



Riverview Reporter

Champions Inspired by Values



Term 3 Week 1

From the Head's Desk:

23 July 2026

Dear Parents

A very warm welcome back to all our pupils, parents and staff as we begin Term 3. I trust that everyone has enjoyed a restful winter holiday and has returned refreshed, healthy and ready for another exciting chapter in our school year.

Term 3 is always one of the most dynamic terms on our calendar. It is filled with opportunities for our pupils to continue growing academically, to challenge themselves on the sports field in hockey and cricket, to express their talents through the annual Eisteddfod and to develop into confident, compassionate young people who live out the values of Riverview Prep School each day.

As we settle into the new term, we are especially looking forward to one of the most anticipated events on our calendar—our Riverview Prep School Golf Day, which will be held this Saturday, 25th July, at Malelane Golf Club. The Riverview Golf Day, last held before Covid-19, is much more than a sporting event. It is a celebration of the incredible community that surrounds Riverview Prep School. It provides an opportunity for parents, alumni, local businesses, sponsors, staff and friends of the school to come together in a spirit of camaraderie while making a lasting contribution to the future of our pupils.

Events such as these remind us that a successful school is built on partnership. The support we receive from our families and the wider community enables us to continue investing in quality educational resources, sporting facilities and opportunities that enrich the learning experience of every child entrusted to our care.

I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to our Golf Day organising committee, ably lead by Kierryn Harris and her PA Committee, our generous sponsors and donors, parents and staff who have given so freely of their time, and the management and staff of Malelane Golf Club for partnering with us in hosting this special occasion. Your generosity, enthusiasm and commitment are deeply appreciated and demonstrate the strength of our Riverview Family.

To everyone who has entered a four-ball, sponsored a hole, donated prizes or supported the event in any way, thank you. Every contribution, whether large or small, plays an important role in making the day a success. For those who have not yet had the opportunity to become involved, there is still time to join us. Even if you are not a golfer, we encourage you as parents to come along, enjoy the atmosphere and be part of what promises to be a memorable day which includes an auction, following the golf day.

As we begin this new term, I encourage every pupil to set meaningful goals, embrace new challenges and give their very best in everything they undertake. Success is not measured only by achievements or awards, but by the effort, integrity and resilience shown along the journey. These are qualities we strive to nurture in every Riverview pupil.

To our parents, thank you for your continued partnership and unwavering support. Your encouragement at home, your involvement in school life and your belief in our shared vision make a tremendous difference. Together, we create an environment where our children are inspired to learn, grow and flourish.

I wish all our pupils every success for the term ahead and look forward to seeing many of you this Saturday at Malelane Golf Club as we enjoy a wonderful day of golf, friendship and community spirit.

"Golf teaches honesty when no one is watching, resilience when things go wrong
and humility when things go right."

Murray Johnson

Riverview Prep Golf Day

We are delighted to announce that the Riverview Prep Golf Day is officially sold out. Thank you to everyone who has supported this exciting fundraising event.

If you were unable to secure a four-ball, you can still be part of the occasion by entering our exciting raffle. Raffle tickets are available for R50 each from the Riverview Prep School Office, offering you the opportunity to win a selection of fantastic prizes.

We look forward to welcoming everyone for what promises to be an enjoyable day of golf, community spirit, and fundraising in support of our wonderful school.



Ford
Malalane Ford
RIVERVIEW GOLF DAY

RPS GOLF DAY
25 JULY 2026

Join us for a **DINNER & AUCTION** AT 17H00

Not playing in the RPS Golf Day but still want to be part of the fun?

FRIENDS, KIDS AND FAMILIES ALL WELCOME
COST IS R100PP
LIMITED SEATS AVAILABLE
PLEASE CONTACT ANN-MARIE IN THE OFFICE TO PAY AND RESERVE YOUR SPOT.

AUCTION PRIZES UP FOR GRABS:

- PILGRIMS REST EXPERIENCE AND OVERNIGHT STAY
- VACUUM CLEANER
- FARM PRODUCE
- CAMPING COOLERS
- FAT BASTARD WINE GIFT SET
- MATTHEW BELL ART PAINTINGS
- AA BADENHORST FAMILY WINES
- NIKE APPAREL
- SPIT BRAAI EXPERIENCE
- AND MANY MORE GIVE AWAY PRIZES

RAFFLE Raffle will be drawn during the dinner. THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL!



RIVERVIEW PREP SCHOOL
MALALANE FORD
RIVERVIEW PREP
Golf Day

RAFFLE – AMAZING PRIZES TO BE WON!

DRAWS WILL TAKE PLACE ON SATURDAY 25 JULY at the Malalane Golf Club.

PRIZES CANNOT BE EXCHANGED FOR CASH

RAFFLE PRIZES INCLUDE:

- A TWO-NIGHT STAY at Ukulala Inn Family Suite (Value: R6,800)
- A WEEKEND STAY for two at Southern Sun Maputo (Value: R6,100)
- A THREE-COURSE DINNER for a couple at Buhala Lodge (Value: R1,400)

WINNERS WILL BE CONTACTED IF NOT PRESENT. Ts & Cs apply. Multiple entries are permitted. Winners must be available for a photo.

R50 PER TICKET

Ford Malalane Ford **Southern Sun MAPUTO** **Ukulala Inn** **BUHALA LODGE RIVERVIEW PARK**

ALL PROCEEDS GO TOWARDS SUPPORTING OUR SCHOOL AND PUPILS.

Thank you for your support!

Week ahead:

Saturday 25 July - Riverview Golf Day.

Grade 4-7 Standardised Test 27-31 July: English.

Monday 27 July - U9 League Cricket v Skukuza @ RPS.

Tuesday 28 July - U10/11 League Cricket @ Summerhill.

