

NEWTON HOUSE SCHOOL



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From the Headmaster's Desk...

We are very aware of the change in season at the moment. When Summer turns to Autumn, it is easy to notice the colouring of leaves and eventually the falling from the branches. Everybody experiences the bite in the early-morning air. Not all seasonal changes are that obvious, especially in Gauteng where we almost do not have Spring.

Some changes in life are also more obvious than others. Some are more painful than others. One of the biggest favours you can do your child, is preparing him/her to handle change and almost take it in his/her stride. Change is a certainty in life. Teach them that although a daily routine may change, it does not indicate that all else has changed. Teach them to be resilient and rely on their inner strength and reinforce: **“I know you can do this.”**

HELPFUL HINT

I can't change the direction of the wind, but I can adjust my sails to always reach my destination.

Progress is impossible without change, and those who cannot change their minds cannot change anything.

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JOZI NOTICES

Friday, 19 May

- 17h00 Arrival time for the cast. (Teachers will be at the Roodepoort Theatre from 16h30)
18h30-20h00 Performance 1
20h00 Parents to collect children from Roodepoort Theatre.

Saturday, 20 May

- 09h00 Arrival time for the cast.
10h00-11h30 Performance 2
11h30 Parents to collect children from Roodepoort Theatre.
- 14h30 Arrival time for the cast.
15h30-17h00 Performance 3
Parents to are send a **packed supper** to the venue.
- 18h30-20h00 Performance 4
20h00 Parents to collect children from Roodepoort Theatre



NEW PUPILS



Angelo Leone



EQUESTRIAN

Keara Marshall (Grade 6A) participated in the SANESA Gauteng West Horseriding Qualifier 3 last weekend.

She obtained the following placing:

Dressage Preliminary – 2nd Place
Prix Caprilli Beginner – 2nd Place

Well done!



SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

- PE is every Wednesday for Grades 2-3 and every Thursday for Grades 4-7.
- Grade R Playball is every Friday and Grade 1 Playball is every Monday.
- Please remember school caps for PE and Playball.
- Children are to be in their winter uniform.
- The Second Hand Shop is open on Tuesdays from 13h15-15h00.

JUNIOR PRIMARY ART

The Grade 3's made beautiful Mother's Day cards.



IMPORTANT DATES

22 May	School Holiday
23 May	School resumes as per normal.

“Victory does not exist without conflict, competition and challenges.” John Di Lemme

NETBALL

On Wednesday, the 10th of May, we had our first ever netball matches against Northriding College. The day started off with a lot of excitement. Even though we did not have many days to practise due to the public holidays and we lost our matches, the girls played their hearts out. They worked together as a team and encouraged each other before the match. The scores were as follows:

The U/9 team lost : 4-1
Eaglet for the week: Robyn Wessels

The U/11 team lost : 4-2
Eagle of the week: Jorja Muller

The U/13 team lost : 17-6
Eagle of the week: Kate Hargreaves

