

The Chelsea Signal



ENVIRONMENT



Beach Clean-up

Scott Wilkinson, Evan Powers and Rebecca Hilliar at the beach clean-up on Saturday.

CRICKET



U13C Champs

Chelsea U13C victorious in their first match against Winston Park by 7 wickets.

From the Deputy

Principal's Desk

"Farewell Mrs Frost! Thank you for years of dedication"

Thank you for attending our Parents' Information Evening on Thursday night. Our teachers have started the year enthusiastically and we appreciate the positivity from our pupils and parents.

What a joy it was to attend the Inter-house Gala on Monday night. Experiencing team and school spirit add such value to an all-round education and can usually be listed as a highlight of the year. Congratulations to Twinn, the winning house, to Vaughan for being awarded the house with the most spirit, and to all our individual winners and participants for making it a memorable evening.

Not only is our sport in full swing but our Cultural Department is busy with a variety of activities including choir, band, guitar, Art and Craft and Zulu Clubs.

Grade 5 to 7 pupils have been invited to join the Coding Club on a Monday or Tuesday. Coding Club takes on a new structure this year in that pupils will get to experience a number of activities including our new Sphero balls. Learners will also be given the opportunity to design and print items on our 3D printer.

You should have received the testing timetable details by now. Please note that only tasks which require home preparation have been listed. Please understand that although there is streaming in two of the five classes in Grade 5, 6, and 7, based on English and Mathematics, there is movement annually according to results from the previous year, just as there is movement in sports teams. However, achievement is not dependant on the class in which a child is placed. Positive attitude and effort are most important, and as parents are role models, children mimic their parents' behaviour.

If your child is in Grade 7, it is necessary for you to submit applications to high schools by February 2019. It is very difficult for high schools to accept late applications. We host our annual High School Evening on 30 January 2019. All parents and children are invited to attend. Pupils are to attend in school uniform please.

I would like to wish Mrs Frost a very happy retirement and thank her for her twenty four years of service to Chelsea Preparatory School. Mrs Frost has been involved in many aspects of Chelsea including fundraisers, events, and first aid duties. We thank her for her passion, dedication, hard work, and for going beyond the call of duty. She will be missed by pupils, staff and Chelsea families, and we wish her many years of happiness.

S WILLIAMS (Mrs)

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

GALA

Inter-house Gala



Junior Victor Ludorum:

- Tristan Nel 3rd
- Nathan Burger 2nd
- Luke Brand 1st

Senior Victrix Ludorum:

- Cara Smith 3rd
- Gia Gillmer 2nd
- Emily Macquet 1st



Senior Victor Ludorum:

- Patrick Lambert 3rd
- Andrew Deeb 2nd
- Shravan Maharaj 2nd
- Barend Lombard 1st

Spirit Cup Vaughan Captains:

- Tallin Laas
- Jamie Lofstedt

Winning House:

- Twinn captains: Luke Haswell and Amy Young



Junior Victrix Ludorum:

- Gabriella Snyman 3rd
- Angelina Hall 2nd
- Ruby Gaines 1st



SPORTS NEWS

Dear Parents

I am sure that all parents and pupils have settled into the school routine again. To our new and Grade Four parents and pupils, it may take a while longer but rest assured, your children will get accustomed to the new routine on our campus. I am sure your children's teachers, coaches and peers will do everything possible to assist your children to settle into their new environment.

If there are any questions or uncertainties of a sports nature, please don't hesitate to contact the sports department or myself for clarity.

From my conversations with the Grade Four and new pupils and the smiles that I see on their faces during lessons, practices and during the break, they certainly look happy on our Senior Campus.

Parents are reminded to please load the d6 School Communicator onto their smartphones as this is the quickest and easiest way in which the school can communicate notices and messages of an urgent nature with regards to practices being cancelled due to bad weather, etc.

A few reminders to parents:

1. Water polo practices have been changed as follows due to the popularity of this new sport: Practices will be as follow:
 - Mondays and Wednesdays Senior boys and girls
 - Tuesdays and Thursdays Junior boys and girls
2. Our next internal school gala is on Monday 28 January, which is the Championship gala starting at 5 pm
3. Action netball matches for the U10A, U11A, U12A and U13A Chelsea teams will only start on Monday, 4 February at the Rinaldo Road Action Arena.
4. Practice netball matches for the B, C and D teams will commence on Saturday, 2 February. Parents will be notified closer to the date.
5. New parents will receive a copy of the sports programme and a letter explaining how the school bus service operates to sports matches. Grade Four parents should have already received the bus letter.

