

17 JULY 2019

# The King's Ken



3 Paradoxes  
OF OUR

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### Three Paradoxes of our faith

There is a centrality of **paradox** to the Christian Faith. The cross of Jesus and resurrection of Christ are perhaps some of the greatest of all paradoxes. In fact, the Bible is full of paradoxes that give rise to the reality that God sees things from a different perspective. Isaiah 55:8, 9 bears testimony to this:

“For my thoughts are not your thoughts,  
neither are your ways my ways,”  
declares the LORD.

<sup>9</sup>“As the heavens are higher than the earth,  
so are my ways higher than your ways  
and my thoughts than your thoughts”.

By definition a paradox is a seemingly absurd or contradictory statement or proposition which when investigated may prove to be well-founded. It has been said that without paradoxes, there is no Christianity (Herbert Howell, 1901). I wish to highlight a few paradoxes relevant to our faith:

1. **Redemption:** We triumph when we are defeated. The Cross of Jesus is a remarkable paradox—God’s power on

display through his humble, self-giving sacrifice! Love flows through the cross and demonstrates that the greatest thing we can do is to give our lives away for the sake of Christ.

2. **Resurrection:** We Live by dying. The resurrection of Jesus is an incredible paradox and validation of the person and teaching of Jesus. At the resurrection we tremble at God’s power and majesty in raising Jesus from the dead, yet at the same time, we bow in humble adoration that he would willingly give his life as a ransom. What a model for Christian living!

3. **Mission:** We become free when we are made slaves. No one understood this as much as the Apostle Paul did when he declared that Christ was the centre of his life (Phil. 1:21). Through his divine exchange on the road to Damascus, Paul exchanges his worldly ambition and embraces a Kingdom vision. In Romans 15:20 he declares that it is his life’s ambition to proclaim Christ. Is this a reality in our lives?

The Christian life should be filled with paradoxes (take a look at 2 Cor. 6:8-10), which is a sign of true discipleship. An authentic Christian ethos is one that embraces the teaching of the Bible which stands against just about everything this world promotes. Where the world says gain, the Word says lose; where the world says win, the Word says surrender. We are called to exchange our life for another—to lose our life and gain another! If you’re a follower of Christ, look at this life differently—through the eyes of Christ.

# NB! DATES FOR THE TERM

18 July	-	Parents Evening (16:00 to 20:00)
18 July	-	Nelson Mandela 67 minutes (Whole School)
19 July	-	HS Top 5 Assembly
22 July	-	IP Blue Certificate Assembly
22 July	-	LRC Training (14:00 to 16:00)
23 July	-	FP Blue Certificate Assembly
26 July	-	Choral Verse Festival
27 July	-	Daddy Daughter (Whole School)
1 August	-	Prefect Introduction and voting
1 August	-	Subject Choice Evening (19:00)
3 August	-	The King's Cup (Chess)
7 August	-	World Championships of Performing Arts starts
9 August	-	Public Holiday (Woman's Day)
16 August	-	Gr. 11 Prefect Training
16 August	-	Prefect inauguration
17 August	-	Gr. 12 Maths Portfolio Long Item (08:30-12:30)
17 August	-	TKSWR Fun Run
22 August	-	Parents Guidance Talk
23 August	-	Gr. 12 Study Leave
23 August	-	PP Granny and Grandpa Day
24 August	-	Championships of Performing Arts ends
26 August	-	Prelims Start
30 August	-	Spring Day/Civvies Day
31 August	-	Spring Festival/Ball
2 September	-	Summer/Winter Uniform Interim period
2 September	-	Gr. 6 Prefect Applications open
6 September	-	Gr. 6 Prefect Applications close
7 September	-	Artisticulta Festival at TKSQR
7 September	-	SACSSA Invitational Athletics
11 – 12 Sept	-	Book Sale
13 September	-	International Literacy Day
13 September	-	Extra Murals end
13 September	-	HS Certificate Assembly
14 September	-	Spring Prayer Breakfast

**Please Note:** In case of absenteeism a doctor's note must be provided for all summative assessments (tests, orals, practical assessments etc) missed.

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- 16 September - Lus vir Lees Show (Gr. 1 to Gr. 7)
- 17 September - G7 Chess
- 18 September - Gr. 12 Prelims End
- 18 September - Gr. 7 Market Day
- 19 September - Matric Farewell
- 20 September - Heritage Day Celebrations
- 20 September - SACSSA National Athletics
- 20 September - Nursery School Fun Day
- 20 September - SCHOOL CLOSES

@ 11:45 for Pre-School and Foundation Phase

@ 12:00 for Intermediate Phase and High School

## THE SCHOOL WEAR SHOP

Liza Smith - 072 108 3670

E-mail - ropacc@vodamail.co.za

### OPERATING HOURS - SCHOOL TERMS ONLY

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

CLOSED on Tuesdays & Fridays

TO ACCOMMODATE OUR  
FULL-TIME WORKING PARENTS:  
Saturdays by appointment only  
09:00 to 12:00



## SWOP SHOP

For second hand school items to buy or swop

The shop will be open on **Mondays & Thursdays** from **06:45 to 07:30**. Please keep in mind that all items that you want to swop or donate must be in a usable condition. We will not accept clothes that are torn

Contact **Debbie**:  
073 152 0333

Debbie.Bevan@saiglobal.com

**NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW!**

Girls new slimline navy long pants in stock.

Please take note that primary and high school girls may wear pants winter and summer.

