

THE KING'S KEN – 1 FEBRUARY 2012

From the Principal's Desk

At the beginning of 2012, God continues to build his school here on the West Rand, blessing us with our best-ever Matric results, a full staff complement of qualified teachers and a swelling enrolment approaching 740 students.

For all of us at The King's School, we delight in the fact that we believe in the God that owns the cattle on a thousand hills and calls us his own. But as the term settles in a routine of hard work and perseverance, what does this issue of belief really mean? Our increasing tempo of work and the accompanying adversities will test our worldview and whether our beliefs are sincerely or superficially held.

Dr. Paul Tripp, in a sermon from Hebrews 11 and Acts 17, spoke about three themes in the life of a believer:

Theme one was whether we believe, deeply and thoroughly, that *God is Creator God and that we are His for His purposes*. Theme two emphasized that *God really is sovereign – over time, people and circumstances – and we are not*. The third theme addressed our belief about *God as Saviour, a Saviour that is all-gracious enough to provide salvation for each individual*. Dr. Tripp noted that saying 'I believe in God' is inauthentic unless all these points are pervasively functional in our hearts and the core of our being.

Let's take a moment out of the day to dwell on these three themes – do we believe them deeply, do we desire for them to be evident every day, do we act in accordance with these beliefs?

May God grant that The King's school be known for our authentic faith and may we yearn after him to enable us in all situations.

Ken Langley
Principal

URGENT REQUESTS

EASTER EGG DRIVE

Africa Food for Thought is having their annual Easter Egg drive in April where they need to raise 12 000 marshmallow Easter Eggs. They will label each one of the eggs with a simple message such as 'Jesus loves you' or 'Jesus is alive' etc. and then hand them out to underprivileged children.

The King's School will once again take part in this drive. We urge our parents and children to bring Easter Eggs to the Admin Block to help spread the Word of love and hope to these children through Easter Eggs.

TAKKIES/SOCCER BOOTS

We are helping an underprivileged after care centre with 2nd hand takkies/soccer boots and therefore urgently request parent to send them to school as donation. The takkies/soccer boots will be the property of the after care centre where the children will get a pair to practice netball or soccer with in the afternoon. Takkies/soccer boots can be delivered to the office.

DISCOUNT ON SCHOOL FEES

Parents, please note that there is a 9% discount for fees paid in advance for the year. If you wish to make use of this offer, please contact Marinda Richards in the Finance office (creditcontrol@kswr.org.za or 087 808 1555 x 120) to secure the discount. The discount offer is available until 3 February (this Friday).

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE TERM

4 February	-	New Mom's Tea (MIA) – 09:30
6 February	-	Cluster C Athletics (Primary School)
7 February	-	Prayer Evening
13-17 February	-	Fun Week
17 February	-	Civvies Day
18 February	-	Roodepoort Championships (Primary School) Agape Ball
24 February	-	D12 Championships (Primary School)
1 March	-	Gauteng Championships (Primary School)
2 March	-	Pre-Primary Progress Reports handed out
3 March	-	Pre-Primary Picnic
6 March	-	English Olympiad (Grade 10 and 11)
8 March	-	International Evening
16 March	-	Pre-Primary Grandparents Day
20 March	-	Treasure Box Fun Day SCHOOL CLOSURES (12:00)

THE SCHOOL WEAR SHOP

Operating hours: Mondays to Thursdays (07:30 – 13:00)
Liza - 072 108 3670
087 808 1555 x115
E-mail: ropacc@vodamail.co.za

FOR FRIENDS FRIDAY

3 February	-	Soup/Gravy
10 February	-	Baked Beans
17 February	-	Dishwashing Soap
24 February	-	Handy Andy/Savlon
2 March	-	Mielie Meal

In addition to the above, any warm clothes for children from 3 months to 9 years old will be greatly appreciated.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNWAVERING SUPPORT!

MIA MOMENT

A PINCH OF SALT

Recipes are detailed and specific, down to the tiniest dash of seasoning. It hardly seems possible that such a small amount of anything can affect the end result but it does. God has gives us a recipe for Christian living. We are to be rich in grace, always ready to show love and mercy to others, but WE also are to be seasoned with salt. Without that seasoning, our silence around sin and bad behaviour would be a subtle approval of things that grieve the

heart of God. For parents that means we must sometimes lay aside our desire to be "friends" with our children. We occasionally need to season our speech with enough salt to convey the truth of God's expectations. But always remember Grace is a vital part of making the saltiness palatable. Together grace and salt create a perfect dish that reveals the heart of God.

