



Rynfield Primary School

NEWSLETTER

Issue No: 14

Monday, 20 April 2026

Term 2 (8 April – 26 June)

Dear Parents, Learners and Friends

Last week, Hooked on Books put on a wonderful performance for our learners in Grades R – 5. They brought great stories to life, encouraged learner participation and ignited the imagination of our Rynfielders.

We had Awards Assemblies last week and would like to congratulate the learners who received Colours, Merit Badges or any other awards. Congratulations and well done to Luchenke Engelbrecht on being selected as netball captain and to Emma Siepman and Nhlanhla Mngqabashe on being selected as the vice captains.

On Sunday, some of our Student Leaders and Staff represented our school by handing out waters and cheering on the runners at the Benoni Northern Marathon. Thank you to all those who attended.

EARLY CLOSING - FREEDOM DAY

For the upcoming *Freedom Day* long weekend, school will be closing at 11:00 on Friday, 24 April. Parents are to please make prior arrangements with transport, etc, to ensure learners are collected promptly. There will, however, be a waiting class until the end of the school day. A reminder that Monday, 27 April, is a public holiday.

JUNIOR SPORTS DAY

Every year we host a fun sports day for our juniors. This year it will take place on Friday, 24 April during School hours. We know our learners will enjoy this exciting, fun-filled event.

PARENT PORTAL ACCESS (Edana App)

Parents, this is another reminder to please ensure that all contact details, especially email addresses, are correct on the school system. In order for you to access the Edana Parent Portal, we need to have the correct information.

- ✓ To update your information please email us: admissions@rps.org.za
- ✓ To download and install the app, please refer to page 22 in the homework diary. The Rynfield Primary School code is 183325.



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IMPORTANT NOTICES

School Times:

GRADE R	07:45	12:50
GRADE 1	07:45	13:20
GRADE 2	07:45	13:30
GRADE 3	07:45	13:40
GRADE 4-7	07:45	13:50



SECOND HAND CLOTHING SHOP TIMES

Monday & Wednesday: 7:30 – 8:30
Thursday: 13:30 – 14:30

GRADE R APPLICATIONS FOR 2027

Grade R applications for 2027 opened on Wednesday, 8 April. Application forms can be collected from the front office and returned completed with all supporting documentation required. For more information, please email admissions@rps.org.za or call 011 849 5215.

SCHOOL UNIFORM TRANSITION PERIOD

As the weather begins to change, we will enter the transition period from summer uniform to winter uniform. Learners may either wear their full summer or winter uniform, depending on the days weather, up until Thursday, 30 April. **ALL learners are expected to be in full winter uniform from Monday, 4 May.**

Please ensure that your child is dressed correctly in either their summer or winter uniform. Children are not allowed to mix and match their uniforms. The manner in which our learners present themselves in their school uniform reflects the image of our school. We have always had a high standard of dress code, please help us see to it that it remains the same.

IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES

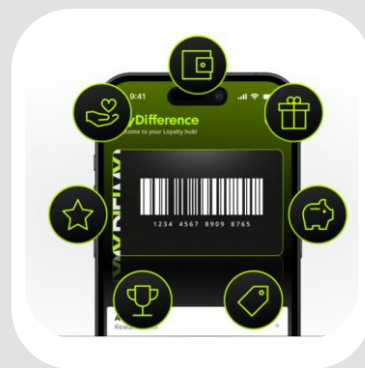
<u>APRIL</u>	
Friday, 24	Junior Sports Day (Grades R – 3)
Monday, 27	Freedom Day (public holiday)
<u>MAY</u>	
Friday, 1	Workers Day (public holiday)

JOIN MY DIFFERENCE

WRewards and MySchool MyVillage MyPlanet have joined to become **MyDifference**, a bigger, better loyalty programme. Parents, this is a reminder to sign up and choose RPS as your cause and scan your MyDifference card on the Woolies app. Every time you shop, you support OUR SCHOOL, at *no cost* to you!

HOW TO SUPPORT US:

1. Download the Woolies app.
2. Join MyDifference.
3. Go to the Loyalty hub and tap 'Causes'.
4. Select 'Choose My Own'.
5. Search for our school name – Rynfield Primary School.
6. Don't miss out! Choose us before the selection window closes on 30 June.
7. Thank you for your support



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ALL ON THE
WOOLIES APP



Wishing you a great week.

