

# Northwood News

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## From the Headmaster's Desk

MR P P VILJOEN

Dear Parents

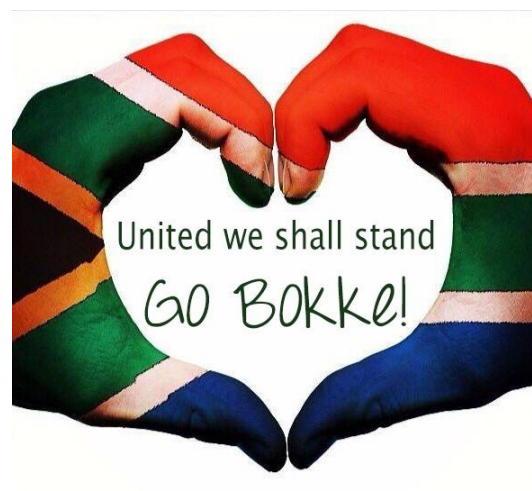
It is a sad reality that we live in a world where rules exist, but accountability for breaking rules is almost non-existent. The role models that boys are supposed to look up to in the broader South African society and, by extension, the rest of the world have a laissez-faire attitude towards rules – it seems it has become the norm to do the wrong thing. A sad situation indeed.

So, how do we manage this and how do we get our boys to understand that doing the right thing should be the norm and not the exception? I believe the secret lies in being a value-driven and not rule-driven school. During the last couple of weeks, we have engaged with our staff and boys to identify those values that will drive us in future – values that these young men will take with them into the world; values that will dictate behaviour and will allow them to naturally do the right thing. Rules will not matter then, as values dictate the behaviour.

The values the boys and staff have come up with are listed below. As parents- I ask that you reinforce these values at home. Together we can ensure that we send men of great integrity into the world.

We promise to abide by and uphold the values which define us as Prefects and Gentlemen

- To Respect the Badge
- To Respect all who form a part of Northwood School
- To Protect our Brotherhood with compassion and honesty
- To be held Accountable for our Actions
- To Put Others First
- To Respect our Environment and be active in its survival.
- To Uphold Integrity and do the Right thing – even when no-one is watching.
- To Leave this school better than how we found it.
- To believing that Nothing is beneath us and we are never too big to do the small things.
- To be Humble in our Attitudes and Actions.
- And to honour our motto – Acquit ye Like Men



### Thought for the Week

"Do not speak badly of yourself, for the warrior that is inside you hears your words and is lessened by them. You are strong and you are brave. There is a nobility of spirit within you. Let it grow."

### Important Dates

#### November

Mon 11	Remembrance Day (11am)
Wed 13	Sardine Run

Lastly, allow me a moment to wish our beloved Springboks good luck for the upcoming World Cup Final! I know they will proudly represent our country.

Enjoy the game.  
Paul



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# Academics

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## Homework Centre

The Homework Centre will be open during the exam period from when the exam ends to 15:00. Please encourage your son's to make use of this learning area.

## 2020 Books and Stationery

All lists of books and stationery for 2020 are on the D6. Dynamic books are offering a discount on early orders – see lists for information.

## Northwood Work Books

When these have been printed and delivered, we will share information on where and when they can be purchased. Please note that these cannot be bought or sold as second hand books.

## Second Hand Text Books

The Northwood Book Store is situated on Lower Campus adjacent to the Uniform Shop.

This will be open from 10:30 to 15:00 on Tuesdays and Thursdays. We only sell books that are in good condition, so it is worth going to have a look before ordering new ones.

Please encourage your son to bring in his text books after he writes that subject and take it to Mrs Prins in the book store on the days advertised.

