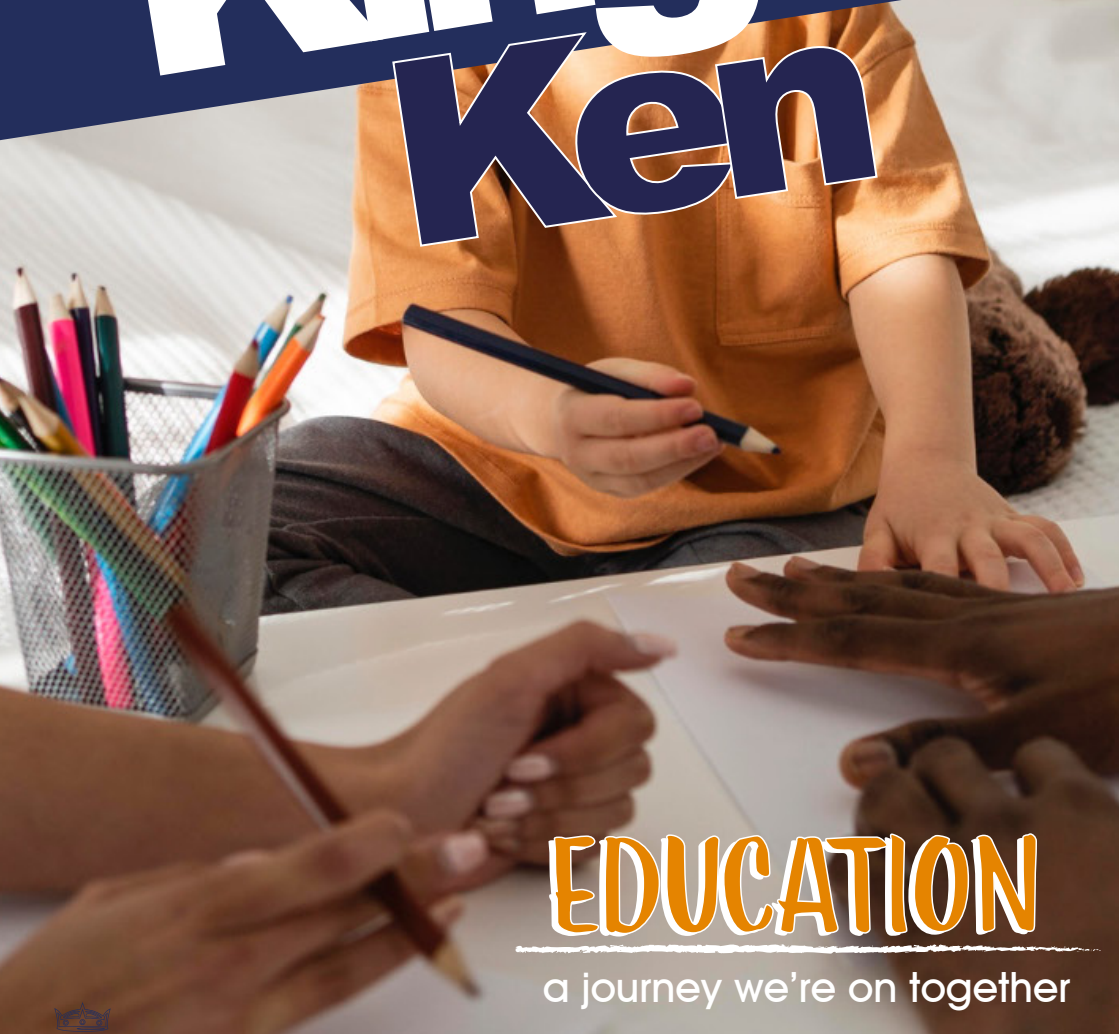


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EDUCATION

a journey we're on together



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WEST RAND

From the Principal's Desk

OUR AIM ISN'T JUST "EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION" – IT'S TRANSFORMATION.

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Dear Parents

I hope you enjoyed a restful and meaningful break with your families. As we step into the third term, our staff return with fresh energy and a deep sense of gratitude for the journey we're on together. It's a privilege to walk alongside you in one of life's most important callings – shaping the hearts, minds, and futures of the next generation.

