

Thought for the Week

"Beginnings are scary. Endings are usually sad, but it's what's in the middle that counts. So, when you find yourself at the beginning, just give hope a chance to float up. And it will." ~ Eleanor Roosevelt

From the Headmaster

MR P P VILJOEN

Dear Parents

A warm welcome back, especially to our new parents – I am most grateful to God that he has blessed us so abundantly throughout the holiday. All our boys, staff and parents have returned safely to school and through His grace, our class of 2018 has produced the best set of matric results for many years.

28 boys achieved A averages, with, Kiaav Sunderlall achieving an outstanding 8 A's. 7 A's were obtained by: Ashiv Baijnath, Adnan Bassa (Dux 2018), William Buckle, Emile Jonkers, Nicholas Deeb, Jason Kent, Riyadh Lakhi, Sayen Mirza, Marco Mudaly, Tarlin Nair, Hatham Omar, Keshav Pillay

6 A's were obtained by: Bhavin Bhoola, Adarsh Bodha, Cameron Ciaglia, Jordan Donnelly, Yasthiel Kemraj, Augustin Liu, Brendon Watling

5 A's were obtained by: Caleb Chinnu, Muhammad Hoosian, Tyren Kroos, Kivashen Naidu 4 A's were obtained by: Owain Maistry, Yogeshan Naidoo, Shirahn Singh

Overall, 20% of Northwood students achieved 3 or more A's, with 242 subject distinctions being achieved overall. This equates to an average of 1.5 distinctions per boy with 94% of students qualifying for tertiary study. Special mention goes to our top 3 achievers, Adnan Bassa placed 1st with an average of 94.6%, Marco Mudaly placed 2nd with a 93.3% average – both being invited by the MEC of Education to the ICC for the top achiever awards ceremony. Kiaav Sunderlall achieved an average of 91.6%, placing him 3rd overall.

Adnan eventually placed 6th in the KZN province and 2nd in the Umlazi District, while Marco placed 3rd in district – wonderful achievements by both of these boys.

In terms of the start of the academic year, I would like to welcome Mr Brinsley Powell (SACS) and Mr Eric Grimaldi (Penryn College) to our sports department, Mrs Morris to our mathematics department and our teachers in training Mr Proudfoot and Mr Kennedy to the Northwood team. Mr Rob Mutch also joins us as the school's business manager in the finance department.

We welcome all of these members of staff to the Northwood family and trust that they will enjoy their time with us.

From the Headmaster Continued...

2019 promises to be a full and exciting year, I want to encourage you as parents to be involved in your son's school. Northwood is a community school, it is your home and as such you are always welcome to come and share your thoughts, support or just pop in for a visit. Let us all make it our mission to do good, to speak positively, to pray often and endeavour to achieve excellence.

Summer Uniform

Learners may wear the summer uniform from Monday 14 January

Lost Property

We have a number of lost property items left after the Grade 8 Orientation. Either parents or their sons may collect lost property from the back office.

Becoming a Knight

The process of training for knighthood began before adolescence, inside the prospective knight's home, where he learned courtesy and manners. Around the age of 6 to 7 years, he would be sent away to train. For at least seven years a page was instructed in manners, courtesy, cleanliness, and religion. A page became a squire when he turned 14 (if he did well) being assigned or picked by a knight to become his personal aide. This allowed the squire to observe his master while he was in battle, in order to learn from his techniques. This was to uphold the knight's code - chivalry that promoted generosity, courtesy, compassion, and most importantly, loyalty. The knight acted as a tutor and taught the squire all he needed to know to become a knight. Some squires became knights for performing an outstanding deed on the battlefield, but most were knighted by their lord when their training was judged to be complete.

A squire could hope to become a knight when he was about 18 to 21 years old. Once the squire had established sufficient mastery of the required skills, he was dubbed a knight. The squire was made to vow that he would obey the regulations of chivalry, and never flee from battle. Knights followed the code of chivalry, which promoted honour, honesty, respect to God, and other knightly virtues.

Northwood Parent Group

The events run by the NPG are twofold in purpose: to raise funds for the general benefit of the school and to cultivate, build and enhance the school spirit, family and community of Northwood.

The NPG comprises a committee e of talented parents who use their energy and insight for the betterment of the school.

Projects will include, Reunion Weekend, hospitality for sports events, fundraising and much more.

If you would like to be part of the NPG please contact Mrs de Sousa on <u>mdesousa@nwood.co.za</u> or on 031 563 6501 ext 348.





From the Counsellor's Desk

MR M RICH Email: mrich@nwood.co.za



From the Head of Academics

MRS R STANLEY Email: rstanley@nwood.co.za

Welcome back to all parents and pupils. A special welcome to our new Squires in grade 8.

Each pupil was given a booklet to help guide him through his first few weeks. Parents, please see under Resources on the D6 – there is a guide for you too.

The grade 8 orientation went off very well and normal lessons are in full swing. Please ensure that all text books and work books have been purchased in order for your son to start working and have a smooth academic year.

2019 is going to be a busy, productive year. Enjoy every day.