Any queries email Mrs Prins on [bprins@nwood.co.za](mailto:bprins@nwood.co.za)

I'm making space for the unknown future to fill up my life with yet-to-come surprises

- Elizabeth Gilbert  
Future Quotes

# Matric Final Exam Timetable

	09:00	14:00
Fri 01 Nov	Phys Science (Physics) P1 (3 Hrs)	
Mon 04 Nov	Phys Science (Chemistry) P2 (3 Hrs)	
Tues 05 Nov	Geography (Theory) P1 (3 Hrs)	Geography (Mapwork) P2 (1½ Hrs)
Wed 06 Nov	English HL P2 (2½ Hrs)	
Thurs 07 Nov	Business Studies (3 Hrs)	
Fri 08 Nov	Life Sciences P1 (2½ Hrs)	
Mon 11 Nov	Life Sciences P2 (2½ Hrs)	Engineering Graphics & Design P1 (3 Hrs)
Wed 13 Nov	Afrikaans FAL P2 (2 Hrs)	
Thurs 14 Nov	Economics P2 (2 Hrs)	IsiZulu FAL P2 (2 Hrs)
Mon 18 Nov		Engineering Graphics & Design P2 (3 Hrs)
Tues 19 Nov	IsiZulu FAL P3 (2½ Hrs)	
Wed 20 Nov	Tourism (3 Hrs)	
Thurs 21 Nov		Visual Arts (3 Hrs)
Fri 22 Nov	Afrikaans FAL P3 (2½ Hrs)	Information Tech P2 (Theory) (3 Hrs)
Mon 25 Nov		History P2 (3 Hrs)
Tues 26 Nov	English HL P3 (2½ Hrs)	

# Grade 8 & 9 End of Year Exam Timetables

Date	Time	Grade 8	Grade 9
Fri 25/10	08h15 – 10h15	Life Science (1 Hr)	EMS
Tues 29/10	08h15 – 10h15	Maths	Physical Science (1 Hr)
Wed 30/10	08h15 – 10h15	Study	History (1½ Hrs)
Thurs 31/10	08h15 – 10h15	Physical Science (1 Hr)	English P2
Fri 01/11	08h15 – 10h15	Study	Maths
Mon 04/11	08h15 – 10h15	History (1½ Hrs)	English P4 (1½ Hrs)
Wed 06/11	08h15 – 10h15	Creative Arts/ Music	Afrikaans P2/ IsiZulu P2
Fri 08/11	08h15 – 10h15	Technology	Life Science (1 Hr)
Mon 11/11	08h15 – 10h15	Geography (1½ Hrs)	Afrikaans P4 (1½ Hrs) / IsiZulu P4 (1½ Hrs)
Wed 13/11	08h15 – 10h15	EMS	Technology
Fri 15/11	08h15 – 10h15	English P2	Creative Arts/ Music
Mon 18/11	08h15 – 10h15	Afrikaans P2/ IsiZulu P2	Geography (1½ Hrs)

# Grade 10 & 11 End of Year Exam Timetables

Date	Time	Grade 10	Grade 11
<b>Fri 01/11</b>	08h15	Accounting P1/ Music P1 (3 Hrs)	<b>EGD P2 (2½ Hrs)</b>
<b>Mon 04/11</b>	08h15	Afrikaans P2/ IsiZulu P2	Life Sciences P2 (2½ Hrs)
		Economics P1 (11h00 – 13h00)	Accounting P2 (11h30 – 13h30)/ Music P2 (1½ Hrs)
<b>Tues 05/11</b>	08h15	<b>EGD P2</b>	Geography P1 (3 Hrs)
	11h00	IT P2 / Design / Economics P2	Geography P2 (1½ Hrs) (12h30 – 14h00)
<b>Wed 06/11</b>	08h15	Life Science P1 (2½ Hrs)	English P1
	11h00		History P1 (3 hrs)
<b>Thur 07/11</b>	08h15	Account P2/ Music P2 (1½ Hrs)	Bus Studies P2
<b>Fri 08/11</b>	<b>09h00</b>	<b>Maths P1 (2 Hrs)/</b> Maths Lit P1 (1½ Hrs)	<b>Physical Science P1 (3 Hrs)</b>
<b>Mon 11/11</b>	<b>09h00</b>	<b>Maths P2 (2 Hrs) /</b> Maths Lit P2 (1½ Hrs)	<b>Physical Science P2 (3 Hrs)</b>
<b>Tue 12/11</b>	08h15	Life Science P2 (2½ Hrs)	History P2 (3 Hrs)
<b>Wed 13/11</b>	08h15	English P1	Afrikaans P2/ IsiZulu P2
	11h00	Bus Studies P2	Tourism
<b>Thur 14/11</b>	08h15	History (3 Hrs)	IT P2 (3 Hrs)/ Art P1/ Econ P2
<b>Fri 15/11</b>	<b>09h00</b>	<b>Physical Science P1</b>	<b>Maths P1 (3 Hrs) / Maths Lit P1 (2 Hrs)</b>
<b>Mon 18/11</b>	<b>09h00</b>	<b>Physical Science P2</b>	<b>Maths P2 (3 Hrs) /</b> Maths Lit P2 (2 Hrs)

