



Northwood News

TOMORROW'S ACHIEVERS TODAY

Thursday 21 September 2017 – Volume 32

Quote of the Week

"If you want to know what a man's like, take a look at how he treats his inferiors, not his equals."
~ J.K.Rowlings, *Harry Potter and the goblet of fire*.

From the Headmaster

MR P L McAVOY

The end of term and end of year exams both creep ever closer. Our November exam session for Grade 8-11 starts on Friday 3 November (watch out for the timetable, published soon). This may seem like a long way off, but if you are, for example, a Grade 11 boy...

The work experience programme takes place next week, so only Tuesday is a school day for you...Next term we return on Monday 9 October, take away time for Speech Day on Friday 13, then remember that Paper 3 English and Afrikaans/IsiZulu exams take away more time...then you might have a Visual Art or IT practical...and the universities will judge you on your November report!!!



All in all, for Grade 8-11 boys there are around about TWENTY school days left until exams start.

Between now and Friday 29 September, boys will be taught. Please ensure regular attendance at this critical time.

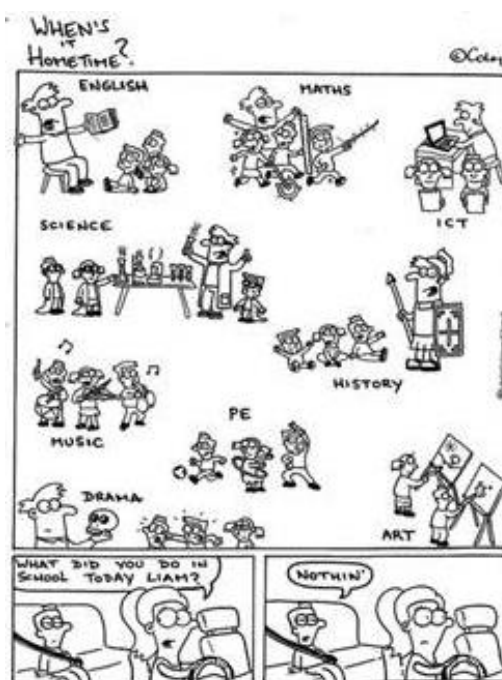
A reminder that school will close at 10:30 on Friday next week. Grade 8-10 reports will be issued to boys at that time, and Grade 11 reports will be available for collection at the Front Office from 10:30-12:00.

We bid farewell this week to Miss Hartwig, who has been with us for nearly three years. She leaves to take up an incredible opportunity to further her studies at Oxford University in England, and we wish her well. Miss Hartwig taught in the Geography, Commerce and English departments with passion and energy, and her colleagues and classes will miss her, of that I am certain.

This week we have launched an anonymous incident reporting app through "The Guardian". We are one of the first schools in the country to roll this out fully, and request you support and feedback as it progresses.

The app is a free download, and boys are being asked to this during grade assemblies being held over the coming days. The purpose of the app – which can also be downloaded by parents – is to allow us to become better informed about incidents which might otherwise go unreported. The school receives anonymous reports via the app, and the recipients on the staff (designated and trained personnel, always more than one person will receive the same report) will be able to provide feedback without knowing the identity of the reporter. Please see the link below for more information. This is a progressive move, and it can only help in guiding us regarding the wellbeing of our boys.

<http://www.theguardian.co.za/schools/anonymous-reporting-app/>





Happy Heritage Day! Sunday 24 September

From the Counsellor's Desk

MR M RICH ext 304

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There are Teacher Bursaries available from KZN Department of Education.
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Scholarship Renewal Application: 2018

Attention parents: Renewal application forms for scholarship 2018 (for current grade 8 to 11) are available for collection from main reception.


Closing date: Friday 29 September 2017.


Important Notice for Grade 12s - 2016

Please note that the National Senior Certificates for 2016 have arrived and are now available at the school reception.


