

The Chelsea Signal



GRADE 6



Reading on the field

Grade 6 Mudie were reading their set book together. They enjoyed reading in the open so much. It was a lovely change of scenery.

RUGBY



Pre-season rugby match

Chelsea and Northlands who played against each other in a pre-season rugby match at the end of last term. Chelsea won 17 - 0.

From the Acting

Principal's Desk

“Auditions for the school concert and the ‘Musical Moments’ Evening take place next week”

Welcome back! I hope you all had an enjoyable break and managed to have some quality family time.

I'm sure you have reflected on your children's reports and will support them in working towards test week at the end of May. A reminder that Parent Interviews take place on Monday 23 April 2018. By now you should have sent back reply slips to class teachers to make appointments.

Congratulations to our Grade 7 pupils who were elected leaders of their Service Teams. They will attend a leadership camp at Natalia with Mrs Hilliar and Mr Balt next week.

Please ensure all your child's belongings and uniform are clearly marked with their full name. We continue to have far too much lost property that cannot be returned due to not being labelled. Boys' hair should have been cut neatly by now and girls should be wearing the correct hair clips and Alice bands.

The auditions for our school concert (which will take place in the third term) and the Musical Evening will start next week. Please diarise 19 June 2018 for the 'Musical Moments' evening which will showcase our children's incredible drama, dancing and musical talents.

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ACTING PRINCIPAL

SERVICE TEAM LEADERS



Our Service Team Leaders 2018

Congratulations to our Service Team Leaders

Farzana Motala – Leader – Computech Team
Liam Naicker – Vice leader – Computech Team

Emma Christianson – Leader – School Pride Team
Slate Wilson – Vice Leader – School Pride Team

Tallulah Crosby – Leader – Events Team
Jenna Reardon – Vice Leader – Events Team

Samuel Pearse – Leader – Art Team
Tanith Klingbeil – Vice Leader – Art Team

Manaal Omar – Leader – News Team
Joshua Bezuidenhout – Vice Leader – News Team

Cally van Heusden – Leader – Media Team
Lexi Williamson – Vice Leader – Media Team

Mia Liebenberg – Leader – Early Act Team
Kelly Naicker – Vice Leader – EarlyAct Team

Hunter Abrahams – Leader – Recycling Team
Taniel Hill – Vice Leader – Recycling Team

Lia Mallett – Leader – Sports Team
Aphiwa Ndlovu – Vice Leader – Sports Team

Eryn Hockly – Leader – Environmental Team
Rebecca Henderson – Vice Leader – Environment Team

Christopher Wanless – Leader – Sound Team
George Buckle – Vice Leader – Sound Team

SPORTS NEWS

Dear Parents

Welcome back after what I hope was a good holiday. Fortunately, there will be less travelling in the second term for the boys, compared to the cricket matches last term. Most of our rugby and netball fixtures are played on Saturdays (refer to "second term fixtures" that was sent home to parents). What will be pleasing for our netball girls is that every team will get to play at least one match per week.



An appeal is once again made to all our parents to encourage your children to please participate in a sport this term. I know there may be a concern that there are examinations later in the term but allowance has been made with this in mind. For the entire examination period, all sport is cancelled, to allow for uninterrupted study. It is important that Chelsea is able to put out as many teams as possible, as this affects which schools play fixtures against us.

We wish all our pupils a happy and productive sports term and if there are any queries, please feel free to contact me.

Please take note of the following:

All sport commences from Wednesday 11 April. Please refer to the term programme for specific practice days.

Sport this week:

Friday 13 April 2018

- Chelsea U11A rugby festival at Chelsea Prep
- Northlands U13A rugby festival at Northlands

Saturday 14 April 2018

- Northlands U13A netball festival at Northlands

Sport next week:

Wednesday 18 April 2018

- Rugby U9, U10, U11 practice matches vs Highbury, venue TBC

Friday 20 April 2018

- Internal soccer matches at Crusaders

Saturday 21 April 2018

- Netball and Rugby vs Umhlali at Umhlali

WEEKLY CALENDAR

12 - 18 April 2018

Thursday 12 April 2018

- North Durban Boys U12/U13 Hockey Trials at Northwood 8:00 am – 2:00 pm

Friday 13 April 2018

- Service Team Meetings
- Chelsea U11 Rugby Festival
- Northlands Winter Festival

