



Blitz News



28 September 2023

Newsletter 33



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LEARNERS WILL BE PERMITTED TO WEAR SUMMER UNIFORM FROM TERM 4

We sincerely hope that the matriculants enjoyed their matric farewell last night. It was a wonderful occasion, and everyone looked beautiful and handsome! Thank you to each and everyone who made this a memorable event!

We would like to express our gratitude to everyone who participated in the LAPS Golf Day. We believe that this day was a tremendous success.

On Friday, the school will close at 10:00 AM, and learners may wear civvies. School will resume on the 10th of October. We will follow Day 2 on the timetable.

SPORT:

- High School Cricket and Foundation Phase Mini Cricket will commence on the 11th of October.
- Primary School Cricket will begin on the 12th of October.
- Athletics will start the following week, from the 16th onwards.

Hiking Camp

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20 - 22 October 2023

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Letters available @ Teacher Marietha



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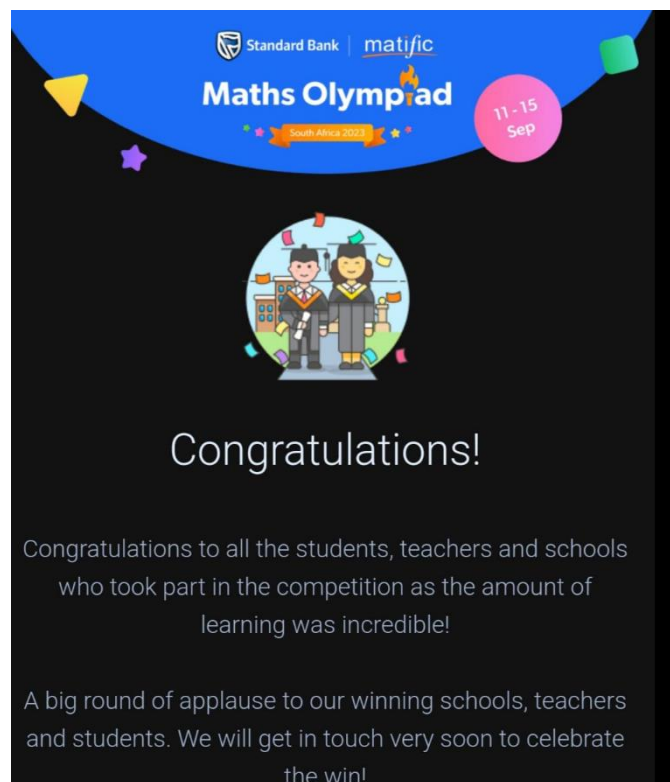
Well done to all our learners who took part in the Matific Olympiad 11 – 15th September 2023.

We are proud to announce that with only 80% of our learners, from grade 1 -7 taking part, we reached the 57th place in over a 100 participating schools from all over South Africa.

We have the following certificates from grade 1 – 7:

Certificate level:	Average:	Number of certificates:
Ruby	100%	16
Platinum	75% - 99.99%	6
Gold	50% - 74.99%	9
Silver	25% - 49.99%	9
Bronze	<25.0%	47

Next year we will try again!!!



Culture Evening

Tickets are available @ the office!

Don't miss this magical evening!



Clothing Bank

The Clothing Bank will temporarily close as we transition to a new supplier and await the arrival of our new clothing stock. Our school was established in 2013, and we believe it's time for a fresh approach to our school uniform. These changes will be introduced gradually over the next five years, with the new supplier crafting our updated clothing line. Our aim is to create a unique clothing range that reflects our school's identity, and we hope you will appreciate these changes.



To address uniform compliance issues, we will be sharing visual guides outlining the school's clothing regulations. These images will be distributed as newsflash updates to ensure that both parents and students have a clear understanding of what is permitted in terms of the school uniform.

PTA CLOTHING



SUPPORTER GEAR



Mens Golf Shirt
R385



Ladies Golf Shirt
R385



Peak Cap
R120

**PLEASE CONTACT THE PTA
TO GET YOURS !
082 338 7321**

You asked & we delivered!!

Please order your LAPS Supporter gear with the PTA via WhatsApp

10:00 to 12:00

Monday to Friday

Lo-May: 0823387321

Anene: 0846283257

Watch this space...

READERS ARE LEADERS



If your child is struggling with any of the following:

- Reading speed
- Reading with comprehension
- Spelling, grammar or vocabulary

in **English Home Language** or **Afrikaans First Additional Language**, this program will be able to help him/her on their individual reading level.

Only a few spaces left.

