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Highbury Happenings

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Message from our Headmaster

Dear Parents

When I was younger, I often noticed how older people commented on how quickly time passes. I now find myself having the same thoughts as 2025 has flashed by. It is hard to believe that we are already approaching the final term of the year.

This term has been filled with cultural activities and a celebration of the performing arts. The Foundation Phase boys performed *Ayanda in Wonderland* and the Senior Primary boys performed *Tut Tut!*. The boys performed superbly and are to be commended for their dedication to the stage.

The stage is a place where children learn many lessons. Performing requires confidence, and throughout these plays, the boys showed a great deal of self-confidence and growth. They also learned resilience – memorising lines and rehearsing their roles takes grit and perseverance. A play is also one of the largest team events in a school, teaching boys the importance of collaboration and working together.

Preparing for a production requires tremendous effort, and the skills the boys developed in the process are important life skills they will carry into the future.



A special thanks is extended to the staff who worked with great dedication to make these plays possible.

At the start of the second term, I wrote a letter to Highbury parents reminding them of the standards of behaviour expected on the sides of the sports fields. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all our parents for setting such a positive example.

While watching hockey on Saturday morning at Merchiston, I was reminded of the excellent support shown by our community. There was positive, enthusiastic encouragement for the Highbury boys, with no criticism of officials or inappropriate remarks. In a time when standards of behaviour often seem to slip, it is heartening to see the example set by Highbury parents.

Sincerely

Roland Lacock
Headmaster



A Handful of Happenings

Secret Swim Season

It's officially secret swim season. With the heat creeping in, the boys haven't wasted any time squeezing in sneaky dips on those extra hot days. Nothing like a quick splash to cool off and reset.



MySchool

Please sign up to MySchool and select Highbury as your beneficiary. Every swipe counts!



Important Reminders

- Please ensure that at least one parent per household has downloaded the **Highbury app**. The app is an important source of information.
- Please ensure all boys from Grade R - 7 are booked in for a **haircut** during the September holidays.
- Please sew on any **missing buttons** to boys' uniforms. A lot of boys have had missing buttons for quite some time.
- All school uniforms and belongings must be **clearly labelled** with your son's name. We have a lot of unclaimed lost property that has not been marked.

Upcoming

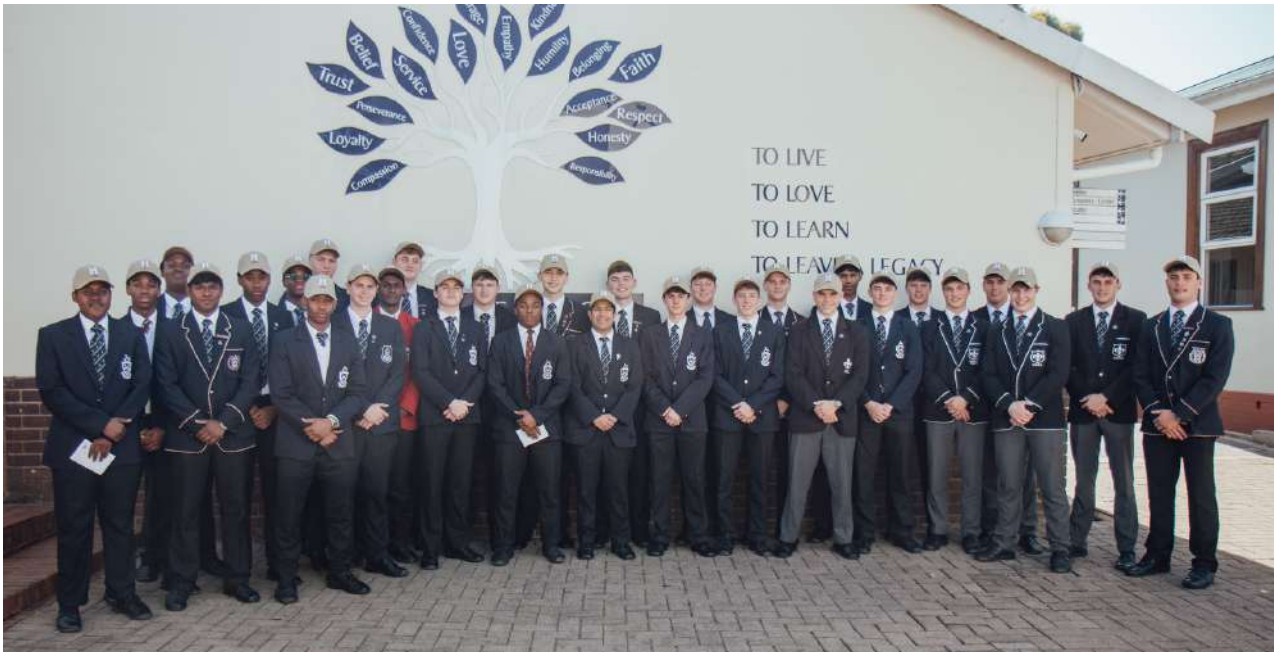
- **Start of Term 4 - 7 October**
- Highbury Basketball Tournament - 9-11 October
- Grade 3 visit to Tin Shed - 22 October
- Grade 1st Mary's Celebration Day - 22 October
- Music Concert - 23 October
- Highbury Triathlon - 24 October
- Liaison Parents & Helpers' Thanksgiving Tea - 30 October
- Grade 7 Leavers' Music Concert - 30 October
- Grade 1 Market Day - 31 October
- **Half Term - 31 October - 3 November**

