



# Riverview Reporter

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From the Interim-Head's Desk:



Term 2 Week 7

19 June 2025

Welcome to the penultimate edition of this term's Newsletter.

Please will you remember that the Interhouse netball is on as from 13.00 today. Tomorrow afternoon, we shall be holding an internal Junior Primary Soccer Festival.

A final reminder about the presentations that will be done by Mrs Nicole dos Santos next Tuesday, the 27<sup>th</sup> of June. Mrs Dos Santos will address the Grades 4 to 7 children initially, followed by a very worthwhile talk to parents. Please see the flyer for details. I have listened to Mrs dos Santos a month or two ago – she talks a lot of sense as regards the use of electronic devices and the dangers thereof.

Enjoy a restful weekend!

*Derek Reynish*

## Week ahead:

Thursday 19 June - Interhouse Netball.

Friday 20 June - Junior Primary Soccer 11h00 - 13h00.

Tuesday 24 June - Social Media Talk with Mrs Nicole Dos Santos. **Pupils @ 11h15 and Parents @ 12h45.**

Thursday 26 June - **No sport. Home time is 13h30 for both Junior and Senior Primary.**

Friday 27 June - Assembly at 09h15 - Parents are invited. Farewell to Mr Reynish and Mrs Bradnick.

Friday 27 June - **School closes at 10h00.** Please collect children promptly.

**CYBER SECURITY,  
SOCIAL MEDIA &  
AWARENESS AND SAFETY**

**TALK!**

**INVITING  
ALL PARENTS!**

**TUE  
24 JUN '25**

**12h45**

**RPS HALL**

**NICOLE  
DOS  
SANTOS**

Nicole dos Santos is the Head of Innovation at Penryn Prep and College, an Apple Professional Learning Specialist and Google Certified Coach. She supports educators, parents and scholars in navigating the digital world with confidence, creativity and responsibility - with a strong focus on cyber & social media safety to help communities thrive in a connected age.



Dear Parents

Please join the end of term assembly to bid farewell to  
Interim Headmaster

*Mr Derek Reynish*

& Grade 2 Teacher

*Mrs Bev Bradnick*

Fri 27 June 2025  
09h15  
RPS Hall



### Junior Primary Father's Day Treasure Hunt

The Junior Primary children and their dads had a wonderful morning at school to celebrate Father's Day. They came dressed as pirates and followed clues to find their treasure. There was so much excitement and fun as they ran around the school grounds.



*Photo credit: Adri du Preez*

### Virtual Reality is COOL!

A visit from VR Education had Grade 0s to Grade 7s immersed in a virtual reality experience, exploring new concepts through integrated learning that brought Safari, Dinosaurs, Around the World, The Planets and Under the Ocean to life in an exciting, interactive way.







### **School Uniform**

We are excited to announce that there will be a new branded bottle green crew neck sweater available to purchase for cooler weather conditions which will be additional to the jersey and the track-suit top. This will be worn with the school greens on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays for Grades 1 to 7. Order forms will go out tomorrow and need to be completed and returned to school by Thursday 26 June 2025.

Please also note that Riverview school caps are now available for sale at the TuckBox Uniform Shop.



### **A Blooming Success**

The gardens of Riverview have undergone a big improvement thanks to the dedication and hard work of our wonderful Gardening Club. Their vision and physical work have transformed the gardens into a welcoming space. We would like to thank Michelle Johnson, Kierryn Harris, Warren Lurie, Esmerelda Horn and Ella Chance for their time and passion in making the grounds look beautiful. If any parent has ground cover or succulents they would like to donate to the school to fill spaces, please contact any of the club members.



### **Women's Health and Wellness Morning**

Take a chance and buy your R100 Women's Day raffle ticket to win fantastic prizes in the lucky draw.

Tickets will conveniently be for sale at the entrance gate during drop offs from Monday to Friday next week between 07h00 and 08h00.

Card machine will be available. The more you buy, the more chances you stand to win.

All proceeds will go to the improvement of Riverview Prep.





## Pre-Primary News

This week the Cubs learnt all about the flamingo. Flamingos make their nests with mud. Flamingos make special milk, called crop milk and it is red. This beautiful bright pink bird gets its colour from eating shrimps and larvae in the water. The Cubs loved trying to stand like a flamingo on one leg.



Building Minds Through Numbers and Blocks! This week the Grade 00 class have been hard at work combining numeracy and construction play. As they measure, count, stack, and design, they're not just building towers- they are building thinking skills. Whether it's sorting blocks by size, comparing lengths, or counting how many bricks it takes to reach the sky, they're exploring early maths concepts in hands-on, meaningful ways. Through play, they're discovering patterns, solving problems, and laying the foundation for a lifelong love of learning!



Un"bee"lievable behaviour from these Grade 0 children. Remembering to be respectful, listen well and have self control in the classroom and at play.





"God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble".

Revelation 7:12 NIV



# WIN!

FANTASTIC RAFFLE PRIZES TO BE WON FOR

## Women's Day

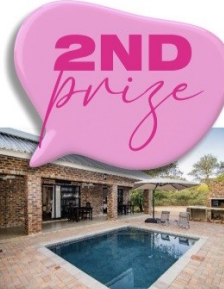
Buy your raffle ticket @ **R100** per ticket from your PA class parent, the Riverview Prep School Office or the TuckBox Café and stand a chance to WIN one of the following superb prizes!



One night stay at the 5 Star Buhala Country Lodge in a luxury private suite for 2 people including a 3 course dinner and breakfast valued at **R12 000**



Farmco weekend away for 2 people in Marloth Park including a private butler, free wi-fi and firewood valued at **R6 000**



## 2ND prize



Romer Cooler Box 45lt in Kalahari Sand to the value of **R2 000**

Draws will take place on Saturday 09 August 2025 at the Women's Health & Wellness Morning at Riverview Prep School.

Winners will be contacted if not present. Ts & Cs apply.

Prizes cannot be exchanged for cash. Multiple entries are permitted. Winners must be available for a photo.

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