

Northwood News

Friday 25 September 2020 — Volume 24

From the Headmaster's Desk

Dear Parents

As we return from celebrating Heritage Day yesterday, I am filled with renewed energy and enthusiasm as we continue to navigate the remainder of the year. The renewal of energy and enthusiasm is not a result of having a day off from school, but is rather founded on the numerous social media posts expressing the joy of what our rich heritage entails. The Rainbow Nation brings so much colour, diversity and excitement to this day each year, that one cannot help but feel reinvigorated.

In my own household the two little ones were so excited to attend school in their little heritage day outfits, and as such there was great laughter, happiness and very big smiles all round.

So the renewed energy really comes from enjoying a day of smiles and happiness, but also from an understanding that even in these trying times we have so much to be grateful for. Small wonder then that German philosopher, **Friedrich Nietzsche** appreciated the power of **laughter**. He wrote, "As soap is to the body, so laughter is to the soul."

May we all try to laugh a little more during this time, and let's remember that life is to be lived, enjoyed and appreciated.

May you all enjoy a blessed and special weekend.



Thought for the Week

"We can change the world and make it a better place. It is in your hands to make a difference."

~ Nelson Mandela

Important Dates

28 Sept	Prefect Voting (Gr 11, Staff and Prefects)
2 Oct	End of Trial Exams
7 Oct	End of Block Testing Gr 8-11
7 Oct	Grade 5 Information Evening
8&9 Oct	Grade 8-11 on short end of block testing recess
14 Oct	2021 Prefect Induction
15 Oct	2020 Prefect Dinner
19 Oct	Prefect Tie Ceremony
21 Oct	Speech Day
23 Oct	Grade 8-12 3rd Term reports handed out.
23 Oct	Term 3 ends
2 Nov	Term 4 begins
5 Nov	Start of Matric Finals
6 Nov	Golf Day
16 Nov	Start of Grade 8-16 Testing Programme
4 Dec	End of Final Testing Programme Gr 8-11
9 Dec	Matric Bell Ringing
15 Dec	End of Matric Finals
15 Dec	Reports handed out to Grade 8-11s.
15 Dec	End of Term 4



"Our rich and varied cultural heritage has a profound power to help build our nation"

— Nelson Mandela

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Trial Examination Timetable 2020

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

Date	09:00	14:00
Thurs 24 Sept	HERITAGE DAY	
Fri 25 Sept	Phys Science P1 (3 hrs)	Tourism (3 hrs)
Mon 28 Sept	Phys Science P2 (3 hrs)	Business Studies P1 (2 hrs)
Tues 29 Sept	Geography P1 (3 hrs)	Geography P2 (1½ hrs)
Wed 30 Sept	Account P2 (2 hrs)/**Music P2 (1½ hrs)	
Thurs 01 Oct	History P2 (3 hrs)	EGD P2 (3 hrs)
Fri 02 Oct	Business Studies P2 (2 hrs)	
Tues 6 Oct	AP Maths	



Term 3 Control Tests

DATE	DAY	TIME	GRADE 8	GRADE 9	GRADE 10	GRADE 11
Fri 25 Sept	10	08:00-09:00		Maths (1½ hrs)	English	Life Science
		10:00-11:00			Design	IsiZulu
Mon 28 Sept	1	08:00-09:00	Life Sciences			Maths/ Maths Lit (1½ hrs)
		10:00-11:00	History			
Tues 29 Sept	2	08:00-09:00		English	Phys Science P2	
		10:00-1:00		EMS	IsiZulu	
Wed 30 Sept	3	08:00-09:00	Afrikaans/ IsiZulu			Tourism
		10:00-11:00	Technology			IT/Econ/ Design (1½ hrs)
Thurs 1 Oct	4	08:00-09:00		Phys Science	Life Sciences	
		10:00-11:00			Geography	
Fri 2 Oct	5	08:00-09:00	Maths (1½ hrs)			Phys Science P1
		10:00-11:00				
Mon 5 Oct	6	08:00-09:00		Creative Arts	Maths/ Maths Lit (1½ hrs)	Phys Science P2
		10:00-11:00		History		
Tues 6 Oct	7	08:00-09:00	Phys Science			English
		10:00-11:00	EMS			Account (1½ hrs)
Wed 7 Oct	8	08:00-09:00		Life Science	History	Geography
		10:00-11:00			Account (1½ hrs)	

Matric Final Examination Timetable 2020

EARLY EXAMS

DATE	09:00
Mon 19 Oct	Life Orientation (LO CAT) (2 hrs)
Thurs 22 Oct	IT (Practical) P1 (3 hrs)
17 July to 23 Oct	Visual Art Practical