Northwood Press Club

Boys who are interested in joining the **Northwood Press Club** are to meet in the Marketing Office on Tuesday 15 January at 1st Break. Boys who join the Press Club will be required to assist the school with photography / videography at sporting, cultural and academic events throughout the year. There are limited places available therefore, only boys who are committed and have a keen interested in photography / videography will be considered. Mrs Klingbeil



Knights Induction Ceremony

The Knights Old Boys Association cordially invites ALL MATRICS (and their father or adult representative) to the Knights' Induction Ceremony

on Friday 11 January 2019 at 7:45am in the

Northwood School Hall

All learners to wear full school uniform.

Prizegiving

Junior Prizegiving will take place on Monday 14 January starting at 6 pm

and will last approximately 1 hour in the School Hall.

Invitations will be issued to prize winners. Parents and extended family are welcome to attend.

Matric Information Evenings

Tuesday 15 January 5:30 - 6:30 pm in the School Hall

It is highly recommended that all matric learners and their parents attend the Matric Information Evening which will lay out the requirements for your son's year in 2019.

Please note that learners need to wear their school uniform to this meeting

New Parents Family Braai

Friday 18 January

All parents of new boys are invited to join the Headmaster and Staff after the Grade 8 Information Evening Braais will be provided. Bring your own meat, salad, rolls etc and drinks.

Please also bring your own cutlery, crockery and glasses.

Mr Viljoen's welcome at 5:30 pm.

Grade 7 Open Day

There will be an Open Day for Grade 7 pupils on **Tuesday 5 February.** Meet in the hall at **7:45 – 11:00 am**. Busses will return pupils to their primary schools at approximately 12pm.

Grade 6 Open Evening for Parents

There will be an Open Evening for Grade 6 pupils on **Wednesday 6 February** to meet in the hall **at 5:30 pm**

This evening will include a presentation, a school tour and a John Bruyns House boarding establishment tour for those interested in boarding.

Grade 7 Open Evening for Parents

There will be an Open Evening for Grade 7 pupils on **Thursday 7 February** to meet in the hall **at 5:30 pm**

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Permission for Photographs

Please watch press

for details

From time to time photographs / videos are taken of our students highlighting their various achievements, school life, outings, or for school marketing material. Some of these photographs are then used across various online and print mediums such as our facebook page, school magazine, local press, website, posters etc. Should you have any objections to you son being photographed for these purposes, please send us written note specifying his name and grade with your relevant contact details, or alternatively email: marketing@nwood.co.za for attention Mrs Klingbeil in the Marketing Office.

Admissions

SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS

For pupils entering Northwood School in Grade 8 in 2020 Applications to write the Scholarship Exam close on Friday 22 February 2019

The Scholarship Examination will be written on Friday 1 March February 2019 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm in AV1.

SCHOOL APPLICATIONS FOR 2020 CLOSE Friday 8 March 2019

IMPORTANT!

Medical Information will only allow us to administer paracetamol (Panad

The Department of Education will only allow us to administer paracetamol (Panado) to pupils. If your son/ward has a condition which requires that he receive medication other than a Panado (e.g. adrenalin for bee sting allergies, insulin for diabetes, stomach medication for IBS, inhaler for asthma – we have a nebulizer but require that you send the drops) please send the medication to the school, clearly marked with your son's name and instructions for administration, and a note which gives us permission to administer this medication should the need arise.

Drop off and Collection

You must be dropped off or collected either at the Lower Campus entrance, Upper Campus entrance or at the corner of Margaret Maytom Avenue and Burnside Place. **DO NOT DRIVE INTO BURNSIDE PLACE**.

All gates are locked at 07h40. If you are late you will need to enter via the main gate on Adelaide Tambo Avenue, where your name will be written down and you will be expected to report to the back office for a late slip. We expect a note of explanation from your parents.

Parents MAY NOT drive into the school property.

Facilities

CRICKET ACADEMY

The Graham Lange Cricket Academy is a four lane Indoor Cricket Academy, equipped with two bowling machines and is available to boys under the supervision of full time cricket coaches. For more information email Divan van Wyk on <u>dvanwyk@nwood.co.za</u>.

HOMEWORK CENTRE

The Homework Centre runs Monday to Thursday from 2:15 - 4:30pm in Mrs Morton's classroom (UC140). Boys are able to attend as and when they need to and the homework centre provides a space for them to get their homework done, collaborate on group projects, or to catch up missed work due to absenteeism. It is largely up the individual learner to make the most of this time. Mrs Morton is available to guide learners, as well as being assisted by a group of high-achieving academic mentors from the senior grades of the school.

For any queries please contact Mrs Morton on jtesta@nwood.co.za.



LEARNER SUPPORT CENTRE

The Learner Support Centre is currently functioning as source of remedial support and exam preparation for grade 8's an 9. With our newly renovated centre on the lower campus, we will be offering remedial lessons across a range of subjects, as well as access to online educational sites, PC programmes for Maths and English, past paper resources, audiobooks for language set works, as well as assistance with time management, planning, study techniques, researching and referencing, and even counselling and psychological support where necessary.

The Learner Support Centre is currently operating on an invitational basis, where grade 8 and 9 learners have been identified as needing assistance, and their attendance is compulsory. For any queries regarding The Learner Support Centre, please contact Ms Sardinha on jsardina@nwood.co.za.

2ND HAND UNIFORM SHOP

The 2nd Hand Uniform Shop is open on Wednesdays at 2nd Break and is situated on the lower campus and sells good quality, second hand school clothing.