"Don't watch the clock; do what it does. Keep going" — Al Levenson

A Handful of Happenings

Highbury Class of 2020

The Highbury Grade 7 Class of 2020 returned to campus for their 5 year reunion. It was a special afternoon filled with memories, laughter, and reconnecting with old friends and teachers. It was amazing to see how big they all are now, and what wonderful young men they have become. Once a Highbury boy, always a Highbury boy.



Symphony of Stars

The Symphony of Stars lit up Highbury with an unforgettable evening of music and celebration. The KZN Youth Orchestra wowed an audience of more than 300 with their breathtaking performance, and the atmosphere was alive with excitement.

Adding to the magic, our Highbury choir and Djembe drummers brought their own vibrant sound. A special highlight was seeing five of our Old Boys now playing as part of the orchestra KZNYO. The evening held a proud moment too, when one of our own Grade 7 boys, **Jahan Seery**, stepped onto the stage to perform alongside the orchestra.



A Handful of Happenings



All Dressed Up

Our staff never miss a moment to bring the fun! Whether it's cheering on the Boks, going green for Eco Day, or moo-ing into character for Dairy Day, their enthusiasm is unmatched. Thanks for always showing up and making these days extra special.

Business & Breakfast

We hosted our annual Business & Breakfast, welcoming parents and friends of our community for a morning of networking, inspiration, and connection.

Our guest speaker, Tenley Voogt, shared valuable insights on Family, Personal, and Business Branding.

A big thank you to everyone who joined and supported this event. Your energy and engagement made it a truly special morning.



Recycling Reminders

Monday: Project Hope – bread tags and milk bottle caps collected can be sent to Mrs Basner in the Kitchen.

Tuesday: Milk bottles can be placed in the containers between Aftercare and the swimming pool. (This initiative is with Enviro Timbers where the school will get one recycled bench for every three benches that are produced. It takes about 1200 milk bottles to produce one bench.)

Wednesday: Newspapers, paper and cardboard flattened and packed in plastic carrier bags. Please place in the designated recycling area outside the Media Room. This is a 'House Collection' where points are allocated to each House per kilogram of paper collected. These points go towards the final tally for the Champion Shield awarded at the end of the year.

Thursday: Green Office Collections i.e. batteries and cartridges to the box outside the Library.

Friday: Ice-cream and yoghurt tubs for CROW to Mrs de Beer's classroom.

Parents' Association



Women in Bloom

Our Parents' Association hosted a truly wonderful morning, Women in Bloom.

The event was all about connection – bringing together mums, friends, and members of our community to pause, share stories, and enjoy time together. The atmosphere was filled with conversation and laughter, and it was a reminder of how special it is to belong to such a supportive school family.

A heartfelt thank you to our generous sponsors who contributed fabulous prizes, adding even more excitement and sparkle to the day.



AGM

All Highbury and Weavers' Nest parents are invited to the Parents' Association AGM on 21 October. It is a great opportunity to get involved and hear about upcoming events and plans. RSVP [here](#).



Highbury Triathlon

Don't forget to register your son! This event is one not to be missed. Register [here](#).



Weavers' Nest



Heritage Day Celebrations

Heritage Day was a lively and meaningful celebration. The children came dressed in outfits that reflected the richness of our diverse cultures and enjoyed a morning of music, community, and fun. A real highlight was the performance by the Grade 3 Highbury Djembe drummers, which had everyone listening intently and tapping along. The day ended with some yummy boerewors rolls shared together. Watch the video [here](#).

Grandparents' Day

Grandparents' Day at Weavers' Nest is always such a highlight. We had two wonderful mornings set aside to celebrate our children's grandparents. The children were bursting with excitement, eager to welcome their visitors. They sang songs with proud little voices, shared thoughtful gifts they had made with care, and most importantly, enjoyed spending time together. We were especially delighted to have some great-grandparents join us too! What a gift it is for our little ones to be surrounded by such love across the generations.



