

NORTHCLIFF PRIMARY WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

82 YEARS OF EDUCATION - TO STRIVE

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THANK YOU



- To all the parents who have paid their school fees up to date
- To all families who supported our fundraiser at Panarottis
- To all the FP children who took part in the Eisteddfod
- To all family members who supported the FP Eisteddfod
- To all children who took part in the Soap Box Derby today
- To all PA members who assisted at the Soap Box Derby today



STAFF NEWS

Mrs A Crous will be retiring at the end of the term. We thank her for her contribution and wish her well.

Ms A Meeding will be leaving at the end of term, to take up a position in the commercial world. We thank her for her contribution and wish her well in her new job.

CONGRATULATIONS LEADERS



Lisa Anyachebelu	Leah Ferreira
Sibahle Mlinganiso	Lerato Ndizinisa
Phoebe Nyarko	Tshoanelo Lebeya
Nathan Mahlangu	Oreatile Mosipha
Khanya Nkomo	Tumelo Ramokolo
Bhavish Saini	

PARENTS' EVENINGS

WEDNESDAY 12 JUNE

Parents will receive an invite to this parents evening with a specific time slot.

THURSDAY 13 JUNE

Parents are invited to collect their child's report from their child's class Educator between 5:00 and 7:00pm and have a quick word with the Educators.

Please visit the hall and purchase a book or two for your children to read in the school holiday.

PLEASE

- Ensure your child arrives at school before 7:30am. Too many late children on a daily basis.
- Ensure your child is not left standing on our pavement after school or after their extra mural activity for more than 15mins. It is not safe!
- Ensure your child attends school every day — too many absent children on a daily basis

SCHOOL FEES



We are a fee paying school and we rely on your fees to ensure that our learners receive the best education possible. Please ensure all school fees for January, February, March, April and May have been paid.

Ms Nimita Reddy is following up on school fees and is calling from contact no. 031 816 6892

A large number of families are already in arrears, please make paying your fees a priority and contact Mrs Ngwenya to set up a payment plan.



TEACHING AND LEARNING

We still have 1 WEEK of teaching and learning this term. Please ensure your child is at school on a daily basis.

The educators will be going through the Controlled Tests, completing aspects of Term 2s curriculum and starting Term 3s curriculum. HOLIDAYS START ON THE 14 JUNE.

In the past we have had far too many children that do not attend school after the June Controlled Tests.

EXTRA MURAL PROGRAMME



Athletics training will continue on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 2 to 3pm for all athletes and cross country runners, Grade 1 to 7. Children are to bring their PE kits and change after school.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

All children are to be in FULL WINTER UNIFORM. We still have children wearing summer uniform, missing ties, wearing vests under short sleeved shirts etc. We are very proud of our school uniform. Please ensure your child is correctly dressed each day.



GRADE 4 SCIENCE SHOW

The Grade 4s will enjoy a mini Science Lab Show on Monday 10 June, in our school hall.



GRADE 5 TRIP TO THE ZOO

The Grade 5s will be going to the Zoo on Tuesday 11 June, during school hours. It is a privilege and not a right and children with more than 20 demerits will spend the day at school. Please return all indemnity and consent forms.



INTER—HOUSE CROSS COUNTRY

This annual event will take place on Friday 14 June. All Fathers and men who play a role in the lives of our children are encouraged to come and run/walk with their children as a lead up to Father's Day on Sunday 16 June.

SCHOOL CLOSURES AT 12 NOON ON FRIDAY 14 JUNE

Please ensure your child is collected timeously.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Monday 3 June to Thursday 13 June
Athletics and cross country training

Wednesday 12 and Thursday 13 June
Book sale in our school hall

Wednesday 12 June
Special parents
Evening at 5:00pm.
By invitation only

Thursday 13 June
General parents
evening at 5:00pm.

Friday 14 June
Inter-House Cross Country. All Dad's or men who play a role in our children's lives are invited to run with their child.

School closes at 12 noon

TERM 3
Tuesday 9 July
School opens for Term 3
Extra mural programme starts

Thursday 11 July
PA meeting at 5:30pm, in the staffroom.

