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NEWS LETTER

Dear Parents

Proverto Olympiad

Cleopas Thosago and **Nduvho Mulaudzi** wrote the 2nd Round of the Proverto Olympiad on Wednesday. Well done for making it through to this round and we look forward to sharing your progress.



Saturday Classes (Grades 11 & 12)

The Saturday Classes scheduled for 10 August have been postponed due to the long weekend.

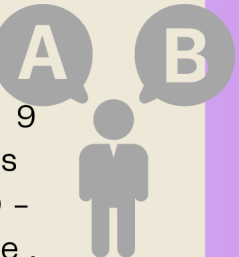
Photo Day

It was Photo Day in the high school today.

In approximately four weeks you will receive a unique code to order your photos directly from ePrints. You will have the freedom to select which photos you would like to purchase and the format of the photo – calendar, mug, keyring etc. There is no expiration date on the order process although you will save on the shipping cost if your order is placed within the allotted timeframe of two weeks.

Grade 9 Subject Choice Information Evening

Please note that the date for the Grade 9 Subject Choice Information Evening has been moved to Monday 19 August (18:00-19:30) – apologies for the inconvenience.



Provincial Chess Championships

On Monday 12 August, the 1st Round of the Provincial Chess Championships will take place at Ridgeway College. We will have male and female high school teams in the U15 and U18 age categories and a preparatory school team will participate in the U13 category.

Best of luck to our chess players.



“Thank You” from Sumbandila

Sumbandila Scholarship Trust delivered six braziers to the high school on Wednesday this week as a token of appreciation for the use of our facilities during their annual holiday school in July this year. We are most grateful for their generous gift, and we look forward to putting them to good use during our outside events in the future. Many thanks.

Drinking Fountain

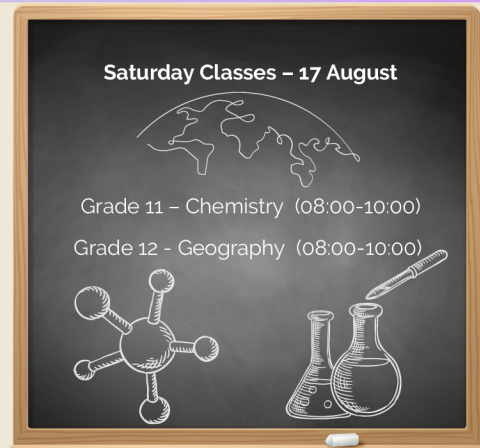
Thank you to our ground staff team for the installation of the first of our two new drinking fountains on the high school campus.



National Women's Day

Please be reminded that tomorrow (Friday 9 August) is a public holiday and school is closed.

Women's Day



Ridgeway College celebrates Women's Day EVERYDAY!

The women who marched to the Union Building, 71 years ago, did more than protest pass laws; they gave us a gift—rights.

Ridgeway College has used that gift to educate and empower kind, intelligent and competent students, in addition to employing qualified female staff to positions of authority and responsibility:

This year alone, we have produced:

1. An Honours roll comprised entirely of women.
2. Academic Top 10 lists dominated by females.
3. An exemplary record led by the predominantly female management team – Mrs Waller, Ms du Plessis, Mrs Moshapo, Ms Liremi, Ms Steyn, Ms Gupta, Mrs Rasool and Mrs Pretorius.

This ship is captained by Doctor Elliott whose trust in his team is best expressed in the immortal words after the struggle:

"Wathintha abafazi, wathintha imbokoto"

Ridgeway College wishes you a wonderful Women's Day, everyday!

KIND REGARDS

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