

DATE: 3 February 2023/Amberfield College Newsletter

Weekly activities

MONDAY:	INTERVENTION
TUESDAY:	INTERVENTION
WEDNESDAY:	INTERVENTION
THURSDAY:	INTERVENTION
FRIDAY:	Detention
SATURDAY:	First Aid Training

UNIFORM

Our Uniform shop is open
 Monday, Wednesday & Friday 07:00 – 12:00
 Tuesday & Thursday 10:00 – 15:00
 Last Saturday of the Month 09:00 – 12:00

Word from the executive principal

Dear Parents

Please see the list indicating the PRC representatives for each grade and their contact details. We look forward to a fruitful relationship with our PRC in 2023

Kind Regards
 Mr M Ponnen
 Executive Principal

Important dates and events

*Please see the D6 Connect App for the detailed calendar

14 February: Valentine's Day

BANKING DETAILS

Bank: Nedbank
Account number : 1160699062
Branch Code : 198765
Account Holder : Amberfield College
Reference : Family Code

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Email: debtors@amberfieldcollege.co.za
Tel: 012 865 0101

Remember
 TO DOWNLOAD THE
 D6 COMMUNICATOR!



We will update you on
 important school info daily!

Contact us for more information



www.amberfieldcollege.co.za 012 534 3344 info@amberfieldcollege.co.za

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Parents Representatives Council – PRC - 2023

	Representative	email
Grade 12	Lapologang Koikanyang	lapok@live.com
Grade 11	Rekha Iserbelas	rekha.iserbelas@gmail.com
Grade 9	Solly Mpolaise	sollymo8@gmail.com
Grade 8	Niren Ramcharan	nirencr@gmail.com
Grade 7	Henry Davids	henryd19@live.com
Grade 6	Carlotta Coccia	carlottacoccia@gmail.com
Grade 5	Khupi Ramarumo	khupiramarumo@gmail.com
Grade 4	Nomawethu Toyo	nomawethut@gmail.com
Grade 3	Zanele Mahlakaro	welzablue@gmail.com
Grade 2	Alfred Makgato	tlasi@yahoo.com
Grade 1	Andrea Naidoo	anr3a17@gmail.com

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Raslouw Jumping Castle's



3.7m x 3.2m Jumping castle R540 per-day	8m slip and slide R600 per-day	3m Jumping castle R500 per-day	3m x 6m Slide @ slide with palms R580 per-day
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Prices inclusive of transport, and installation customers must provide their own extension cord.

Phumzile 061 541 3097

CENTURION SWIMMING & Aqua Centre

GET READY FOR SCHOOL TEAM SWIMMING!



THATCHFIELD BRANCH

What we offer:

- Indoor heated Pool 25m
- Stroke Development and Stroke School
- 45min Pre and Jnr squad Training
- Focus on all 4 strokes & technique, dives, underwater work, speed & endurance.

We also offer Learn to Swim through to Stroke Development and Adult Swimming Courses at our Lenchen and Midstream Branches.

Scan to register or click on the link below:
<https://centurion-swim.swool.io/ss/register/>

Contact Us: 012 663 6035 www.centurionswim.co.za
centurionswim.aqua@gmail.com



EXCITING NEWS SPECIAL SCHOLAR Gym membership!

Planet Fitness has joined forces with your child's school to launch an exciting new wellness initiative. Now offering **specials on all joining fees** to help you reach your health & fitness goals.

At Planet Fitness we believe that health & fitness should be the core foundation for all children. That's why we've arranged to provide you with the know-how, skills & inspiration to encourage you & your children to lead a healthier lifestyle.

Scholars wanting to make use of their gym of choice in **off peak training times** can

Join Planet Fitness for only **R99*** p/month

OR

Scholars wanting to make use of their gym of choice in **peak training times** can

Join Planet Fitness for only **R199*** p/month

TEENS TRAIN FOR FREE ON A PARENT'S MEMBERSHIP.*

Always staying abreast of international fitness trends, Planet Fitness boasts world class facilities & equipment, including indoor running tracks & swimming pools at many of our gyms. In addition, Planet Fitness also offers a wide variety of cutting-edge studio & floor-based classes. For more info, go to www.planetfitness.co.za

HOW TO GET STARTED:

- Call your nearest Planet Fitness Club and make an appointment
- Please bring along both your ID's and your child's report card
- Make a booking for our induction programme

*T&C's Apply



You're now on your way to meeting the new you!

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Pre – Primary News:

This month is the month of Love



This week we are discussing "My Body"

The Gr RR learners made their handprints and pasted their faces on their bodies that they drew.



Kind Regards
Ms L Pretorius
Pre-Primary Principal

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Primary School News:

Greetings parents! We are already in the month of love – February! Our theme over the next few weeks is RESPECT. Please reinforce this message with your little one's at home. Teach them to respect their elders, respect their peers and most importantly, to respect themselves.