For more information contact Mrs Lesley Sleeman on 073 202 4290.

THE HOCKEY SHOP

The Hockey Shop is situated on the lower campus and is open on every weekday afternoon from 2pm until 5:30 pm.

Also open most Saturdays (contact Mr or Mrs Paton first on the telephone numbers below to be sure.) For more information contact Alan Paton on 082 902 4900 or Di Paton on 083 654 8072.

THE FITNESS FACTORY (GYM)

The Fitness Factory is a fully equipped, privately owned gymnasium owned and run by Northwood Old Boy, Simon Vickers. It is open to the community as well as learners (R200 per term) and staff. Under the strict supervision the gym is available for strength and fitness training. For further information, contact Simon Vickers on 084 420 8230

BALLITO BUS

The school runs a bus service from school to Ballito and back every weekday. The cost is R1000 per month. Email Mr Gow bgow@nwood.co.za for further information.



Route:

Pick up 06:30Drop off 17:30at Shell Garage adjacent to Lifestyle CentreBallitoPick up 06:40Drop off 17:05at Westbrook Centre (Post Office) – cnr Aloe and Strelitzia PlacePick up 06:55Drop off 16h45at Umdloti – South Parking Bay area off Total Garage below circle

NORTHWOOD MEDICAL CENTRE

Reception		031 564 7675	medicalcentrenorthwood@gmail.com
Homeopath	Dr Colette Kell	073 019 9799	colette.kell@gmail.com
Chiropractor	Dr Michael Robson	082 602 5444	medicalcentrenorthwood@gmail.com
Psychologist	Shannon Ownhouse	072 737 1610	shannonownhouse@gmail.com
Physiotherapist	Ashleigh White	071 607 0883	physioajwhite@hotmail.com
Sports Massage	Tamryn Currin	078 522 6892	tammycurrin87@gmail.com

Communication at Northwood

We have numerous communication platforms in place which enable Northwood parents and students to be kept up-to-date with all the latest academic, sport and cultural news.



The D6 Communicator plays an integral part in our communication, not only with news, instant alerts etc., but as an resource in terms of academic content and homework dissemination. Please download from either the Google Play Store, Apple App Store, or visit **www.d6technology.com/downloads/school**



Our recently revamped school website offers a complete overview of our school's ethos along with information on our Knights and Corbishley Ellis Foundation. A tour of our facilities is on offer, as well as direct link to our Payment Portal, Newsletters and important contact information.

www.northwoodschool.co.za

Our school facebook page has a vibrant and growing community of over 3000 followers, showcasing our latest news, events and achievements.

Our facebook name is: Northwood School



The Northwood sport twitter feed will keep you posted with the latest sport news and results as they happen.

Follow us on twitter: @NorthwoodSport



The newest addition to our social media platform is our Instagram feed. It offers a fun and relaxed view of school life at Northwood with most content being generated by the boys themselves.

Find us on Instagram: nwoodschool

To streamline payments we have introduced an Online Payment Portal which can be found on our school website or alternatively: payments@northwoodschool.co.za This portal offers parents the opportunity to pay for school tours, events, supporters gear etc.

payments.northwoodschool.co.za

Registration Teachers – 2019

GRADE 8					
	REG TEACHER	GR TUTORS			
8CO	Mrs Coulter	Mrs Prins			
8HT	Ms Halsall	Mrs Torgius			
8JO	Mrs Joseph	Mrs Prins			
8KD	Mr Kennedy	Mrs Torgius			
8JN	Ms Kraay	Mrs Prins			
8MS	Mr Marais	Mrs Prins			
8SD	Ms Sardinha	Mrs Torgius			
8SR	Mr Sorenson	Mrs Prins			
8WB	Mr Wiblin	Mrs Torgius			
Dean of	Grade: Mrs Stanley				

GRADE 10						
	REG TEACHER	GR TUTORS				
10BL	Mr Blake	Mr McDowall				
10BS	Mrs Beissner	Mr McDowall				
10BT	Mrs Butt	Mr McDowall				
10GM	Mr Grimaldi	Mr McDowall				
10MH	Mr Mchunu	Mr Naidoo(NG)				
10SB	Mr Scruby	Mr Naidoo (NG)				
10WD	Mr Woods	Mr Naidoo (NG)				
Dean of 0	Grade: Mr Barry					

GRADE 12						
	REG TEACHER	GR TUTORS				
12BA	Mr Bodalia	Mr Naidoo (NA)				
12DM	Ms Domun	Mr Naidoo (NA)				
12EV	Ms Evans	Mr Naidoo (NA)				
12GB	Mr Gebreab	Mr Naidoo (NA)				
12MD	Mr Moodley	Mr Krause				
12NA	Mr Naidoo	Mr Krause				
12P	Mr Stanley	Mr Krause				
12VW	Mrs v/d Westhuizen	Mr Krause				
Dean of (Grade: Mr Govender					

2019 School Year

Term	School Opens	School Closes
1	(Staff 7) (Boys 9) January	15 March
2	2 April	14 June
3	9 July	20 September
4	1 October	(Boys 4) (Staff 6) December

Number of Weeks and actual number of school days

Term:	1	Weeks:	10	School Days:	48 (50)
	2		11		51
	3		11		53
	4		10		47 (49)

