



### IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

- 4 Aug – photo day Gr 10 & 11
- 4 Aug – Movie night – book at the office
- 7 Aug – photo day Gr 8 & 9
- 9 Aug – National Women’s Day – school holiday
- 15 Aug – Gr 9 Subject choice evening 18h30
- 22 Aug – Art Exhibition Evening 18h00 – 20h30
- 24 Aug – Inter-High Athletics
- 25 Aug – Inter-house athletics during school
- 25 Aug – Gr 12 final hospitality evening
- 1 Sept – Deadline Gr 9’s to hand in their subject choice form
- 29 Sept – End of term
- 29 Sept – Colours Assembly and reports being handed out

Dear Parents

Welcome back to the 3<sup>rd</sup> term of 2017 which brings with it the realisation of the year passing by and all that still needs to be achieved.

#### Extra-curricular Activities

The athletics season is well under way and we look forward to our forthcoming Torch Trophy athletics meeting taking place here at Hyde Park High against Bryanston, Greenside and Queens High School on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> August 2017. Come and support our runners.

#### Admissions for 2017

The process of admissions for placement of new learners for 2018 is now complete. Late applications will be processed through the Department of Education via their on-line system – subject to availability.

#### Cycle Exams for term 3

Parents are reminded that there are cycle exams this term and the cycle timetable has been issued. Please familiarise yourself with your child’s exam schedule and ensure that they are not late for school on the day.

#### Prelims

Our matric pupils are encouraged to focus on their studies with their prelims beginning on 25<sup>th</sup> August 2017. We know that this is a very pressurised term for our matrics and we encourage them to remain focussed on their studies.

#### Art Exhibition

Come and appreciate the talents of our art pupils and join us and the guest speaker at the Art Exhibition taking place in the Thurman Hall on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 18h00 – 20h30. Beverages will be on sale and snacks will be provided.

Yours in education

M. Vogiatzis

Headmaster

### 2<sup>ND</sup> TERM ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Well done to all our top 10 academic achievers for the second term. Your consistent preparation for your cycle exams and end of term examinations has set you apart from your peers. We encourage all other pupils to aspire to achieve your best assessment results. Your future is truly in your hands.

<b>GRADE 8</b> 1 Govender, Justine 2 Pitsoe, Bontsi 3 Bennett, Tyler 4 Arendse, Cassidy 5 Smith, Kai Jacqui 6 Tigere, Sharon 7 Bennett, Brooke 8 Mangokwana, Kwena Naran, Nishtha (TIE) 9 Mohapi, Diallo 10 Weber, Dylan	<b>GRADE 9</b> 1 Luwawu, Mawete 2 Flaum, Seth 3 Eltawagny, Kausar 4 Dalais, Robert 5 Govender, Tameron 6 Ila, Rebecca 7 Hassam, Keara Cathline 8 Anaekwe, Emma-Lee 9 Uys, Tiffany 10 Smith, Danielle
<b>GRADE 10</b> 1 Jardine, Jordan 2 Govender, Reece 3 Reddy, Duran 4 De Sousa, Tyler 5 Maweni, Ntando 6 Pasztor, Casey 7 Butow, Jamie 8 Oosthuizen, Rebecca 9 Coker, Michael 10 Patel, Ciara	<b>GRADE 11</b> 1 Wacks, Joshua 2 Peng, Chao-Hong 3 Blanchard, Andrew 4 Govender, Jaydeen 5 Ferro, Daniella 6 Karp, Ami 7 Shenxane, Phumlani Struwig, Janine (TIE) 8 Ndlovu, Gugulethu 9 Luwawu, Ciska 10 Misra, Alisha

<b>GRADE 12</b> 1 De Bruyn, Paulus 2 Jonker, Richard 3 Rohit, Arkeev 4 Carlyon, Tristan 5 Smith, Chloe 6 Hancock, Mia 7 Dalais, Matthew 8 Lutz, Dante 9 Munien, Kristen 10 Curtiss, David
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## HPHS NEWS

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# HYDE PARK HIGH SCHOOL

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in cultural, integrity;  
in adolescence, security;  
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Quote: “Only as high as I reach can I grow, only as far as I seek can I go, only as deep as I look can I see, only as much as I dream can I be.” – Karen Ravn

We were voted - The Best Government High School by the Best Of Joburg for 2016!  
Voting for 2017 is now open and closes 14 August 2017



PLEASE VOTE FOR HYDE PARK HIGH SCHOOL AND GIVE US YOUR STAMP OF APPROVAL!

Hyde Park High School was voted the Best Government High School in Johannesburg in 2016 and we hope to repeat this accolade – with your input. We encourage all parents and friends of Hyde Park High to vote for us by going to The Best of Joburg web site,

[www.bestofjoburg.co.za](http://www.bestofjoburg.co.za) - or use [:http://bestofjoburg.co.za/register/](http://bestofjoburg.co.za/register/) and vote for Hyde Park High either on your Facebook or by registering. Then : At the top of the site scroll to the right of the page and select the “KIDS 2017” category. There are 7 questions. Answer 80% of the questions ESPECIALLY the last one “Some teenagers love high school – which is the best in Jozi?” – answer: HYDE PARK HIGH SCHOOL.