**Note:** Provincial Papers are indicated in bold print

**All Papers are 2 Hrs** unless indicated otherwise.

19 and 20 November **Script Check** (8:00 – 10:00)



# Sport & Culture

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Looking at our 2020 Sports Calendar it is going to be another exciting year where we are testing ourselves against many of the top schools in the country. Please see the summary of fixtures below for Term 1 & 2 in 2020. As always we expect all boys to be involved in sport on weekends with the exceptions being very few and far between. The calendar below is likely to have a few changes as we progress throughout the year. Below the fixtures is the full list of school tours throughout the year with the estimated costs associated with each tour. If your son is likely to be in one of the touring teams we ask that you make the necessary arrangement from a financial perspective.

Please see our Fixtures and School Tours for 2020 on the following pages.

For all extra mural details with regards to fixtures, notices, practice times and transport arrangements please visit [www.northwoodschoolsport.com](http://www.northwoodschoolsport.com).

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# Sport 2020 Term 1 and 2

Date	Fixture	Venue
8-12 Jan	1 <sup>st</sup> Cricket - Grey Cricket Festival	Bloemfontein
8-12 Jan	U15A Cricket - Maritzburg College Cricket Festival	Pietermaritzburg
17 Jan	Clifton Time Trial Gala	Clifton
18 Jan	VS Hilton - Cricket, Water Polo and Basketball	Away (cricket varied)
22 Jan	Inter House Gala	Northwood
23-26 Jan	1 <sup>st</sup> Water Polo - Grey College Water Polo Tournament	Bloemfontein
25 Jan	VS Michaelhouse - Cricket, Water Polo and Basketball	Home (cricket varied)
29 Jan	Championship Swimming Gala	Northwood
1 Feb	VS Clifton - Cricket, Water Polo and Basketball	Home (cricket varied)
8 Feb	VS Westville - Cricket, Water Polo and Basketball	Home (cricket varied)
11 Feb	Government Schools Gala	Maritzburg College
13-16 Feb	1 <sup>st</sup> Water Polo - Vides Water Polo Tournament	Selborne College
15 Feb	VS Glenwood - Cricket, Water Polo and Basketball	Away (cricket varied)
18 Feb	Top Schools Gala	Clifton/Kings Park
21-23 Feb	U15A Water Polo - Dallas Hutton Water Polo Tournament	Northwood
22 Feb	VS College - Cricket, Water Polo and Basketball	Away (cricket varied)
25 Feb	Durban and Districts Swimming Gala	DHS/Kings Park
29 Feb	VS DHS - Cricket, Water Polo and Basketball	Home (cricket varied)
5-8 March	U15A Water Polo - Indigo Water Polo Tournament	Parktown Boys
7 March	VS Kearsney – Rugby and Hockey	Away
<b>14 March</b>	<b>VS Maritzburg College – Rugby and Hockey</b>	<b>Home (Compulsory)</b>
19-22 March	1 <sup>st</sup> Hockey - Founders Festival	Affies
20-22 March	U14A Hockey - Founders Festival	Kearsney College
20-22 March	U14A Rugby - Parktown Rugby Festival	Parktown Boys
20-22 March	U15A Rugby - Parktown Rugby Festival	Parktown Boys
20-23 March	U15B Rugby - Northwood Rugby Festival	Northwood
22-24 March	2 <sup>nd</sup> Hockey - Crawford LL Hockey Festival	Crawford La Lucia
26-29 March	U14B Hockey- Ken Florens Festival	Northwood
26-29 March	U16B Hockey- Jeppe Hockey Festival	Jeppe Boys
3-4 April	VS Parktown – Rugby, Hockey, Squash, Tennis, Chess	Parktown Boys
8-11 April	1 <sup>st</sup> Rugby - KES Easter Rugby Festival	King Edward VII
8-13 April	1 <sup>st</sup> Hockey - KES Easter Hockey Festival	King Edward VII
8-13 April	U16A Rugby - Jeppe Rugby Festival	Jeppe Boys
9-12 April	U16A Hockey - Founders Hockey Festival	SACS
18 April	VS Michaelhouse – Rugby and Hockey	Away
25 April	VS Hilton – Rugby and Hockey	Away
30 April	VS Westville – Rugby and Hockey	Home
<b>9 May</b>	<b>VS St Charles – Rugby and Hockey</b>	<b>Home (Compulsory)</b>
<b>16 May</b>	<b>VS Glenwood – Rugby and Hockey</b>	<b>Home (Compulsory)</b>
<b>23 May</b>	<b>VS DHS – Rugby and Hockey- OLD BOYS DAY</b>	<b>Home (Compulsory)</b>
12-16 June	1 <sup>st</sup> Soccer - Kloof Soccer Tournament	Kloof
12-15 June	U15A Soccer - Neil Tovey Soccer Festival	Northwood