"Respect is one of the greatest expressions of love" – Miguel Angel Ruiz

Anti-Bullying Campaign

Our learners were very privileged to be addressed by Mr Danie van Loggenberg, who is the CEO of the Centurion Centre for Child Protection. Mr van Loggenberg spoke to the learners about what to do if they are being bullied. He also addressed the "bullies" on how to deal with their emotions so that they don't vent these emotions on others. What was of particular interest was the response from the learners when he asked how many of them were on TikTok, Instagram and other social media platforms. Many of the learners even admitted to being on these sites till late at night. Therefore, we are requesting that parents please monitor your child's cell phone usage for their own safety. Mr van Loggenberg and his associates are committed to keeping children safe in these dangerous times. Amberfield College has invited the National Centre for Child Protection to conduct educational talks with our learners over the course of the year.

Staff News

We are pleased to welcome Mrs Urisha Singh who will be taking over in the grade 3M class, while Mrs Jacobs is on maternity leave. Mrs Jacobs will return on 6 June 2023 and we would like to wish her all the best with her twins.

School Photos

We are pleased to announce that Candy Moments Photography will be taking school photos at the primary school next week. We received excellent feedback from parents after last year's events. Detailed communication regarding the order process has been shared on the WhatsApp groups and will be shared again next week as a reminder. Please take note of the dates:

Gr 1 -4 – Wednesday, 8 February 2023

Gr 5-7 – Thursday, 9 February 2023

Please ensure that learners are dressed in full summer uniform. If the learners have PE on the photo days, they are to carry their PE uniform with them so that they can change afterwards.

Stationery

Please note if you ordered photocopy paper from Dean's, it has been delivered to the school.

Entrance Stickers

We are issuing new entrance stickers for the cars which allows you entry through the top gate. These stickers will only be issued to grade 1-4 learners as they are the only ones allowed to enter and exit via the top gate. Each learner received two stickers from their register teacher. As from Monday, 6 February only cars with the sticker will be allowed into the car park area.

Important dates:

17 February 2023	Beauty with a purpose charity civvies
24 February 2023	Jeans and Tekkies day
27 February – 7 March	Gr 4-7 Cycle tests

Kind regards and AMO
Bronwen Derbyshire
Primary School Principal

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High School News:

We are thrilled with the Class of 2022, who received 100% pass rate of which 96% qualified to study at Tertiary Institutions.



Mekaylin Odayan who received the DUX award at the Prestige evening in 2022, has also been awarded a bursary from University of Pretoria to the value of R10 000. **Congratulations!**

Thank you to all the parents who attended the Information evenings. Please remember that we are always available for any information you might need or concerns that you have.

Unfortunately, Ms Gqili resigned suddenly to join her family in Kimberley. We wish her the best of luck. We have employed a new English educator who will start on 20 February 2023. In the meantime, the English Department will take care of the classes, so that teaching and learning continues.

All the learners have received their email addresses and must accept their invitation on Google Classroom. If your child has a problem regarding the Google Classroom, please refer them to Mr Masuku, who is our e-learning co-ordinator.

We will be having a Valentine's bash on Friday, 17 February. The learners received information about the event. This event is a fund raiser event, so please allow the learners to attend.



Parents will receive hard copies of new contracts from Amberfield College on Monday, 6 February. Please complete these and send them back with your children so that we, as the high school, can win the challenge and be the first school to complete all the forms and hand in first.

Keep on encouraging the learners to work hard and to always try their best!

Kind regards and AMO
Mrs. H. Share
High School Principal

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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

The Culture Department of Amberfield College is off to a flying start and all our activities have kicked off successfully!

Student Muslim Council:

We would like to start up a Student Muslim Council at the school this year. Primary School learners who are interested in joining can sign up with Mr Farmer and High School learners that are interested in joining can sign up with Mr Wils. If there is enough interest then the school will follow the correct channels to make sure that the Student Muslim Council is headed by one of our Muslim Teachers who will ensure that all correct protocols are followed for the Muslim learners.

Hindu Student Council:

At Amberfield College we encourage and celebrate inclusivity! Earlier this week our Hindu Student Council had their first excursion to the Marieamman Temple, Marabastad. Both learners, teachers and parents alike thoroughly enjoyed the visit.



Beauty-With-A-Purpose-Charity Programme:

Our reigning Mr & Miss Amberfield, Njabulo Simelane and Morongwa Mashishi, are continuing their 'beauty-with-a-purpose' projects. Their main focus this year is the mental health of our learners. They continued this by also focussing on our Preschool learners and did this by reading them all positive stories. Thank you for your beautiful hearts and wonderful initiatives Njabulo and Morongwa! Amo!



Kind Regards and Amo!
Mr V Farmer
Head of Culture: Primary School
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Kind Regards and Amo!
Mr Q Wils
Head of Culture: High School
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Sport News:

Sport Results – American International School of Johannesburg Rugby 7's

U/19 –

Alma Mater U/19 Won 21-0

AISJ Lost 17-22

French School Won 14-12

Athletics at Boksburg Stadium hosted by Hoërskool Hans Moore

5 of our Athletes run their Personal bests

-Softball Draw against Curro Saheti 7-7



Kind Regards
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Kind Regards
Ms R Hurn
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