

Thought for the Week "A woman is the full circle. Within her is the ability to create, nurture, and transform." ~ Diane Mariechild

# From the Headmaster

#### Dear Parents

During the past few weeks we have had a number of boys present their English essays on women during our formal assemblies. I cannot tell you how proud and excited I was as I listened to our boys express their gratitude and love for the women in their lives.

One of these essays was written and presented by Malibongwe Makhonza, which I have posted for you here:

#### WHAT ARE WE WITHOUT OUR WOMEN?

It has always been a mystery to me when I think that we, as boys and generally children, grow up in these households being raised by women. Our grandmothers, our Mothers, our Aunts, our Sisters. These are our women of compassion. Our women of resilience. Yet the moment we step out of our households our whole perspective on women changes. Our women of compassion become our possession, our women of resilience, are thrown to perseverance.

Greetings to the Headmaster, deputy headmasters, deputy headmistress, staff members and fellow students of Northwood.

WHAT ARE WE WITHOUT OUR WOMEN?

Well, do you know someone more <u>loving</u> that keeps you <u>blushing</u> because you're <u>crushing</u>. Well, have you seen someone like <u>mother</u> Who after work become the <u>washer</u> And in some households enforced to <u>father</u>.

WHAT ARE WE WITHOUT OUR WOMEN?

Women are very tender yet like tea you never know how strong she is until you put her in hot water. I too am inspired by women. Women of great accolade. Women who are struggle heroes. Women like Winnie Mandela who have fought against all types of oppression and humiliation. But against all odds have revived the spirt of women. For the spirit of a woman never dies and so the Zulu saying goes WATHINTA ABAFAZI WATHINTA IMBOKODO.

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### From the Headmaster Continued...

WHAT ARE WE WITHOUT OUR WOMEN?

Well I guess the answer to this is quite simple,

- We'd be like tick without tock
- We'd be North without wood
- Mr Stanley without a moustache \_

But basically incomplete... oh no I meant complete because without, I guess it's incomplete.

WHAT ARE WE WITHOUT OUR WOMEN?

I'm no feminist and I certainly didn't come up here to try and convince anyone to become a feminist, but I respect women and having been raised by a single mother. I find it literally impossible to undermine a woman. For I know the strength, power and importance of a woman and that is the mind-set and vision that I hope I share with Northwood today. For yet again...

WHAT ARE WE WITHOUT OUR WOMEN?

I conclude with the words of the late famous American Poet Tupak Amaru Shakur and I quote "Since we all come from a woman Got our name from a woman And our game from a women I wonder why we take from our women Why we rape our women DO WE HATE OUR WOMEN?" ~ Tupack Amaru Shakur

By: Malibongwe Makhonza

We wish our

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Nusum Community a very blessed Eid for 22 Hugust

Eid al-Adha Wishes

Happy Eid Mubarak. Wishing you and your loved ones a blessed Eid!

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### Rorthwood School

22 August 2018

Dear Parents and boys of Northwood School

Due to a conflict surrounding dates and circumstances beyond our control, it is with regret that we have had to amend the date of our Sport, Culture and Service Awards Banquet. With such a busy school and so many sporting and cultural events as well as excursions going on, these things unfortunately do sometimes happen.

Please see amended information regarding the Banquet below:

Date:	Tuesday 25 September 2018
Time:	6:00 for 6:30pm
Venue:	Northwood School Hall
Dress:	Boys: Full school uniform / Guests: Smart
Cost:	R170-00 per person (Applicable to invited scholars and guests)
	Please note, only 2 guests per family, no under 12's; no exceptions
	Includes 3 course dinner, cash bar available.
RSVP:	Accepted on payment of tickets by latest Wednesday 19 September.
	Cash payment tickets will be available immediately.
	EFT payment tickets will be available for collection from the back office on 21
	September. NO ENTRY WITHOUT TICKETS.

All money is to be paid to the back office or by EFT by latest Wednesday 19 September, cash payments will NOT be accepted on the night.

