



**Rynfield Primary School**

# NEWSLETTER

Issue No: 20

Monday, 1 June 2026

Term 2 (8 April – 26 June)

## Dear Parents, Learners and Friends

It is the second week of our Controlled Tests for our seniors. We trust that our learners have a good study routine in place to prepare for the remainder of the tests. We wish them luck and positivity!

Please note, it is the parents' responsibility to inform transport drivers of the change in school times.

Last week Friday, we celebrated Slipper Day – thank you to all the learners who participated and supported the Reach for a Dream Foundation.

### **CONTROLLED TEST TIMETABLE** **Grades 4-7**

Controlled tests for Grades 4 – 7 are already well under way. Parents, please note that for the duration of the Controlled Tests, **the School day will end at 13:00, ie from Wednesday, 27 May up to and including Tuesday, 9 June.** There will be a waiting class until 13:50 for those learners who cannot be collected early. This will be for all learners from Grades R-7.

After the Controlled Tests, the school day will continue as normal, following the normal academic timetable and closing times. Therefore, **all** learners are expected to be at school. Closing times will therefore return to normal from Wednesday, 10 June.

| Date              | Grades 4 - 6 | Grade 7          |
|-------------------|--------------|------------------|
| Monday, 1 June    | History      | Technology       |
| Tuesday, 2 June   | Mathematics  | English          |
| Wednesday, 3 June |              | Life Orientation |
| Thursday, 4 June  | Geography    | Natural Sciences |
| Friday, 5 June    | Afrikaans    | Geography        |
| Monday, 8 June    |              | History          |
| Tuesday, 9 June   |              | EMS              |



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#### IMPORTANT NOTICES

School Closing Times from Wednesday, 27 May:

|           |       |       |
|-----------|-------|-------|
| GRADE R   | 07:45 | 12:50 |
| GRADE 1   | 07:45 | 13:00 |
| GRADE 2   | 07:45 | 13:00 |
| GRADE 3   | 07:45 | 13:00 |
| GRADE 4-7 | 07:45 | 13:00 |



#### SECOND HAND CLOTHING SHOP TIMES

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

## MOTHER'S DAY RAFFLE - LUCKY WINNER

Last week Friday, the lucky draw took place for the *Mother's Day Hamper* valued at R1600.00. Mr Bloem pulled the ticket of Iviwe Mzekandaba in Grade 1B! Congratulations on being the lucky winner.

Once again, thank you to all our parents who purchased lucky draw tickets! Heartfelt thanks to Silver & Shyne for the incredible hamper they sponsored to our School for Mother's Day.



## RPS SPORT NEWS

### **Mini Netball & Mini Soccer Tournament**

Good luck to all the boys and girls playing in the tournament after school this Saturday at Tom Newby School. Enjoy yourselves and remember to play with heart and spirit.

### **Valkie Rugby Day**

Our boys have been enjoying their Saturday Valkie day matches. Thank you to the coaches and parents for their support. On Saturday, 6 June their tournament will be held at LS Westwood. Good luck boys.

### **Netball**

The u'11A netball girls have done extremely well this season. They qualified to compete in the *Ekurhuleni B League Netball Play-Offs* last week where they won 3 games and lost 1. They placed 2<sup>nd</sup> overall. They have now qualified to compete in the *D6 netball play-offs* today. RPS will proudly host this netball event at our courts. Good luck girls, play with all your heart.

## EXPECTED PARENT BEHAVIOUR

We kindly ask all parents to show patience, understanding and respect towards fellow parents, particularly during busy collection times. We recognise that parking and traffic congestion outside the school can be challenging when collecting your child. While the school management is responsible for the safety and smooth operation of the school, it is not responsible for monitoring or managing parent behaviour and conflicts. We encourage everyone to work together, be considerate of one another and set a positive example for our learners through courteous and respectful conduct.

## SCHOOL FEES

We are enormously grateful to all the parents who make every effort to pay their school fees, either upfront or monthly. Your support of our School is deeply appreciated. Parents who are experiencing difficulty in paying, please contact Jean Doran in the front office on 0118495215 so that a suitable arrangement can be made.

