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MONTHLY FOCUS

BALMORAL MONTHLY NEWSLETTER – APRIL 2021

ALL VOTES ARE IN!

LEARNER COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENT

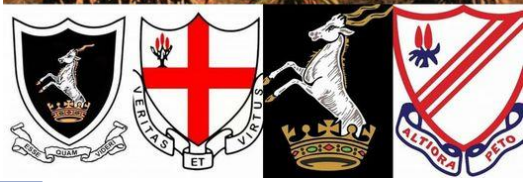
The following girls were elected onto our Learner Council for 2021:

Selicia'h Adolph
Emily Dicks
Kuhle Duda
Tatum Genade
Kwathitha Godana
Panache Gotora
Celeste Gudmanz
Anayolo Hayi
Xac-Jordan Jordaan
Mihlali Kali
Ameliah Kammies
Paula King
Brandene Koert
Coryn Lentoor
Sibabalwe Mahlasela
Joylyn Maythem
Kyleigh McKerry
Kaylee Meise
Iviwe Mlahlwa
Sonwabise Panya
Kayla Richardson
Shiza Siddiqui
Phumelelo Sikho
Mieke Strydom
Thimna Zoya

The Easter bunny has come and gone!

Pre-Primary News

The Easter bunny was spotted at the Pre-Primary on 1 April. The girls were so Egg – cited!



Queens/GHS/Balmoral Swop Shop

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Message from the Principal

Mrs Le Roux

Dear Parents/Guardians and Balmoral girls

We have come to the end of the first term of 2021. Although we have faced some challenges, I am extremely proud of the way in which our girls have dealt with our "different" school environment. I would like to take this opportunity to encourage everyone to adhere to the government regulations regarding Covid and to not let your guard down.

Please note that winter uniform will be compulsory at the start of the second term.

Winter sport's fixtures are planned for next term, but will be monitored very closely. The safety of our girls and staff will be our first priority.

Enjoy the very short break with your daughters. Stay safe and take care.

SASAMS NEEDS AN UPDATE

No reports will be handed out this term as indicated last week due to an update on the SASAMS mark programme that needs to be implemented by the Dept. of Basic Education. These reports will be handed out in the second term on a date to be communicated to parents.

Snapplify

The Grade 6 teachers are very excited to be piloting the Snapplify Reader. They have the digital copies of the text books on their computers and are thus able to project the text book onto their interactive whiteboard in the classroom and it is visible to all the children. This has made teaching and learning more enjoyable. ***Julie Bolze***

YOU SHOULD KNOW ... BRAND NEW VEHICLE

We are incredibly excited about the new vehicle purchased for the school.

Follow us on Instagram

It has been amazing seeing the girls back in action on the sports field. The amount of girls that are participating in sport is extremely encouraging.

Hockey and Netball Squad

In the new term we will be having a Hockey and Netball Squad for the girls who have not made a team. This will give girls the opportunity to practice and improve their skills. We will also give them opportunities to play matches against each other when we have a home derby.

Winter Sports Fixtures

As we approach the new term winter sports fixtures will be taking place. Although some schools are not willing to travel or host fixtures we will be playing a few fixtures against the schools that are taking part.

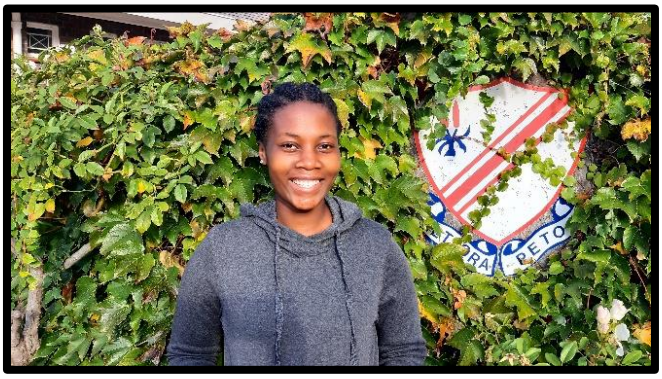
We are extremely excited to see our girls playing matches again. Please keep in mind that there may be no spectators present at any school matches as stipulated by government. There will also be strict Covid protocols in place to ensure that your daughter is kept safe.

Tegan Barraud

We need to stop bulling!
It starts here and it starts now!

New Gr 1 Teacher's Assistant

Nqobile Ngwenya



PTA

Urgent
Request for members

contact
Willem Kitching
071 897 0818

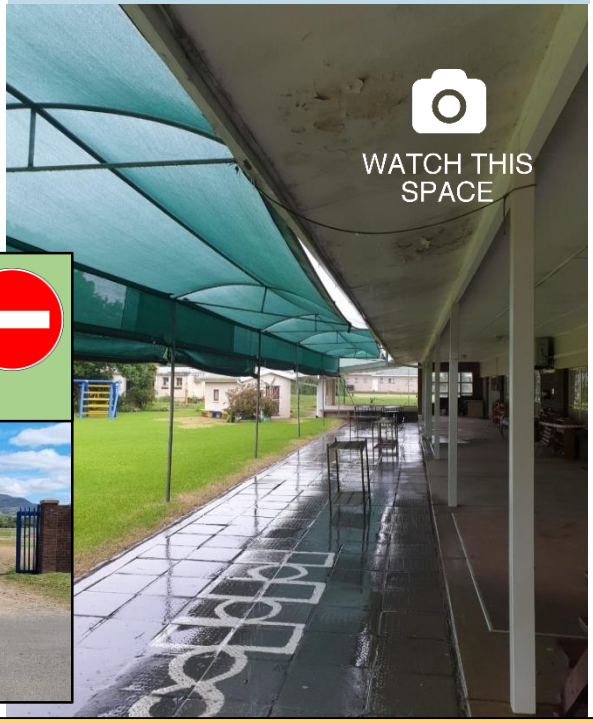
EXCITING NEWS

BOREHOLE BENEFITS SCHOOL

Our borehole is up and running! Balmoral is excited to have it's own water source to assist with the watering of our fields and during times of water cuts in our town.

TIME FOR A NEW LOOK

The verandah at the Pre-Primary will have an update during the holiday.



ALL DONE!! BACK PARKING AREA

The construction on our back parking lot is completed and traffic flow seems much better.

Entrance

Exit

Britannica School Edition

Log in details: BGP followed by the first 3 letters of students surname.

Dates to diarise

3 May - School starts (Winter uniform compulsory)
7 May - Slipper day
16 June - Public holiday
21 June - Gr 7 Test cycle begins
24 June - Gr 5 & 6 Test cycle begins
9 July - School closes

Balmoral amongst other schools, showed their support by welcoming the riders back from their trip from JHB to QTN. 15 April 2021

THE 1965 RIDE Cycling for education