# Sport Tours 2020

	Date	Tour	Approx. Cost
1	8-12 Jan	1 <sup>st</sup> Cricket - Grey Cricket Festival	R3420
2	8-12 Jan	U15A Cricket - Maritzburg College Cricket Festival	R3420
3	23-26 Jan	1 <sup>st</sup> Water Polo - Grey College Water Polo Tournament	R3000
4	30-2 Feb	2 <sup>nd</sup> Water Polo - Pearson Water Polo Tournament	R5000
5	13-16 Feb	1 <sup>st</sup> Water Polo - Vides Water Polo Tournament	R3000
6	21-23 Feb	U15A Water Polo - Dallas Hutton Water Polo Tournament	R450
7	5-8 March	U15A Water Polo - Indigo Water Polo Tournament @ Parktown	R2800
8	19-22 Mar	1 <sup>st</sup> Hockey - Founders Festival @ Affies	R1700
9	20-22 Mar	U14A Hockey - Founders Festival @ Kearsney	R1800
10	20-22 Mar	U14A Rugby - Parktown Rugby Tournament	R2300
11	20-22 Mar	U15A Rugby - Parktown Rugby Festival	R2300
12	20-23 Mar	U15B Rugby - Northwood Rugby Festival	R1300
13	22-24 Mar	2 <sup>nd</sup> Hockey - Crawford LL Hockey Festival @ CLL	R350
14	26-29 Mar	U14B Hockey- Ken Florens Festival @ Northwood	R600
15	26-29 Mar	U16B Hockey- Jeppe Hockey Festival	R2300
16	8-11 April	1 <sup>st</sup> Rugby - KES Easter Rugby Festival	R1700
17	8-13 April	1 <sup>st</sup> Hockey - KES Easter Hockey Festival	R1700
18	8-13 April	U16A Rugby - Jeppe Rugby Festival	R2600
19	9-12 April	U16A Hockey - Founders Hockey Festival @ SACS	R2800
20	12-16 June	1 <sup>st</sup> Soccer - Kloof Soccer Tournament	R1650
21	12-16 June	U15A Soccer - Neil Tovey Soccer Festival @ Northwood	R1100
22	7-10 Aug	1 <sup>st</sup> Hockey - Top Schools Hockey Tournament @ Pretoria	R2500
23	18-21 Sep	1 <sup>st</sup> Soccer - Grey College Soccer Tournament	R3200
24	18-21 Sep	1 <sup>st</sup> Water Polo – SACS Water Polo Tournament	R5500
25	18-22 Sep	U14A Cricket - Shaun Pollock Cricket Festival	R2650
26	18-22 Sep	U17/2 <sup>nd</sup> Cricket – Kookaburra Festival	R1750
27	18-22 Sep	1 <sup>st</sup> Cricket - Michaelmas Week	R2550
28	24-27 Sep	U16A Water Polo - DHS Water Polo Tournament	R800
29	1-4 Oct	1 <sup>st</sup> Cricket – North/South Cricket Tournament	R2600
30	9-11 Oct	1 <sup>st</sup> , U14A, U15A - KZN Top 10 Water Polo @TBC	NA
31	15-18 Oct	U14A Water Polo - Grey College Tournament	R3000
32	22-25 Oct	1 <sup>st</sup> Water Polo - Knights Stayers Tournament	R500



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