Results of the cricket matches vs Winston Park:

1. U10A won by 83 runs
 - B Johnson 35 runs
2. U10B Match stopped due to rain
3. U11A Match cancelled due to rain

4. U11B Match stopped due to rain
5. U13A Match stopped due to rain
6. U13B won by 4 wickets
 - S Brown 39
7. U13C won by 8 wickets
 - Z Steele 23 not out
8. U13D won by 4 wickets
 - L Roffey 48

Sport this week:

1. Wednesday 23 January 2019
 - Fatima girls' gala at Fatima
2. Thursday, Friday and Saturday 24, 25 and 26 January 2019
 - Cricket matches vs Umhlali at Chelsea/Crusaders/Umhlali

Cricket vs Umhlali for the week ending Saturday 26 January 2019:

Thursday 24 January 2019

- U11D vs Umhlali U11D at Umhlali
- U13E vs Umhlali U13E at Chelsea

Friday 25 January 2019

- U10C vs Umhlali U10C at Umhlali
- U10D vs Umhlali U10D at Chelsea
- U11B vs Umhlali U11B at Umhlali
- U11C vs Umhlali U11C at Crusaders
- U13C vs Umhlali U13C at Umhlali
- U13D vs Umhlali U13D at Chelsea

Saturday 26 January 2019

- U10A vs Umhlali U10A at Chelsea
- U10B vs Umhlali U10B at Umhlali
- U11A vs Umhlali U11A at Chelsea
- U13B vs Umhlali U13B at Umhlali
- U13A vs Umhlali U13A at Umhlali

- 2:30 pm weekday start.
- 8:30 am Saturday start.

Sports next week:

1. Mon 28 January 2019
 - Championship gala at Chelsea pool 5 pm

- Action netball matches (U12A, U13A) at Rinaldo Action Arena

2. Friday 1 February 2019

- Water polo vs Highbury - venue TBC

3. Tuesday 29 January – Saturday 2 February 2019

- Cricket vs Glenwood at Chelsea/Crusaders/Glenwood

WEEKLY CALENDAR



Danville Grade 6 Information Evening



24 - 30 January 2019

Thursday 24 January 2019

- Grade 4 Parents' Study Skills Presentation from 6:00 – 7:00 pm
- New Teacher's Tea at First Break
- Cricket vs Umhlali

Friday 25 January 2019

- Anne Frost's Farewell at 1:30 pm
- Cricket vs Umhlali

Saturday 26 January 2019

- Cricket vs Umhlali
- Voter Registration on the Chelsea Campus

Sunday 27 January 2019

- Voter Registration on the Chelsea Campus

Monday 28 January 2019

- Championship Gala at 5:00 pm
- Cricket Week vs Glenwood

Tuesday 29 January 2019

- Rain date for Championship Gala
- Grade 7 Soup Kitchen
- Deadline for Term 1 Levies
- Danville Grade 6 Information Evening

Wednesday 30 January 2019

- High School Evening from 5:30 – 7:30 pm (Hall and Sports Hall)
- Cricket vs Glenwood Preparatory

HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION EVENING

High School Information Evening at Chelsea

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VENUE: CHELSEA PREPARATORY SCHOOL
ADDRESS: 30 CHELSEA DRIVE, DURBAN NORTH
DATE: 30 JANUARY 2019 TIME: 17h30 – 19h30

All interested parents and pupils are cordially invited to attend this important High School evening.
All exhibiting schools will be able to provide necessary information or scholarships, bursaries and application procedures.
There is no need to RSVP to this invitation.
Please note that Chelsea Preparatory will not be able to assist you with scholarships, bursaries and application procedures

PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

- Northwood High
- Michaelhouse
- Durban North College
- Northlands Girls High
- Ashton International College
- Epworth High School
- St Mary's DSG
- Our Lady of Fatima
- Treverton College
- St John's DSG
- Curro Colleges
- St Charles College
- Kearsney College
- Clifton College
- Crawford Colleges
- Maris Stella
- Reddam College
- Glenwood Boys High
- Hilton College
- Danville Park Girls High
- Al Falaal College
- George Campbell School of Technology
- Durban High School
- Eden College
- St Henry's Marist Brothers
- Maritzburg College
- Oakridge College
- St Barnabas Independent
- Wykeham Collegiate
- Durban Girls College
- Wembley College

All enquiries, email chelsea@cdsp.co.za

We are holding our annual High School Information Evening on Wednesday 30 January 2019 from 5:30 - 19:30 pm.

Please see the Webpage for more information:

<https://www.cdsp.co.za/News/Read/8543>

POOL PARTY

Grade 5 to 6 Pool Party

What a lovely evening was had by all at the Grade 5, 6 and 7 Pool Party last week.

Thank you to the moms and staff who made this evening possible.





ACADEMICS

2019 First Term Testing Timetables

Please download the Term 1 Testing Timetables from our Webpage at:

<https://www.cdsp.co.za/Pages/AcademicProgramme>



FULL STOP

Friendship

You can make more friends in two months by becoming interested in other people,

than you can in two years by trying to get other people interested in you.

By Dale Carnegie

"Two are better than one,
because they have a good return for their labor:
If either of them falls down, one can help the other up.
But pity anyone who falls and has no one to help them up."

A Bible reading from Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

VALUE OF THE WEEK

"Accountability"



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