I once again sincerely apologise for the inconvenience this may have caused and I look forward to welcoming you all at this prestigious evening.

Kind regards

MR P. VILJOEN HEADMASTER

### Smalls

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MATHS: GRADE 8 & GRADE 9 GROUP TUITION Saturday mornings. Problem Sections of the syllabus. Limited space. Starts Saturday 25 August Contact Greg Bodill 082 8770 300 /email <u>bodilleducation@absamail.co.za</u> Website: www.boded.co.za Facebook: Bodill-Education

**FIRST AID:** If you have a function or event where a qualified first aider is required, contact Daveno Proudfoot on 067 027 5971. Daveno is Grade 3 qualified and is available weekends, afternoons and any time during holidays.

**MATHEMATICS TUITION:** Maths tuition provided on a 1 on 1 basis to learners from Grade 10 to Grade 12, by a seasoned Mathematics educator situated on the Berea. If keen, please contact Z. Lockhat on 0826512880.



### **Ashleigh White Physiotherapy**

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#### PHYSIOTHERAPY AFTER SURGERY

Did you know that physiotherapists can play an instrumental role in helping one recover from many different types of surgery?

Often, once a person has had surgery, it is believed that they are healed and well on the road to recovery. But often there is post-surgical pain, swelling, restricted range of movement and loss of strength.

Physiotherapists are trained to assess post-surgical cases and have been trained to follow the protocols that have been put in place to aid full recovery.

The normal procedure following most surgery is to receive physiotherapy whilst in hospital. These exercises are usually basic circulatory and muscle activation based exercises. It is typical that most surgeons expect these to be done for 2 weeks after an operation.

After the doctor's follow-up appointment, usually after 2 weeks, additional physiotherapy based healing and rehabilitation can continue.

This can involve more advanced strength and range of motion exercises, anti-inflammatory assistance and soft tissue treatment.

From shoulders to elbows, knees, backs and hips, even ankles physiotherapy after surgery can be of great benefit to you.

Keep this in mind after any surgery and ask your surgeon if, and when you can start some treatment.

Kind Regards Ashleigh White

### From the Counsellor's Desk

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MRS D BUTT (dbutt@nwood.co.za) COUNSELLORS: MRS REDDY (sreddy@nwood.co.za)

#### **GRADE 11 WORK EXPERIENCE**

Reminder to all Grade 11 learners that they need to organise their Work Experience for the end of the term from 26 – 28 September.



9am to 1pm

#### **VEGA GAME DESIGN EVENT** For Grade 9 to 12

Vega will be hosting a Game Design event for grade 9 to 12 learners providing them with an introduction to Game Design. The event will be hosted by lecturers who teach their BCIS degree in Game Design and Development, ideal for gaming enthusiasts wanting to learn how to design a game.

They can only accommodate **30 students so RSVP as soon as** possible. This workshop is free of charge.

For more information please see Mr Gebreab.





#### **ETA OPEN DAYS** Find your future in Sports & Fitness

ETA College will be holding open days on 25 August 2018 29 September 2018 R08 December 2018

Human Performance Institute, Moses Mabhida Stadium, Isaiah Ntshangase Road, Durban Telephone 031 701 8921 / 079 522 2327 or email durban@etacollege.com.

### ★ HOCKEY TOUR TO MALAYSIA FUNDRAISER HOCKEY TOUR TO MALAYSIA FUNDRAISER HOCKEY TOUR TO MALAYSIA FUNDRAISER MOVIE UNDER THE STARS



# ★ The Greatest Showman

When : 15<sup>th</sup> September 2018 Movie starts : 19:00 sharp Time : 18:00 🔭 Gates close : 19:30

### **NO FOOD OR BEVERAGES ALLOWED ONTO THE PROPERTY** Food and beverage vendors will be available

Tickets available from the school or on the night. Bring your picnic blanket for a fun community evening. Please support our fundraiser.