Talking Drums

Our Grade 00s got into the rhythm during their drumming lesson with Talking Drums. They picked up patterns quickly and, of course, enjoyed making a little extra noise along the way.



Beat the Heat

Our littlest Weavers beat the heat with a fun splash around and ice lollies. It was pure joy!



Ayanda in Wonderland

Our Grade 000 and 00 children were treated to a magical morning watching the Highbury Foundation Phase Play, Ayanda in Wonderland. Their eyes lit up as they saw the 'big boys' take to the stage, and the excitement was even greater for those who had older brothers performing.

What a special way for our little Weavers to experience the joy of theatre.



Foundation Phase



'A' Sounds

Our Grade 1 boys turned into word detectives.

Using The Snail and the Whale by Julia Donaldson, they hunted for all the long A sounds:

- A in rain
- A-magic-E in cake
- A in tray

Working in teams, they sorted the words into the right columns. Such fun!

Grade R Visit to St Mary's

Our Grade R boys had the best time visiting St Mary's. Their first ride on the Highbury bus was certainly a highlight. The girls gave them a warm welcome and showed them around, before a morning packed with races, biscuit decorating, memory games, and story time to end a fun-filled visit.



Heritage Day Art

The Grade R boys created some gorgeous art for Heritage Day. Here are some standout pieces.



Grade 1–3 STEAM Day

Our Grade 1–3 boys enjoyed a special STEAM Day celebrating the joy of reading and writing. The day began with a story in chapel from our very own authors, Mrs Jones and Mrs Louw, before each grade led interactive writing activities.

After break, the boys had uninterrupted time to write and illustrate their own stories, then took their books outside to read in the shade. The Grade 3s ended the day with a teaser of their upcoming theme, the BFG.

It was a day filled with stories, imagination, and happy memories – just as we hoped.



Foundation Phase Play

Ayanda in Wonderland

Our Grade 1–3 boys treated us to an unforgettable performance of *Ayanda in Wonderland* – and it was nothing short of outstanding.

From the moment the curtain went up, the boys put their heart and soul into every scene, filling the stage with energy, enthusiasm, and joy. Their confidence and teamwork shone through, and it was clear how much effort and practice had gone into making the production so special.

A heartfelt thank you goes out to our amazing parents who gave their time and support behind the scenes, from costumes to props and everything in between. Your help made such a difference. An extra big thank you must go to Mrs Cole and Mrs Misis, whose creativity, patience, and vision brought the whole play to life. Their direction and encouragement gave the boys the chance to shine and to create memories that will last long after the final bow.

It was a true celebration of imagination, talent, and community.



Senior Primary

Egyptian Day

The Grade 5 Egyptian Day was a real adventure! The boys arrived in full ancient Egyptian style and spent the morning investigating the mystery behind King Tut's death, racing chariots, and building their own boats and pyramids. They threw themselves into every challenge with enthusiasm.

Later, they gathered in the transformed dining hall for a feast fit for pharaohs, before taking to the runway to show off their outfits in the hope of winning the best-dressed prize. It was a day packed with energy, creativity, and plenty of laughs.

Thank you to the mums for decorating the dining hall so beautifully!



Cake Sale

Our Grade 4 boys brought their Mathematics lessons to life with a hands-on STEAM Cake Sale Project. Using recipes as their starting point, they calculated ingredient costs, added a 25% markup, and considered everything from packaging to creative advertising. Working in teams, they learnt how maths applies in real-world situations while having plenty of fun along the way.

The project ended with a bustling cake sale, with all funds going to the Grade 4 charity, Lily of the Valley.



Maths, Sweet Maths

The Grade 6s turned Maths into a sweet adventure while learning about data handling. They collected, recorded, and graphed their findings using Astros – and once the hard work was done, the best part arrived... eating the Astros!



Senior Primary

Public Speaking & Reading

Our annual Public Speaking & Reading competition is one of Highbury's most treasured traditions. We take great pride in raising boys who are able to step onto a stage and speak with confidence, clarity, and poise – skills that will serve them well throughout their lives.

This year's finalists impressed us with their preparation and delivery, showing maturity beyond their years. Each boy rose to the occasion, whether bringing a passage to life through expressive reading or delivering a speech with conviction and personality.

