



Riverview Reporter

Champions Inspired by Values



Term 1 Week 6

From the Interim-Head's Desk:

20 February 2025

Good Day Parents and Riverview Friends

Welcome to the latest edition of the Riverview Newsletter! Amazingly, we have almost had six weeks of this term, with another six weeks to go! There's much to be done before we end the term in April.

Our Grade 4 to 7 children are busy writing standardised tests now, with Standardised Mathematics being done this week, and Natural Science coming up next week. Careful thought and concise answering will help the children to succeed in these tests.

Sterling work is happening in our TuckBox Cafe! The customers are full of praise for the excellent and friendly service that they receive when buying items from the Tuckshop! One of the Grade 7 customers has been telling me about the Lunch Box she's intending to buy; the box contains a pretzel, fruit, popcorn, a muffin, a yoghurt and toasted cheese. She tells me that they receive helpful, nice, kind and sweet help from our two Mums who run the Tuckshop.

We wish you a pleasant weekend with your children!

Derek Reynish

Week ahead:

Grade 4-7 Standardised Test: 24-28 February:

Natural Science.

Tuesday 25 February:

District Athletics @ Laerskool Nelspruit.

Wednesday 26 February:

League Relay Gala @ Penryn.

Thursday 27 February:

Preschool Photo Day.

Friday 28 February:

Prep School Photo Day & Sibling Photos.

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RIVERVIEW PRESENTS

THE GREATEST SHOW

6:00PM | APR 2 & 3 2025 | R50 per ticket
Children under 2 go for FREE

Riverview School Hall
First Come First Seated
Tickets available from the School Office

Office: 013 007 0984 | office@riverviewprep.org

From the Sport's Desk

What a splendid athletics event that was hosted by Penryn on Saturday 15 February 2025. Although dark clouds were lingering on the horizon, MJ Zwane was a tremendous success! The athletes achieved wonderful results and our staff did an excellent job in the relay.

Our athletes brought home 3 records: Nobuciko Mabunda in LJ (4,48m), Vutomi Mthethwa in HJ (1,37m) and Bonelelwe Mabuza in 60m (9.81 seconds).

A special assembly will be held on 24 February 2025 to celebrate the results of all the MJ Zwane athletes.

Upcoming events:

26 February 2025 – Penryn Relay Gala @ Penryn

05 March 2025 – Fast 5s Netball and 7s Rugby @ Penryn

13 March 2025 – Netball and Rugby against Komatipoort @ Komatipoort Akademie.

Phot credit: HH Homann.



Grade 7 Leadership Day at Riverview

Students today and Leaders tomorrow

The Grade 7 pupils had a fulfilling, challenging and thought provoking day together, under the guidance and leadership of Liz and Zet from Ants for Africa.

Their leadership skills, their ability to plan and work as a team were paramount in tackling all the various obstacles. The children were divided into groups and had to give their group a name and make up a war cry. The flags they painted for their group had to have pictures that depicted each member.

In their groups, they had to walk together on a plank, walk tied together at the ankle, unlock a lock before they could move on and learn how to throw a special knife.

The talk on leadership was related to The Jungle Book and the various characters in the book who if looked at carefully, all have their own leadership style. The children related very well to this story.

At the end of the day, each child had to make a bracelet out of coloured beads. For each feeling they were asked about, they had to take a bead of a certain colour that made them have that feeling.

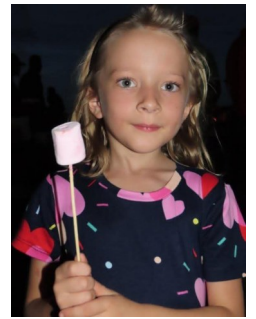
It was a day well spent and small tips and ideas were taken away to apply to their year as mentors.



PA Bring and Braai

The PA hosted a lovely Bring & Braai on Thursday for all Riverview families. Picnic blankets, sizzling fires and camping chairs created an informal but cozy atmosphere where parents and staff members could socialize.

Thank you to all the families who attended.



14 February Happy Birthday Riverview.

Board and PA members were invited for tea and cake with the staff to celebrate Riverview's 28th year of existence on the 14th February.

Each child enjoyed an ice cream and were dressed in Valentine's colors for Valentine's Day.

The Grade 7's fundraiser bake sale was a lovely addition to the day.





Pre-Primary News

This week the Cubs learnt all about night and day. Daytime is the time of day when the sun is visible in the sky, providing light and heat. Nighttime is when the sun has set, the sky becomes dark and the moon and stars are visible. Always wear sunscreen, a hat and protect your eyes with sunglasses when you are in the sun.



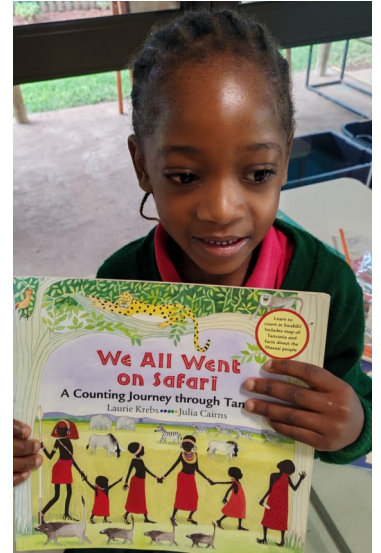
“Every child is an artist. The problem is how to remain an artist once we grow up.” – Pablo Picasso



The Grade 00 class had show and tell and each child spoke about their family tree.



The Grade 0s are loving using the "Book Nook" for a quiet moment paging through a book or two. They choose a book to take home to read with mom or dad every day.



"Commit everything you do to the Lord. Trust Him, and He will help you"

Proverbs 37:5 NLT

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LANIES got talent SHOW

SHOW EVENING
26 AT 17:30 PM } **R20 PP**
FEB Laerskool Malelane } Tickets available at the door

GALA EVENING
R150 PP (meal incl.) } **AT 18:00 PM 27**
Tickets available at finalists } Laerskool Malelane FEB

Let's Pray

IF YOU HAVE IT ON YOUR HEART TO JOIN A FEW MOMS AND PRAY FOR THE SCHOOL, PLEASE FEEL FREE TO JOIN THE "MOMS IN TOUCH" PRAYER GROUP

Fridays @ 07:30

RPS Deck

An illustration of two hands clasped in prayer, with a soft, glowing light behind them. Below the hands are several colorful flowers, including white daisies and orange and red blooms.