Wednesday 17 July
Round 2 of the Inter-House Maths Quiz

Thursday 18 July
Nelson Mandela Day — R10 to wear Funky Socks

Saturday 20 July
PA Colour Run Fund-raiser

PARENT PORTAL

A weekly Newsletter Insert with tips and guidelines for the Parents of NORTHCLIFF PRIMARY SCHOOL

TEEN TRUST

As Parents we have an innate need for assurance that we can **TRUST** our children. We must be able to trust their choices, behaviour, actions and sense of responsibility!

Can we hold them accountable for adhering to the 'rules' and expectations of home, school and a value system we subscribe to?



BUT

Have we done enough to **earn that trust**?

Have we given enough reason for **them to trust us**?

It is always difficult not to derail or abandon conversation that is contentious, angry, divisive, defensive or necessary, particularly when engaging with Tweens and Teenagers.

These phrases build trust:

- *If it matters to you, it is important to me...*
- *Let's figure this out together...*
- *I want to ask you before I jump to conclusions...*
- *I always want you to be comfortable to ask...*
- *Let's find a way that works for both of us...*
- *I had no idea – Thank you for sharing it with me...*
- *I promise I will listen as soon as I have completed this task...*
- *I need a short time out, so that I can bring my best self to this conversation...*

Be sure to communicate with your child from a very young age!

CLASSIFIEDS

MASTER MATHS

Make Reading Fun! 4 – 7

Improve your child's listening, reading, spelling and comprehension skills.

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NORTHCLIFF PRIMARY SCHOOL
Sports and Cultural Weekly
Roundup
3rd-7th June 2024



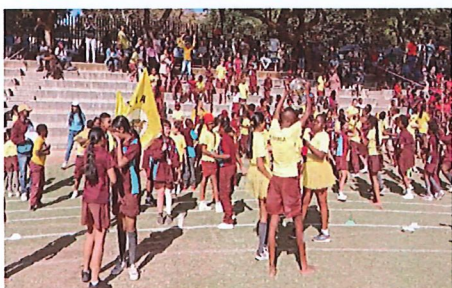
We Strive for Better Things.



Well done to all the
Rugby boys who
played in the Semi-
Finals yesterday!



Well done to KUDU
for winning the
SPIRIT Trophy and
NYLALA for being
the overall
WINNER!!!



Well done to everyone who participated!



KUDU	128
NYALA	169
ORIBI	148
SABLE	130

**Interhouse Cross Country on the
14th June.**

**Next week 2-3pm (Mon-Thurs)
Athletics & Cross-Country training for Gr
1-7.**



Kit to be worn:

Everyone to
wear their PE
Kit to Athletics training.
House
T-shirts to be
worn for
Cross-Country.





NORTHCLIFF PRIMARY SCHOOL FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION



Join us for a fun-filled School Cross Country Run, where you can run alongside your children and create lasting memories together. This event is a wonderful opportunity to promote fitness, enjoy the great outdoors, and strengthen the bond between fathers and their children.

Venue: Northcliff Primary School

Date: 14 June 2023

Schedule:

Time	Grade	Distance
08:20 – 08:45	Grade 3	1 km
08:45 – 09:05	Grade 2	1 km
09:05 – 09:25	Grade 1	1 km
09:25 – 09:45	Grade R	1 km
09:45 – 10:05	Grade 4	2 km
10:05 – 10:30	Grade 5	2 km
10:30 – 11:05	Grade 6	3 km
11:05 – 11:40	Grade 7	3 km

Please ensure your child wears school PE gear with suitable takkies and brings a water bottle to stay hydrated. We encourage you to do the same. Kindly use our Acacia gate entrance.

We look forward to seeing you there and celebrating Fathers' Day in a healthy, active, and fun way. If you have more than one child, you are welcome to run with each of them during their respective time slots.

Reply slip

I, _____ will participate in the Fathers' Day event to run with
(child's name and surname) _____ in Grade/s: _____

Signed: _____

Date: _____



HOLIDAY CARE

JOIN US FOR AN UNFORGETTABLE,
FUN FILLED EXCITING SAFARI IN
THE JUNGLE

Dates: TUESDAY 18 June - FRIDAY 28 June
(9 Days)

REGISTRATION CLOSES on FRIDAY 14 JUNE 2024

- Be sure to book your spot!!!

Venue: Northcliff Primary School

Times: 07:30 - 13:30 or 07:30-15:30

Prices: Enquire using our WhatsApp number or via
email. Special rates apply to our existing clients.

PLEASE pack a lunch, a water bottle as well as a
hat as we will be doing some very exciting
outdoor activities throughout the day.



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