Have a great week.

  
**Dirk Bloem**  
PRINCIPAL

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# RPS EXTRAMURAL SCHEDULE

1 JUNE 2026

| Date       | Start Time | End Time | Activity                                        | Details                                             | Venue                         |
|------------|------------|----------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Mon, 1 Jun | 6:45       | 7:30     | U7-U9 Cross-Country Training                    | All U7-U9 Boys & Girls Interested                   | RPS School Field              |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U9 Rugby Training                               | U9 Rugby Training                                   | RPS School Field              |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U10 - U13 Rugby Training                        | U10 - U13 Rugby Training                            | RPS School Field              |
|            | 13:30      | 16:45    | D6 Netball Play-offs                            | D6 Netball Play-offs                                | RPS Courts                    |
|            | 13:00      | 13:45    | U7 + U8 Mini Soccer Training                    | U7 + U8 Mini Soccer players                         | RPS School Field              |
| Tue, 2 Jun | 6:45       | 7:30     | U10-U13 Cross-Country Training                  | All U10-U13 Boys & Girls Interested                 | RPS School Field              |
|            | 7:00       | 7:45     | Junior Choir Practice                           | Selected Grade 2- 3 Choir Members                   | School Hall                   |
|            | 10:15      | 11:00    | Marimba Academy                                 | Selected Marimba players                            | Music Class                   |
|            | 12:15      | 12:45    | U7 & U8 Valkie Rugby Training                   | U7 & U8 Valkie Rugby Training                       | RPS School Field              |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U9 Rugby Training                               | U9 Rugby Training                                   | RPS School Field              |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U12 + U13 Girls Hockey                          | U12 + U13 girls interested in Hockey                | RPS Courts                    |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U11 A Team Netball Training (TBC)               | U11 A Team Netball Training (TBC)                   | RPS Courts                    |
|            | 12:45      | 13:45    | U10-U13 Rugby Training                          | U10-U13 Rugby Boys                                  | RPS School Field              |
|            | 13:00      | 13:45    | Grade 2 & 3 Extra Art Class Eisteddfod Learners | Grade 2 & 3 Extra Art Class Eisteddfod Learners     | Mrs van Der Schyf's Classroom |
|            | 13:00      | 13:45    | U7, U8 + U9 Mini Netball Training               | Selected U7, U8 + U9 Mini Netball players           | RPS Courts                    |
| Wed, 3 Jun | 6:45       | 7:30     | U7-U9 Cross-Country Training                    | All U7-U9 Boys & Girls Interested                   | RPS School Field              |
|            | 7:00       | 7:45     | Senior Choir Practice                           | Selected Grade 4-7 Choir Members                    | School Hall                   |
|            | 12:15      | 12:45    | U7 & U8 Valkie Rugby Training                   | U7 & U8 Valkie Rugby Training                       | RPS School Field              |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U9 Rugby Training                               | U9 Rugby Boys                                       | RPS School Field              |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U11 A Team Netball Training (TBC)               | U11 A Team Netball Training (TBC)                   | RPS Courts                    |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U10 + U11 Girls Hockey Training                 | U10 + U11 girls interested in Hockey                | RPS Courts                    |
|            | 12:45      | 13:45    | U10-U13 Rugby Training                          | U10-U13 Team Rugby Boys                             | RPS School Field              |
|            | 13:00      | 13:45    | U7, U8 + U9 Mini Netball Training               | U7, U8 + U9 Mini Netball Training                   | RPS Courts                    |
|            | 13:00      | 13:45    | U7 + U8 Mini Soccer Training                    | U7 + U8 Mini Soccer players                         | RPS School Field              |
| Thu, 4 Jun | 7:00       | 7:45     | Junior Choir Practice                           | Selected Grade 2- 3 Choir Members                   | School Hall                   |
|            | 10:15      | 11:00    | Marimba Academy                                 | Selected Marimba players                            | Music Class                   |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U11 A Team Netball Training (TBC)               | U11 A Team Netball Training (TBC)                   | RPS Courts                    |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U12 + U13 Girls Hockey                          | U12 + U13 girls interested in Hockey                | RPS Courts                    |
|            | 13:00      | 17:30    | U9-U13 Rugby League Fixture                     | Selected U9-U13 Rugby Fixture vs Laerskool Westwood | RPS School Field              |
| Fri, 5 Jun | 7:00       | 7:45     | Senior Choir Practice                           | Selected Grade 4-7 Choir Members                    | School Hall                   |
|            | 12:15      | 13:15    | U11 & 1st Team Cricket tour Training            | U11 & 1st Team boys going on tour                   | RPS Courts                    |
|            | 13:30      | 16:30    | Ekurhuleni League Netball Play-offs (TBC)       | Ekurhuleni League Netball Play-offs (U11A Team)     | H/S EG Jansen                 |
| Sat, 6 Jun | 8:00       | 12:00    | Valkie Rugby Festival                           | Selected Valkie Rugby Boys                          | L/S Westwood                  |
|            | 8:00       | 13:00    | Ekurhuleni League Netball Play-offs (TBC)       | Ekurhuleni League Netball Play-offs                 | H/S EG Jansen                 |
|            | 9:00       | 14:00    | Mini Netball + Mini Soccer Tournament           | Selected Mini Netball and Mini Soccer players       | Tom Newby School              |

