Rorthwood Rews

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From the Headmaster's Desk

Dear Parents

Last week we honored our academic achievers for the first term. Eli Govender, who achieved the top position in grade 12, addressed the boys in the most amazing way, below is the message he gave our boys.

"Good morning to Mr. Viljoen, staff, parents and my fellow peers. Success in the classroom does not come easy, so I would like to congratulate you. Being invited to this ceremony is an indication of your hard work and determination. You have earned a place here. Success is not exclusive to an individual, it is the invaluable influence and contribution of our teachers, parents and friends. They too are worthy of the accolades. And, as with all triumph within our life, we must always give honor to God.

While today is a day of celebration, we cannot forget that this is only the beginning. The early stages of a year-long odyssey to achieve our goals. And if we continue our relentless pursuit of academic victory, I have no doubt that each and every one of us will get those desired results.

There are some of us, especially our United fans, who are not satisfied with their results! Those who hunger to reach their full potential. And to those students, I offer one piece of advice: never settle. Push yourself, beyond any perceived limits you may think you have, and patiently endure. The rewards you will reap overtime will be exhilarating.

There are some of us who didn't anticipate breaking the merit barrier, and I've seen some of those math averages, you know who you are! Reflect. That feeling of exuberance, being rewarded for perseverance in the classroom. Doesn't it feel good? Challenge yourself. Be desperate for that feeling. Make that your motivation. Put your heart and soul into study, and trust me, it will be worth it when it's over.

Before I conclude, a brief message to my fellow matrics. Grade 12 can be summarized into 2 words: perpetual exhaustion. Personally, no matter how little work I do, no matter how much sleep I get, I am always tired. However, brothers, this is it. The final push. Our last chance to make history. Let us show the world that the class, the Knights of 2021 will be unparalleled for many years to come.

I will leave you with this thought: if people doubt how far you can go, go further until you cannot hear them anymore."



"Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, but by the moments that take our breath away"

~ Maya Angelou



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CONTRACT STREET



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CONTROL TESTS / REINFORCEMENT LESSONS

The Term 2 Control Tests begin on Tuesday 25 May (see timetable on following page).. With that schedule is also the reinforcement lesson dates. These are on a Friday from 13:30 to 14:15. These lessons are for the boys who did not achieve the intended goal in the test. These goals are either set by the boys as individual goals or by the subject teacher. The reinforcement lesson is there to cover the sections the boys found difficult in the test, and correct mistakes. Please note that if your son is informed that he needs to attend on a Friday, it is compulsory.

Please see the D6 for scopes of Control Tests coming up.

Extra Lesson Timetable

	GRADE 8			
MON	SPORT			
TUES	English – Ms Hartwig			
	Life Science – Mrs Morton			
	Maths – Mr Hosking			
WED	SPORT			
THURS	Afrikaans – Mrs Johnson			
	EMS – Mr Richter			
	Maths – Ms Alborough			
	GRADE 10			
MON	Afrikaans – Ms Naidoo			
	Accounting – Mrs Coulter			
	Maths – Mrs Munnik			
TUES	SPORT			
WED	English – Mr Hale			
	Life Science – Mrs Hayden			
	Maths – Mrs le Roux			
	Accounting – Ms Raftopoulos			
	History – Mr Germishuizen			
THURS	SPORT			
	GRADE 12			
MON	English – Ms Domun			
_	Life Science – Mr Govender			
	Bus.Studies – Mr Wiblin			
	Accounting – Ms Dorman			
	Economics – Ms Raftopoulos			
TUES	SPORT			
WED	Afrikaans – Mr Harishun			
	Maths Lit – Ms Evans (3-4 pm)			
	Phys Science – Mrs Ramseook			
THURS	SPORT			





	GRADE 9
MON	SPORT
TUES	Life Science – Mrs Morton
	Maths – Mr Dlamini
WED	SPORT
THURS	Afrikaans – Mrs Prins
	English – Mr Halse
	EMS – Ms Dorman
	Maths – Mr Hildebrandt
	GRADE 11
MON	Afrikaans – Mr Jankeeparsad
	Life Science – Mrs Morton
	Accounting – Mrs Joseph
TUES	SPORT
WED	English – Mr Krause
	Bus.Studies – Mr Wiblin
	Maths Lit – Ms Evans (3-4 pm)
	Phys Science – Mrs Coulter
THURS	SPORT
	Maths – Mrs Scott

Homework Centre

The Homework Centre is open. Learners who would like after school assistance or just a quiet place to work, please speak with Mrs Morton or Mrs Butt.