For any information about MIA or for MIA correspondence please contact the MIA Secretary Debbie Bevan mammamia.kings@gmail.com 073 152 0333

HIGH SCHOOL ASSESSMENT TIMETABLE 2012 – TERM 1

WEEK	DATE	GRADE 8	GRADE 9	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
1	11/01	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
	13/01	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		None	None	None	None	None
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		None	None	None	None	None
2	18/01	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
	20/01	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		None	None	None	None	ENG
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	AFR, ENG & LO Tasks	ENG, AFR & LO Tasks	AFR & LO Tasks
3	25/01	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
	27/01	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		A&C, ENG	ENG	ENG	ENG	ENG
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		AFR, MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	A+C, AFR, MATHS & LO Tasks	MATHS & LO Tasks	LO Tasks	AFR & LO Tasks
4	01/02	AFRIK	ENG	AFRIK	MATHS/ MATHS LIT	LS
	03/02	MATHS	AFRIK	MATHS/ MATHS LIT	ENG	AFRIK
PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		ENG	TECH	None	ART	ENG, HIST
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		SS, MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	NS PRAC, MATHS & LO Tasks	ART, PS, ENG & LO Tasks	PS & LO Tasks	LO Tasks

5	08/02	EMS	MATHS	ACC/HIS T	AFRIK	PS
	10/02	ENG	A&C	GEO	PS/ART	MATHS/M ATHS LIT
PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		NONE	GEO	AFR	GEO	ART
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		A&C, AFR, MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	AFR, MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	MATHS LIT & LO Tasks	AFR & LO Tasks	MATHS & LO Tasks
6	15/02	NS	NS	LS	BS	ACC/GEO /ART
	17/02	A&C	EMS	PS	LS	BS
PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		TECH	NS PROJECT , ENG	ART, ENG	ENG	AFR
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		AFR, MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	A+C, MATHS & LO Tasks	MATHS & LO Tasks	ART, MATHS, AFR & LO Tasks	LO Tasks
WEEK	DATE	GRADE 8	GRADE 9	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
7	22/02	SS	TECH	ENG	ACC/HIS T	HIST
	24/02	AFRIK	SS	BS	GEO	ENG
PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		EMS	HIST, ENG	AFR	BS, HIST	PS
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		NS(PS), MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	AFR, MATHS & LO Tasks	ART, LS, ENG & LO Tasks	ENG, MATHS LIT, AFR & LO Tasks	ART, LS, AFR, BS & LO Tasks
8	29/02	EMS	AFRIK	ART	MATHS/ MATHS LIT	LS
	02/03	TECH	ENG	LS	PS/ART	PS
PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		NS(LS) Project due	EMS, ENG	GEO, ENG	LS	LS
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	AFR, TECH, MATHS & LO Tasks	AFR & LO Tasks	LO Tasks	GEO, ENG, MATHS LIT, MATHS & LO Tasks
9	07/03	ENG	SS	MATHS/ MATHS LIT	BS	BS
	08/03	MATHS	EMS	PS	ACC/HIS T	MATHS/ MATHS LIT
PREPARATION		AFR	A&C,	BS, ACC	PS	AFR

ASSESSMENTS			ENG			
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks LO-Community Service+ Job Shadowing due	MATHS & LO Tasks LO-Community Service+ Job Shadowing due	AFR & LO Tasks LO-Community Service+ Job Shadowing due	ART, MATHS & LO Tasks LO-Community Service+ Job Shadowing due	ART, LS & LO Tasks LO-Community Service+ Job Shadowing due
10	14/03	NS	NS	ART	LS	ACC/GEO /ART
	16/03	SS	MATHS	ACC/HIST	GEO	HIST
PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		LO-SCRIPTURE	LO-SCRIPTURE	AFR, HIST LO-SCRIPTURE	LS LO-SCRIPTURE	AFR LO-SCRIPTURE
NON PREPARATION ASSESSMENTS		TECH, MATHS, LO & ENG Tasks	MATHS & LO Tasks	ART & LO Tasks	ART & LO Tasks	ART, BS & LO Tasks

Please note: Week 9 – 8/3 Thursday Assessment (not Friday as in all the other weeks)

INTERMEDIATE PHASE (Grade 4 – 7) SUMMATIVE TIMETABLE - TERM 1

1 February	English Cycle Test
8 February	Social Sciences Class Test
15 February	Maths Cycle Test
22 February	Afrikaans Cycle Test
29 February	LBO Class Test
7 March	Natural Sciences Cycle Test
14 March	EMS Class Test (Grade 7 only)

Intermediate Phase Inclusion Programme:

If your child was attending inclusion lessons in 2011 s/he may join the Inclusion Programme in 2012. Should you child require additional assistance in either English or Maths you will be notified by his/her class teacher.

The timetable is as follows:

SUBJECT	TEACHER	DAY
English Grade 4 -7	Teacher Robyn	Monday: 13:30 – 15:00 Wednesday: 13:30 – 15:00
Mathematics Grade 4-7	Teacher Melanie K	Monday: 13:30 – 15:00 Wednesday: 13:30 – 15:00

**Roster: Additional Classes – Grade 1 and 2
Term 1**

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
13:00 – 14:15	Perceptual skills Math English reading and spelling	Perceptual skills Math English reading and spelling	Perceptual skills Math English reading and spelling	Perceptual skills Math English reading and spelling

SPORT CORNER

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Courtney Heine-Wacker (Grade 11) who has been awarded a Sport Silver Scroll for representing D12 Athletics for the 2nd consecutive year and a Honours Badge for representing D12 Cross- Country for the 3rd consecutive year.

Biko Mlambo (Grade 10) who has been awarded a Blue Sport Scroll for representing the D12 u16 Hockey boys team.

