

*Together we stand, better nation we build
Saamstaan ons, beter nasie bou ons*



Blitz News



22 June 2023

Newsletter 23



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Term 2 has come to an end. These past six months flew past, and we believe the next six months will take the same pattern. Thank you all for doing your best.

Enjoy the holiday and rest as Term 3 will start with a **BANG**.

School closes at 10 o'clock on Friday and learners are permitted to wear civvies, the school will start on the 18th of July.

We wish our Primary school Tennis learners the best with today's West Coast tennis trials.

Christopher Jonker will be representing Boland during the regional Hockey tournament during the Holiday. We hope you enjoy this experience.

Thank you for all the prayers. Geo is doing much better, and we ask you to keep praying for the family.

We ask that we stand together in prayer for Jay-Dee and the Pienaar family in their time of need.

The school will close at 13:00 on July 20th due to numerous staff having to attend an educational course. No sports practices will take place on that day.



Clothing Bank

The clothing bank will be open on **Tuesdays** from **13:00 – 15:00**

RAFFLE

Various parents have asked if we can extend the due date of the raffle tickets as May was a very busy month. After consultation with various stakeholders, we have decided to extend the due date to the 21st of July. It is a fundraiser for our matric farewell. The first prize is a PS 5. All handed in forms will be part of this draw. Let's see who the lucky ones are. There will be lucky draws again for the learners that completed their forms. Every full form will be entered in the draw. Good luck to you all!



LAPS SPORT DAY



JUNIOR NETBALL		
Span / team:	Oefen tye / Practise times:	Baan / Court:
u/7	13:15 – 14:00	Mini netball court
u/8 & u/9	14:15 – 15:00	Mini netball court
u/10 & u/11	14:15 – 15:00	Netball court (parking area)
u/12 & u/13	14:15 – 15:15	Netball court (tennis court)

Rugby and netball practices will start on the 18TH of July.

Primary school:

Rugby Practice Tuesdays and Thursdays

Netball Practice Tuesdays and Thursdays

High school Rugby and Netball Practices Practice times:

Mondays and Wednesday

14:45 – 16:00 - u/14 – u/19 Rugby teams

14:45 -16:15 u/14 Netball court (parking area)

14:45 -16:15 u/15 Netball court (parking area)

14:45 -16:15 u/17 & u/19 Netball court (tennis court)

PS Matches for Term 3

22 Julie - Olifantsvallei – Weg 0/13

25 Julie - Darling College - Tuis

29 Julie - Velddrif - Tuis

3 Augustus - Curro - Tuis

5 Augustus - Sportdag

10 Augustus - Steenberg Cove - Weg

12 Augustus - Velddrif Bulletjie dag vir o 7, 8, en 9.

24 Augustus - Vredeklouf LS - Net o13 - Netbal en Rugby

26 Augustus - Monte Vista - Tuis. o/13

RUGBY	
Field	Time
u/7 (hockey field)	13:15 – 14:15
u/8 (hockey field)	13:15 – 14:15
u/9 (hockey field)	14:15 – 15:00
u/11-Rugby	14:15 - 15:30
u/13- Rugby	14:15 – 16:00

HS Matches for Term 3

29 Julie - Velddrif - Tuis

2 Augustus - Louwville HS - Tuis

10 Augustus - Hopefield HS – Tuis

19 Augustus - Melkbosstrand PS - Tuis

24 Augustus - Diazville - Tuis

5 September - Weskus SS – Weg

Additional dates can be added!

Hockey Practice Times

practices will start on the 18TH of July Primary School:

Mondays and Wednesdays

u/7 & u/8 13:15 – 14:00

u/9 14:15 – 15:00

u/10 – u/13 14:15 – 15:30

High School:

Tuesdays and Thursdays

14:45 – 16:00

Match dates will follow.



Mathematics!

Matific and Cami Maths

Both of these interactive apps can be used by learners to practice mathematics, do revision and study in their own time at home. These apps make learning fun and exciting!



Matific MATHS APP

Every learner will receive a free trial period on the amazing Matific Mathematics interactive App. This is in preparation for their Maths Olympiad later in the year. It is an interactive "game" that can be "played" on a smartphone, tablet or any computer. A few of the older learners tried it at the end of last year and loved it.

Each learner will receive a "barcode" from their educators with the login details. Please don't miss the opportunity to enrich your child's mind and let him/her discover Mathematics in a fun way.

If you have any queries, feel free to contact your class teacher (Gr.1-3) or your child's Mathematics teacher (Gr. 4-7). Enjoy it because, Maths is awesome!

JUNE EXAMINATIONS

Report Card Day:

Primary School:

22 June 13:15 – 17:00

High School:

24 July 14:30 – 17:30

SCHOOL TERMS 2023

Term	Duration	Number of weeks	Number of public holidays
1	(09) 11 Jan - 24 Mar	11	1+1
2	(12) 13 Apr – 23 Jun	11	3+1
3	(17) 18 Jul – 29 Sept	11	2
4	10 Oct – 13 (15) Dec	10	0

WORKING WITH HANDS - OUTREACH

ONE OF OUR GRADE II LEARNERS HAS COME FORWARD WITH A BEAUTIFUL INITIATIVE.



THE STUDENT WORKS WITH "WORKING WITH HANDS" OUTREACH.

THEY FEED AROUND 300-400 PEOPLE EVERY WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

PLEASE BRING ANY NON PERISHABLE GOODS TO SCHOOL, SO WE CAN HELP WITH THIS WONDERFUL INITIATIVE AND ASSIST THIS GOOD CAUSE!



UNTILL THE 27TH OF JULY.



3 MONTHS NOTICE

All parents need to provide 3 months' written notice if learners are to leave the school. I have an open-door policy and ask that parents please arrange a meeting before any formal notice is given.

Kind regards,

Mr Edmund Barkhuysen

Principal

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CCTV NOTICE

Longacres is under 24h CCTV surveillance for the safety of learners and educators. This surveillance will be done by applicable National Legislation and requirements to protect the privacy and integrity of learners, employees and the general public who enter Longacres premises.



AFTER CARE

2023 LONGACRES AFTER CARE

Grade 1	Ellisia Steyn Marizka Liebenberg	076 170 9705 074 072 2231
Grade 2	Sarita Rossler	082 923 7188
Grade 3	Erika Theunissen	072 010 2655
Grade 4	Erika Theunissen	072 010 2655
Grade 5 – 7	Sorika Loubser	082 312 7005
Grade 8 - 12	Ellisia Steyn	076 170 9705

The foundation phase group will play on the left side of the rugby field and the senior phase group will play on the right side of the rugby field.

All learners must please bring their pencil, ruler and eraser.

Please pass on extracurricular activities to the homework centre staff.

Parents must pick up children from the homework centre class. No child is sent forward.

Vocal Coach

My name is Tracey-Lee Dogon and I am a vocal coach for children of all ages from Grade 1-12, currently available for singing lessons at Langebaan Private School.

Let me bring out the best voice in your child, while carefully nurturing their musicality and enthusiasm. I teach using the time-honoured method of careful warm-ups using scales, arpeggios, and exercises, taking special and tailor-made care with each pupil. Vocal range and quality are assessed in each lesson, and the emphasis is on singing with enjoyment and ease, while growing and improving towards a goal, be it an exam, eisteddfod, performance or just singing for family!



Please contact me on 0721919048 or chat to Ash-Lee Louwskierter or Eric Gerber at the school.