

DATE: 3 March 2023/ Amberfield College Newsletter

Weekly activities

MONDAY:	INTERVENTION
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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

There was a request from the PRC to share the representative list with parents again. Please take note of the parent representing the various grades, from the list on the next page.

Kind Regards
 Mr M Ponnen
 Executive Principal

Important dates and events

*Please see the D6 Connect App for the detailed calendar

BANKING DETAILS

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

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 important school info daily!

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Parents Representatives Council – PRC - 2023

	Representative	email
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Grade 5	Khupi Ramarumo	khupiramarumo@gmail.com
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R600 per-day

3m Jumping castle
R500 per-day

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- Make a booking for our induction programme

*T&C's Apply

Mandy:082-217-2077

Theresa: 082-452-4792



smp@icon.co.za

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

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Pre – Primary news

Dear Parents / Guardians

Our little ones are very busy with their assessments and it is going well.

Holiday Aftercare:

Please note that the holiday aftercare is starting on Monday 20 March until Thursday 6 April. There will be no holiday care on the following days Tuesday 21 March, Friday 7 April and Monday 10 April.

The children can bring snacks as normal and they can wear normal clothes during the holiday.



This week we are discussing the theme sport and movement and our learners had the opportunity to dress up in their favorite sport clothes.



Please note that the learners can wear their jeans on the last Friday of the month. This month it will be on Friday 17 March 2023

Special days for Term 1

10 March – Water fun day (Please send extra clothes and please make sure your child has a towel and that everything is marked.)

Kind Regards
Ms L Pretorius
Pre-Primary Principal

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Primary School

As we approach the end of this term we would like to thank all our teachers, learners and parents for their positive attitude and support throughout this busy term.

Science expo workshop and training

It is with great pride that we congratulate our learners who attended the first round of the Science Expo training at the Botanical Gardens on Monday 20 February 2023. We wish them well for the second round which will take place on Thursday 9 March 2023 at Star College.



International Mathematics day

On Tuesday, 14 March 2023, the Foundation Phase learners and teachers will be celebrating International Mathematics day. The learners are allowed to dress up as anything "Math" at no cost as long as our learners show creativity in their outfits. A prize will be awarded to the best dressed learner in each grade. We cannot wait to see their lovely outfits.

Maths Olympiads

The grade 4-7 learners will participate in the Maths Olympiads at different levels. Round one will be school based level. All learners will be writing from Monday to Wednesday 6 – 8 March 2023. Note that learners do not have to study for these tests. All the best to all the learners.

Art activities:

The Grade 3 learners made beautiful masks for their creative arts assessment this week. We are so proud of the creativity that the learners portrayed during their Life Skills creative art lessons.



Our Gr 7 Learners created their own scraper boards and designed tags which they placed on their scraper boards exposing the radiating rainbows the learners created...and the results were absolutely creative!



Kind regards and AMO
Bronwen Derbyshire
Primary School Principal

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High school news:

We are in the middle of our test cycle and everyone is very busy now. If it is not studying, it's marking, if not learning then teaching and on top of it all, we are still doing sport and cultural activities. What a vibrant and busy school.

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that Ms Suhana Amod, was employed in the high school as the new English educator for grade 8 and 9. Welcome Ms Amod!

We will also be employing another Mathematics teacher as from term 2, which is very exciting.

We hosted a very successful teacher's awards ceremony on Friday, 24 February, honouring our teachers as people and to say "THANK YOU".



I would like to take this opportunity to encourage parents and guardians to take an interest in your child's social media presence. The information shared on social media, are often not suitable for children. It is very important that we know what is going on in our children's lives. We have decided, together with the PRC, to do workshops with our parents on different topics, to assist us all on how to deal with these difficult concepts. More information to follow.

Important dates:

Saturday, 4 March

First Aid training for learners from 8:00 – 12:00 (Grade 10 and 11 who registered)

Tuesday, 7 March

NO tests. Inter-High athletics. It will be a normal school day for the learners not participating.

Friday, 17 March

End of term 1.

Tuesday, 11 April

Start of term 2.

Friday, 14 April

Term 1 reports handed out.

**GOOD LUCK TO OUR
ATHLETICS TEAM.**

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



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Culture News:



Dear Parents/ Guardians,

Kindly note that all cultural activities for Term 1 will end on 15 March 2023 and will start again 11 April 2023.

The Culture Department of Amberfield College has been extremely busy the past few weeks as we are getting ready for our first two festivals that will be taking place later this term.

Festival Entries are now closed:

Please note entries for the first three festivals closed on 28 February 2023 and that no late entries will be accepted. Also note that no refunds will be given if learners are unable to form part of the festivals anymore. The first three festivals that will place are as follows:

- Primary School Public Speaking Festival: 9 March 2023 (from 15:00)
- High School Public Speaking & Debate Festival: 10 March 2023 (from 15:00)
- Primary and High School Art & Photography Festival: 16 March 2023 (from 15:00)
- Primary School Music Festival: 20 April 2023 (from 15:00)
- High School Music Festival: 21 April 2023 (from 15:00)

Please note that entries for all the other festival such as the Dance, Drama and Religious Festival will open in term 2.

Hindu Student Council:

A big congratulations goes out to our Hindu Student Council who had a brilliant performance this past weekend at the High Commission of India that they were invited to! The audience was absolutely enthralled with their performance! Well done - keep on keeping on!



Beauty-With-A-Purpose Charity Drive:

Our reigning Mr & Miss Amberfield delegates, through their 'Beauty-With-A-Purpose Charity Campaign', supported the SPCA as well as 15 other animal organizations by donating various goods to them! A big thank you to all our learners, parents and staff for helping us to serve our community.

Student Muslim Council:

We would like to start up a Student Muslim Council at the school this year. Primary School learners that are interested in joining can sign up with Mr Farmer in his office and High School learners that are interested in joining can sign up with Mr Wils in his office. 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.



Kind Regards and Amo!

Mr V Farmer

Head of Culture: Primary School

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Mr Q Wils

Head of Culture: High School

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Sport News:

Results of the last 2 weeks:

- The Senior High School Softball team won their semi-final game against Pecanwood College.



The U/13 Cricket boys beat Waterkloof House Preparatory B by 10 Wickets with Caleb Maredi and Riley Rampersad setting an 84 run partnership.



A peek of what is ahead

- Inter High Athletics on Tuesday 7 March at The Glen High School.
- U/15, U/17 & U/19 soccer league start on Thursday 9 March against Cultura High School.
- U/09/10/11/13 Cricket Teams are playing against Glenstantia
- U/11 – 13 Tennis vs. The Kings Linbrow

We want to wish all our teams the best of luck for their games.

Kind Regards
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Kind Regards
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