Tayla Candrl (Grade 10) represented Mogale Endurance Racing Club on 14 January 2012. Tayla and her horse completed 86.7 km in a time of 6:20:47 at Ratzegaaiskraaldam. She passed all three vet checks to get the kilometres stamped in her passport.

The following learners have been invited to the 2012 NEA Young Performer Awards competition:

Omolemo Nage (Grade 1)
Aimeé Barnard (Grade 1)
Demi Maré (Grade 1)
Kelci Walters (Grade 2)
Danielle van Rooijen (Grade 4)
Georgia Economakis (Grade 4)
Katleho Ramotso (Grade 4)
Celvin Bruton (Grade 8)
Jason Day (Grade 10)
Merrick Kyle (Grade 10)
Jessica André (Grade 12)

ATHLETICS

On Thursday 26 January 2012 our Primary School Athletes participated in a friendly athletics meeting hosted by Alma Mater Academy at Ruimsig Stadium.

Congratulations to the following learners:

Jonathan Harvey	-	1 st 80m Boys u9 2 nd 60m Boys u9
Catherine Eland	-	2 nd 80m Girls u8 3 rd 60m Girls u8
Gabriel Badenhorst	-	2 nd 100m Boys u12
Abigail Fourie	-	3 rd 60m Girls u6
Kaydon Baggott	-	3 rd 80m Boys u8
Oluchi Olebuike	-	3 rd 80m Girls u7

FORTHCOMING FIXTURES

ATHLETICS

3 February 2012	-	High School Inter High Athletics – Randfontein
9 February 2012	-	Primary School Cluster C Athletics Meeting
10 February 2012	-	High School Inter High Athletics – Bekker High School
17 February 2012	-	Primary School Roodepoort Championships
23 February 2012	-	Primary School D12 Championships
To be advised	-	High School Roodepoort Championships
To be advised	-	High School D12 Championships

CRICKET

Open Cricket Fixtures:

4 February 2012	-	Greenside High
11 February 2012	-	Bastion
18 February 2012	-	Queens
25 February 2012	-	De La Salle

U9 Cricket Fixtures

2 February 2012	-	Charterhouse
9 February 2012	-	Trinityhouse

PLEASE TAKE NOTE THAT THE HIGH SCHOOL WINTER SPORTS PROGRAMME COMMENCES ON 6 FEBRUARY 2012.

6 February - 17 March

14:15- 15:15

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Athletics
Amy Botha
Demi Johnson
Diane Vd Westhuizen
Maxine Heine-Wacker
Orazio Cremonia
14:15- 16:00
Netball
Amy Botha
Demi Johnson
Wilna Le Roux
Robyn Dykes
Soccer
Garth Cruz
Walter Coetsee
Donovan
Hockey
Andre Berrange
Monica Behrens
Nalize vd klashorst
Cricket
Jarred Newton

Production
Ladine Joubert
Holly Myburg
Raschika Marx-Badenhorst
To commence AFTER auditions
Public Speaking
Kathy Cruz

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Production to commence with Auditions - this will be communicated to the learners

THE PRIMARY SCHOOL WINTER SPORTS PROGRAMME WILL COMMENCE ON 13 FEBRUARY 2012.

PRE-SCHOOL EXTRA MURAL PROGRAMME 2012

SHOULD YOUR CHILD BE INTERESTED IN JOINING ANY OF THESE EXTRA MURALS, KINDLY COMMUNICATE WITH THE VARIOUS SERVICE PROVIDERS DIRECTLY. PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS PROGRAMME IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

DAY OF THE WEEK	ACTIVITY	TIME	CONTACT PERSON
Monday Tennis Courts	Top Tennis	13:15 – 14:00	Hano 083 234 6603
Monday Pre-school Area	Future Golfers	13:15 – 13:45	Nicolene 087 720 4653
Tuesday Teacher Monica's Classroom	Little Picasso	13:00 – 14:00	Lisa 083 306 3134
Tuesday Pre-school Media Room	Ballet Rosslynne Lynch Dance Studio	13:15 – 14:00	Rosslynne 082 298 1697
Wednesday Pre-school Area	Clamber Club	13:15 – 13:45	Desere 082 450 2233
Thursday Pre-school Area	Playball	13:15 – 13:45	Roxanne 078 474 2929
Thursday Teacher Angela's Classroom	Abacus Maths	13:00 – 13:40 13:40 – 14:20	Sharne 084 652 4000
Friday Hall	Dance Mouse	13:15 – 14:00	Gaynor 076 430 1867
Friday Field	Pro Star Soccer	13:15 – 14:00	Coach Ken 082 480 6037
Friday Field	8T20 Cricket	13:15 – 14:00	Llewellyn 071 691 1620
Friday Field	Sporty Girlz	13:15 – 13:45	Charissa 078 972 6869

Royal Voyage

Date: SATURDAY 18 FEBRUARY
Time: 18h30 for 19h00 TILL 23h00
Dress: Strictly Formal
Cost: R130.00

A partner from outside is allowed with a permission letter.
The Tuck shop will be open.
Come join us for a wonderful evening!