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Ashleigh White Physiotherapy

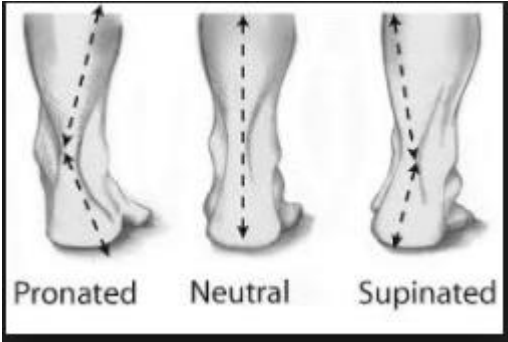
Northwood Sports Medical Centre, Northwood School, Lower Campus, 43-47 Mackeurtan Ave, Durban North, 4016
Tel : 031 564 7675

Best foot forward

At this stage of our children's lives they just don't seem to stop growing, feet included! It is not uncommon in these growth spurts for one's foot position and biomechanics can change.

These changes can lead to hip and knee pain if left undetected. Below is a picture of the pronated and supinated foot positions. The most common one is the pronated foot that looks like the arch has fallen inwards.

Ashleigh White
Physiotherapist
Northwood Sports Medicine Centre



Pronated Neutral Supinated

Northwood Medical Centre

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Toastmasters

On Wednesday, 20th September the Grade 11 Toastmasters hosted their annual dinner and graduation in AV1. Well done to all the participants who so conscientiously completed the course and excelled in all level of public speaking. The contestants were judged in three categories and the winners in each category are as follows:

Best Prepared Speech: Luke Bricknell

Best Evaluator: Keshav Pillay

Best Impromptu: Lindo Goge

All three winners qualify for the semi-finals to be held on 4 November at 8am in AV1.

Congratulations and well done.

Ms V. Domun (MIC)

Junior Achievement (JA)

We are fortunate to have a programme running at our school with Danville and Northlands.

Election speeches have been held and many of the management positions have taken by Northwood.

UNIT 1 are making <i>succulents in jars</i>	MANAGEMENT POSITION
Nikhil Sewdass	Finance
Miguel Dos Reis	Human Resources
Tyron Curtis	Stock Controller
Ngcebo Langa	Production
Lungelo Zungu	Administration
Hrisham Singh	Safety and Hygeine Assistant
Jaden Naidoo	Safety and Hygeine

UNIT 2 are making <i>sweets in jars</i>	MANAGEMENT POSITION
Immanuel Moyo	Assistant General Manager
Soheel Nundraj	Sales
Hrithik Singh	Safety Officer
James McIlraith	Stock Controller

Do support the JA's once production starts and buy their products!

Environmental Club

A dedicated group of Grade 11 learners from Northwood High School's Environmental Club, under the leadership of Dr Pillay took to the shores of Umhlanga Beach. These enthusiastic environmentalists were engaged in removing litter in the early hours of Saturday morning (16 September), which coincided with the "International Coastal Clean Up". Within an hour and over a distance of 20 metres, four bags of litter were collected, ranging from mussels being strangled by fishing gut to numerous cigarette stumps, ice cream sticks, socks and polystyrene cups, amongst others. The debris evidences human activities and more significantly the detrimental effect that it has on aquatic life and food security. With the cheering received from the morning joggers and photographers on the beach, we are hopeful that Northwood School made a meaningful contribution to raising awareness amongst the beachgoers and fishermen about keeping our environment clean.



Important Dates

TERM 3
SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Day	Dates		Time		Event	Venue
SEPTEMBER						
Sat	23				Cricket, Basketball & Waterpolo vs Glenwood	Northwood
Thurs	28				Sportsmen’s Banquet	School Hall
Thurs	28	to	01	Oct	Hilton u14 Waterpolo Tournament	Hilton
Fri	29				School closes	
Fri	29	to	02	Oct	SACS Waterpolo 1 st Team Tournament	SACS Cape Town
Fri	29	to	03	Oct	Grey College 1st Team Soccer Tournament	Bloemfontein
Fri	29	to	03	Oct	Shaun Pollock u14 Cricket Festival	Northwood
OCTOBER						
Mon	09				School Re Opens	
Tues	10				Prefects’ Dinner	Jubilee Room
Fri	13				Speech Day	School Hall
Sat	14				Athletics League C	Kings Park
Wed	18				Matric Final AP Maths Exam	School Hall
Thurs	19				Diwali	
Thurs	19	to	22	Oct	U15 Crawford Lone Hill Waterpolo Tournament	Johannesburg
Thurs	19	to	22	Oct	St Stithians 1 st Team Waterpolo Stayers Tournament	Johannesburg
Sat	21				Cricket, Basketball & Waterpolo vs Westville	Various
Tues	24				Circle of Valour Awards	MECC
Thurs	26	to	28	Oct	U14A Waterpolo Tour to Grey College	Bloemfontein
Sat	28				Cricket, Basketball & Waterpolo vs Kearsney	Various
Wed	29				Quiz Evening – School Fundraiser	Northwood
Fri	27				BE Christmas Dinner	Bruyns House
NOVEMBER						
Fri	03				School Exams Start (TBC)	
Sat	04				Cricket vs Sunfoil	Northwood
Fri	10				Remembrance Day	
Sat	11				Athletics – League D	Kings Park
Fri	24				Exams End	
Mon	27			11h30	Matric Bell Ringing	
Wed	29				Various Leadership Camps	TBC
DECEMBER						
	06				School Closes for Learners	
	08				School Closes for Staff	



