



# Northwood News

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## Thought for the Week

"Be yourself; everyone else is already taken."

~ Oscar Wilde

## From the Headmaster

MR P VILJOEN

As I look back on the week that was, one cannot help but marvel at the Northwood and greater Durban North community. So many parents, grandparents, businesses, staff, supporters and Old Boys had a part in making the week a special one to remember. It is truly a honour to be part of a true community school.

A big thank you to all who sacrificed time, money and energy to make this week a special one. The School, its boys and teams were truly blessed and for that we are incredibly grateful.

Congratulations to all our coaches and teams on some outstanding results. You certainly made the school and Old Boys proud.

Please see the note below from Mr Alan Willson, our Governing Body chairman, on his thoughts of the past weekend.

*"I have no doubt that every Old Boy and parent was super proud of their association with a school that can put on a show like that.*

*A special thank you to the marketing team and all their helpers for what they did to ensure the school looked so awesome and to ensure that everything ran smoothly.*

*Also to Ant Beukes and his team – I doubt any school has the privilege of playing on such groomed fields anywhere in the country.*

*Also a thank you to all my SGB members and every parent and staff member that came to the party and gave up their time to help in the preparation of the day and on the day.*

*And finally well done to every boy at the school. I mentioned in my talk on Friday night that I expected every boy would show respect but also command it and I believe that is exactly what every visitor to our school experienced on the day.*

*Whilst it was fantastic for the school that we won the majority of the hockey and rugby games, it was more important to see our boys playing with great determination and with true Old Boys day spirit. Again it may be wrong to single out any particular team but for me, on the day, the gutsy showing of the u15A rugby team was something to behold and made me proud to be a part of the school.*



# From the Headmaster Continued...

*The support and war cries during the First XV certainly kept the neighbourhood awake and the joy of winning on Old Boys day was clear to see at the end of the game when a few hundred boys charged onto the field to celebrate. It was perhaps a little over-exuberant (to say the least) but most definitely displayed how important the day was for every Northwood boy.*

*This was most certainly an awesome display of what Northwood can offer to every boy in the greater Durban North community and the whole school can be immensely proud."*





# From the Counsellor's Desk

MR M RICH ([mrich@nwood.co.za](mailto:mrich@nwood.co.za))

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MRS REDDY ([sreddy@nwood.co.za](mailto:sreddy@nwood.co.za))



**Pink Phoenix Cancer Foundation**  
**TUTUS and Tekkies**  
**5KM RUN/WALK**

Don your pink tutu, and your tekkies (or just your tekkies) and bring your family to the Pink Phoenix Cancer Foundation Fun Run


VENUE : Umhlanga Promenade  
DATE : Sunday 17 June 2018  
TIME : 08H00 to 10H00  
COST : R100 (Adults), R50 (Kids U12), Under 2yrs Free

BOOK ONLINE (EFT AND PAYFAST) AT: [www.pinkphoenix.co.za](http://www.pinkphoenix.co.za) (upcoming events)  
OR EFT: Please book before payment to Cathy Van Lill (082 488 9912 or email [events@pinkphoenix.co.za](mailto:events@pinkphoenix.co.za))

FNB : The Pink Phoenix Cancer Foundation BRANCH CODE : 250108  
ACC : 62413684186 NPC Cheque REFERENCE : Tutus and "your name" eg Tutus John Smith

*Let's have a fit and fabulous day!*

Key Events  
SEAN BAKER PHOTOGRAPHY



We cordially invite you to  
**Dine Below the Line**  
in support of World Hunger Day

One in seven South Africans lives on less than **R14.50** a day. Help Domino raise awareness and funds to fight hunger.

Thursday 31 May 2018, 18:30 for 19:00  
"Anthem", 37 Mackeurtan Avenue, Durban North  
Tickets — R250 Smart Casual

**DOMINO FOUNDATION FEEDING**

RSVP: [admin@domino.org.za](mailto:admin@domino.org.za)/031 563 9605 by 21 May



**COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY**  
**COME SERVE!**

Join us for our Community Service Day and earn seven community service hours  
**June 23rd | 8am - 2pm**

Please register by June 1st with [info@liv-village.com](mailto:info@liv-village.com)

LIV

For those Grade 10 learners requiring volunteer hours for the President's Award, LIV Village are holding an Community Service Day on 23 June from 8 am to 2 pm.