Congratulations to our winners:

Grade 4 Reading: **Harvey Patterson**

Grade 4 Public Speaking: **Yuvaan Maharajh**

Grade 5 Reading: **Sidney Cole**

Grade 5 Public Speaking: **Reece Dent**

Grade 6 Reading: **Kenton Jones**

Grade 6 Public Speaking: **Luca Stylianou**

Grade 7 Reading: **Joshua Schneemann**

Grade 7 Public Speaking: **Harry Ogilby**

Well done to all who participated – you represented Highbury with distinction and made us proud.



Senior Primary

Visit to Kearsney

Our Grade 6 boys enjoyed a fantastic visit to Kearsney, where they spent time exploring the campus and connecting with some of the seniors and staff. A warm welcome, lots of laughs, and a great introduction to high school life. We're already looking forward to seeing the Class of '31 make their mark.



Eco

Eco Service Group

Our Grade 7 Eco Service boys were called to dig holes and do some planting at the Foundation Phase Aftercare, BoyZone. They jumped straight in, and it wasn't long before the younger boys joined them, eager to help. It was a lovely moment of our big and little boys working together.



E-Waste

A big thank you to everyone who contributed to our e-waste drive. Your support helps us promote responsible recycling and protect our environment.



Outreach

Community Service

"Our natural spaces are lighter by 20 bags of invasive Tradescantia! A special shout-out to the Highbury boys who brought such energy and enthusiasm to the Everton Conservancy." – Brett Markwell, Everton Conservancy

Mrs Laatz's Grade 6 classes rolled up their sleeves at the Everton Conservancy, helping to clear alien invasive plants. It was a chance to give back to the community while enjoying a piece of paradise right on our doorstep. Along the way, the boys discovered more about the upper reaches of the Molweni River and why this ecosystem is so important.



Pawprints Rescue & Rehoming

A note from our Grade R charity, Paw Prints Rescue and Rehoming: "A heartfelt THANK YOU to the amazing learners at Highbury for organising a fantastic food collection drive for our Rescue! Your kindness and compassion are truly inspiring. Thanks to your generous donations, our rescue animals will be well-fed and cared for. It's always wonderful to see young people stepping up to make a difference, your efforts mean the world to us (and to all the wagging tails you're helping)!"



Culture

South African Maths Challenge

Eighteen of our Senior Primary boys took part in Round 2 of the South African Maths Challenge, tackling challenging problems with focus and determination.

Gold – **Hunter Anderson**

Silver – **Aman Bugwandin, Keegan Dalton, Zanemvula Motha, Michael Laurence**

Bronze – **Francis Waldburger, Andrew Hollins, Owen Smart, Ryan Wood, Luke Lötter, Finn Wren, Sisanda Buthelezi, Blake George, Max Aitken, Ayrton Smith, Melisizwe Shandu, Evan Grace, Kalin Misic**

A special congratulations to the four boys who qualified for the final round, written on 11 September: Hunter Anderson, Keegan Dalton, Aman Bugwandin, and Michael Laurence.

Well done to all the boys for their excellent effort and achievement.



Kearsney College Quiz

Two teams of our Grade 6 boys recently took part in the Kearsney College Quiz Night, showing off their general knowledge and teamwork.

Luke Lötter, Kuye Shelembe, Noah Tyler, and Sisanda Buthelezi – placed 2nd overall.
Joshua Magor, Max Aitken, Oliver Edy, and Zanemvula Motha – finished in 5th place.

Well done to all the boys for representing Highbury so well.



Theatre

Congratulations to **Benjamin Janse van Rensburg** (Grade 5) who successfully auditioned for the upcoming children's theatre production, *A Mad Tea Party*, at the Westville Theatre Club. He's been rehearsing two evenings a week and is counting down the days until the curtain rises at the end of September. We can't wait to see him in action.



Culture

Abagility

We are incredibly proud of our boys (and one girl from Weavers' Nest) who competed in the 2025 Regional Abacus and Mental Arithmetic Championship, hosted right here at Highbury.

With 190 children from various schools taking part, they showed exceptional dedication preparing over the course of a whole term and learning important lessons in focus, commitment, and perseverance.

At the event, each participant completed 3 Soroban (abacus) and 1 Anzan (mental math) paper, with just 3 minutes to complete each. This high-pressure challenge didn't stop our boys and girl from performing at their best.

