



K.E.P.S.

TEDDY BEAR TIMES



Everything you need to know...

18 OCTOBER 2018

DATES TO REMEMBER

19-21 October	Merchiston Weekend
Thurs, 25 October	18:00 General Sports Q & A Evening
Thurs, 1 November	18:00 AGM
Sat, 10 November	Orientation Morning
Mon, 12 November	Junior Interhouse Gala
Tues, 13 November	Grade 1 Outing– Lion & Safari Park
Thurs, 15 November	Senior Interhouse Gala
Fri, 16 November	Grade R & 7 Zoo Outing
21-27 November	Grade 6 & 7 Exams
Fri, 23 November	Sports & Cultural Banquet
Fri, 30 November	Carols by Candlelight
Tues, 4 December	Grade 7 Bela Bela Trip
Wed, 5 December	Valediction
Thurs, 6 December	Grade R-3 Prize Givings
Fri, 7 December	Grade 4-6 Prize Givings (By invitation only)
Sat, 8 December	Mother's Tea
	Dads & Lads 1st XI Cricket
Wed, 12 December	End of Term 4
Wed, 9 January	07:30 Start of 2019 Year

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

*"Watch your thoughts, for they become words
Watch your words, for they become your actions
Watch your actions, for they become habits
Watch your habits, for they become character
Watch your character, for it becomes your destiny."*

- Unknown



GRADE 7 WALL OF FAME

The K.E.P.S Wall of Fame captures the names of our Grade 7 boys to be remembered along with all of our past pupils! Plaques cost R100. Order forms are available on D6. Please hand completed forms and proofs of payment to Miss White (Gr 7E).

NOTICES

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Governing Body invites all parents to the AGM to be held in the School Hall on Thursday, 1 November 2018 at 18:00. A quorum is required so all support will be appreciated. The grade that has the highest percentage attendance will be rewarded.

THE OPENING OF THE LIBRARY

The process of getting the Library to a point where it can be used as a place of reading has taken MUCH longer than expected. Parents are invited to join the staff and SGB in celebrating the opening of the new Penny Mylrea Library on Thursday, 1 November. This function will precede the AGM and will be completed in time for the AGM.

STATIONERY LISTS 2019

Stationery lists for 2019 are available on the D6. The School recommends 2 different suppliers. Both Schoolzone Express and Waltons offer online ordering. All orders and payments are done via the supplier websites and NOT through the School.

ATTENDANCE IN 2019

Should your circumstances have changed, and your son/s will not be attending K.E.P.S. in 2019, please urgently contact Mrs Salmon on admin@keps.co.za.

GENERAL SPORTS Q & A EVENING

All parents are invited to a General Sports Q & A evening on Thursday, 25 October 2018 in the School Hall at 18:00. Discussions will include all sporting codes with emphasis on Cricket and Aquatics.

ENGLISH & AFRIKAANS STUDY GUIDES

Both English and Afrikaans study guides are available from Mrs Bennet at R200-00 per book. These study guides are highly recommended as they can be used until Matric and into university.

TERM 4 COMMITMENTS

Please will parents pay attention to the Term Planner (to D6 and social media platforms for changes/ additions) and the commitments to the extra curricular program as instituted for this term. It is a busy term which allows us the opportunity to make it hugely successful.

EXAMINATIONS

As with all examination terms, the level of intense academic teaching is in its final phase for 2018. Please support your sons in their readiness for the examinations that are a mere 5 weeks away. Time management skills are crucial to succeed in both the classroom and in extra murals. Homework and study sessions at home must be followed and all efforts must be made for your sons not to fall behind in their preparations.

AWARD ASSEMBLIES

The last day of each term is a formal and compulsory event. Termly Academic, Sporting and Cultural Achievements are awarded! Far too many recipients were absent on the 28th September.

ASSESSMENTS

Fri, 19 October	Grade 4 Afrikaans
	Grade 5 Afrikaans
	Grade 6 Exam revision & prep
	Grade 7 Exam revision & prep
Thurs, 25 October	Grade 4 LO
	Grade 5 English
	Grade 6 Exam revision & prep
	Grade 7 Exam revision & prep

K.E.P.S. SCHOOL SHOP TRADING HOURS

Monday:	07:00– 07:45 and 13:00– 14:00
Tuesday:	07:00– 07:45 and 14:00– 14:30
Wednesday:	07:00– 07:45 and 13:00– 14:00
Thursday:	07:00– 07:45 and 13:00– 14:00
Friday:	07:00– 07:45

For any queries, please contact Lee Villavicencio on 063 296 2948.

AWARDS

STRENUW AWARDS

The following boys were given the Strenue award this week for being a good example of a K.E.P.S boy. Grade 1 Yahya Suliman ; Grade 2 Muhammad Saley ; Grade 3 Jamie Lucas ; Grade 4 Daniel Meltz ; Grade 5 Levi Gekis ; Grade 6 Lethu Mngomezulu ; Grade 7 Tiaan Marais.

HOUSE TROPHY

This week, the trophy was won by: Grimmer & Hofmeyr

READING CERTIFICATES

Congratulations to the following boys who have read 10 or more books: Aayan Ali, Siphosethu Chakela, Muhammad Choonara, Lethabo Kekana, Khumo Madumo, Thando Mtambo , Musa Radebe, Matteo Ferreira , Yahya Kolia, Sean Kotlar, Noah Mahomed, Leano Moloj, Orefile Selebogo and Jack Wolhuter.

CONGRATULATIONS

- **Provincial Trampoline Gymnastics**

During the school holidays Ethan Kotlar competed at the SA Gymnastics Games, held in Pretoria. He won gold for his Eurotramp Trampoline routines and won silver for his Double-mini Trampoline routines.

- **Eisteddfod Awards**

National Eisteddfod of South Africa: Luca Dos Santos: Drumkit Rock (Diploma) and Drumkit Dance Music (Gold)

Allegretto Eisteddfod:

Joel Bragin, Bryce Bennet, Greg Carr, Russell Davies, Ndiya Mbunge- Concert Presentation (Prestige)

Christian Rono, Tshiamo Menu, Mpho Motlhako, Nahti Nkukana and Inyene Umanah- Dance (Silver)

Roan Stanbury, Caleb Michael, Jaiden Wight, Nu'aym Rasool, Muhammad Fadal, Gabriel Pass, Ivano Landi, Ethan

Breedt- Poetry: Prescribed (Prestige)

Kehoe Burgess- Poetry: Own Choice (Prestige)

Ross Borley, Ameer Loonat- Public Speaking (Prestige)

Yahya Kolia, Ethan van der Wiel, Matteo Ferreira, Gabriel Pass- Reading: Prepared (Prestige)

- **Interhouse Tennis**

Winner Seniors: Hofmeyr

Winner Juniors: Anderson

WEEKLY FIXTURES

Please view the list of fixtures on D6.

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