Circle of Valour

Dinner: Tuesday 24 October

At Mt Edgecombe Country Club

For further information please contact Theresa Kennedy 031 563 6501 ext 302 or email

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Academics

From the Head of Academics

MRS R STANLEY

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"Nothing in life is to be feared; it is only to be understood. Now is the time to understand more so that we may fear less." ~ **Marie Curie**

EXTRA LESSONS FOR MATRICS

SEPTEMBER		
FRIDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY
22 Physical Science Mr Bodalia Period 6 12h50	25 Heritage Day	26 Afrikaans/IsiZulu Mr Jankeeparsad Period 4 11h55 Mr Harishun Period 6 13h25

Extra Lesson Timetable

GRADE 8	
MON	Sport
TUES	Maths – Ms Mountjoy/Mr Blake Physics – Mr Peerbhay English – Mr Hale
WED	Sport
THURS	Afrikaans – Mr Nielsen IsiZulu – Mr Gasa/Ms Nkwanyana Maths – Mrs le Roux / Mr Blake

GRADE 9	
MON	Sport
TUES	Maths – Mrs Munnik Physics – Mr Peerbhay Afrikaans – Ms Coetzee IsiZulu – Ms Nkwanyana
WED	Sport
THURS	Maths – Mrs Munnik English – Mr Halse

Life Science – Mrs Morton – Monday to Thursday in Homework Centre
EMS – See Ms Raftopoulos to arrange

GRADE 10	
MON	Maths – Mrs Scott Afrikaans – Mrs v/d Westhuizen IsiZulu – Ms Nkwanyana
TUES	Sport
WED	English – Mr McDowall Life Sciences – Mr Robertson Afrikaans – Mrs v/d Westhuizen
THURS	Sport

GRADE 11	
MON	Afrikaans – Mr Jankeeparsad isiZulu – Mr Gasa / Ms Nkwanyana
TUES	Sport
WED	English – Ms Domun Life Sciences – Mrs Morton Physics – Mrs Ramseook
THURS	Sport

Accounting/Business Studies/Economics – See Ms Raftopoulos

GRADE 12	
MON	English – Ms Domun Life Sciences – Dr Pillay Physics – All
TUES	Sport
WED	Afrikaans – Mr Harishun IsiZulu – Ms Nkwanyana
THURS	Sport

Accounting/Business Studies/Economics – See Ms Raftopoulos

Trial Examinations 2017

DATE	09h00	14h00
Fri 22/09	Physical Science P1 (3 hrs)	
Tues 26/09	Physical Science P2 (3 hrs)	Economics P2 (2 hrs)
Wed 27/09	**Afrikaans P1 / **IsiZulu P1 (2 hrs)	

NOTE: All exams are provincially set, except for those internal papers indicated by (**)

