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18 MARCH 2018

10:00 - 12:00

WELCOME 2018

Welcome back!

We trust you had a restful holiday and are ready to take on the new year with renewed energy.

We are only 3 weeks into the new school year and so much has already happened.

- Our new prep school has started and the children are settling in well. There are still a few issues that need ironing out, but the prep leadership team are committed to solving all the problems.
- New members of staff have joined us. Mr Kruger, our newly appointed principal, Mr Wessels who heads up the sporting activities, and our new prep teachers.
- The grade 8 camp is currently taking place.
- Our school vegetable garden is flourishing.

With a little effort and awareness, we can make 2018 a very fruitful year!

What you reap - you sow.
What are you reaping?

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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

By Mr J. Kruger

Dear Parents,

Blue Hills College is entering the new year with lots of excitement. Alongside the College, Blue Hills Preparatory School opened its doors for the first time in January 2018.

With the addition of the Preparatory School, the transition from primary to high school will also be a less stressful experience because the Blue Hills culture and values of integrity, respect, discipline, diligence and courage will already be imprinted on the learners.

“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world” - Nelson Mandela

I am always inspired by this quote to work hard and value education; this is the attitude I wish to instill in our learners enrolled in both the college and the prep school.

A school’s “engine room” starts with the educators. They must have the ability to inspire learners to academic, sport and cultural excellence. I am fortunate to be part of an educational corps that have these abilities to mold and develop the learners to become future leaders of our country.

At Blue Hills College and Preparatory School, we always strive to improve our well chalked-out academic and co-curricular programs by making sure that we implement the newest 21st century teaching and learning methodologies. Both the College and Preparatory School will also join a special private schools league in the different sporting codes to enable our learners to get the best sporting exposure.

May we continue to imprint the Blue Hills culture of honour and pride in our learners to enable them to conquer the world!



OPEN DAY

Preparatory & College

We will be having an open day on the 18th of March 2018 from 10am to 12pm.

We invite all parents, family members, prospective parents and the community to join us for a full filled day.

You will get an opportunity to meet the teachers, visit the different departments and subjects, engage with the sports and cultural activities and view the school grounds and classrooms.

Come along and bring the whole family!



TOUR DATES

From the department of cultural and sports activities

Please take note of the following dates:

14 FEB: Sci-Bono

Grades 10 - 12

For science, maths, technology support

28 MAR: Life Science Camp

Grade 10

7 MAY: Hamlet: Theatrical Production at UJ

Grade 12

Live drama and performance

29 APRIL - 6 MAY: Cape Town trip

Grade 11

Visiting SA's largest telescope, Table Mountain, Robben Island, fossils, anthropological topics, biomes and ecology

16 APRIL - 27 APRIL: Europe Tour

All college students

History and culture

29 APRIL - 6 MAY: Eastern Cape Trip

Grade 9

Culture, ecology and oratory



SPORTS WEEK

Your guide to Blue Hills College sporting activities

SPORTS DEPARTMENT 2018												
TERM		1		Week		6						
Aerobics	Wed & Thur 15:00-16:30, Match:			Rugby	Mon 15:00-16:30 & Thur 16:30-18:00, Match:							
Basketball boys	Mon 15:00-16:30 & Thur 16:30-18:00, Match:			Soccer boys	Mon 16:30-18:00 & Tue 15:00-16:30, Match: Tue vs. Charter College							
Basketball girls	Mon 16:30-18:00 & Tue 15:00-16:30, Match:			Soccer girls	Mon 15:00-16:30 & Thur 16:30-18:00, Match:							
Cricket boys	Wed & Thur 15:00-16:30, Match:			Table tennis	Mon to Thur 15:00-16:30, Match:							
Drum Majorettes	Mon 15:00-16:30 & Thur 16:30-18:00, Match:			Tennis boys	Mon & Wed 15:00-16:30, Match: Mon vs. Peacanwood A							
Hockey girls	Wed & Thur 15:00-16:30, Match:			Tennis girls	Tue & Thur 15:00-16:30, Match: Tue vs. Covenant College							
Media	Tue & Thur 15:00-16:30, Match:			Volleyball	Mon to Thur 15:00-16:30, Match:							
Netball	Tue & Wed 15:00-16:30, Match:			PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL TRAINING SESSIONS WILL NEED 1ST AIDERS.								

DAY	Date	Code	Opponents	HOME	AWAY	Catering	BUS				MEDICAL	
							Size	Conf	Staff on Duty	Depart/Return	Medics	1st Aiders
Monday	2018/02/12	Tennis boys	Peacanwood A	Yes		2xCoach, 12xplayers					No	Yes
Tuesday	2018/02/13	Tennis girls	Covenant College		Yes		14	No	Ambrose & Sabelo	14:00/17:30		
		Soccer boys	Charter College	Yes		2xCoach, 18xplayers					Yes	Yes
Wednesday	2018/02/14											
Thursday	2018/02/15											
Friday	2018/02/16											
Saturday	2018/02/17											
Sunday	2018/02/18											

PLEASE NOTE: THE FIXTURES AND TIMES ABOVE ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLAYERS WILL BE NOTIFIED OF CHANGES ASAP.
BUS RETURNS ARE DEPENDANT ON TRAFFIC AND CANNOT BE GAURANTEED.



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