Winter with long sleeve white shirt and tie. Summer with glad neck white shirt with logo on pocket



Dear Parents

**If you wish to order the compulsory blazer for 2020 at the school wear shop, please take note of the following:**

- 100 % fully washable polyester with badge embroidered on the pocket – top quality
- Juvenile, men's and ladies cuts available
- **ORDERS MUST BE PLACED BEFORE MID AUGUST 2019 FOR DELIVERY END NOVEMBER 2019**
- We must receive full payment with order
- **PARENTS TO BE PRESENT WITH BLAZER FITTING TO CONFIRM SIZING**
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- Fitting range available in shop
- Price: R 620 ALL SIZES

Any questions please contact Liza on 072 1083 670



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EMAIL: ADMIN@KSWR.ORG.ZA**

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# Important Notice

**The Term 2 Reports of 2019 will be the last reports that we send home in printed form Grade 1 -11.**

All reports in the future will be available to be downloaded from ADAM, by parents who have created an account and are logged in to ADAM.

Parents will also be able to re-download past reports (from 2019 term 1 and onwards).

ADAM is the School Management Database System that we use at The King's School West Rand.

Parents of students at the King's School West Rand can login to ADAM to be able to do the following:

- View your child's current report and past reports (Grade 1 – 12)
- View your child's mark-books with assessment dates and results (Grade 4 to Grade 12)
- View your child's academic progress graphs (Grade 4 to Grade 12)
- View a list of your child's teachers
- View your child's absentee records
- View previously sent messages
- Update personal details and family information

The database can be found at:  
<https://tkswr.adam.co.za/login/parent>

Instructions to login or create an account on ADAM can be found at:  
<https://tkswr.co.za/adam.php>

Should parents require a printed copy of a report from the school, this is available on written request, from term 3 onwards.



# HOCKEY



Ryan Venter and Tyrese Pillay participated in the under 13 Northern Regional Tournament in the D12 team during the June/July holiday. The team was placed 8th of 12 teams. They did us very proud!

At the end of the tournament Ryan was chosen as player of the tournament of his D12 team. Well done Ryan!



WELL DONE  
BOYS!

## Finance Office Times

Please note that the Finance Office will only be available for calls and visits during the following times daily:

07:30 to 10:00 and again from 13:00 to 15:00

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# SOCCER

## MATTHEW PRETORIUS – BILL STEWART SOCCER TOURNAMENT

Congratulations to Matthew Pretorius in Grade 7 who was selected to represent the West Rand Primary Schools District Soccer Team which sent two teams to the Bill Stewart Tournament (namely West Rand and Protea Team) both from the West Rand Primary School Region. 22 teams made up the tournament from across the country including a team from Zambia.

Matthew was chosen to be part of the West Rand Team and was appointed Vice Captain. During the course of the tournament which took place from 26 June to 30 June at Camp Discovery, Matthew played 10 games. The boys played so well and finished 15th overall. The Protea Team went unbeaten in the pool round and ended up in 5th place. What a great achievement!





## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR U16 & OPEN SOCCER TEAMS, WHO HAVE BOTH QUALIFIED FOR THE ISSL SOCCER LEAGUE PLAYOFFS:

- U16 play semi final on 31 July vs Crawford Sandton @ Randburg Football Club.
- Opens play quarter final on 24 July @ home vs Holy Family College

We would really appreciate your support at these games.

Our High School Soccer Girl Teams (U15 & U17) who are participating in the JvW Schools League begin their season with home games on Thursday. They will be playing 11 league games and we wish them all the best in their quest to qualify for the playoffs at the end of the season. Please come and support them, they would love the support.



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# BUSINESS SIMULATION WORKSHOP

Our Gr. 12 Business students attended a one day Business Simulation Workshop facilitated by Morne Meiring with his assistant Robinson Banda of the Johannesburg School of Finance (Banango Traders).

We also hosted the Gr12 learners from The King's School Discovery and Le-Amen Education Centre which made up the 14 business teams competing with each other throughout the day.

A good day of fun and learning took place with exciting results.

Congratulations to Lorenzo Ferreira, Thato Lesela, Khahliso Makhate & Triston Treasurer for being the winning team on the day. Their profit total is the second best ever in a Gr12 business simulation.

Also well done to the team of Joelle Benoit, Jordan Harvey, Alex Venkatas & Aiden Pennells who placed second.



## THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNWAVERING SUPPORT!

19 July - Rice  
26 July - Sugar  
2 August - Soup/Gravy  
8 August - Baked Beans  
16 August - Dishwashing Soap  
23 August - Handy Andy/Savlon

30 August - Mielie Meal  
6 September - Rice  
13 September - Sugar  
20 September - Soup/Gravy

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

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

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Winning Teacher, Junior and Senior Grand Champions wins a  
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**WEST RAND AUDITIONS TAKE PLACE ON  
26 OCTOBER 2019**

AT

**THE KING'S SCHOOL WEST RAND**

83 MALCOLM ROAD, RUIMSIG, ROODEPOORT

FOR MORE INFORMATION REGARDING AUDITIONS PLEASE CONTACT:  
Mercia & Gerrie Swenepoel (Soutig Directors) 083 302 2361 [Gerrie@saatme.co.za](mailto:Gerrie@saatme.co.za)





**RESEARCH REVEALS EQ IS MORE RELEVANT THAN IQ TO PERSONAL SUCCESS HEALTH AND HAPPINESS.**

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We have over **64** themes that we explore during our interactive and engaging workshops. To mention just a few...

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Email Jackie on [jackie@eqexplore.com](mailto:jackie@eqexplore.com) to book your child for our weekly lessons at your school.

**THERE IS  
NO FEAR  
IN LOVE  
PERFECT  
LOVE CASTS  
OUT FEAR**

1 JOHN 4:18

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