With all the reports now sent out, I want to gently remind every parent and learner that marks are not a child's identity. Yes, academics matter, and we encourage every learner to aim for excellence – but that's just one part of a far bigger picture. What's "excellent" for one child might look very different for another. Instead of focusing only on percentages, let's celebrate growth, effort, and progress.

Your child is not defined by the numbers on a report card, but by who they are – and even more importantly, Whose they are. Mistakes and tough moments are not failures; they're opportunities to grow, to build resilience, and to shape Godly character. While the world often measures value by achievement, here at TKSWR, we're far more interested in the kind of people our learners are becoming. Success, for us, is measured by integrity, kindness, perseverance, and faith.

We're not here to prepare students to pass exams – we're raising them to stand firm in truth, to love well, and to live with purpose.

In a world where values are constantly shifting and truth can feel uncertain,

Christian education is more important than ever. We're not only building academic knowledge, but nurturing a biblical worldview, helping our children to discern what's true, and giving them the courage to live it out. Our aim isn't just "excellence in education" – it's transformation. Every subject, every lesson, every staff interaction is a moment to reinforce identity, purpose, and faith.

Let me say again: you're not alone. We're in this together. Our school is a community – a team of educators, mentors, and support staff who care deeply about each child and are committed to seeing them grow and thrive. We value open communication and believe in standing together around shared goals for every learner.

As Term 3 begins, let's step forward with faith, diligence, and hope. I'm reminded of the words from Galatians 6:9: ***"Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up."***

A big thank you to everyone who contributed to the success of our Polar Bear Swim for Mandela Day – what an incredible day! We're excited to build on this momentum and grow the event even more in the future. Please keep an eye out for upcoming events and our full calendar of sports fixtures.

May this be a term of growth, learning, and flourishing – spiritually, emotionally, and academically.

- Mr. Philip Theron, Principal

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Primary School



TOP 5

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On Monday, 21 July, we celebrate our Top 5 Academic learners in Grade 7.

1. Talia Magesh (91.88%)
2. Dumo Nxumalo (88.08%)
3. Austin MC Carthy (85.48%)
4. Estie Botha (84.98%)
5. Anja Underwood (82.63%)

Congratulations to our Top 5 this Semester!



JUNIORS
10-13YRS

SENIORS
14-16YRS

SOUTH AFRICAN SPELLING BEE

GAUTENG OPEN 2025

JOHANNESBURG

SATURDAY 2 AUGUST

IIE MSA CAMPUS

ASAFA

WWW.AFRICANSPELLINGBEE.COM/SOUTHAFRICA

GRADE 7 INTER-HOUSE

QUIZ!

JASPER • EMERALD • TOPAZ • SAPPHIRE

Friday, 8 August 2025

WHICH HOUSE WILL BE CROWNED?

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

IMPORTANT NOTICE



Parents are reminded that a 3-month written notice is to be given if you are planning on leaving the school.

A 1-month notice is required at Aftercare.

Term 3 HIGH SCHOOL SPORT

We are excited to offer a wide range of sporting codes this term and encourage all our High School learners to get involved by signing up for at least one of our programmes.

Sport not only promotes physical well-being, but also builds teamwork, discipline, school spirit, instills perseverance, and provides a platform to showcase God-given talents. For young people, sport is also a powerful tool for developing essential life skills such as leadership, strategic thinking, and collaboration towards a common goal.

Learners are encouraged to connect with the respective team managers for more information and to join as soon as possible.

Available sports this term include:

- Girls' Soccer
- Tennis
- Cross Country
- Athletics
- Rugby 7s
- Indoor Hockey
- Volleyball

Don't miss out on the opportunity to be part of the action—get involved, stay active, and represent our school with pride!

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Waterstone Soccer Super Cup 2025

Our school was honoured to participate in the prestigious Waterstone Soccer Super Cup, held over three exciting days during the school holidays. The tournament featured 45 teams from 17 schools, competing in both the U13 and U19 divisions.

We are proud to announce that three of our teams—the U13 Boys, U13 Girls, and U19 Boys (1st Team)—qualified for the playoff stages on the final day of the competition. Their determination and sportsmanship were truly commendable.