Term 2 Control Tests

GRADE	TUES 25/05	TUES 01/06	TUES 08/06	TUES 15/06
8	English	Grade Assembly	Maths	Physical Science
9	Grade Assembly	English	Physical Science	Maths/Maths Lit
10	Afrikaans/IsiZulu	Geography	Maths/Maths Lit	Physical Science
11	English	Maths/Maths Lit	Afrikaans/IsiZulu	Geography
12	Maths/Maths Lit	Physical Science	Geography	Maths/Maths Lit
Reinforcement Lesson	FRI 04/06	FRI 11/06	FRI 18/06	WED 23/06

June/July Tests 2021

Early Exams

DATE	TIME	VENUE	10	11	12
Fri 18/06	Lesson 1	TBA	Drama (3)	Drama (2)	
Mon 21/06	Lesson 1	Hall	Design (23)	Design (33)	Design (21)
Tues 22/06	Lesson 1	Hall	IT (92)	IT (65)	IT (20)
Wed 23/06	Lesson 1	Hall	Tourism (20)	Tourism (41)	

DATE	TIME	8	9	10	11	12
Thurs 24/6	08:00- 09:30	Afrikaans/ IsiZulu	Maths	Life Sciences (1 hr)	Phys Science	Bus. Studies
Fri 25/6	08:00- 09:30	LO (1 hr)	English (1 hr)	Geography (1 hr)	Bus. Studies	Tourism (1 hr) AP Maths (1 hr)
Mon 28/6	08:00- 09:30	Geography (1 hr)	EMS (1 hr)	History AP Maths	English	Maths/Maths Lit
Tues 29/6	08:00- 09:30	Phys Sci (1 hr)	Life Sciences (1 hr)	EGD (1 hr)	Afrikaans/ IsiZulu	Economics
Wed 30/6	08:00- 09:30	Technology (1 hr)	Creative Arts/ Music	Bus. Studies	History	Afrikaans/ IsiZulu
Thurs 01/7	08:00- 09:30	EMS (1 hr)	Geography (1 hr)	LO	EGD (1 hr)	Life Science (1 hr)
Fri 02/7	08:00- 09:30	English (1 hr)	History (1 hr)	Maths/Maths Lit	Accounting Music	Phys Science
Mon 05/7	08:00- 09:30	History (1 hr)	LO (1 hr)	English	Maths/Maths Lit	Geography
Tues 06/07	08:00- 09:30	Creative Arts/ Music	Phys Science (1 hr)	Afrikaans/ IsiZulu	Life Sciences (1 hr)	Accounting Music
Wed 07/7	08:00- 09:30	Life Sci (1 hr)	Technology (1 hr)	Phys Science	LO	English
Thurs 08/7	08:00- 09:30	Maths	Afrikaans/ IsiZulu	Accounting Music	Geography (1 hr)	EGD (08:00-09:00) History (09:00 – 10:30)
Fri 09/07	08:00- 09:30				AP Maths (1 hr)	

Normal lessons continue from 10h00 to 13h00.





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SPORTS

MEDICINE CENTRE

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

Phone Number: 031 564 7675 *Address:* 47 Mackeurtan Ave, 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 Amanda Hawke – Physiotherapist Rogan Heyns – Biokineticist

2nd Hand Uniform Shop

Situated on Lower Campus next to Northwood Gear.

Please feel free to drop off your clean and good condition uniforms and kit.

Times: Wednesdays from 1.30 to 3:30pm Contact Lesley Sleeman on 073 202 4290.

Northwood Gear

Business Hours Tuesday to Thursday 1.30 to 3.15 Friday 1.15 to 2.30 Monday and Saturday CLOSED Queries – 083-6910135

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REUNION WEEKEND

26 May to 29 May 2021

We look forward to welcoming Old Boys to celebrate their founder school years with our Annual Reunion Weekend celebrations. A 4 day Covid adjusted itinerary is planned - this year including our COV Awards Dinner along with our annual Golf Day, Breakfast and Special Assembly, as well as our Reunion Dinner on the Friday evening. On Saturday 29 May 2021 our Old Boys Day will be live streamed to ensure no-one misses out on the action.

Bookings

reunion@nwood.co.za (031) 563 6501 Ext 353 Please email your proof of payment along with your name , year and event choices, using REUN and your surname as reference. Circle of Valour Awards Dinner Victor Daitz Centre for Innovation Northwood School 26 May 2021 - 6pm for 6:30pm R450

<u>Golf Day</u> Beachwood Country Club Thursday 27 May 2021 R2500 (per Four Ball) (Dinner and prize giving included)

Special Assembly and Breakfast Northwood School Friday 28 May 2021 - 7:45am to 9:30am R180

Reunion Dinner

Northwood School Friday 28 May 2021 @ 6pm R300

Old Boys Day vs DHS Saturday 29 May 2021 - Live Streamed

Bank Details: Northwood Money Market, FNB, Acc: 62074454895, Branch Code: 220426