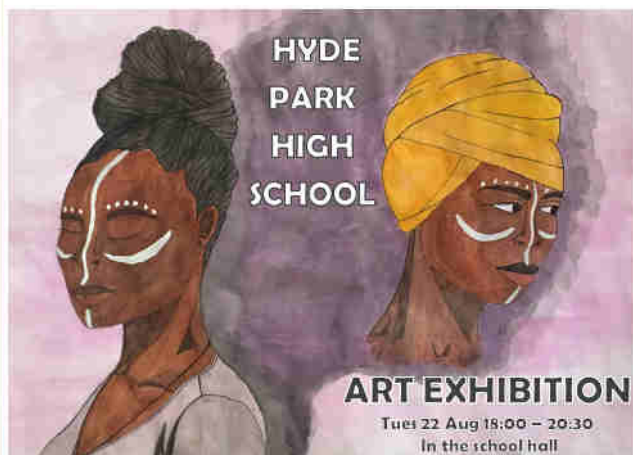
*You could also win great prizes from the Best of Joburg team as well as promoting our school in the easiest way possible.*

**Hyde Park High School**  
**A great place to grow up!**



Lebohang Letwaba, Dayle Cyrus, Tshepiso Maebela, Tshedza Mashamba, Brooke and Tyler Bennett together with the publishers

The Art Department is excited to announce our collaboration with Khaloza Books publishers on their upcoming book "Her Story, Daughters of Modjadji". The book is part of a series on iconic South African woman and is due for publication later this year. Hyde Park learners have submitted artworks which will be featured as illustrations in the book. Thank you to Ms Potgieter and Mr Mwale of Khaloza Books for this opportunity afforded our learners.



Dont miss our art exhibition on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August from 18h00 – 20h30!

### FROM THE SPORTS DESK...

#### Open Water Swimming

Hyde Park High was proud to be placed 6<sup>th</sup> out of 22 schools in the School League for the 2017 season. Well done to all our swimmers for their participation and effort.

#### Soccer News

Hyde Park played their first matches of the season vs Curro Aurora at a recent derby at our school. Hyde Park's boys 1<sup>st</sup> team won 2-1, the U15's won 8-2, U14's were beaten 7-4. The girls' teams were challenged by their opponent's strength and will be going forward with a newfound energy.

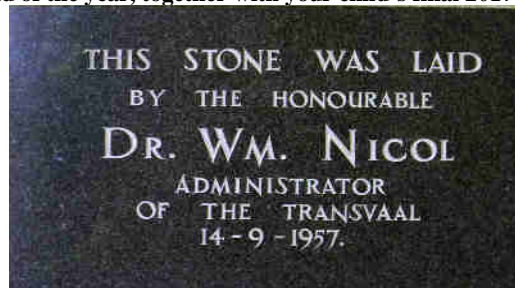
#### Athletics

Hyde Park attended their first athletics meeting at Mondeor High, together with Krugersdorp and Roosevelt High on the 2<sup>nd</sup> August. The competition was tough and we look forward to the season ahead. Well done to Alec Swann, Mirriam Margolis, Shannon Parkins and Lehlohonolo Ramogale on their races. Every race was filled gaining us valuable points and this is credit to the commitment of the team and their captains Joshua Wacks and Lisa Dywashu.



## THE 2017 YEAR BOOK AND 60<sup>TH</sup> YEAR CELEBRATION

Preparations are under way and we are proud to confirm that each and every pupil is to be represented in the forthcoming year book. We hope to have a very memorable publication for 2017 as we celebrate 60 years of education and believe that this record of your child's academic and sporting achievements will be something to treasure for years to come. The year book will be distributed at the end of the year, together with your child's final 2017 report.



## PLEASE SPONSOR A PAGE IN THE 2017 MAGAZINE FOR ONLY R100

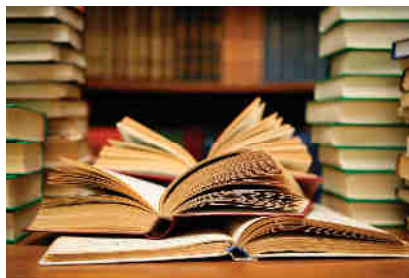
We do not charge for the annual year book. We therefore appeal to those parents and pupils who would like to sponsor a page representing the sport or class in which your child is reflected to kindly submit your payment of R100 to the finance office. Please indicate which page you would like to sponsor, when making your payment so that your child's name can be included.

## ADVERTISING IN THE 2017 YEAR BOOK

The cost of publishing an annual year book is substantial. Should your company, a colleague or friend be interested in taking advertising space in this publication, or be reflected as one of our Heroes by making a donation, please contact Mrs Avril Wright on 011 447-2281 or [awright@hydepark.gp.school](mailto:awright@hydepark.gp.school). The outside back cover is still free as well as A4 colour pages and ½ page colour adverts.

Half Page (full colour)	R 3 900,00
Full page (A4) (full colour)	R 5 000,00
Outside Back Cover (full colour)	R 7 200,00

## GRADE 10 - STUDY SKILLS COURSE 26 & 27 AUGUST 2017



Our Grade 10 pupils were introduced to a study skills course which will be run here at Hyde Park High on the 26 & 27<sup>th</sup> August by Mr Paul Tosio. A form has been sent home for parents to consider for those pupils that would like to attend this two day course.



## ADVERTISEMENTS

- **THE NEARLY NEW SHOP** : Hyde Park High School has a nearly new uniform shop which operates at the school every Wednesday at 2<sup>nd</sup> break and immediately after school on Wednesday for half an hour between 13:15 and 13:45

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