Matric Exam Timetable 2017

DATE	09H00	14H00
Tues 17 Oct	IT (Practical) P1 (3 Hrs)	
Tues 24 Oct	English P1 (2 Hrs)	
Wed 25 Oct	Accounting (3 Hrs)	
Fri 27 Oct	Maths P1 (3 Hrs) Maths Lit P1 (3 Hrs)	
Mon 30 Oct	Maths P2 (3 Hrs) Maths Lit P2 (3 Hrs)	Visual Art (3 Hrs)
Tues 31 Oct	Geography (Theory) P1 (3 Hrs)	Geography (Map work) P2 (1½ Hrs)
Wed 01 Nov	IsiZulu P1 (2 Hrs)	IT (Theory) P2 (3 Hrs)
Thurs 02 Nov	Afrikaans P1 (2 Hrs)	Economics P1 (2 Hrs)
Fri 03 Nov	Phys Science (Physics) P1 (3 Hrs)	
Mon 06 Nov	Phys Science (Chemistry) P2 (3 Hrs)	
Tues 07 Nov		Economics P2 (2 Hrs)
Wed 08 Nov	English P2 (2½ Hrs)	
Thurs 09 Nov	IsiZulu P2 (2 Hrs)	
Fri 10 Nov	Life Sciences P1 (2½ Hrs)	
Mon 13 Nov	Life Sciences P2 (2½ Hrs)	EGD P1 (3 Hrs)
Wed 15 Nov	Afrikaans P2 (2 Hrs)	History P1 (3 Hrs)
Thurs 16 Nov	IsiZulu P3 (2½ Hrs)	
Mon 20 Nov		EGD P2 (3 Hrs)
Tues 21 Nov	History P2 (3 Hrs)	
Wed 22 Nov	Music P1 (Theory) (3 Hrs)	Music P2 (Comprehension) (1½ Hrs)
Thurs 23 Nov	Business Studies (3 Hrs)	
Fri 24 Nov	Afrikaans P3 (2½ Hrs)	
Mon 27 Nov	English P3 (2½ Hrs)	

Matric Bell Ringing Monday 27 November at 11h30

Smalls

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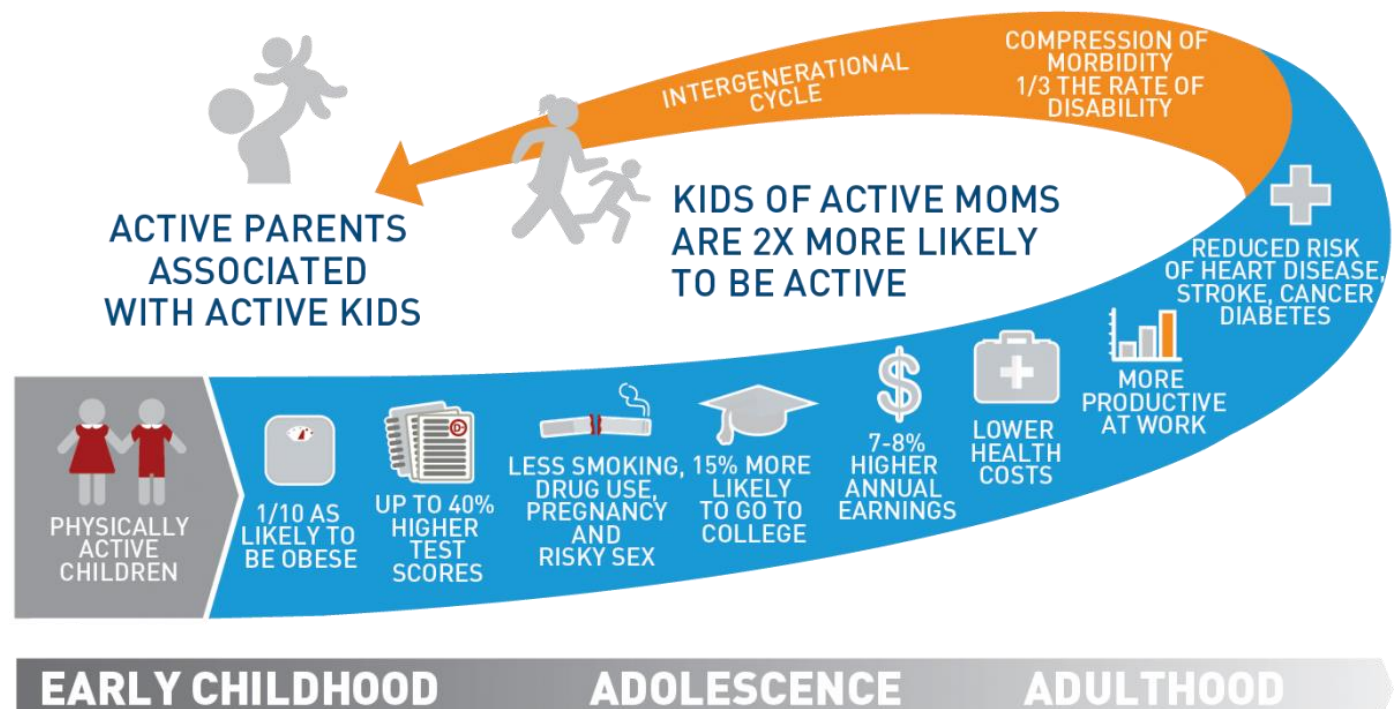
From the Head of Extramurals

