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# THE Coronavirus Threat



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At the time of writing, there are 3 confirmed cases of Coronavirus infection in South Africa. The King's School West Rand is being proactive in terms of readiness training for teachers, regular communication to precautionary parents and measures on campus. Please be on the lookout on the school's Awsum app for important information to you as parents, so that we can be coordinating our efforts at this time (there are 3 newsletters already posted).

I would like to take this opportunity to appeal to our parents to really season our conversation with our children with much wisdom and judgement. Unfortunately our media can sometimes be guilty of fear-mongering and sensationalism and this can create such uncertainty and dread for our children. We need not minimise that this is a seriously dangerous virus that can make us horribly ill, but we should at the same time be telling our kids that God has designed our bodies with incredible precision to counteract any virus that may enter us. Remind them that only some people are 'catching' the virus and the overwhelming majority of these people are recovering within a short space of time.

In the meantime, tell your children that we should be diligent in observing good hygiene practices and remembering that God is the one who gives us peace in turbulent times. He is not caught by surprise and he has given his angels charge over his beloved (Psalm 91:11).

#### MR. KEN LANGLEY Principal

PLEASE BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR RESPONSES FROM MR. LANGLEY ON THE CORONAVIRUS ON AWESUM AND SOCIAL MEDIA.



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- 11-13 March -
  - School Camp (Gr. 5 Matric)
- 11 March Gr. 4 Day Camp
- 19 March 3
- 20 March
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- Shavathon
- Wintersport Interhouse
- Nursery School Fun Day
  - SCHOOL CLOSES

@ 11:45 for Pre-School and Foundation Phase

@ 12:00 for Intermediate Phase and High School

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



### **PLEASE NOTE:**

Term 2's Academic Timetable will start with Week 1

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





#### THE KING'S SCHOOL WEST RAND **EXTRA MURALS**

PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING ARRANGEMENTS REGARDING EXTRA MURALS FOR THE LAST TWO WEEKS OF TERM:

#### FOUNDATION PHASE

ALL ACTIVITIES CONTINUE AS NORMAL UNTIL 19 MARCH

#### INTERMEDIATE PHASE

PRACTICES AS NORMAL ON MONDAY 9 MARCH AND TUESDAY 10 MARCH NO EXTRA MURALS FROM WEDNESDAY 11 MARCH TO FRIDAY 13 MARCH FOR GRADE 4 – 7 (CAMP) GRADE 4 -7 EXTRA MURALS RESUME ON 16 MARCH AND CONTINUE UNTIL 19 MARCH

#### HIGH SCHOOL

PRACTICES AS NORMAL ON MONDAY 9 MARCH AND TUESDAY 10 MARCH NO EXTRA MURALS FROM WEDNESDAY 11 MARCH TO FRIDAY 13 MARCH Grade 8-12 (CAMP) GRADE 8 – 12 EXTRA MURALS RESUME ON 16 MARCH AND CONTINUE UNTIL 19 MARCH

> THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION **MR S MUDDIMAN**

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## 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 Mrs. Smith may be contacted on the number above from Monday to Friday from 06:45 to 16:00

CLOSED: Tuesdays, Fridays & Sundays TO ACCOMMODATE OUR FULL-TIME WORKING PARENTS: Saturdays by appointment only



### 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: Kim 082 339 0640 or Antoinette 061 944 3898.



CONTACT US TO PLACE YOUR Advert into the King's ken Email: Admin@tkswr.co.za

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNVAVERING SUPPORT!

13 March - Mielie Meal

20 March-Rice

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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During the course of the 1st Term 44 of our High School learners (including Grade 7s) took part in the 59th Public Speaking Festival organised by the Speech and Drama College of South Africa. The learners speak as a team (chairperson and 3 speakers) for 15 minutes. We are very proud of our learners and want to thank them for their time, effort and for being so willing to share their God-given talents with others. A big thank you also goes to Mrs Thabang Sehlangu, Mrs Angela Van Druten and Ms Lesego Moeng for all the guidance and support you gave your teams.

GRADE	SPEAKERS	SYMBOL
7	Jordan Padayachee	C+
	Otondo Takalani	
	Keira Davies	
	Phumzile Yako	
7	Megan Jonker	C+
	Dakalo Makhoana	
	Paballo Diale	
	Naomi Dziga	
8	Tumisho Seaka	В
	Oratile Ntseke	
	Kamogelo Mogolotsane	
	Unathi Kraai	
8	Kganya Phale	В
	Lethabo Seteno	
	Mia Beckmann	
	Andrea Fynn	
9	Makabongwe Gwebu	B+
	Pusetso Wessie	
	Tanna Padayachee	
	Nicole Langley	
9	Caleb Still	C+
	Tahirah Solomon	
	Omphile Mathabatha	
	Buhle Fadane	

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10	Mokoziwe Radebe	A	
	Perpetual Gutura		
	Nairobi Twala		
	Sphokazi Khanyi		
 11	Jonathan Harvey	В	
	Aurian Bals		
	Nondyebo Mngqundaniso		
	Gabriela Kellerman		
11	Ashleigh Steed	B+	
	Ashlee Cloete		
	Kayleigh Campbell		
	Kimberly Carrim		
12	Tamlyn Camhee	В	
	Lilitha Baartman		
	Omphile Ledwaba		
	Miyelani Mathebula		、
12	Yaddah Sehlangu	B+	
	Phathu Mundalamo		Well
	Khanyisa Tshezi		Done!
	Savannah Taylor		



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