A heartfelt thank you goes out to all our team managers and coaches for their dedication, meticulous planning, and tactical guidance throughout the tournament.

We are especially proud of our U13 Boys, who reached the final and faced off against The King's School Linbro Park in a thrilling match



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WSC SOCCER SUPER CUP 2025



The King`s School West Rand Boys U19

WSC SOCCER SUPER CUP 2025



The King`s School West Rand Girls U19

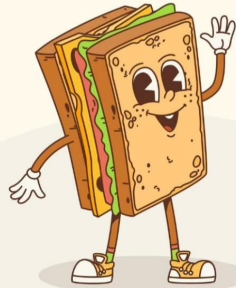


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GRADE 6 MISSION FOCUS

SANDWICH DRIVE



GRADE 6 LEARNERS

WE ARE SUPPORTING THE ETHANDWENI FEEDING PROJECT, WHICH PROVIDES MEALS TO 106 CHILDREN LIVING ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF KAGISO. TO SUPPORT THIS PROJECT, WE ARE ASKING ALL GRADE 6 LEARNERS TO BRING AN EXTRA SANDWICH TO SCHOOL EVERY FRIDAY.

REMEMBER TO BRING A SANDWICH THIS FRIDAY!

MISSION FOCUS 2025



GRADE 4

11 FEBRUARY - 29 AUGUST

HOW IT WORKS

It will be a friendly competition between LW, LVN & AT as to which class brings the most bottle caps and / bread tags.

WHO DO WE SEND THE CAPS & TAGS TO

Your register teachers will keep them in a jar in your register class.

WHAT IS THIS FOR

By recycling plastic tops and tags, not only are you helping someone who needs a wheelchair, but you are playing your part in preserving the future of our beautiful green planet while supporting the circular economy.

<https://www.sweetheartfoundation.org/>



Giving the Gift of Mobility

Please help us give the gift of mobility to the poor and marginalised of our society by supporting us financially or by collecting tops and tags which we sell to recyclers.



Welcome!
TO THE KING'S FAMILY



Mr Alfred Chinamatira
High School CAT/IT



Mrs. Tiffany Fourie
Primary School Math

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Please Note: Lost Property

Please can we ask that ALL parents label ALL items of clothing and other items brought to school.

We are not able to give a learner a piece of clothing if their name is not on it as we have no evidence that it is theirs.

Please note that we have a two week turn around time so as soon as your child loses something, send them to look for it.



Labels & Embroidery

Label Pal
083 789 1228

DDK Marketing
082 335 4516

Point Of View Marketing
072 652 5873

Hellodolly
079 875 4892

Happy Birthday



Rendani Ranzwa
18 July



Tiffany Fourie
19 July



Palesa Mahlobo
25 July



Elizma Greef
26 July

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JULY 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15 School starts Term 3	16 Extra Murals start	17	18 Mandela Day	19 PS Hockey festival
20	21 Reports released	22	23	24 Lus vir Lees 5-8pm Parents evening	25 GR11 Prefect Applicant camp	26 GR11 Prefect Applicant camp
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AUGUST 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 King's Cup Talent SSA Volleyball Festival	2 GR12 Math workshop GR11-12 Hike SSA Volleyball Festival
3	4 IP Blue Certificate Assembly	5	6 Blood Drive	7 GR10 Elevate study skills workshop	8 IP Inter-house quiz	9 National Women's Day
10	11	12	13	14 GR12 Prayer morning	15 Staff meeting	16
17	18 HS Prefect inauguration	19	20 GR12 Study Day	21 Prelims start	22 HS Prefect training	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 PFP Grandparents day	30 HS Spring Ball
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SEPTEMBER 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Spring Day Summer/Winter uniform interim period	2	3	4	5	6 FUN RUN
7	8	9 GR12 LO & CAT B	10 GR12 L&E PAT	11	12 HS Prefect training	13 SACBSA Invitational Athletics
14	15	16	17	18 Prelims End HS Production	19 School closes Heritage Day Celebration Shawelthon HS Production	20 IGF Chess
21	22	23	24 Heritage Day	25	26	27 SACBSA National Athletics
28	29 GR12 Art Drawing Exam	30 GR12 Art Drawing Exam				

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