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Deputy Headmaster – Extramurals

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WHAT THE RESEARCH SHOWS ON THE COMPOUNDING BENEFITS



Fixtures and Tours Term 4

Date	Opposition	Venue
27 September	Cricket 1 st Team vs Tauranga High School	Northwood
28 Sept-1 Oct	Hilton u14 Water Polo Tournament	Hilton
29 Sept-2 Oct	SACS 1 st Team Water Polo Tournament Shaun Pollock u14 Cricket Festival Michaelmas 1 st Team Cricket Festival Kookaburra u16 Cricket Festival	Cape Town Northwood College Durban
06 October	DHS Water Polo u16 Tournament	DHS
14 October	Cricket and Basketball vs DHS	Northwood
17 October	Water Polo vs DHS	Northwood
19-22 Oct	Crawford Lonehill u15 Water Polo Tournament St Stithians 1 st team Water Polo Tournament	JHB JHB
21 October	Cricket and Basketball	Westville
24 October	Water Polo vs Westville	Westville
26-28 Oct	Grey Bloem u14 Water Polo Tournament	Bloemfontein
28 October	Cricket and Basketball vs Kearsney	Northwood
3 November	Water Polo vs Glenwood	Northwood
4 November	Cricket vs Sunfoil Basketball vs New Forest	Northwood Northwood

Softball

RESULTS

1st	beat	St Henrys	16 - 11
16A	beat	St Henrys	14 - 0
16B	lost to	Glenwood	1 - 10

Congratulations to the 16A on being unbeaten and winning the league in their age group. This is the first trophy for Softball the school has won in its history.

Cricket

RESULTS

1st XI: Northwood 105/9 (S Capell 35). Kearsney 106/3. Northwood lost by 7 wickets.
1st XI: Northwood 98/2 (A Mokgakane 35). Sunfoil 95 (M Xulu 4/17, S Gasa 3/23). Northwood won by 8 wickets.
2nd XI: Northwood 101 (L Bricknell 43). Kearsney 102/4. Northwood lost by 6 wickets.
2nd XI: Northwood 100. Kearsney 150 (J Veenstra 4/22, J Theron 3/29). Northwood lost by 50 runs.
3rd XI: Northwood 122/9 (J Santhee 48 no). Kearsney 125/9 (R Maharaj 3/25). Northwood lost by 3 runs.
u15A: Northwood 146/8 (Y Nandlal 47, K Gopal 70). Kearsney 151/2. Northwood lost by 8 wickets.
u15A: Northwood 206/2 (B van der Spuy 46no, K Gopal 103no). Sunfoil 209/6. Northwood lost by 4 wickets.
u15C: Northwood 49. Kearsney 88/9 (R Schafer 4/14). Northwood lost by 39 runs.
u14A: Northwood 90/5 (J Aziz 26). Kearsney 119/5 (K Brown 3/20). Northwood lost by 29 runs.
u14A: Northwood 84/5 (J Aziz 34). Clifton 84/4. Northwood lost by 6 wickets.
u14B: Northwood 54/3. Clifton 55/4. Northwood lost by 6 wickets.
u14B: Northwood 59/6. Kearsney 75/5. Northwood lost by 17 runs.
u14C: Northwood 121/4 (R Magurno 38, C Stephenson 34). Kearsney 120. Northwood won by 6 wickets.

Gymnastics

Grade 8 learner, Andrew Flynn, participated in the SAGF National Championships in Johannesburg last weekend where he competed over 2 days being placed 3rd in South Africa for his level which is Men's High Performance Class 4 and he brought home silver medals for Rings and for Floor and bronze medals for vault, pommel and parallel bar. Well done, Andrew!