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 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|------|---------|
| <b>RUGBY</b><br> | U/9             | Mr McCallum & Mr van der Berg | LS Hannes Visagie | 29/5 | (W)     |
|                                                                                                  | U/10            | Mr McCallum, Mr Watkins       | LS Hannes Visagie | 29/5 | (L)     |
|                                                                                                  | U/11            | Mr van Eeden, Mr Robinson     | LS Hannes Visagie | 29/5 | (W)     |
|                                                                                                  | 2 <sup>nd</sup> | Mr Pretorius, Mr Lombard      | LS Hannes Visagie | 29/5 | (W)     |
|                                                                                                  | 1 <sup>st</sup> | Mr T, Chris Smit              | LS Hannes Visagie | 29/5 | (W)     |

|                                                                                                       |      |                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              |   |                                                     |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|---|-----------------------------------------------------|
| <b>NETBALL</b><br> | U/9  | Miss Thomson, Mrs A Green, Mrs Moutafis    |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              | A |                                                     |
|                                                                                                       |      |                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              | B |                                                     |
|                                                                                                       | U/10 | Mrs du Preez, Mrs L de Beer, Miss Rogers   |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              | A |                                                     |
|                                                                                                       |      |                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              | B |                                                     |
|                                                                                                       | U/11 | Mrs Turner, Mrs S Verrall, Miss Bagley     | <i>Ekurhuleni B League Netball Play-Offs:</i><br>LS Concordia<br>Leeuwenhof Akademie<br>LS Generaal Alberts<br>LS Goudrand<br><br>*Placed 2 <sup>nd</sup> overall.<br>Through to D6 Play-Offs. | 28/5<br>29/5 | A | 12 – 9 (W)<br>11 – 3 (W)<br>11 – 5 (W)<br>9 – 10(L) |
|                                                                                                       |      |                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              | B |                                                     |
|                                                                                                       | U/12 | Miss Stander, Miss O'Donoghue, Miss Cairns |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              | A |                                                     |
|                                                                                                       |      |                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              | B |                                                     |
|                                                                                                       | U/13 | Mrs K Smit, Miss Robinson, Miss J Verrall  |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              | A |                                                     |
|                                                                                                       |      |                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                |              | B |                                                     |

|                                                                                                    |      |              |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|--------------|-------------|
| <b>CHESS</b><br> |      | <b>GIRLS</b> | <b>BOYS</b> |
|                                                                                                    |      |              |             |
|                                                                                                    | U/9  |              |             |
|                                                                                                    | U/10 |              |             |
|                                                                                                    | U/11 |              |             |
|                                                                                                    | U/12 |              |             |
|                                                                                                    | U/13 |              |             |
|                                                                                                    |      | Mrs Gertzen  |             |



# RPS REMINDERS

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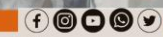
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