# Important Dates

## Term 2

Day	Dates			Event	Venue	
JUNE						
Sat	02				Rugby & Hockey vs St Benedict's	Northwood
Mon	04				Midyear Exams Start	Northwood
Sun	10				Comrades Marathon	
Sat	16				Youth Day	
Fri	22				End of Term 2	
Fri	22	to	26		1 <sup>st</sup> Team Soccer Tournament	DHS/Kloof
Mon	25	to	07		Cultural Tour	USA
JULY						
Tues	17				School Reopens	

## Northwood Sports Medical Centre

Reception		031 564 7675	<a href="mailto:medicalcentrenorthwood@gmail.com">medicalcentrenorthwood@gmail.com</a>
Homeopath	Dr Colette Kell	073 019 9799	<a href="mailto:colette.kell@gmail.com">colette.kell@gmail.com</a>
Chiropractor	Dr Michael Wiggett	071 485 5201	<a href="mailto:michael@chiro.durban">michael@chiro.durban</a>
Psychologist	Shannon Ownhouse	072 737 1610	<a href="mailto:shannonownhouse@gmail.com">shannonownhouse@gmail.com</a>
Physiotherapist	Ashleigh White	071 607 0883	<a href="mailto:physioajwhite@hotmail.com">physioajwhite@hotmail.com</a>
Sports Massage	Tamryn Currin	078 522 6892	<a href="mailto:tammycurrin87@gmail.com">tammycurrin87@gmail.com</a>

## Smalls

*These mini adverts are put in as a community service and are not specifically endorsed by Northwood.*

### VIDEO TO DVD TRANSFERS

Preserve your precious memories from dust, humidity and mould by converting them to DVD. Professional conversion of V.H.S., V.H.S.C, Video 8, Hi8, mini DV formats and SD card to DVD or memory stick. Cleaning and repair service also available. Contact: Louisa Whitfield on 031-261 2951/083 324 6149

**LIFT CLUB:** Looking for a lift from school to Queensburgh / Malvern, 2-3 afternoons a week after school (no sport). Can assist with 1-2 days in return (after sport) or contribute towards petrol. Please contact Cleo - 08922536

**GET THE RIGHT MUSICAL START WITH CELEBS MUSIC LESSONS!** Group or individual lessons R150 per hour per week (or less for groups) in guitar, bass guitar, keyboard and piano, vocal coaching and drums (djembe and full kit). Catering for ages 4 years old and up in the Durban North community, we offer a beginners curriculum in child and adult music lessons with a focus on music theory, creativity as well as the individual's own songs. Lessons are held at the student's house or in our music room in Durban North. Contact Brandon on 083 260 1733 or email [kayat\\_b@hotmail.com](mailto:kayat_b@hotmail.com) for more information. **Let us help you reach you full potential!**

**PERSONALISED DOORMATS:** contact Kerry 0825555758. To see samples and prices go to the Facebook Page: Doormat's 4 U. The link is <https://www.facebook.com/custommadematsdurban/>





# From the Head of Academics

MRS R STANLEY

Email: [rstanley@nwood.co.za](mailto:rstanley@nwood.co.za)

## HOMEWORK CENTRE

The homework centre will still be available until 15:00 for learners during exam time.

## HOLIDAY LESSONS FOR MATRICS

Please check the programme published and send an email to me with the name and surname of the learner, as well as the list of subjects and sessions he will be attending. [rstanley@nwood.co.za](mailto:rstanley@nwood.co.za).