★ **Stay humble, Be patient, and Stay real** ★

Dirk Bloem

PRINCIPAL

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RPS EXTRAMURAL SCHEDULE

20 APRIL 2026

Date	Start Time	End Time	Activity	Details	Venue
Mon, 20 Apr	12:50	13:30	Grade R Ball Skills	Grade R Ball Skills	RPS School Field
	13:30	14:30	U7 Netball Training	U7 Netball Training	RPS School Field
	13:45	14:45	U8 Netball Training	U8 Netball Training	RPS Courts
	13:45	14:30	Grade 1 Mini Soccer Training	All Gr 1 learners interested in Soccer	RPS School Field
	13:45	14:45	Grade 2 Extra Art Class	All interested Grade 2's	Mrs van Der Schyf's Classroom
	13:45	14:45	U9 Rugby Training	U9 Rugby Training	RPS School Field
	14:00	15:00	U9 Netball Training	U9 Netball Training	RPS Courts
	14:00	14:45	Chess Practice	Gr 3 - 7 Learners	Mrs Gertzen Classroom
	14:15	15:15	U10-U13 Rugby Training	U10-U13 Rugby Boys	RPS School Field
	14:00	15:00	Senior Extra Art Class	All interested Grade 4-7's	Snr Art Class
	14:00	15:00	Marimba Academy	Selected Marimba players	Music Class
	14:00	15:30	U10-U11 Netball Training	U10-U11 Netball Training	RPS Courts
	14:30	15:45	U12-U13 Netball Training	U12-U13 Netball Training	RPS Courts
Tue, 21 Apr	6:45	7:45	U7-U13 Cross-Country Training	All U7-U13 Boys & Girls Intrested	RPS School Field
	7:00	7:45	Junior Choir Practice	Selected Grade 2- 3 Choir Members	School Hall
	13:30	14:30	U7 Netball Training	U7 Netball Training	RPS School Field
	13:30	14:15	U7 & U8 Valkie Rugby Training	U7 & U8 Valkie Rugby Training	RPS School Field
	13:45	14:45	U9 Rugby Training	U9 Rugby Training	RPS School Field
	13:45	14:30	Grade 2 Mini Soccer Training	All Gr 2 learners interested in Mini Soccer	RPS School Field
	14:00	15:00	U9 Netball Training	U9 Netball Training	RPS Courts
	14:00	15:00	Chess Practice	All Gr3-Gr7 Learners	Mrs Gertzen Classroom
	14:00	15:00	Marimba Class	Grade 4-7 leaners interested in Marimba	Music Class
	14:00	15:15	U10-U11 Netball Training	U10-U13 Netball Training	RPS Courts
	14:00	16:00	U12-U13 Netball Training	U12-U13 Netball Training	RPS Courts
	14:15	15:15	U10-U13 Rugby Training	U10-U13 Rugby Boys	RPS School Field
Wed, 22 Apr	6:45	7:45	U7-U13 Cross-Country Training	All U7-U13 Boys & Girls Intrested	RPS School Field
	7:00	7:45	Senior Choir Practice	Selected Grade 4-7 Choir Members	School Hall
	12:50	13:30	Grade R Ball Skills	Grade R Ball Skills	RPS School Field
	13:30	14:15	U7 & U8 Valkie Rugby Training	U7 & U8 Valkie Rugby Training	RPS School Field
	13:45	14:45	U9 Rugby Training	U9 Rugby Boys	RPS School Field
	13:45	14:15	Chess Practice	Gr1-Gr3 Learners Intrested	Mrs Gertzen Classroom
	13:45	14:45	U8 Netball Training	U8 Netball Training	RPS School Field
	13:45	14:45	Grade 1 & 2 Mini Soccer Training	All Gr 1 & 2 learners interested in mini Soccer	RPS School Field
	13:45	14:45	Grade 3 Extra Art Class	All Grade 3's interested	Mrs van Der Schyf's Classroom
	14:00	15:00	U9 Netball Training	U9 Netball Training	RPS Courts
	14:00	15:00	Senior Extra Art Class	All interested Grade 4-7's	Snr Art Class
	14:00	15:30	U10-U13 Netball Training	U10-U13 Netball Training	RPS Courts
	14:15	15:15	U10-U13 Team Rugby Training	U10-U13 Team Rygby Boys	RPS School Field
Thu, 23 Apr	6:45	7:45	U7-U13 Cross-Country Training	All U7-U13 Boys & Girls Intrested	RPS School Field
	7:00	7:45	Junior Choir Practice	Selected Grade 2- 3 Choir Members	School Hall
	13:30	14:30	U7 Netball Training	U7 Netball Training	RPS School Field
	13:45	14:45	U8 Netball Training	U8 Netball Training	RPS School Field
	14:15	15:15	U9-U13 Rugby League Fixture	Selected U9-U13 Rugby Fixture vs Laerskool Birchleigh	L/S Birchleigh
	14:15	16:30	U9-U13 Netball Fixture	Selected U9-U13 Netball Fixture vs Laerskool Delview	RPS Courts
Fri, 24 Apr	7:00	7:45	Senior Choir Practice	Selected Grade 4-7 Choir Members	School Hall
	9:00	10:30	Junior Sports Day	All Grade R to Grade 3 Learners	RPS School Field
Sat, 25 Apr	7:00	14:30	Benoni Chess Individual Tournament	Benoni Chess Individual Tournament	Ridgewood College

PLEASE NOTE: Dates and times are subject to change. Please download the D6 Communicator for changes.



RPS SPORTS RESULTS

SPORT	TEAM	COACH	VS	DATE	RESULTS	
RUGBY	U/9	Mr McCallum & Mr van der Berg				
	U/10	Mr McCallum, Mr Watkins				
	U/11	Mr van Eeden, Mr Robinson				
	2 nd	Mr Pretorius, Mr Lombaed				
	1 st	Mr T, Chris Smit				
NETBALL	U/9	Miss Thomson, Mrs A Green, Mrs Moutafis	LS Northmead	16/4	A	9 – 2 (W)
			LS Northmead	16/4	B	1 – 7 (L)
	U/10	Mrs du Preez, Mrs L de Beer, Miss Rogers	LS Northmead	16/4	A	4 – 12 (L)
			LS Northmead	16/4	B	0 – 22 (L)
	U/11	Mrs Turner, Mrs S Verrall, Miss Bagley	LS Northmead	16/4	A	11 – 5 (W)
			LS Northmead	16/4	B	5 – 2 (W)
	U/12	Miss Stander, Miss O'Donoghue, Miss Cairns	LS Northmead	16/4	A	12 – 14 (L)
			LS Northmead	16/4	B	8 – 3 (W)
	U/13	Mrs K Smit, Miss Robinson, Miss J Verrall	LS Northmead	16/4	A	13 – 18 (L)
			LS Northmead	16/4	B	12 – 14 (L)
CHESS		GIRLS		BOYS		
	U/9					
	U/10					
	U/11					
	U/12					
	U/13					
	Mrs Gertzen					



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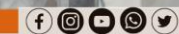
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