMETABLE 2025

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
	15:00 - 16:00 Grassroots Age: 4-8yr		15:00 - 16:00 Grassroots Age: 4-8yr			
	15:00 - 16:00 Juniors Age: 9-12yr		15:00 - 16:00 Juniors Age: 9-12yr			
	15:00 - 16:30 Seniors Age: 13-16yr		15:00 - 16:30 Seniors Age: 13-16yr			



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