TIME	MONDAY 25 June	TUESDAY 26 June	WEDNESDAY 27 June	THURSDAY 28 June	FRIDAY 29 June
08:00 – 10:00	<b>PHYSC</b> Organic Chemistry	<b>MATH</b> <b>Group 1</b> Trigonometry <b>Group 2</b> Probability & Finance	<b>LFSC</b> Meiosis DNA, RNA & Protein Synthesis	<b>ENGLISH</b> – Hamlet/Poetry	<b>AFR</b> - Letterkunde: Gedigte & Roman/Lien
10:30 – 12:30	<b>PHYSC</b> Work Power Energy Vertical Projectile Motion	<b>MATH</b> <b>Group 1</b> Probability & Finance <b>Group 2</b> Trigonometry	<b>LFSC</b> Human Reproduction	<b>ENGLISH</b> – Life of Pi/Grammar	<b>AFR</b> - Kreatiewe Skryfwerk
13:00 – 15:00	<b>PHYSC</b> Chemical Equilibrium Electrostatics		<b>LFSC</b> Genetics		

## EXTRA LESSONS TIMETABLE

	GRADE 8	GRADE 9	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
<b>MON</b>	<b>SPORT</b>	<b>SPORT</b>	<b>Maths</b> Mrs Evans/ Mrs le Roux <b>Afrikaans</b> Mrs v/d Westhuizen	<b>Maths</b> Mrs Scott <b>Afrikaans</b> Mr Jankeepsad <b>Life Science</b> Mrs Morton	<b>English</b> Mrs Ganesh <b>Life Science</b> Dr Pillay
<b>TUES</b>	<b>Maths</b> Mr Blake/ Mr Hosking <b>English</b> Mr Hale	<b>Maths</b> Mrs Munnik <b>Life Science</b> Mrs Morton	<b>SPORT</b>	<b>SPORT</b>	<b>SPORT</b>
<b>WED</b>	<b>SPORT</b>	<b>SPORT</b>	<b>English</b> Mr McDowall <b>Life Science</b> Mr Robertson		<b>Life Science</b> Mr Robertson <b>Afrikaans</b> Mr Harishun
<b>THURS</b>	<b>Afrikaans</b> Mr Nielsen <b>Maths</b> Mrs Sander	<b>Afrikaans</b> Ms Coetzee <b>English</b> Mr Halse <b>Maths</b> Ms Bristow	<b>SPORT</b>	<b>SPORT</b>	<b>SPORT</b>
			<b>Acc/BusSt/Econ</b> See Mrs Raftopoulos <b>Maths Lit</b> See Mrs Sander	<b>Acc/BusSt/Econ</b> See Mrs Raftopoulos <b>Maths Lit</b> See Mrs Sander	<b>Acc/BusSt/Econ</b> See Mrs Raftopoulos <b>Maths Lit</b> See Mrs Sander

# June Examination Timetable

**MONDAY 4 JUNE 2018 IS A STUDY DAY.** Learners are not expected to be at school.

DATE	TIME	GRADE 8	GRADE 9
FRI 01/06	08h30-10h30	Technology	History (1½ Hrs)
TUE 05/06	08h15-10h15	Maths	Afrikaans P2/ IsiZulu P1
	11h15-13h15		Life Sciences (1½ Hrs)
WED 06/06	08h15-10h15	English P2	Physical Science (1½ Hrs)
THU 07/06	08h15-10h15	Creative Arts/ Music	EMS
FRI 08/06	08h30-10h30	Geography (1½ Hrs)	English P4 (1½ Hrs)
MON 11/06	08h30-10h30	Physical Science (1½ Hrs)	English P2
TUE 12/06	08h15-10h15	History (1½ Hrs)	Afrikaans P4 (1½ Hrs)/ IsiZulu P4 (1½ Hrs)