Results:

- **Asante Ngwazi** (Grade 00)
- **Nathan Bunge** (Grade R) – Silver Medal
- **Aryaan Tayob** (Grade R) – Gold Medal
- **Malachi Govender** (Grade R) – Gold Medal
- **Khiaan Govender** (Grade 1) – Gold Medal
- **Daniel Chetty** (Grade 1) – Silver Medal
- **Hubo Ngwazi** (Grade 1) – Silver Medal
- **Kgwedi Melato** (Grade 1) – Silver Medal
- **Leon Rouillard** (Grade 1) – Bronze Medal
- **Leo Woolridge** (Grade 1) – Bronze Medal
- **Dastan Naidoo** (Grade 2) – Top Achiever Trophy (1st in age group & level)
- **Nanga Ndumndum** (Grade 3) – Champion Trophy (2nd in age group & level)
- **Levi Mthethwa** (Grade 3) – Gold Medal
- **Ethyn Chetty** (Grade 3) – Bronze Medal
- **Mepho Mpanza** (Grade 3) – Bronze Medal
- **Saïen Govender** (Grade 5) – Gold Medal (10th Kyu level)

A big congratulations to **Saïen Govender**, who has qualified to compete at the 2026 AMSASA National Championship in Roodepoort.



Cello

Congratulations to **Nicholas Moroney** (Grade 7) on achieving a Grade 3 Cello Pass with Merit. Well done, Nicholas.



Piano

Congratulations to **Kenton Jones** (Grade 6) who completed his Grade 1 Piano Practical exam through ABRSM. He achieved a Pass with Distinction at Level 1 – a fantastic result and well-earned recognition of his hard work and musical talent.



Piano

Well done to **Judah te Roller** (Grade 6) who passed his Grade 3 Piano Practical exam (Level 1) through ABRSM. A great achievement and a solid step forward in his musical journey.

Sport



Basketball

Our boys took a trip up to our 'big brothers' at Kearsney. Our U11A boys played against their U14Bs, the 2nds battled it out with the U14As, and the 1sts stepped up to take on their U15As. Tough matches, great spirit, and loads learned. It was a great chance to test themselves against older teams (and some of our very own Highbury Old Boys).

Fly Fishing

Congratulations to **Sam Goss** (Grade 7) who has been awarded full provincial colours and selected to represent the KZN U18 Junior Fly-Fishing Team at the SA Championships in the Free State this October. His dedication to the sport over the past few years has truly paid off. As the youngest in the team, this will be an exciting and valuable step forward in his fishing journey.

Well done also to **Harry Goss** (Grade 6), who has been selected for the KZN B Team – a fantastic achievement.

We're proud to support both boys as they pursue their passions.



Sailing

Ethan Kruger (Grade 7) was recently awarded *Most Improved Sailor of 2025* at The Point Yacht Club's annual prize giving – and, even more proudly, received the prestigious *Optimist Sailor of the Year* trophy.

First awarded in 1977, this longstanding honour has been earned by several Highbury and Kearsney boys over the years, and Ethan now joins that proud list.

Karting

Melokuhle Ndlovu (Grade 1) recently took part in Round 4 of the Rotax South African Kart Championship held at Zwartkops. This marked the end of his 2025 rookie season, where he finished 11th out of 31 nationally in the Bambino division.

This is a brilliant result in his first year of racing – we're proud of Melo's determination, progress, and love for the sport.



Sport

Cross Country

Congratulations to the following boys who were selected to represent the Kwasanthi District Cross Country team:

- Jamie Levine
- Jack Young
- Keegan Dalton
- Danny Rendiheiro
- Matthew Cruickshank
- Charlie Forrester
- Luthando Khanyile

We're so proud of your grit and determination.

Cricket

Well done to **Matthew Linington** (Grade 5) on his selection for the KZN U11 Cricket Squad. He'll be representing the province at the Gauteng Geo-Political Regional Week in Krugersdorp from 28 Nov – 2 Dec 2025.

We're incredibly proud of you, Matthew!



Athletics

Congratulations to our boys who were selected to represent the KwaZulu-Natal Christian Schools Sports Association (KZNCSSA) Athletics Team:

- Ntsikayomuzi Chonco
- Jamie Levine
- Keegan Dalton
- Blayne Piper
- Daygan van der Horst
- Joshua Anderson
- Nicholas Hoar
- Mason Mamotte
- Neo Mphatswe
- Inathi Phakathi
- Mangaliso Sibiya

Your hard work and commitment has certainly paid off.



Sport

Cricket

We're proud to announce the selection of several boys for this season's representative cricket teams.

U13 PADSSA Cricket Team

- Michael Laurence
- Ibanathi Simelane
- Noah Tyler
- William Linington
- Oliver Hooper
- Matthew Hope
- Oliver Edy

Durban U13 Invitational XI

- Harry Ogilby
- Ryan Wood
- Charlie Forrester



Surfing

Congratulations to **Zachary Shelver** (Grade 7) on his selection for the UGU District Surfing Team. He'll be heading to Jeffrey's Bay in October to compete in the SA Champs in the U14 Boys Division – an exciting achievement and a great opportunity to test his skills on one of the country's most iconic waves.