For more information please contact Jenni-Lyn van Niekerk on (031)563-6501 x 353 or marketing@nwood.co.za



## **Important Dates**

DAY	DAY DATES			EVENT	VENUE
AUGUST					
Fri	24			Grade 8 – 10 Social	
Sat	25	25		Soccer vs Westville	Home
Sat	25			Grade 11 Dance	
Fri	31			2019 Prefects Announced	School Hall
Fri	31			Quadrangular Athletics	Northwood
SEPTEN	BER				
Sat	1			Soccer vs Hilton	Hilton
Sun	2			Soccer 5-a-side Tournament	Kloof
Mon	03			Prefects Tie Ceremony	Jubilee Room
Mon	03			Matric Trials Start	Northwood
Sat	08			Maritzburg College	Northwood
Sat	15			The Greatest Showman (Outdoor Movie Night)	Northwood fields
Mon	24			Heritage Day	
Tues	25			Sport, Culture & Service Award Banquet	School Hall
Fri	28			End of Term 3	
Fri	28	to	02	Shaun Pollock u14 Cricket Festival	Northwood
Fri	28	to	09	1 <sup>st</sup> Team Cricket Michaelmas Week	
Fri	28	to	02	u16 Kookaburra Festival	
Fri	28	to	02	1 <sup>st</sup> Team Grey College Soccer Tournament	Bloemfontein
Fri	28	to	01	1 <sup>st</sup> Team Waterpolo SACS Tournament	Cape Town
Fri	28	to	02	u14 Hilton Waterpolo Tournament	Hilton
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Thurs	04	to	07	u16 DHS Waterpolo Tournament	DHS
Tues	09			School Reopens	
Tues	09			Prefect's Dinner	Jubilee Room
Fri	12			Speech Day	School Hall
Thurs	18	to	21	1 <sup>st</sup> Team Stayers Waterpolo Tournament St Stithians	Johannesburg
Thurs	18		21	u15 Crawford Lonehill Waterpolo Tournament	Johannesburg
Fri	19			Marketing Fundraiser (TBC)	
Thurs	25	to	28	u14 Grey College Waterpolo Tournament	Bloemfontein
Fri	26			BE Year End Function	John Bruyns Hse
NOVEM	BER				
Wed	07			Diwali	
Fri	09			Remembrance Day	
Fri	23			Sardine Run	
DECEME	BER				
Wed	12			School Closes for Learners	
Fri	14			School Closes for Staff	

### From the Head of Academics

MRS R STANLEY

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### PHYSICAL SCIENCE EXTRA LESSON TIMETABLE

Every Monday immediately after school.

	MRS RAMSEOOK GRADE 12	MRS REDDY GRADE 11	MR BODALIA GRADE 10
27 Aug	Organic Reactions	Electrostatics	Graphs of motion
03 Sept		Electricity/Ohms Law	Mechanics
10 Sept			Mechanics

### **Matric Trial Exams 2018**

Please note the changes to the Matric Trial exam timetable



#### EARLY EXAMS:

29 Aug\*\*Art P2 (6 Hrs) & \*\*IT P1 (3 Hrs) 31 Aug\*\*AP Maths

\* In Class time

\*\* Practical Exams

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



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#### EXTRA LESSONS TIMETABLE

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

#### **CONTROL TESTS AND REINFORCEMENT LESSON DATES – TERM 3**

TEST DATE	GRADE 8	GRADE 9	GRADE 10	GRADE11	GRADE 12	REINFORCE- MENT LESSON DATE
24 Aug	Geog	Afri/Zulu	English	Maths/Maths Lit	Maths/Maths Lit	07 Sept
28 Aug	EMS	Tech	Maths/Maths Lit	Bus Studies	Life Science	14 Sept
30 Aug					Phys Sci Prac**	
31 Aug	Phys Sci	Maths	Life Science	Phys Sci P2		21 Sept
04 Sept	English	Phys Sci	Bus Studies	English		TBC
05 Sept			Phys Sci Prac**	Phys Sci Prac**		
06 Sept			Economics*	Economics*		
07 Sept	Maths	History	EGD	Phys Sci P1		TBC
10 Sept				Accounting* History*		
11 Sept	Tech	EMS	Phys Sci P2	History		ТВС
12 Sept			Life Sci Prac**			
18 Sept				Life Sci Prac*		

#### **REINFORCEMENT LESSONS**

These Friday lessons are compulsory to attend if the target mark set for a Control Test was not reached. The problem areas from the test are identified and reinforced. Parents will be sent an sms to inform them of the lesson.