Surfing

Congratulations to Northwood students, Nathan Wallace (u18) and Jared Hook (u16), who have both been selected to represent the eThekweni District at the Billabong SA Junior Surfing Championship to be held in Jeffreys Bay from 3 to 8 October. Nathan has also been named as Captain of the team. Congratulations on this fantastic achievement!



FIXTURES FOR WEEK: THURSDAY 21 SEPTEMBER - WEDNESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

DATE	TEAM	OPPOSITION	HOME/AWAY	VENUE	TIME	TRANSPORT	DPT	RTN	COACH	REF/UMPIRE
CRICKET										
22 Sept	3rd (T20)	Glenwood	Home	Smith Oval	15:00	-	-	-	G Kwashie	G Kwashie
	4th (T20)	Glenwood	Away	Side Pitch 1	15:00	Riccallan	13:30	17:30	T Koen	T Koen
	5th (T20)	Glenwood	Away	Side Pitch 2	15:00	Riccallan	13:30	17:30	T Magwaba	T Magwaba
	6th (T20)	Glenwood	Away	Madsens	15:00	Riccallan	13:30	17:30	S Baker	S Baker
	14E (T20)	Glenwood	Home	Pollock Oval	15:00	-	-	-	W Marais	W Marais
	14F (T20)	Glenwood	Home	Whitfield Oval	15:00	-	-	-	J Cowell	J Cowell
23 Sept	1st (50)	Glenwood	Home	Smith Oval	09:00	-	-	-	D van Wyk	Union
	2nd (50)	Glenwood	Away	Dixon Oval	09:00	Own	-	-	B Gow	B Gow
	15A (50)	Glenwood	Away	Crusaders 1	09:00	-	-	-	D Buckthorp	D Buckthorpe
	15B (T20)	Glenwood	Away	Dokkies 1	09:00	N/Wood	08:00	13:00	D Hlongwe	D Hlongwe
	15C (T20)	Glenwood	Away	Dokkies 2	09:00	N/Wood	08:00	13:00	B Payne	B Payne
	15D (T20)	Glenwood	Away	Crusaders 2	09:00	-	-	-	N Mchunu	N Mchunu
	15E (T20)	Glenwood	Away	Crusaders 2	13:30	-	-	-	T Rankin	T Rankin
	14A (50)	Glenwood	Home	Pollock Oval	09:00	-	-	-	S Takobza	S Takobza
	14B (T20)	Glenwood	Away	Madsens	09:00	-	-	-	W Buckthorp	W Buchthorp
	14C (T20)	Glenwood	Home	Whitfield Oval	09:00	-	-	-	M Krause	M Krause
	14D (T20)	Glenwood	Away	Madsens	13:30	N/Wood	12:00	17:00	C Berry	C Berry
WATERPOLO										
23 Sept	All	Internal Matches		Northwood Pool	08:30	-	-	-	-	-
INDOOR HOCKEY										
21 Sept	18A	Westville 1st	Away	Westville	17:40	Direct	-	-	SB	-
	17A	Clifton 1st	Away	Danville	17:40	Direct	-	-	TR	NM/RT
	16A	Westville 16A	Away	Westville	17:00	Direct	-	-	SB	Union
	15A	Clifton 16A	Away	Danville	16:20	Direct	-	-	TR	NM/RT
Cancelled	14C	Ashton 14A	Away	Danville	17:00	Direct	-	-	Hean	-

DATE	TEAM	OPPOSITION	HOME/AWAY	VENUE	TIME	TRANSPORT	DPT	RTN	COACH	REF/UMPIRE
BASKETBALL										
23 Sept	1st	Glenwood	Home	Court 1	11:30	-	-	-	George	-
	2nd	Glenwood	Home	Court 2	10:30	-	-	-	Thabiso	-
	16A	Glenwood	Home	Court 1	10:30	-	-	-	Jansen	-
	16B	Glenwood	Home	Court 2	11:30	-	-	-	Haarveldt	-
	15A	Glenwood	Home	Court 1	09:30	-	-	-	Haarveldt	-
	15B	Glenwood	Home	Court 2	08:30	-	-	-	Gininda	-
	14A	Glenwood	Home	Court 1	08:30	-	-	-	East	-
	14B	Glenwood	Home	Court 2	09:30	-	-	-	Naidoo	-



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