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A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents, Guardians and Students,

As we approach the final stretch of the academic year, our focus is not only on preparing for the upcoming examinations, but also on laying the foundations for a successful year ahead. Preparation is about more than revising content; it is about developing discipline, building confidence, establishing good habits and approaching challenges with a positive mindset. The effort students put in today helps set the tone for the opportunities and responsibilities that lie ahead.

Just as our students prepare for their examinations, we are also preparing for an exciting 2027. We are delighted to congratulate our newly nominated Prefects for 2027! We look forward to seeing them embrace their leadership roles, lead by example and contribute positively to our college community. Being entrusted with leadership is both a privilege and a responsibility, requiring commitment, integrity and a willingness to serve others.

As we close one chapter and prepare for the next, let's remember that success doesn't happen by chance. It is built through consistent effort, thoughtful preparation and the courage to keep striving for excellence. When the days get tough, remember that!



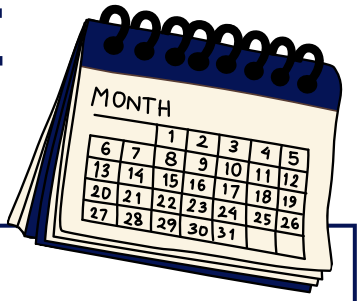
Mrs J Harvey
SENIOR COLLEGE PRINCIPAL

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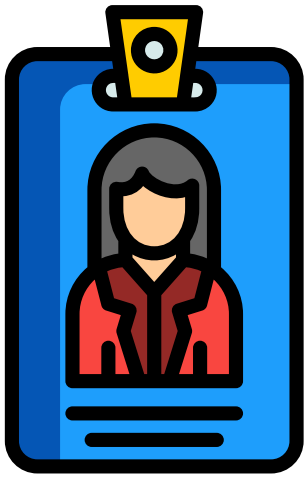
DATES TO DIARISE TERM 3



Fri, 16 October	PA Golf Day
Tues, 20 October	Matric Final Exams begin
Thurs, 22 October	Breast Cancer Awareness Civvies (R10) Midterm begins at 12:15
Tues, 27 October	Students return for Day 5 at 07:40
Wed, 28 October	Sports and Culture Awards
Mon, 2 November	Grade 8 - 11 Exams Begin
Fri, 27 November	'Pens Down' College Social

PARENT ACCESS CARDS – 2027

It's that time of year again! As we prepare for the issuing of our Parent Cards for 2027, we kindly ask all parents to send Ms Reed a clear, recent head-and-shoulders photograph of themselves.



Please ensure your email includes:

- Your full name
- Your child/children's full name(s)
- Your child/children's current class(es)

Please email your photograph and details to Ms Reed at ***reedk@woodlandscollege.co.za.***

Thank you for your assistance in helping us prepare the Parent Cards for the year ahead!

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2027 PREFECT NOMINEES


Gabriella Bekele


Claire Henry


Refentse Mashile


Isabella Pillay


Unako-Ka Siralarala


Arianna Cheddy


Nicholas Holder


Katlego Molefe


Victoria Robinet


James Stokes


Courtney Cook


Cade Horn


Nesia Moodlei


Savannah Scheepers


Chloe Stone


Gianluca del Grosso


Humayra Ismail


Lesedi Mpebe


Nyakallo Seritsane


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Robyn Tearnan


Josias Estherhuizen

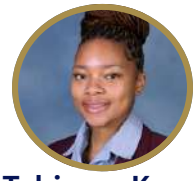

Calvin Klein


Bohale Napo


Gia Shunmagum


Hannah Thomson


Gabriella Ganas


Tshiamo Kope


Katia Ornelas


Nicholas Sinclair


Hayden Viljoen


Olwethu Gumede


Robin Martins


Inako-Ka Siralarala


Sinesipho Xala

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WOODLANDS FOOTBALLERS SHINE IN CEPSSL LEAGUE

Well done to our 1st and 2nd Team Football boys, who both secured their places in the CEPSSL Football League quarter-finals on Monday!

The action continued on Wednesday in the semi-finals, where our 2nd Team delivered a fantastic performance to secure their place in the finals! Unfortunately, our 1st Team's journey came to an end at the semi-final stage, but we are incredibly proud of their efforts and determination throughout the competition.

Congratulations to both teams on their achievements! We wish our 2nd Team the very best of luck in the final tomorrow!





A SLAM-DUNK VICTORY FOR WOODLANDS!

On Wednesday, 8 October, the Woodlands College First Team faced St Dunstan's in an exciting match, securing an impressive 23–16 victory!

The boys displayed outstanding teamwork, determination and fighting spirit throughout the game, making it a performance to be proud of.

Congratulations to the team on a fantastic result! A heartfelt thank you to our coaches for their guidance and to the parents and students who came out to show their support.





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STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

HOCKEY HIGHLIGHTS: NICHOLAS HOLDER



Congratulations to Nicholas Holder on his selection for the U/21 Gauteng Easterns Hockey Team! Nicholas will be taking to the field for his first tournament this weekend, marking an exciting milestone in his hockey journey.

Earlier this year, Nicholas was also selected for the Gauteng East Jaguars U/18 Action Hockey Team, making this another fantastic achievement to celebrate.

We are incredibly proud of Nicholas and his dedication to the sport. We wish him and his team the very best for the tournament. Go out there, give it your all, and make every moment count!

SANESA SUCCESS: FULL COLOURS AND TOP HONOURS!



We are incredibly proud to announce that Evan Paizes and Aneke Nel were awarded their SANESA Full Colours this evening, while also being named Victor and Victrix Ludorum, respectively!

Congratulations to both riders on these outstanding achievements! Your hard work, dedication and passion for equestrian sport have truly made Woodlands proud!



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THE URBAN RUINS

THE URBAN RUINS PROJECT CENTRE

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH WOODLANDS & ROTARY BENONI VAN RYN

COMMUNITY FUN RUN & FAMILY DAY!

MOVE FOR A CAUSE, MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

★ RUN. WALK. HAVE FUN. CHANGE LIVES! ★

RAISING FUNDS FOR:
PLAYGROUND UPGRADE FOR THE URBAN RUINS
AND TO HELP THE SALVATION ARMY CRÈCHE

SATURDAY
24 OCTOBER 2026

53 DR VOSLOO ROAD,
BARTLETT, BOKSBURG



- 5KM ALL AGES
- 2,5KM ALL AGES
- KIDDIES DASH UNDER 13 YEARS

FIRST 200 PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE A FREE GOODY BAG!

EVENT SCHEDULE

08:30	5KM FUN RUN / WALK ALL AGES
09:30	2,5KM FUN RUN / WALK ALL AGES
10:00	KIDDIES DASH UNDER 13 YEARS
11:30	2,5KM & 5KM FUN WALK ALL AGES
13:30	PRIZE GIVING & CLOSING CEREMONY

EVENT TIME: 08:00 – 14:00

ENTRY FEES

ADULTS	CHILDREN UNDER 13	FAMILY PRICE (4 MEMBERS)
R120	R60	R300

ENJOY A DAY FULL OF FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

- KIDS ACTIVITIES & ENTERTAINMENT
- FOOD STALLS & MARKET
- HEALTH & WELLNESS ACTIVITIES
- COMMUNITY FUN FOR ALL AGES!

YOUR PARTICIPATION HELPS SUPPORT:

- PLAYGROUND UPGRADE FOR THE URBAN RUINS
- THE SALVATION ARMY CRÈCHE

LET'S RUN, WALK & UNITE FOR A STRONGER COMMUNITY!

REGISTER NOW!

FOR MORE INFO & REGISTRATIONS
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