**Sport & Culture** 

### From the head of Extramurals

#### Mr G. le Roux gleroux@nwood.co.za

#### Deputy Headmaster: Extramurals

At the start of this week the majority of our Awards Banquet invitations were sent out. There are still a number of invitations that will still be issued over the next week or so. The structure of the banquet however has changed somewhat with the evening being more inclusive of a number of areas, including service, culture and sport.

Learners who received invitations would have fallen into one of the following categories:

- Participation at first team level
- Provincial representation for internal and external activities
- National representation for internal and external activities
- Trophy winners

### Please note that being invited to the Awards Banquet does not necessarily imply that each learner will receive an award.

With regards to all KZN and National Representative Awards, the information below has been captured. If you feel we have somehow omitted a learner, kindly send an email with supporting documents to <a href="mailto:jvniekerk@nwood.co.za">jvniekerk@nwood.co.za</a>

Certificates					
Name	Sport	Achievement			
Sachin Reddy	Chess	Ethekwini U16			
Eli Govender	Chess	Ethekwini U16			
Sahar Maharaj	Chess	Illembe U18C			
Rai Reddy	Chess	SAJCC U14A			
Ananta Reddy	Chess	SA Chess			
Kaden Cooke	KZN Nipper Lifesaving Champs	U14			
Adam Chislett	KZN Nippers				
Andrew Flynn	RSA Junior Gymnastics				
Ndalo Tantsi	KZN Baseball	U15			
Keaton Geary	KZN Baseball	U16			
Cameron Whitfield	KZN Baseball	U17			
Sicelo Thwala	KZN Baseball	U18			
Cameron Whitfield	SA Baseball	U15			
Adam Chislett	KZN Coastals Hockey	U14A			
Mitchell Jagga	KZN Coastals Hockey	U14A			
Joshua Cotterell	KZN Coastals Hockey	U14A			
Nathan Pretorius	KZN Coastals Hockey	U14B			
Ethan Grace	KZN Coastals Hockey	U14B			
Shazae Mahabeer	KZN Coastals Hockey	U14C			
Ryan McNally	KZN Coastals Hockey	U14C			
Dylan Ferreira	KZN Coastals Hockey	U16A			
Tyler Tomsett	KZN Coastals Hockey	U16A			
Brent van der Linde	KZN Coastals Hockey	U16B			
Chad Baird	KZN Coastals Hockey	U16B			