GRADE 9						
	REG TEACHER	GR TUTORS				
9BR	Ms Bristow	Mrs Dawson				
9DL	Mr Dlamini	Mrs Dawson				
9FR	Mrs Fuller	Mrs Dawson				
9GA	Mr Gasa	Mrs Dawson				
9HK	Mr Hosking	Mrs le Roux				
9MJ	Mrs Mountjoy	Mrs le Roux				
9RD	Mr Rademeyer	Mrs le Roux				
9RG	Mr Rughoonandan	Mrs le Roux				
9RO	Mr Robertson	Mrs le Roux				
Dean o	f Grade: Mr le Roux					

GRADE 11						
	REG TEACHER	GR TUTORS				
11AD	Mr Addo-Kuffour	Mrs Hadyn				
11BN	Mrs Bonsignore	Mrs Hadyn				
11HA	Mr Harishun	Mrs Hadyn				
11MT	Mrs Morton	Mr Halse				
11PB	Mr Peerbhay	Mr Halse				
11RK	Ms Ramseook	Mr Halse				
11RT	Mr Richter	Mr Halse				
Dean o	f Grade: Mr Rich					

Important Dates 2019 (Subject to Change)

DAY	DATE	TO DATE	TIME	EVENT	VENUE
JANUA		I			
Wed	9			Term 1 Begins	
Wed	9		7:45 am	Squires Induction & Bell ringing	
Fri	11		8:00 am	Grade 12 Knighting Ceremony	
Fri	11	13		BE Bonding Weekend	
Sat	12			Virginia 6-A-Side Cricket	Northwood
Mon	14		6pm	Prize Giving	Hall
Tues	15		5:30-7:30	Matric Information Evening	Hall
Wed	16	13/3		Toastmasters	AV1
Fri	18		5:30	New parents family braai	Northwood
Fri	18			Clifton time trial gala	Clifton
Sat	19			Waterpolo, Basketball & Cricket vs Clifton	Various
Tues	22		2pm	Interhouse Gala	Home
Wed	23			RCL Elections	
Wed	23			Hilton Gala	Hilton
Thurs	24	27		Grey 1st Team Waterpolo Tournament	Bloemfontein
Sat	26			Waterpolo, Basketball & Cricket vs Hilton	Hilton
Wed	30			Chelsea Prep Information Evening	Chelsea Prep
Thurs	31	2/2		Pearson 2 nd Team Waterpolo Tournament	Port Elizabeth
FEBRU	ARY				
Fri	1			Mtunzini Expo	Mtunzini
Sat	2			Waterpolo, Basketball & Cricket vs Michaelhouse	Michaelhouse
Tues	5			Chinese New Year	
Tues	5		7:45-11:00	Grade 7 Open Day	Northwood
Wed	6		5:30-8:30	Grade 6 Open Evening (TBC)	Lower Campus
Thurs	7		5:30-8:30	Grade 7 Open Evening	Northwood
Fri	8			Westville Gala	Westville
Sat	9			Waterpolo, Basketball & Cricket vs Westville	Various
Sat	9	10		Midmar Mile	Midmar
Mon	11			Championship Gala	Home
Wed	13			Co-Ed Gala	Home
Wed	13		2:00–5:00	Laddsworth Primary High school Expo	Pietermaritzburg
Thurs	14			Valentine's Day	
Thurs	14			Valentine's Visits (Prefects)	
Thurs	14	17		Selborne Vides Waterpolo Tournament	East London
Thurs	14	16		Duzi Canoe Marathon	
Fri	15		6:00-10:00	Junior Social	Hall
Sat	16			Waterpolo, Basketball, Cricket vs Glenwood	Various
Wed	20		6:00 - 8:30	Top 10 Gala	Kings Park
Fri	22			Scholarship Applications Close	
Fri	22	24		u15A/B Dallas Hutton Waterpolo Tournament	Home
Sat	23			Waterpolo, Basketball, Cricket vs DHS	