Hockey

Well done to **Ben Bradley** (Grade 5), who was selected to play in the U12 Pirates team at this year's Durban Premier League hockey tournament. The Pirates placed 2nd out of 6 teams after a great run of 3 wins, 1 draw, and just 1 loss.



Hockey

Our boys wrapped up a successful hockey season with plenty to be proud of. In the final fixture, our 1st XI boys took on their parents and coaches in a spirited match filled with lots of competitive energy. Both sides gave it their all, and after an exciting contest, the scoreboard reflected a well-deserved 2-2 draw.



Sport

Water Polo

Over the half-term weekend, nine of our boys took part in the Polo Premier League (PPL) held at Reddam School in Umhlanga. The three-day tournament featured teams from schools across the region, with players split into mixed squads for exciting, fast-paced play.

Representing Highbury were:

- **Sam Goss** (Team Leopards, Grade 7)
- **Harry Goss, Joshua Anderson, Evan Grace, Kade Rohde** (Team Panthers, Grades 6 & 7)
- **Oliver Gordon, Mangaliso Mkhulisi** (Team Tigers, Grade 7)
- **Mason Mamotte, Joshua Schneemann** (Team Kings, Grade 7)

A special mention to Team Kings, who came out on top to win the U13 division. Well done to all the boys for their teamwork, skill, and sportsmanship throughout the tournament.



Water Polo

Congratulations to the following boys on their selection to the KZN Boys U13B Water Polo Team:

- **Mangaliso Mkhulisi**
- **Joshua Schneemann**
- **Mason Mamotte**
- **Zachary Shelver**

Well-deserved recognition of their hard work and talent in the pool – well done, boys.



Karate

Well done to **Sizamukele Hlope** (Grade 3) who took part in the Association of Funakoshi Shotokan Karate South Africa annual National Karate Championships. A proud moment and valuable step in his karate journey.



Sport

Tennis

Well done to **Manelisi Ngcamu** (Grade 5), who was runner-up in the U12 KZN Mini 5 singles. Along the way, he defeated both the No. 4 and No. 1 seeds, players he had previously lost to, showing just how far he's come.

The final was anything but smooth – a lost tooth, broken strings, and a grip falling off mid-match – but Manelisi kept his focus and played on. A fantastic display of grit, maturity, and growth.



Judo

Well done to **Khaya Khumalo** (Grade 1) who recently competed in a judo competition. It was a great opportunity to build skill, confidence, and experience on the mat.



Soccer

Several of our boys recently took part in their end-of-season matches for their local soccer clubs. It's been a season full of goals, teamwork, and growth. Well done to all who played and gave it their best.

Cycling

Well done to our boys who took part in the KZN MTB School Series! We're proud of your effort, grit, and great sportsmanship.



Sport

Hockey

Congratulations to **Samuel Sweidan** (Grade 2) who was named Most Improved Player in the U9 age group and also nominated as a Rising Star at the Kearsney Hockey Club. Well done, Sam – we can't wait to see how your hockey journey continues.



Hockey

Well done to **Nanga Ndimndum** (Grade 3), who was named Most Promising Player in the U9 age group at the Kearsney Hockey Club for showing incredible potential, passion, and growth on the field.



Tennis

Congratulations to **Luc Macquet** (Grade 6) who won both the singles and doubles titles at the KZN Wilson Mini Tennis Tournament. What an outstanding achievement – well done, Luc.



Swimming

Congratulations to **Xavier Diaz** (Grade 4) on a fantastic showing at his recent club swimming gala.

Competing in seven events, Xavier showed both consistency and competitive spirit, placing in the top five in every race. He earned two third-place finishes and a second-place in a standout all-round performance.



BMX

Congratulations to **Liam Mörck** (Grade 1) for an incredible few weeks on the BMX track. He earned two silver medals in the 7–8 Male Novice KZN Series races, placing 2nd in both events. He followed that up with a gold medal at the Giba Club Race, taking 1st place in his age category.

Later that same day, Liam unfortunately took a knock in a crash during the KZN Series race and was unable to finish due to injury and damage to his bike, but his determination hasn't wavered. He's now focused and training hard for the SA BMX Cup Series and National Championship, taking place in Kempton Park, Johannesburg on 4–5 October.

Wishing you all the best, Liam. We're proud of your perseverance and passion for the sport.



Trail Running

Congratulations to **Jack Young** (Grade 4) who placed 3rd in the 7km Eston Trail Run with a time of 36:33. The route took runners through Tala Game Reserve, where Jack had the unforgettable experience of running near a crash of rhinos. A strong finish and a truly wild adventure.