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Dinis Gomes	KZN Coastals Hockey	U16C
Kyle Northend	KZN Coastals Hockey	U16C
Ross Steele	KZN Coastals Hockey	U16C
Quinn McKenzie	KZN Coastals Hockey	U18A
Taine Bird	KZN Coastals Hockey	U18A
Cameron Pretorius	KZN Coastals Hockey	U18A
Tyron Laaks	KZN Coastals Hockey	U18B
Mikael Rademeyer	KZN Coastals Hockey	U18B
Zinzan George	KZN Coastals Hockey	U18C
Jeremy Martins	KZN Coastals Hockey	U18C
Connor Leven	SA Indoor Rowing	U19
Taine Bird	SA Schools Hockey	U18
Quinn McKenzie	SA Schools Hockey	U18B
Jordan Theron	Open Division KZN Mini 3 Tennis	
Taine Bird	SA Youth Games Hockey	
Cameron Souchon	SA Touch Rugby	U18
Jake Goder	Ethekwini Body Boarding	
Steven Seagreen	KZN Schools Swimming	
Trevin Reddhi	KZN Schools Swimming	
Mfundo Mfeka	Durban Central Cross Country	
Immanuel Moyo	Durban Central Cross Country	
Dwayne Goodwin	Durban Central Cross Country	
Enzo van Niekerk	KZN Rugby	U13A
Sali Mlenzana	KZN Rugby	U16A Grant Khomo
Vernon Matongo	KZN Rugby	U16A Grant Khomo
Ryan Francis	KZN Rugby	U16A Grant Khomo
Onyi Osunkwo	KZN Rugby	U16A Grant Khomo
Corbin Getkate	KZN Rugby	U16B
Sims Ngcobo	KZN Rugby	U16B
MacMillian Mudara	KZN Rugby	U18 Academy Week
Ramon Roelandt	KZN Baseball	U18
Luke Bricknell	KZN Softball	U17 All Stars
Jeremy Chagadama	KZN Youth Choir	U16
Matthew Wilson	Action Cricket	U16
Tyler Tomsett	Action Cricket	U16
Matthew Bricknell	Action Cricket	U16
Dylan Ferreira	Action Cricket	U16
Samkelo Gasa	KZN Cricket	U17
Kiaron Gopal	KZN Cricket	U15
Andile Mokgakane	KZN Cricket	U19
Andile Mokgakane	SA Cricket	U19
Wonder Mtolo	KZN Cricket	U19
Corvin Ebelthite	KZN Softball	U15
Matthew Bricknell	KZN Softball	U15
Cameron Whitfield	KZN Softball	U15
Tyren Kroos	National Dutch Rugby Team	U18
Tumelo Asele	KZN Touch Rugby	U15
MacMillian Mudara	Zimbabwe Sevens Rugby	U18

### **Cross Country**

#### UMLAZI DISTRICT TRIALS

Congratulations to the following boys on their achievements in the Umlazi District Cross Country trials. Dwayne Goodwin (6<sup>th</sup>) and Mfundo Mfeka (8<sup>th</sup>) have made the u17 reserve side and have been invited to run at the KZN trials at Newlands on 1 September. We wish them the best of luck. Congratulations also go to Musa Moyo on finishing 9<sup>th</sup> in the u19 Division.

### **Summer Fixtures**

TERMS 3 AND 4

DATE	OPPOSITION	VENUE
9 Sept	U14A Cricket vs SACS	Home
15 Sept	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs Maritzburg College	Home
19 Sept	2 <sup>nd</sup> , u15B, u14B Cricket vs Curro Hillcrest	Home
21 – 24 Sept	1 <sup>st</sup> Cricket @ Noord/Suid Tournament	Pretoria
22 Sept	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs Glenwood	Home
28 Sept – 1 Oct	U14A and u15A Water Polo	Michaelhouse
28 Sept – 2 Oct	1 <sup>st</sup> Water Polo @ SACS Polo Tournament	Cape Town
28 Sept – 2 Oct	U14A Cricket @ Shaun Pollock Cricket Festival	Home
28 Sept – 2 Oct	1 <sup>st</sup> Cricket @ Michaelmas Cricket Festival	Maritzburg College
29 Sept – 3 Oct	1 <sup>st</sup> Soccer @ Grey College Soccer Tournament	Bloemfontein
13 Oct	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs Westville	Home
18 – 21 Oct	1 <sup>st</sup> Water Polo @ St Stithians Stayers Tournament	Johannesburg
18 – 21 Oct	U14A Water Polo @ Grey College Tournament	Bloemfontein
20 Oct	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs Kearsney	Home
27 Oct	Basketball vs Clifton	Home
26 – 27 Oct	Cricket and Water Polo vs Grey College	Bloemfontein
3 Nov	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs St Charles	Home

For all extra mural details about all fixtures, notices, practice times and transport arrangements please visit <u>www.northwoodschoolsport.com</u>. Remember to create a shortcut on your home screen of your mobile device for a very user-friendly version of the site.

### **Northwood Sports Medical Centre**

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