Wednesday 29 July - League Hockey v Ls Malelane @ RPS.

Thursday 30 July - U13 League Cricket v Summerhill @ RPS.

Saturday 01 August - Riverview Preschool Open Day.



RIVERVIEW PREP SCHOOL
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!

marketing@riverviewprep.org or **071 320 7788**

www.riverviewprep.org **@RiverviewPrepSchool** **Riverview Preparatory School**

Sport

Welcome to the new term. We wish all our pupils the best in all their endeavours. We have a busy term ahead, so we encourage parents to please stay up to date with the relevant WhatsApp groups.

Looking at the week ahead, we will be playing three home matches and one away match. The under-9 cricket team will be facing Skukuza on our home turf. On Wednesday, our senior hockey teams will be playing against Malelane Laerskool. This will be a home fixture. On Tuesday, the under-11 cricket team will be playing at Summerhill and on Thursday, the open cricket team will play against Summerhill on our turf.

We wish all the teams the best for the busy week lying ahead!



RIVERSIDE PREP SCHOOL
SPORT Newsletter
UPCOMING SPORT EVENTS

WEEK 2 SPORT

DAY	DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	STARTING TIME
MONDAY	27 JULY 2026	U9 CRICKET LEAGUE	(HOME)	13:30
TUESDAY	28 JULY 2026	U11 CRICKET LEAGUE	(AWAY)	11:00
WEDNESDAY	29 JULY 2026	U10-U13 HOCKEY LEAGUE	(HOME)	14:00
THURSDAY	30 JULY 2026	U13 CRICKET LEAGUE	(HOME)	13:30

Play with Heart. Represent with Pride!



RIVERSIDE PREP SCHOOL
HOCKEY LEAGUE
TEAMWORK. PASSION. INTEGRITY.

29 JULY

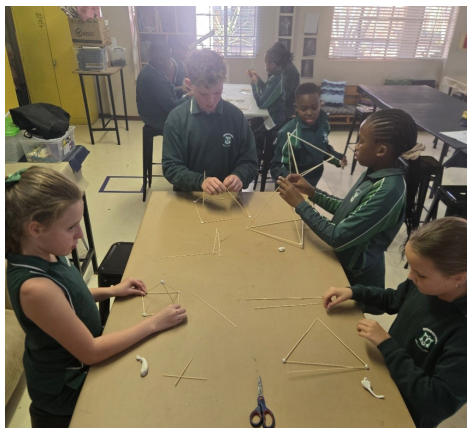
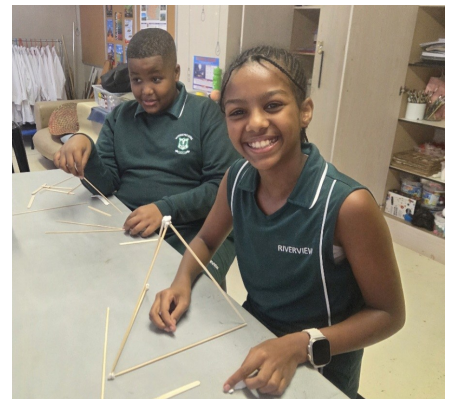
TIME	VENUE	TEAMS
14:00 - 14:45	FIELD A	RIVERSIDE U13 GIRLS VS MALELANE U13 GIRLS
14:00 - 14:35	FIELD B	RIVERSIDE U11 BOYS VS MALELANE U11 BOYS
14:00 - 14:35	FIELD C	RIVERSIDE U10 GIRLS VS MALELANE U10 GIRLS
14:50 - 15:40	FIELD A	RIVERSIDE U10 BOYS VS MALELANE U13 BOYS
14:40 - 15:15	FIELD B	RIVERSIDE U11 GIRLS VS MALELANE U11 GIRLS
14:40 - 15:15	FIELD C	RIVERSIDE U10 BOYS VS MALELANE U10 BOYS

PLAY WITH HEART. WIN WITH HONOUR.
GO RPS!

RESPECT THE GAME. | RESPECT EVERYONE. | LIVE OUR INTEGRITY.

Grade 6 Geometry

To develop a better understanding of 3-D shapes (Polyhedra), we did some constructions of prisms and pyramids. These 3-D shapes are everywhere around us and the pupils were able to bring household items in the different prism and pyramid shapes to school so we could identify and name them. Being able to construct the polyhedra makes the parts more concrete such as faces, edges and vertices and allows the pupils the opportunity to manipulate the shapes, add more edges and make connections between the theory we have learned and the physical shapes.



Library Gets a Fresh New Look and a New Name

We are proud to unveil our newly revamped library, a welcoming space designed to inspire a love of reading, learning, and creativity among our young pupils.

The refreshed library features comfortable reading areas and new décor to complement our exciting collection of books that cater to a wide range of interests and reading levels.

The transformation reflects the school's commitment to creating an engaging environment where every child can discover the joy of books and a love for reading.

As part of this exciting new chapter, the library has also been officially re-named **The Owl House**. The owl, a symbol of wisdom and curiosity.



Pre-School News

The Cubs began the new term wrapped in sunshine and laughter. Under the gentle glow of the winter sun, they tumbled and rolled through the last autumn leaves, their giggles carried on the crisp air. Golden leaves crunched beneath them as they celebrated the joy of play and the excitement of seeing all their friends. It was a beautiful reminder that even as seasons change, the Cubs' spirit of wonder always shines bright.



Grade 000 have had a wonderful first week back. The children have been learning about reptiles and amphibians while enjoying a variety of engaging sensory activities.



Grade 0s learning another new letter and sound song and story. Gigi and Khonza demonstrating how to write symbols and break words into sounds with the Time 2 Read method we are using in the foundation phase.



If we lack wisdom, we can ask You and You give it freely.

James 1:5