Date	09:00	14:00
Thurs 05 Nov		English HL P1 (2 hrs)
Fri 06 Nov	Afrikaans FAL P1 (2 hrs)	
Mon 09 Nov	IsiZulu FAL P1 (2 hrs)	
Wed 11 Nov	Economics P1 (2 hrs)	
Thurs 12 Nov	Mathematics P1 (3 hrs)	Mathematical Literacy P1 (3 hrs)
Fri 13 Nov	DIWALI/DEEPAVALI	
Mon 16 Nov	Mathematics P2 (3 hrs)	Mathematical Literacy P2 (3 hrs)
Tues 17 Nov		English HL P2 (2½ hrs)
Wed 18 Nov	Business Studies P1 (2 hrs)	
Thurs 19 Nov		Economics P2 (2 hrs)
Fri 20 Nov	Phys Science (Physics) P1 (3 hrs)	
Mon 23 Nov	Phys Science (Chemistry) P2 (3 hrs)	
Tues 24 Nov	Afrikaans FAL P2 (2 hrs)	
Wed 25 Nov	Business Studies P2 (2 hrs)	
Thurs 25 Nov	IsiZulu FAL P2 (2 hrs)	History P1 (3 hrs)
Fri 27 Nov	Life Sciences P1 (2½ hrs)	
Mon 30 Nov	Life Sciences P2 (2½ hrs)	
Tues 01 Dec	History P2 (3 hrs)	EGD P1 (3 hrs)
Thurs 03 Dec	Geography (Theory) P1 (3 hrs)	Geography (Mapwork) P2 (1½ hrs)
Fri 04 Dec	Accounting P1 (2 hrs)	Music (Theory) P1 (3 hrs)
Mon 07 Dec	Accounting P2 (2 hrs)	Music (Comprehension) P2 (1½ hrs)
Tues 08 Dec	IsiZulu FAL P3 (2½ hrs)	Tourism (3 hrs)
Wed 09 Dec		English HL P3 (2½ hrs)
Thurs 10 Dec		EGD P2 (3 hrs)
Fri 11 Dec	Afrikaans FAL (2½ hrs)	
Mon 14 Dec		IT (Theory) P2 (3 hrs)
Tues 15 Dec	Visual Arts (3 hrs)	
Wed 16 Dec	PUBLIC HOLIDAY	

Northwood

SPORTS
MEDICINE CENTRE

Phone Number: 031 564 7675

Address: 47 Mackeurtan Avenue, Durban North

Email:

medicalcentrenorthwood@gmail.com

Open Hours: 8am – 5pm

Practitioners:

Ace Hendricks – A&H Elite Professional Sports
Recovery

Nicole Redman – Physiotherapist

Dr Kevin Worth – Chiropractor

Ashleigh Reynolds – Counsellor

Naina Bhikha – Counsellor

*The Medical Centre is open for
business with strict Covid-19 protocols
in place.*

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MOBILE BARBER: Barber Nics:

Why Nics? convenient/ available every day of the week including Sat and Sun and after hours.

Area: Durban North suburbs further distances on request—an extra fee will be charged towards fuel.

Appointments: 082 395 1571

FACE MASKS: Washable, reversible, comfortable face masks for sale. R15.00 each. R250.00 for 20. Contact 0845009437

FRESH FARM EGGS: Farm fresh and free range Jumbo R17 for 6, Free range XL R16 for 6 or R48 for 18. Grain Fed Jumbo R15 for 6. Bush Honey R50 for 350g. Delivered every Thursday. Contact Malcolm on email malcolmbremner@gmail.com or Whatsapp 083 655 2216.

PURE BLISS offer the following:

Ladies 50ml Perfumes R130;

Men's 50ml Perfumes R150;

Ladies & Men's 5ml Testers R30;

Pure Bliss Hand & Nail Lotion R50; Therabody Facial Range from R40; Wow Cleansing Clothes from R80

Please visit their website www.pure-bliss.co.za or contact Jo on 083 287 9856.



Northwood School

We are so excited to host our golf day. Although the timing has shifted and there are certain restrictions, we know the day will be as much fun as always

Friday 6 November 2020 Beachwood Country Club

Fourball entry: R2400 (Includes Halfway House grab and go meal plus beverage)

Snacks and prizegiving will take place after the golf day and will adhere to COVID-19 regulations. Please indicate should you wish to attend this. Prizes not collected on the day may be collected from the school the following week.

CARTS ARE SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY AND MUST BE BOOKED WITH THE PROSHOP ON (031) 564-4257

Sponsorships:

Halfway House	R1000
Hole Sponsorships	R500
1st and 11th Tee	R1000
Putting Green x 2	R1000
Short Holes (2,7,12,18)	R1000
Car Display	R1200

Payment Details

Northwood Money Market Account FNB

Account Number: 6207 445 4895

Branch Code: 220426

Reference: Golf & Surname / Company

50% of funds raised will go to the Hope Project which supports families in need.

Prizes:

2 of each. All prizes should be brought to the school by **Tuesday 3 November** at the latest.

Please contact Dave Ward on (031)563-5645 or email

events@wardevents.co.za / marketing@nwood.co.za or enter online at www.wardevents.co.za