3/3 3/3 23 23 18 18 18 24	2pm 6:00-8:30 8am 8am	Glenwood Expo Interhouse Cricket, Waterpolo, Basketball Knights Networking Breakfast u15A Waterpolo Tournament Parktown DND Gala Scholarship Exam Surfing Fundraiser Movie Night Kearsney/St Charles/Sunfoil Waterpolo, Basketball & Cricket Individual & Class Photos Closing Date for Applications for 2020 Matric Hamlet Excursion Rugby & Hockey vs Maritzburg College Hockey Tour to Malaysia Toastmaster Graduation End of Term 1	Glenwood School TBC Johannesburg Kings Park Northwood Various Playhouse Maritzburg Coll.
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18 18		Hockey Tour to Malaysia Toastmaster Graduation	
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		u14 Parktown Rugby Tournament	Johannesburg
24		u15B Northwood Rugby Festival	Northwood
		Grey High School – 1 st and all A Teams	Port Elizabeth
		Human Rights Day	
31		1 st Team Founders Hockey Festival	Home
		Term 2 Begins	
	5:30-7:00	Grade 12 Parents Evening	Hall
	5:30-7:00	Grade 8 Parents Evening	Hall
		Interhouse Rugby, Hockey, Volleyball	Northwood
		No Fixtures	
	5:30-7:00	Grade 10 - 11 Parents Evening	Hall
	5:30-7:00	Grade 9 Parents Evening	Hall
	3:15	Cross Country at Kingsway & Kuswag	Amanzimtoti
		Rugby & Hockey vs DHS	DHS
	3:15	Cross Country at Curro Hillcrest	Hillcrest
22		1 st Team KES Rugby & Hockey Festival	Johannesburg
22		Jeppe u16A Rugby Festival	Johannesburg
22		Parktown u15A Rugby Festival	Johannesburg
22		Parktown U14A Hockey Tournament	Johannesburg
		Good Friday	
22		Founder u14A Hockey Festival	Home
22		Ken Florens u14B Hockey Tournament	Home
		Easter Monday	
	3:15	Cross Country at Clifton	Virginia Bush
		Joburg to Sea Cycling Marathon	
		Freedom Day	
		Rugby & Hockey vs Hilton	Home
		Workers' Day	
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Sat	4			Rugby & Hockey vs Westville (Compulsory)	Home
Sat	4			BE Sleepover	Mathias Place
Mon	6			Start of Ramadan	
Wed	8			Election Day	
Sat	11			Rugby & Hockey vs Parktown	Home
Sun	12			Mothers' Day	
Wed	15		3:15	Cross Country at Crawford	Durban North
Thurs	16			Sani to Sea Cycling Marathon	
Sat	18			Rugby & Hockey vs Michaelhouse (Compulsory)	Home
Wed	22		3:15	Cross Country at Waterfall College	Waterfall
Sat	24	25		All Hockey, Rugby, Tennis, Squash, Chess, E-Sport @ St Benedicts	Johannesburg
JUNE	-				
Sat	1			Rugby & Hockey vs St Charles	St Charles
Wed	5			Eid al-Fitr	
Thurs	6	8		Reunion Weekend	Northwood
Thurs	6			Golf Day	Mt Edgcombe
Fri	7		7:30-10:30	Old Boys Breakfast and Assembly	Jubilee Room
Fri	7		6:30 →	Reunion Dinner	Northwood
Sat	8			Old Boys Day & Classic Clash vs Kearsney	
Sun	9			Comrades Marathon	
Thurs	13			Rugby & Hockey vs Staff/Boys vs Old Boys	Northwood
Thurs	13	16		1st Team Kloof Soccer Tournament	Kloof
Fri	14			End of Term 2	
Fri	14	18		2nd Team Sportweni Cricket Festival	South Coast
Sun	16			Youth Day	
Sun	16			Fathers' Day	
JULY		-			
Tues	9			Term 3 Begins	
Thurs	11		5:30 - 7:00	Academic Concerns Evening	Hall
Thurs	18			Nelson Mandela Day	
Fri	19			Top 10 Tea	Northwood
Sat	20		6.30	Matric Dance	Hall
Fri	26		<u>+</u> 4:30 →	Night Market (Christmas in July)	Northwood
Tues	30			Interhouse Athletics	Northwood
AUGUS	ST				
Tues	6		5:30-7:00	Grade 9 Subject Choice Evening	Hall
Fri	9			Women's Day	
Sun	11			Eid al-Adha	
Thurs	15	17		Musical	Hall
Fri	16			Quadrangular Athletics	Northwood
Tues	20			Sports Photos	
Fri	23		10:20	Prefect Announcement	Hall
Fri	23			Subject Choice returned	
Fri	23		6:00-10:00	Junior Social	Hall
Fri	23		6:00	Grade 11 Dance	Hall
Mon	26			Prefects Tie Ceremony	Jubilee Room

Mon	26			Matric Trials Begin	
SEPTE	MBER				
Wed	4			Secretary's Day	
Fri	13	16		North/South 1st Team T20 Cricket	Pretoria
Tues	17		6pm	Sports, Cultural & Service Banquet	Hall
Wed	18	20		Leadership Camps	
Wed	18	20		Grade 11 Work Experience	
Fri	20			End of Term 3	
Fri	20	24		PBHS u14A Cricket Festival	Pretoria
Fri	20	24		u14 Shaun Pollock Cricket Festival	Home
Fri	20	24		SACS 1 st Team Waterpolo Tournament	Cape Town
Fri	20	24		u16 DHS Kookaburra Cricket Festival	Durban Various
Fri	20	24		1st Team Soccer Grey Tournament	Bloemfontein
Fri	20	24		Michaelmas 1 st XI Cricket Tournament	Pietermaritzburg
Tues	24			Heritage Day	
Thurs	26	29		u16 DHS Waterpolo Festival	DHS
Thurs	26	27		Primary School High Performance Clinics	Northwood
ОСТОВ	BER				
Tues	1			Term 4 Begins	
Wed	2		6pm	Prefects Dinner	
Fri	4		10am	Speech Day	
Fri	4			Marketing Fundraiser	
Mon	7			Matric Exams Begin	
Wed	16			Boss' Day	
Thurs	17	20		1 st Team Saints Stayers Waterpolo Festival	Johannesburg
Thurs	17	20		u14A Grey College Waterpolo Festival	Bloemfontein
Fri	25	27		Grey Bloem Exchange Cricket/Waterpolo	
Sun	27			Diwali	
NOVEN	MBER				
Fri	1			BE Year End Function	
Mon	11			Remembrance Day	
Wed	13			Sardine Run	
Fri	22			Last Day for Staff	