Contact Teacher Jaqueline on 084 207 3354

ASSESSMENTS

PARENT-TEACHER DAY

This is the day that parents receive their child's report card and have the opportunity to speak to their respected teachers/

Primary school Parent-teacher day will be held on 10 October from 14:15-17:00.

High school Parent-teacher day will be held on 12 October from 14:15-17:00.



SCHOOL TERMS 2023

Term	Duration	Number of weeks	Number of public holidays
1	(09) 11 Jan - 24 Mar	11	1+1
2	(12) 13 Apr – 23 Jun	11	3+1
3	(17) 18 Jul – 29 Sept	11	2
4	10 Oct – 13 (15) Dec	10	0

SCHOOL TERMS 2024

Term	Duration	Number of weeks
1	(8) 10 Jan – 13 Mar	10
2	3 Apr – 14 Jun	11
3	9 Jul – 20 Sept	11
4	1 Oct – 11 (13) Dec	11

LAPS GOLF DAY

Each player will receive a goodie bag valued at R600 when they register!



RETURN

ANNUAL LAPS GOLF DAY

Returns!

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SEPT '23 MAIN COURSE

R2200/FOURBALL

TEE OFF AT 10:30

FORMAT: AMERICAN SCRAMBLE

ENQUIRIES: ANENE 084 628 3257

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3 MONTHS NOTICE

All parents need to provide 3 months' written notice if learners are to leave the school. I have an open-door policy and ask that parents please arrange a meeting before any formal notice is given.

Kind regards,
Mr Edmund Barkhuysen
Principal
hoof@longacresps.co.za

CCTV NOTICE

Longacres is under 24h CCTV surveillance for the safety of learners and educators. This surveillance will be done by applicable National Legislation and requirements to protect the privacy and integrity of learners, employees and the general public who enter Longacres premises.



AFTER CARE

2023 LONGACRES AFTER CARE

Grade 1	Ellisia Steyn Marizka Liebenberg	076 170 9705 074 072 2231
Grade 2	Sarita Rossler	082 923 7188
Grade 3	Erika Theunissen	072 010 2655
Grade 4	Erika Theunissen	072 010 2655
Grade 5 – 7	Sorika Loubser	082 312 7005
Grade 8 - 12	Ellisia Steyn	076 170 9705

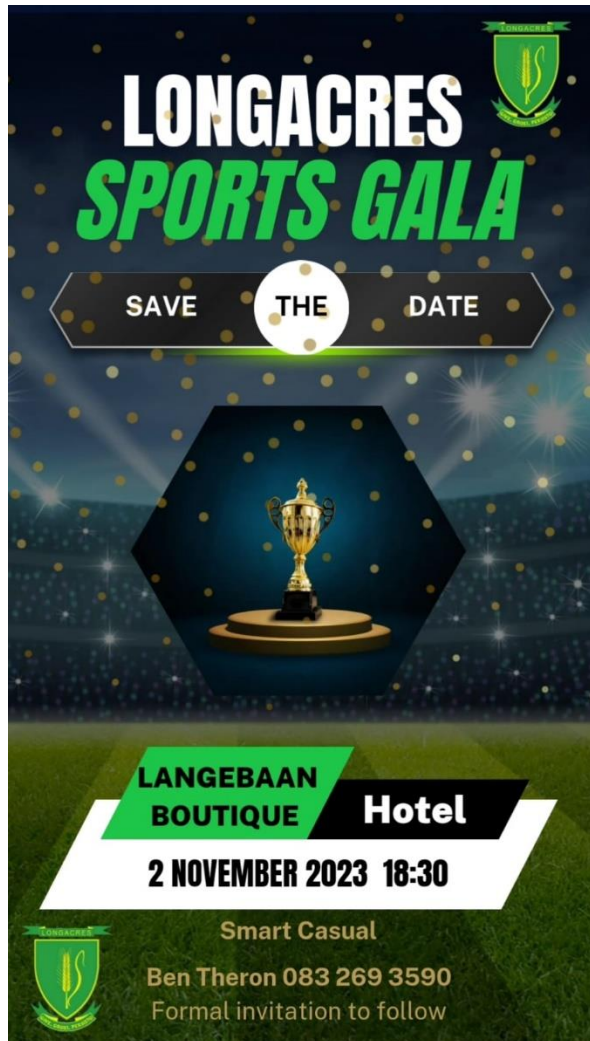
The foundation phase group will play on the left side of the rugby field and the senior phase group will play on the right side of the rugby field.

All learners must please bring their pencil, ruler and eraser.

Please pass on extracurricular activities to the homework centre staff.

Parents must pick up children from the homework centre class. No child is sent forward.

LAPS INFO CORNER



Check out the school's Facebook Page!

<https://www.facebook.com/longacresprivateschool>

