

HOLY FAMILY COLLEGE



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DIARY

9 September

Birthday Colour Festival

15 September

Athletics Day

22 September

Heritage day
celebrations

24 September

Heritage Day

25 September

Public holiday

29 September

End of Term 3

“The world tells us to seek success, power and money; **God** tells us to seek humility, service and love.”

Pope Francis

HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

School's Birthday Mass

We celebrated our school's 112th birthday on Wednesday with a wonderful Eucharist led by Bishop Duncan Tsoke.

Colour Festival and Fun Day

Tomorrow, Saturday 9 September we celebrate again with our Birthday Colour Festival and Fun Day. **Please join us and bring your friends!**

Apology

The YCS members would like to apologise to the teachers for pupils' irresponsible behavior on Spring Day last week. We acknowledge and take responsibility for the actions that took place.

Grade 7 camp

The Grade 7 pupils had a wonderful time at Kloofwaters on Monday and Tuesday. Thank you to Dr Potterton and Ms Nagan, who accompanied the class to camp.

Upgrading of school toilets

We have employed a new cleaning company, who have put new rubbish bins, soap dispensers and toilet roll and paper towel holders into our bathrooms.



Three2Six Project news

It is hard to say goodbye to someone we care about, but we all have to say farewell and Godspeed to Lena. Lena has been with us since last year, first of all as an intern teacher. She became very close to our Three2Six pupils, and so she decided to come back and volunteer for seven months. Lena was mostly found in the classroom busy doing remedial lessons. Her dedication and passion in working with the little ones is remarkable. She will be missed, but we also hope to see her again in future.

The atmosphere during the school Birthday mass was just amazing. The Three2Six team are grateful for the invitation to be part of this event.

We are looking forward to the Birthday Fun Day tomorrow!

And again a big thank you to the Grade 6 and Grade 10 pupils for choosing Three2Six for their community service. Our door is always open to other pupils who would still like to be part of the Three2Six volunteer team.

Condolences

We extend our deepest sympathy to Nomsa Mavuka, Grade 10, and her family, on the deaths of her grandmother and uncle this week. Our prayers and thoughts are with you as you come to terms with your double loss.

We also grieve with Amukelani Mhlanga, Grade 6, and his family, on the recent death of his father. We pray for God's comfort for all who knew and loved him.

Auerbach Interfaith Memorial Lecture

Judge Edwin Cameron will give the annual lecture on Wednesday 13 September 2017 at 20:00 at Beit Emanuel Progressive Synagogue, 38 Oxford Road, Parktown (over the road from HFC). **Topic: Justice in South Africa: An Urgent Duty on All.** Everyone is welcome, entrance is **free**.

Summer uniform

We will change over to summer uniform on **Monday 11 September**.

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