DATE	TIME	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
01/06 FRI	08h30	Physical Science P1	Maths P2/ Math Lit P2 (1½ Hrs)	Accounting (3 Hrs)/ Music (3 Hrs)
05/06 TUE	08h15	English P1	Physical Science P1	<b>EGD P1 (2½ Hrs)</b>
		Accounting/ Music (11h00 – 13h00)		History P1 (11h30 – 13h30)
06/06 Wed	08h15	History	Afrikaans P1/ IsiZulu P1	English P1
		Economics P2 (11h30 – 13h30)	Economics P1 / IT P2/ Art P1 (11h00 – 13h00)	Physical Science P2
07/06 THU	08h15	Geography P1	Afrikaans P2/ IsiZulu P2	Geography P1 (3 Hrs)
	11h00	Geog P2 (1½ Hrs) (11h00 – 12h30)	<b>EGD P1 (11h00 – 13h00)</b>	Geography P2 (1½ Hrs) (12h00- 13h30)
08/06 FRI	08h30	Physical Science P2	<b>EGD P2 (9h00 – 11h00)</b>	Maths P1 (2½ Hrs)/ * <b>Math Lit P1</b>
11/06 MON	08h30	<b>EGD (3Hrs)</b>	Physical Science P2	<b>Maths P2 (2½ Hrs)/ *</b> <b>Math Lit P2</b>
		Bus. Studies P2 (12h15 – 13h45) (1½ Hrs)	Economics P2 (11h00 – 13h00)	Economics P2 (11h45 – 13h45)
12/06 TUE	08h15	Maths / <b>Math Lit P1 (1 Hr) (08h15 – 09h15)</b>	English P1	Life Sciences (2½ Hrs)
		<b>Math Lit P2 (1 Hr) (10h15 – 11h15)</b>	Bus. Studies (3 Hrs) (11h00 – 14h00)	<b>EGD P2 (2½ Hrs) (11h30 – 14h00)</b>
13/06 WED	08h15	Afrik P2/ IsiZulu P2	Life Sciences (2½ Hrs)	History P2

## LATE EXAMS:

DATE	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
Tuesday 19 June	AP Maths	AP Maths	AP Maths

Those exams indicated in **RED** are Department of Education papers

All exams are **2 hours** unless otherwise stated.

# Sport & Culture

## From the Head of Extramurals

Mr G. Le Roux [gleroux@nwood.co.za](mailto:gleroux@nwood.co.za)  
Deputy Headmaster – Extramurals

What an incredible past week we have had at Northwood. The hype and excitement around the school in the lead up to Old Boys Day was tangible and it all came together on Saturday with the amazing buzz around the school and some incredible sport on the day. Well done to our sportsmen that played incredibly well, demonstrating good sportsmanship and playing with pride at all times. I have no doubt our Old Boys are proud of what they witnessed.

To the learners, staff and parents that made themselves available to assist on the day, we can't thank you enough for your time and effort. These days rely on the support of everyone involved at Northwood and it was wonderful to see how many people raised their hands to assist. Thank you so much.



Congratulations to the player who won the Old Boys' Man of the Match for Rugby, Sasko Ndlovu and to Marco Dalle-Vedove for Hockey

Thanks must also be said to those parents that have opened up their homes to welcome St Benedict's boys. These exchanges would not be possible without your assistance.

Please could all Northwood boys that are hosting meet at the **lower campus stands at 15:45** where the majority of the billeting will take place. If your son is involved in a fixture taking place on Friday, the billeting will be done at the conclusion of each fixture.

Expectations for hosting would be to provide a meal on Friday evening for dinner as well as breakfast on Saturday morning. Northwood School will provide a limited amount of braai's available for use if you would like to bring your guests to Northwood on Friday evening. Fires will be started at 17:30 and the lights will be on for boys to enjoy themselves on the fields. If you have your own portable braais please bring them along. Charcoal and fire lighters will be provided by the school.

This weekend will not be a compulsory for any grades but any additional support would be appreciated.

**For all sports fixtures, team lists, venue details and more please visit**  
[www.northwoodschoolsport.com](http://www.northwoodschoolsport.com) or download the short cut to the webpage on your mobile device.



# Squash

## TERM 2 FIXTURES

Date	Team	Opponents	Venue
7 May	1st Team	BYE	
	2nd Team	Crawford La Lucia	Crusaders
	3rd Team	Westville	Westville CC
14 May	1st Team	Clifton	Crusaders
	2nd Team	Clifton	Crusaders
	3rd Team	Crawford La Lucia	Crusaders
21 May	1st Team	Kearsney	Crusaders
	2nd Team	DHS	DHS
	3rd Team	Glenwood	Glenwood
28 May	3rd Team	Westville Senior Primary	Crusaders
4 June	3rd Team	Kearsney	Kearsney

