



The King's Ken



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*Participating
in the*

KING'S STORY



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From the Principal's Desk...

At The King's School, students are invited to participate in The King's story. Both while they make their way through school, and preparing them to participate in the story of the King when they leave and go into the world. What does this mean?

Well, we work from the premise that shaping or forming a human being is less about the what (i.e., curriculum) of school and more about the stories that the curriculum is part of. James K. A. Smith echoes this in his book *You Are What You Love*: "A Christian education can never be merely a mastery of a field of knowledge or technical skills; learning is embedded in a wider vision of **who I am called to be and what God is calling the world to be**. How does my learning fit in this Story? And what practices will cultivate this ultimate orientation in me?" (164).

This is why we are regularly encouraging our students to engage with the heart of our school, to participate in events that shape their

thinking (and passion) of being world changers, and proudly representing this within the school community and beyond. We want kids to know the Gospel as an effective and instrumental powerful influence in their everyday existence. N.T. Wright sums it up when he says "The Gospel is not just a get out of hell free card, as most evangelicals convey it as, but a call for image bearers to assume their position as God's agents."

People are formed as people much more by participating in experiences that are highly valued and often repeated than they are formed from memorizing curriculum and writing tests. When we are immersed in faith community like the one at The King's School, we are given opportunity to participate in these 'stories' that shape us and deeply root what we value and desire in our lives. As Sarah Arthur writes in the book *Shaped by God*, "We are story-formed people. Our lives are first shaped by narrative, not by information" (38-39).

MR. KEN LANGLEY

Principal



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The KING'S Art Exhibition

When: 23rd October 2018 (Gala evening) –
26th October 2018

Where: TKSQR Hall

What: Beautiful Artwork by ALL of the talented
Art students from Grade 1-12

**THE
SCHOOL
WEAR
SHOP**

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OPERATING HOURS – SCHOOL TERMS ONLY

Monday, Wednesday and Thursday: 06:45 to 13:30

CLOSED on Tuesdays and Fridays

TO ACCOMMODATE OUR FULL-TIME WORKING PARENTS:

BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month: 09:00 to 12:00

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School fees must be paid in advance, before the 7th of each month, 12 Months of the year.

IMPORTANT DATES

for the term

18 October	-	Parents Evening (17:30 – 20:00)
19 October	-	HS Top 5 Assembly
23 October	-	Interhouse Public Speaking
23-25 October	-	Art Exhibition
24 October	-	Spellathon (Gr. 1 to Gr. 3)
25 October	-	Spellathon (Gr. 4 to Gr. 7)
26 October	-	IP Interhouse Quiz
3 November	-	NS Concert (morning)
9 November	-	Gr. 7 Gold Reef City Outing
17 November	-	NS Sports Fun Day
19 November	-	Gr. R Graduation Photos
30 November	-	Carols by Candlelight
3 December	-	PP Concert and Graduation
4 December	-	Extra Mural Evening of Excellence
5 December	-	PS Evening of Excellence
6 December	-	Gr. 1 to Gr. 11 Reports handed out (08:00 to 10:00)

FOR FRIENDS FRIDAY

19 October	-	Rice
26 October	-	Sugar
2 November	-	Soup/Gravy
9 November	-	Baked Beans
16 November	-	Dishwashing Soap
23 November	-	Handy Andy/Savlon
30 November	-	Mielie Meal

In addition to the above, any warm clothes for children from 3 months to 9 years old will be greatly appreciated.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNWAVERING SUPPORT!



For second hand school items to buy or swop

Contact Debbie:

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debbie.bevan@saiglobal.com

If you have any good quality second hand items you would like to donate to the swop shop you may drop off as well.

Congratulations Ashleigh!

Ashleigh Teen (Grade 9) participated in modelling competitions that took place over the holidays.

- "Go Talent 2018" - Overall Winner
- Fashion Pageant at the Mall of the South - Overall Winner
- Beyond 2000 Pageant South Africa - Crowned "Miss Pre-Teen International 2019"

She holds the Miss Pre-Teen International title for her year of reign in 2019 and will represent South Africa in Los Angeles in July 2019. Well done Ashleigh, we are proud of you!



TASMIN SMITH - RESERVE CHAMPION FOR SA SCHOOLS DRESSAGE (NOVICE)



Tasmin Smith wins Reserve Championship for SA Schools (SANESA) Dressage (Novice) in TWO of her competitions; Dressage Novice 5 and Dressage Novice 6 and has been selected for the SA Schools equestrian team once again for Dressage from a field of 50 competitors from all over South African schools.

Tasmin is a Grade 12 student from The King's School West Rand, riding for Hunter Equestrian Centre in Cradle of Human Kind and Gauteng's Champion dressage Novice rider, won reserve champion for TWO Dressage Novice competitions on Saturday 6th October 2018, on her beautiful horse; Collingwood demonstrating confidence and consistency in her riding ability.

This huge achievement has taken a lot of hard work, time, effort, dedication, commitment and patience to name a few of the qualities that Tasmin has to sustain as she spends 6 days a week in the saddle on Collingwood.

In addition to winning Reserve Champion for Dressage; the Gauteng A Team in which Tasmin was a participant won 1st Place and 1st Place for Showing.

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