High Days and Holidays

Thursday 21 March Friday 19 March Monday 22 April Saturday 27 April Wednesday 01 May Sunday 16 June Friday 09 August Tuesday 24 September Human Rights Day Good Friday Easter Monday Freedom Day Workers' Day Youth Day Women's Day Heritage Day



Northwood Tuck Shop Price List

BREAKFAST	SNACKS AND CONFI	SNACKS AND CONFECTIONS			
NUTELLA TOAST	R6,00	MUFFINS	R10,00		
MUFFINS	R10,00	POPCORN	R8,00		
BACON AND SCRAMBLED EGG ROLL	R28,00	BILTONG STICKS	R5,00		
TOASTED BACON AND EGG SANDWICH	R22,00	CHOCOLATE BROWNIE	R12,00		
BACON ROLL	R22,00	CHOC CHIP CRUNCHIE	R10,00		
		CHOC CHIP COOKIE	R10,00		
HOT FOOD - to be ordered be	fore break	SPLASH LOLLIES	R4,00		
FOOTLONG HOT DOG	R22,00	ICE LOLLIES	R2,00		
BACON ROLL	R22,00				
BACON AND EGG ROLL	R27,00	SNACKS - CHIPS, SWEETS AN	ND CHOCOLATE		
CRUMBED CHICKEN STRIPS	R22,00	FUDGE	R9,00		
BBQ CHICKEN CHIP ROLL	R29,00	SMUDGIES	R9,00		
нот снірѕ	R12,00	SMARTIES	R10,00		
CHIP ROLL	R16,00	ALL CHOCOLATES	R10,00		
PIES/SAUSAGE ROLLS - ASSORTED	R22,00	JELLY BABIES/BEANS	R12,00		
PIE ON ROLL	R26,00	WINE GUMS	R10,00		
PIZZA - MARGHERITA	R20,00	TANGY LOOPS	R2,00		
PIZZA - PEPPERONI	R25,00	TANGY WORMS	R2,00		
TRAMMEZZINIS AND WE	RAPS	ZOMBIE CHEWS	R3,00		
CHICKEN MAYO	R30,00	ZOUR BOMBS	R1,00		
THE SHAUN BAKER	R35,00	LOLLIPOPS	R2,00		
SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN	R30,00				
CHEESE AND MINCE	R30,00	SOFT DRINKS	S		
THE DIVAN VAN WYK	R35,00	BUDDIES/SPORTS DRINKS	R16,00		
TOASTED SANDWICHE	ES	SOFT DRINK CANS	R12,00		
CHEESE	R15,00	FLAVOURED WATER	R10,00		
CHEESE AND TOMATO	R18,00	STILL WATER	R10,00		
CHEESE AND BACON	R20,00	SUPER M	R12,00		
BACON AND EGG	R22,00	ICED TEA - PEACH/LEMON	R15,00		
CHICKEN MAYO	R25,00	GRAPETISER/APPLETISER	R15,00		
MINCE AND CHEESE	R25,00	FLAVOURED SLUSHIE	R10,00		
NORTHWOOD SPECIA	LS	COFFEE STATIO	COFFEE STATION		
GREEN SALAD	R30,00				
CHICKEN SALAD	R40,00	CAPPUCCINO REGULAR	R24,00		
BEEF BURGER & CHIPS	R40,00	CAPPUCCINO LARGE	R28,00		
CHICKEN BURGER & CHIPS	R40,00	FILTER COFFEE/AMERICANO	R19,00		
VEG BURGER AND CHIPS	R40,00	DECAF CAPPUCCINO	R26,00		
		RED CAPPUCCINO/LATTE	R29,00		
		HOT CHOCOLATE	R16,00		
CHECK THE BOARDS FOR SPE	MILO	R15,00			
		TEA - FIVE ROSES	R15,00		
		TEA - ROOIBOS	R15,00		

Bell Times

DAY	Period 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	07:40 - 08:10	08:10 - 09:05	09:05 - 10:00	10:00 - 10:15	10:15 - 11:10	11:10 - 12:00	12:00 - 12:30	12:30 - 13:25	13:25 - 14:15
MON	ASSEMBLY			BREAK			BREAK		
2	07:40 - 08:30	08:30 - 09:20	09:20 - 10:25	10:25 - 10:40	10:40 - 11:25	11:25 - 12:10	12:10 - 12:40	12:40 - 13:30	13:30 - 14:15
TUES			REG & TEST	BREAK			BREAK		
3	07:40 - 08:40	08:40 - 09:35	09:35 - 09:50	09:50 - 10:45	10:45 - 11:40	11:40 - 12:10	12:10 - 13:05	13:05 - 14:00	
WED			BREAK			BREAK			
4	07:40 - 08:30	08:30 - 09:20	09:20 - 10:25	10:25 - 10:40	10:40 - 11:25	11:25 - 12:10	12:10 - 12:40	12:40 - 13:30	13:30 - 14:15
THUR			REG & TEST	BREAK			BREAK		
5	07:40 - 08:00	08:00 - 08:50	08:50 - 09:40	09:40 - 10:30	10:30 - 11:00	11:00 - 11:50	11:50 - 12:40	12:40 - 13:30	
FRI	REGISTRATION				BREAK				
6	07:40 - 08:10	08:10 - 09:05	09:05 - 10:00	10:00 - 10:15	10:15 - 11:10	11:10 - 12:00	12:00 - 12:30	12:30 - 13:25	13:25 - 14:15
MON	ASSEMBLY			BREAK			BREAK		
7	07:40 - 08:30	08:30 - 09:20	09:20 - 10:25	10:25 - 10:40	10:40 - 11:25	11:25 - 12:10	12:10 - 12:40	12:40 - 13:30	13:30 - 14:15
TUES			REG & TEST	BREAK			BREAK		
8	07:40 - 08:40	08:40 - 09:35	09:35 - 09:50	09:50 - 10:45	10:45 - 11:40	11:40 - 12:10	12:10 - 13:05	13:05 - 14:00	
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			REG & TEST	BREAK			BREAK		
10	07:40 - 08:00	08:00 - 08:50	08:50 - 09:40	09:40 - 10:30	10:30 - 11:00	11:00 - 11:50	11:50 - 12:40	12:40 - 13:30	
FRI	REGISTRATION				BREAK				