Saturday 14 April 2018

- Northlands Winter Festival

Tuesday 17 April 2018

- School Governing Body Training
- Grade 4 Soup Kitchen





- North Durban Girls U12/U13 Hockey Trials at Northwood 8:00 am – 2:00 pm

Wednesday 18 April 2018

- Leadership Camp at Natalia
- Auditions for Play (acting only)
- U9, U10, U11 practice rugby matches vs Highbury

ACADEMIC

First in Class Term 1



GRADE 4 Aylward

- Jenna Smith

GRADE 4 Walker

- Ruby Gaines
- Shumyl Siddiqi

GRADE 4 Crichton

- Thiyanah Govindasamy
- Yusuf Noor Mahomed
- Daniel Whelan

GRADE 4 Viljoen

- Georgina Schroder

GRADE 4 du Preez

- Ahmad Bassa

GRADE 5 Reddy

- Arabella Stevenson
- Reese Beart

GRADE 5 James

- Zoe Hughes
- Erin Prato

GRADE 5 Nikeyi

- Christopher Gielink

GRADE 5 Marais

- Morgan Nel

GRADE 5 Fryer

- Ana Tavolari

GRADE 6 Mudie

- Kristen Dippenaar

GRADE 6 van Pletzen

- Kovidh Singh

GRADE 6 Morris

- Nandika Naidoo

GRADE 6 Swartz

- Tamika Pillay

GRADE 6 Fakroodeen

- Evan Powers

GRADE 7 Blom

- Saianka Raju

GRADE 7 Mulder

- Olwethuthando Zulu
- Andrew Ward
- Iiksha Phalad

GRADE 7 Trytsman

- Ross Paterson
- Manaal Omar

GRADE 7 Widdows

- Ascharya Govender
- Erin Ilett
- Kiara Isaacs

GRADE 7 van Vuuren

- Kirsti Erasmus

GRADE 5



What is a Simile?

A simile is a comparison between two unlike objects.

The words like, as or than are used when making a simile. Here are some poems written by our grade 5 pupils using similes:

AN OLD MAN

There was once an old man.

He had a very bad tan.

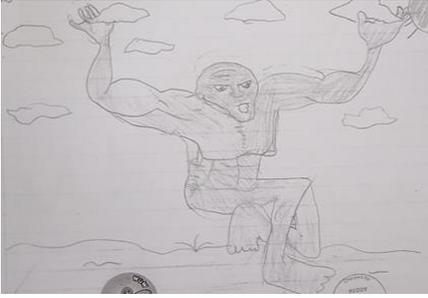
He had scales just like a fish

and he was as dirty as my cat's orange dish.

He was as sly as a snake

and as strong as a bear.

He also had quite a lot of hair.



By Troy Nortje

HERCULES

Hercules is as strong as an ox.

He is fast like a fox.

He's clever like an owl.

Like a wolf he howls.

He's brave like Dave.

By Luke Allen

Hercules is as strong as a lion

and as clever as google!

He's as precious as iron

and as flexible as a noodle.

By Shravan Maharaj

Hercules is as strong as the sky

Stronger than the biggest of giants

Brain power stronger than Atlas

Faster than a diving falcon

and tough like a stone wall.

By Kyle White

Atlas was a giant

Who was as tall as the sea.

He liked to eat meat that's as tasty as me

His three sisters are as small as a cup of tea

His pet looks like the number three

His favourite meal is as small as a flea.

By Reevean Juggernath

ENVIRONMENT TEAM

Swim for the sea

At the end of term 1 Chelsea was raising awareness about the amount of plastic in our oceans and the ocean life affected by it.

The Environment Team arranged for a "Plastic Ocean Swim". Pupils had to bring R5 donation and a plastic bottle to participate in the swim.



GRADE 4

Super beans



Grade 4 Viljoen showing off their super beans which they had to grow and nurture.

Nikhil Indurjeeth with his mean super bean.





FULL STOP

What is in my cup?

You are holding a cup of coffee when someone comes along and bumps into you, making you spill your coffee everywhere.

Why did you spill the coffee?

You spilled the coffee because there was coffee in your cup.

Had there been tea in the cup, you would have spilled tea.

The point is whatever is inside the cup, is what will spill out.

Therefore, when life comes along and shakes you (which will happen), whatever is inside you will come out.

It's easy to fake it, until you get rattled.

So, we have to ask ourselves, "What's in my cup?"

When life gets tough, what spills out?

Joy, gratefulness, peace and humility?

Or does anger, bitterness, harsh words and reactions come out?

You choose!

Today let's work towards filling our cups with gratitude, forgiveness, joy, words of affirmation, kindness, gentleness and love for others.

VALUE OF THE WEEK

"Self-control"



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