



Riverview Reporter

Champions Inspired by Values



Term 2 Week 9

From the Head's Desk:

11 June 2026

Dear Parents

This week has been slightly quieter on campus with examinations taking place for our Senior Primary pupils. It is indeed a skill to learn how to write exams and how to best prepare for them and we know this takes time. I also had the opportunity to give our Grade 4s guidance on this topic during a Life Orientation lesson last Friday and I believe they found the lesson useful. Remember that examinations are not only a measure of knowledge but also a chance to develop important life skills such as discipline, resilience and time management.

To our parents, thank you for your continued support and encouragement at home. A calm and positive environment, healthy routines and words of encouragement make a significant difference during this time. Our teachers have also been very hard at work, in the setting and marking of papers and of course preparing the end of term reports.

Sport has continued this week and it is important for our children to still exercise and to just unwind during this busy academic week. While we still have quite a bit of preparation before our fixtures commence, the skill level is improving on the hockey field. There has also been much excitement on campus this week, particularly amongst the boys, as our two new cricket nets are currently being constructed. This will be a major boost for cricket at our school and will add value to our sporting facilities and to our beautiful campus.

The FIFA Soccer World Cup, hosted by the United States, Canada and Mexico, starts today for 48 countries, the largest number of countries to ever participate in this global sporting event. We do hope that our Bafana Bafana team can represent our country with pride. Tomorrow our children will be able to come to school dressed in their South African sports attire to create a bit of "gees" on our campus and to show their support for our country.

As you are aware, Monday will be a normal school day at Riverview, but on the public holiday on Tuesday, let us remember to celebrate the significance of Youth Day and what it symbolizes for our nation. In the words of our former President and Nobel Peace Prize recipient, Nelson Mandela,

"The youth of today are the leaders of tomorrow."

Enjoy the weekend with your families.

Murray Johnson

Week ahead:

Friday 05 June - U7-U9 Boys and Girls Soccer @ Penryn.

Friday 12 June - U7-9 Soccer boys & girls @ Curro Meridian.



OPEN DAY 2026

INVITE A FRIEND OR FAMILY MEMBER TO
RIVERVIEW PRE-PREPARATORY

1 August 2026 (Saturday)
09:00 - 11:00
Riverview Pre-Preparatory School

Come meet our teachers, explore our school and discover why our pupils are Champions Inspired by Values.
Bring a friend and help us grow our Riverview family!

RSVP by 17 July 2026
marketing@riverviewprep.org or 071 320 7788

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Grade 5 Social Science

Our Grade 5 pupils recently showcased their creativity and geographical knowledge through an exciting Social Sciences Geography project. They designed and built impressive 3D models of South Africa's diverse landscapes.

The models highlighted key physical features of our country, including the escarpment, plateau, coastline, and rivers. Their projects were both educational and visually impressive.



Mesozoic Era in the Grade 3 Classroom

The Grade 3s have discovered that not all dinosaurs lived at the same time. They learned about the three dinosaur periods: the Triassic Period, followed by the Jurassic Period, and finally the Cretaceous Period. They also learned that dinosaurs became extinct about 65 million years ago.

As part of their project, each pupil chose a dinosaur and researched interesting facts about it. They then created either a poster or a PowerPoint presentation and shared their findings with the class.

To make the experience even more exciting, the children came to school dressed as their chosen dinosaurs. It was wonderful to see their creativity, enthusiasm, and the effort they put into their research projects!





World Cup Fever in the Junior Phase!

The Junior Phase has been eagerly preparing for the FIFA World Cup and is thrilled that it has finally arrived! This exciting global event has provided a wonderful opportunity for our pupils to learn about different countries, explore their cultures, and discuss the importance of the World Cup.

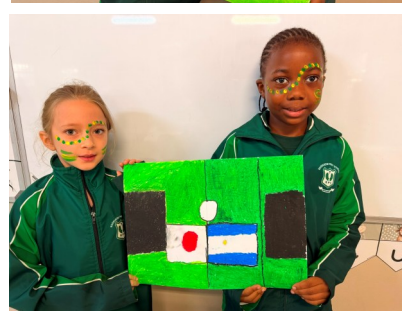
Our Grade 2 pupils showcased their creativity by designing and decorating their own soccer shirts to represent various countries. They also enjoyed drawing imaginative soccer stadiums filled with excitement and team spirit.

The Grade 3s have brightened their classrooms with colourful flags from around the world and are working together in groups to research countries participating in the tournament.

The Grade 1s joined in the fun by painting their faces in support of their favourite teams and embracing the festive atmosphere of the World Cup.

We look forward to following the tournament over the coming weeks as our pupils continue to engage with global events and discover more about the diverse nations taking part in this international celebration of sport.

Go Bafana Bafana!



Stars of the Week

We celebrate these pupils for their wonderful character, academic achievements, and positive attitudes:

- ★ Nqobani – Grade 1: He showcased outstanding soccer skills and sportsmanship at the Penryn Mini Soccer Festival, playing like a true superstar!
 - ★ Favour – Grade 2: For her excellent creative writing skills and imaginative storytelling.
- Keep shining bright, little champions! Champions Inspired by Values!



Pre-School News

A fresh new look for our Riverview Pre-preparatory

Our Riverview Pre-Preparatory pupils look smart and confident in their brand-new uniforms!

These uniforms reflect the pride, unity, and spirit of our school while ensuring our little ones are comfortable and ready for every adventure, discovery, and learning opportunity that comes their way.

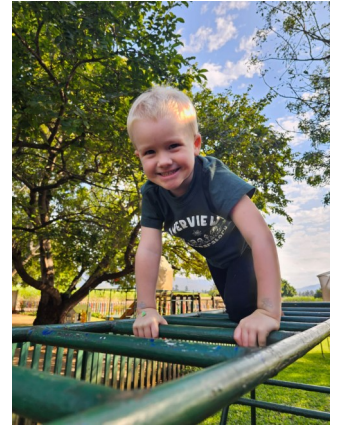
They look absolutely wonderful!



Brrr... Winter is here, and our Cubs have been bundling up to learn all about animals that love the snow! We've met the polar bear, the king of the icy land, with its fluffy white coat, who slides and glides across the ice. The little ones had frosty fun in the Cubs class.



Preschoolers enjoying outdoor playtime this week.



I wait quietly before God, for my hope is in Him.

Psalms 62.5 NLV