Times for No-Test Tuesdays and Thursdays (Days 2, 4, 7 & 9)									
2, 4,	07:40 - 08:40	08:40 - 09:40	09:40 - 09:50	09:50 - 10:05	10:05 - 11:00	11:00 - 11:55	11:55 - 12:25	12:25 - 13:20	13:20 - 14:15
7, 9			REG	BREAK			BREAK		

Sport & Culture

From the Head of Extramurals

Mr G. Le Roux Deputy Headmaster – Extramurals gleroux@nwood.co.za

Welcome back to all our boys and parents. A special welcome to our new Grade 8 learners and those that have joined us in other grades across the school. You have made a very wise decision in sending your son to Northwood and I have no doubt your son will enjoy every minute of his time with us.

I reiterated to the new Grade 8 learners on Monday about the importance of sport and their involvement in the extra mural program of the school. Northwood is a school where there are so many opportunities for our boys to get involved that each learner can find their place. There are over 30 different options available to our boys throughout the course of the year. Although it is compulsory for our learners to be involved in one extra mural per term, we do encourage involvement in as many as possible provided there is still time to focus on academics. Our most successful students at Northwood are our most involved.

As parents I ask that you encourage your son to get involved where he can. Try new things, some of which may be outside of our comfort zone, but this is what helps us grow and develop as individuals.

Just a reminder of some of the expectations we have of our boys at Northwood:

- Ensure involvement in at least one extra mural per term, of which "pre-season" sport does not count.
- Practice kit will always be PE kit unless otherwise stated by the Master in Charge.
- Boys are to leave school at the conclusion of practice in either full school uniform or with their tracksuit top zipped up with closed shoes (tekkies).
- Boys are to arrive AND leave every fixture in full school uniform. This includes tie and blazer. Irrespective of the venue of the fixture, full school uniform always applies.
- Boys are to arrive at least a 45 minutes prior to any fixture.
- On the rare occasion of a learner not being available for a fixture, one weeks written notice is to be given to the Master in Charge of the sport.

All communication for Sport at Northwood is done though our sport website,

<u>www.northwoodschoolsport.com</u>. Please ensure you create a link on your home screen of your smart devices for easy access to all things related to sport at Northwood. On this website you will find the practice days, times and venues as well as fixtures, team lists and results. The contact details for all our Masters in Charge are also available on the site under the "Sports Contacts" tab, as well as valuable resources under the "Resources" tab.

I wish all boys, staff and parents of Northwood a fantastic 2019!

Toastmasters 2019

The annual toastmasters programme for grade 11(2019) only will commence on Wednesday 16 January 2019 in AV1 from 2.30- 4.30 pm.

It will continue for 8 consecutive Wednesday until the graduation on 6 March 2019 which will begin at 5.30pm. Cost per learners is 375 to be paid at the back office.

Unfortunately, the programme can only accommodate 21 learners so please pay your moneys at back office to secure your place.

Regards Ms V. Domun



Sports Insurance

It is highly recommended that learners to take out Pupil Insurance with Marsh Insurance to cover sports injuries and emergency attention.

WHAT IS COVERED?

The cover is for any accidental injury occurring: -

- on school premises and related residential facilities;
- outside the school whilst participating in any sporting activity or other

extra-mural activity organised and supervised by the school, including whilst travelling by a reasonable direct route;

• whilst in After-care Centres registered and recognised by Local Authorities;

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

Medical Expenses resulting from an accident R50,000 INNER LIMITS

- Physiotherapy/Chiropractor/Biokinetics R8 000
- X-Rays R8 000
- MRI and CAT scans R12 000
- Permanent Disability –Scale of Benefits, a percentage (%) of R150,000
- Death (learners under 6 years) R10,000 Death (other than the aforementioned) R30,000

CO-PAYMENTS

• Rugby Claims for Grade 8–12 will attract a R500 Franchise, whereby no claim under R500 will be entertained, but claims over R500 will be settled in full;

• All other claims will attract a R250 Franchise.

SPECIAL FEATURES

- Childcare
- Emergency transport
- Life support equipment
- Rehabilitation
- Trauma counselling.