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Sports Results

Athletics

Inter-Prep Athletics Meeting

Tuesday, 26th August at Merchiston

Highbury finished 2nd with 83.5 points

KZNSSA Track & Field Championships

Friday, 29th & Saturday, 30th September

U10

Jamie Levine

- High Jump – 1st
- Long Jump – 2nd
- 100m – 1st
- 1200m – 1st

Ntsikayomuzi Chonco

- 80m – 4th
- 100m – 4th
- 1200m – 5th

U11

Keegan Dalton

- High Jump – 7th
- Shot Put – 5th
- 1200m – 4th

Blayne Piper

- High Jump – 3rd
- Long Jump – 2nd
- 80m – 1st
- 100m – 2nd

U12

Njongo Gqaleni

- Shot Put – 9th

Daygan van der Horst

- Javelin – 2nd

U13

Joshua Anderson

- 100m – 5th
- 200m – 3rd

Mason Mamotte

- 1500m – 5th

Nicholas Hoar

- High Jump – 2nd
- Long Jump – 3rd
- 100m – 7th

Neo Mphatswe

- High Jump – 3rd
- Long Jump – 2nd

Inathi Phakathi

- Shot Put – 4th

Mangaliso Sibiya

- 100m – 3rd
- 200m – 2nd

Kaden Azran

- 100m – 12th
- 200m – 9th

Basketball

Wednesday, 20th August

1st vs Carrington Primary: Won 68-4

2nd vs Addington U13A: Won 71-3

3rd vs Bhekaphambili U13A: Won 40-8

Thursday, 21st August

1st vs DHS U14A: Won 35-15

Wednesday, 27th August

U11A vs St Benedict's Girls U13A: Won 22-11

1st vs St Benedict's U13A: Won 43-23

2nd vs St Benedict's U13A: Lost 12-22

3rd vs Assegai U13A: Won 10-8

4th /5th vs Assegai U13A: Lost 8-16

Saturday, 6th September

1st vs Umsebe Primary: Won 60-5

2nd vs Carrington Primary: Won 20-10

U11A vs Egcekeni Primary: Won 12-8

1st vs PPI All Stars: Won 41-7

2nd vs Addington Primary: Won 37-2

U11A vs Molweni Primary: Won 15-7

Wednesday, 10th September

1st vs Umsebe Primary: Won 78-3

2nd vs Lamula Primary: Won 21-2

U11A vs Sukuma Primary: Lost 9-12

Wednesday, 17th September

1st vs Maritzburg College U14A: Lost 30-39

2nd vs Maritzburg College U14B: Lost 10-47

U11A vs Maritzburg College U14C: Lost 8-57

Sports Results

Hockey

Kearsney College U12 Fives Thursday, 21st – Sunday, 24th August

Day 1

vs Hillcrest Primary: Won 4-3
vs Cowan House: Won 2-0
vs Reddam Umhlanga: Won 10-0
vs Bonisanani: Lost 1-2

Day 2

vs Kloof Senior Primary: Won 8-0
vs Atholl Heights: Lost 3-4
vs Westville Senior Primary: Won 5-2

Day 3

vs Ashton College: Won 4-3
vs Winston Park: Drew 3-3

vs Clifton, Durban Saturday, 30th August

U9F: Lost 5-0
U9E: Won 2-0
U9D: Won 8-0
U9C: Won 11-2
U9B: Won 4-1
U9A: Lost 3-4
U10F: Won 9-0
U10E: Won 5-0
U10D: Won 4-0
U10C: Lost 1-3
U10B: Lost 1-4
U10A: Drew 3-3
U11D: Won 1-0
U11C: Won 2-1
U11B: Drew 0-0
U11A: Drew 0-0
6th: Drew 0-0
5th: Won 2-1
4th: Drew 0-0
3rd: Won 2-0
2nd: Won 1-0
1st: Won 2-1

Played: 22
Won: 13
Lost: 4
Drew: 5
Goals For: 61
Goals Against: 25

Prep Schools Hockey Festival (1st XI) Thursday, 4th – Saturday, 6th September

Day 1

vs Grey Junior: Lost 0-8
vs Selborne: Lost 0-1

Day 2

vs The Ridge: Drew 1-1
vs St Andrew's School: Lost 0-1

Day 3

vs St Stithians Boys' Prep: Won 2-1

vs Cordwalles Saturday, 6th & Monday, 8th September

U9D: Won 6-0
U9C: Won 3-2
U9B: Lost 1-2
U9A: Won 3-1
U10F: Drew 1-1
U10E: Won 3-2
U10D: Won 5-0
U10C: Won 2-0
U10B: Lost 1-2
U10A: Drew 2-2
U11D vs E: Won 2-0
U11D vs D: Lost 0-1
U11C: Drew 1-1
U11B: Won 2-0
U11A: Lost 1-3
6th: Lost 0-3
5th: Lost 0-2
4th: Lost 0-3
3rd: Drew 0-0
2nd: Lost 0-2
1st: Lost 0-2

