



# WATERSTONE COLLEGE

## INTERSEN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

**Date: 5 March 2010**

### **Memos from Management:**

#### The Last Newsletter!

School Communicator: At the end of next week we will be issuing all parents with a CD containing an exciting new communications programme. This programme will take the place of the newsletter, and will allow tailored information to be delivered directly to your desktop at work and home on a real time basis. Further information will follow with the CDs next week!

Celebration of Books: We are celebrating books at Waterstone College next week. The Travelling Bookshop will display a variety of books in our hall between 10h00 and 14h30 on 11 and 12 March. This is available to all our pupils and parents. The College library will get a percentage of the book sales, so please do support us by coming to select a few of your favourite books to take home at amazing prices.

### **Other News:**

Culture Club – Grease at Monte Casino: A reminder to book your tickets for the show 'Grease' to be held on 16 May at Montecasino. Adult tickets cost R250 and scholars R180, for the best seats in the house! Contact Mrs Stork to book at [sians@waterstonecollege.co.za](mailto:sians@waterstonecollege.co.za).

The School Scene: The new school shop officially opened on the 1st of March, and has most items of uniform available already. The PA Shop and Swap Shop also operate from their fantastic new facility. We encourage staff and parents to come and have a look! Items purchased from old School Shop are still acceptable as uniform.

Time Management and Study Skills Course: Thank you for the overwhelming response to this course. If you have not already done so, please remember to return your reply slip.

Escorting Learners into School: Parents, please drop your children off at the gate and do not escort them into the school in the mornings.

Brand New Grade 00 Class: In response to the need for an additional Grade 00 class, we are very pleased to announce that this is now possible. The new class will start on 12 July 2010. Placement testing will commence on the 15th and 23<sup>rd</sup> of March.

New Applications: New Learner Applications close on 30 April 2010 for 2011 and no new applications will be accepted for Grade 00, Grade 0 and Grade 1 for 2011.

#### Prep School Cycle Test Timetable:

A formal assessment will be written every Tuesday.  
The test period is 50 minutes long.

DATE	GRADE 4 – 7
9 March	Geography (Grade 4,6) History (Grade 5,7)
16 March	EMS
23 March	Technology



### **Sports News:**

#### **Fixtures:**

10 March:

Common Wealth A Team, Robertsham, Away.  
Common Wealth B Team, Highveld at Home.  
Terhorst A Team, Rosettenville, Away.  
8 – 11 March (date to be confirmed) Aloe Ridge at Home.

U/13A played against Harvest, we batted first and made 101 runs, match was rained out, and will be continued on Monday afternoon

U/13B: Aloe Ridge A scored 23 all out.  
Waterstone B won by 9 Wickets. (Adam Lappin 3/1 and (Erin Fenske 3/1)

## **Congratulations and Thanks:**

Massive thanks to Ilios Corporation and KK Display, the first two companies to sponsor our beautiful new amphitheatre. We are still looking for further sponsors – please email [sians@waterstonecollege.co.za](mailto:sians@waterstonecollege.co.za) if you are interested in doing so!

## **Parents Association:**

Thanks to all the parents who attended the PA meeting on Wednesday evening. The PA will be actively involved in next week's Open Day, and planning has started for the Mother's Day function and Golf Day later in the year!

## **Thought for the Day:**

“Gratitude unlocks the fullness of life. It turns what we have into enough, and more.” – *Melodie Beattie*