NORTHWOOD BOYS HIGH SCHOOL LEARNER'S PERSONAL ACCIDENT | 2019 A FEW EXCLUSIONS

- Caused solely by an existing physical defect or other infirmity;
- caused by the insured person's suicide or intentional self-injury;
- wilful exposure to danger;
- caused by the insured person's participation in any riot or civil commotion;
- war, revolution etc;
- criminal offences.

COSTS

	CATEGORY	ANNUAL PREMIUM
(a)	Rugby playing learners Gr 8 – 12	1800
(b)	Other high school boys	780
(C)	Teacher, Administration and General Employees	245

Note: The premium quoted is inclusive of a R5.00 per capita policy fee, 15% VAT and legislated commission

Forms are available on the D6 under Resources, Category: 2019 Sport: Marsh Pupil Insurance and on SOCS on <u>www.northwoodschoolsport.com</u>



Fixtures Term 1 & 2

Date	Opposition	Venue
4-7 January	1 st Cricket Grey College Festival	Grey High School
18 January	Clifton Time Trial Gala	Clifton
19 January	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs Clifton	Various
22 January	Inter-house Swimming Gala	Northwood
24-27 January	1 st Water Polo Grey College Tournament	Grey College
26 January	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs Hilton	Various
2 February	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs Michaelhouse	Various
8 February	Westville Invitational Gala	Westville
9 February	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs Westville	Various
11 February	Northwood Championship Gala	Northwood
13 February	Government Schools Gala	Maritzburg College
14-17 February	Vides Water Polo Tournament	Selbourne
16 February	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs Glenwood	Various
20 February	Top 10 Swimming Gala	Kings Park
22-24 February	Dallas Hutton Northwood Water Polo Festival	Northwood
23 February	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs DHS	Various
25 February	Inter-house Cricket, Water Polo and Basketball	Northwood
27 February	D and D Gala	DHS
28 Feb-3 March	15A Indigo Water Polo Tournament	Parktown
2 March	Cricket, Water Polo, Basketball vs St Charles & Kearsney	Various
9 March	Hockey and Rugby vs Maritzburg College	Maritzburg College
15-18 March	U15B Northwood Rugby Festival	Northwood
15-18 March	U14A Parktown Rugby Festival	Parktown
21-24 March	1 st , U16A, U15A, U14A Grey High Rugby Festival	Grey High School
28-31 March	1 st Hockey Founders Festival	Northwood
5 March	Inter-house Rugby, Hockey and Volleyball	Northwood
6-7 April	2 nd Crawford Hockey Festival	Crawford La Lucia
13 April	Hockey and Rugby vs Durban High School	DHS
17-22 April	1 st Hockey KES Festival	KES
17-22 April	1 st Rugby KES Festival	KES
17-22 April	U16A Jeppe Rugby Festival	Jeppe
17-22 April	U15A Parktown Rugby Festival	Parktown
19-22 April	U14A Founders Hockey	Parktown
19-22 April	U14B Ken Florens Hockey Festival	Northwood
27 April	Hockey and Rugby vs Hilton	Northwood
4 May	Hockey and Rugby vs Westville	Northwood
11 May	Hockey and Rugby vs Parktown	Northwood
18 May	Hockey and Rugby vs Michaelhouse (Compulsory)	Northwood
25 May	Hockey and Rugby vs St Benedicts	St Benedicts
1 June	Hockey and Rugby vs St Charles	St Charles
8 June	Hockey and Rugby vs Kearsney - Old Boys Day	Northwood
13-16 June	1 st Kloof Soccer Tournament	Kloof

For all extra mural details with regards to 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.

TEACH HIM KINDLY, WORLD

By Abraham Lincoln

On the eve of Lincoln Jnr. going to school

World take this boy by the hand – he starts Grade 5 (Grade 8) today.

It's going to be strange and new for a while and I wish you would sort of treat him gently. You see, up to now, he's been king of the roost. He's been the boss of the back yard. We have always been around to repair his wounds and been handy to soothe his feelings.

But now, things are going to be different. This morning he's going to walk down the front steps, wave his hand and start on a great adventure that probably will include wars and tragedy and sorrow.

To live in this world will require faith and love and courage. So, World, I wish you would sort of take him by his young hand and teach him the things he will have to know.

Teach him – but gently, if you can.

He will have to learn, I know, that all people are not just – that all people are not true. Teach him that for every scoundrel there is a hero; that for every crooked politician there is a dedicated leader. Teach him that for every enemy there is a friend. Let him learn early that the bullies are the easiest people to lick.

Teach him the wonders of books. Give him the quiet time to ponder the eternal mystery of birds in the sky, bees in the sun and flowers on a green hill. Teach him that it is far more honourable to fail than to cheat. Teach him to have faith in his own ideas, even if everyone tells him they are wrong.

Try to give this boy the strength not to follow the crowd when everyone else is getting on the bandwagon. Teach him to listen to all people, but to filter all he hears on a screen of truth and to take only the good that comes through.

Teach him to sell his brawn and brain to the highest bidder but never to put a tag on his heart and soul. Teach him to close his ears on a howling mob – and to stand and fight if he thinks he's right.

Teach him gently, World, but don't coddle him, because only the test of fire makes fine steel.

This is a big order, World, but see what you can do. He's such a nice boy ...

Smalls

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