Played: 21
Won: 8
Lost: 9
Drew: 4
Goals For: 33
Goals Against: 29

Sports Results

Hockey

vs Atholl Heights

Wednesday, 10th September

U9B: Won 9-0

U9A: Won 6-2

U10B: Won 3-1

U10A: Won 6-3

U11B: Won 5-2

U11A: Won 4-2

2nd: Won 3-0

1st: Won 2-1

Played: 8

Won: 8

Lost: 0

Drew: 0

Goals For: 38

Goals Against: 11

Ashton College U13B Festival

Friday, 12th September

vs Penzance: Drew 1-1

vs Glenwood Prep: Drew 0-0

vs Chelsea Prep: Lost 0-1

vs Ashton College: Won 1-0

Merchiston Prep

Saturday, 20th September

U9H: Won 2-0

U9G: Won 4-1

U9F: Drew 0-0

U9E: Won 6-4

U9D: Drew 2-2

U9C: Lost 0-5

U9B: Won 4-2

U9A: Won 7-0

U10G: Lost 0-7

U10F: Won 10-1

U10E: Won 3-0

U10D: Won 3-1

U10C: Lost 1-3

U10B: Drew 1-1

U10A: Drew 2-2

U11D: Drew 3-3

U11C: Lost 1-2

U11B: Lost 0-2

U11A: Drew 3-3

6th XI: Lost 0-2

5th XI: Lost 0-2

4th XI: Lost 1-2

3rd XI: Drew 0-0

2nd XI: Won 1-0

1st XI: Drew 1-1

Played: 25

Won: 9

Lost: 8

Drew: 8

Goals For: 55

Goals Against: 32

vs St Charles College

Saturday, 13th & Wednesday, 17th September

U9H Lost 1-0

U9G Drew 1-1

U9F Won 3-1

U9E Won 3-1

U9D Lost 4-5

U9C Won 6-1

U9B Lost 3-4

U9A Won 8-2

U10G vs F Lost 1-5

U10F vs E Won 7-3

U10E Won 3-0

U10D Won 5-3

U10C Lost 3-4

U10B Won 6-2

U10A Lost 2-3

U11D vs E Won 4-0

U11D Won 2-1

U11C Drew 1-1

U11B Won 8-0

U11A Won 2-0

6th XI Lost 1-3

5th XI Won 2-1

4th XI Lost 1-6

3rd XI Lost 1-5

2nd XI Won 3-1

1st XI Lost 0-1

Played: 26

Won: 14

Lost: 10

Drew: 2

Goals For: 81

Goals Against: 54

Westville Senior Primary

Friday, 19th September

U10C: Won 5-2

U10B: Lost 2-3

U10A: Won 4-2

U11B: Won 6-1

U11A: Won 3-1

3rd XI: Won 1-0

2nd XI: Won 2-1

1st XI: Won 4-0

Played: 8

Won: 7

Lost: 1

Goals For: 27

Goals Against: 10

Sports Results

Mountain Biking

Congratulations to all our boys that participated in the KZN Cycle Lab Schools Series. Highbury Prep achieved a very commendable 3rd place in the Primary School Standings:

1. Winston Park Primary
2. Hillcrest Primary
- 3. Highbury**
4. Umhlali Prep
5. Curro HCA
6. KZN Development
7. Thomas More College
8. Howick Prep
9. Merchiston Prep
10. Westville Senior Primary

Also, a big congratulations to the following boys that have been selected to attend the Series Finals, due to their consistent efforts and placings during the season:

- 1. Matthew Goble**
- 2. Conor Doyle**
- 3. Jack Young**

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Kickstart your morning with a coffee from our Tuk Tuk after drop-off. The Coffee Cruiser is parked at the Centenary Hall zebra crossing, ready to fuel your day. 100% of the proceeds go towards sustaining the school, and every sip supports Highbury's mission to stay a top-tier prep school! Thank you to Michaelhouse for sponsoring The Coffee Cruiser Tuk Tuk this term. If you'd like to sponsor the Tuk Tuk for a term, please reach out to Nomfundo at nomfundo.ndumndum@hps.co.za.



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