



ST PAULUS NEWSFLASH

24 July
2026

Congratulations

We are so proud to announce the following high school scholarships that have been awarded to our Grade 7s:



Mieke Bester
St Mary's DSG



Phakade Ziqhu
Cornwall Hill College



Tshiamo Mothiba
Tyger Valley College

Pyjama Day

Friday, 31 July, will be Pyjama Day! We invite all our children (and staff 😊) to come to school in their winter warmer PJs.

With this being a fundraising initiative for our Grade 7s, the cost of the day is R10.

Recycling

Congratulations to our winners for the end of the second term:



Foundation Phase:	2A
Intersen Phase:	4S
Winning House:	Dominicus



Fathers' Day Fun

A huge thank you to all the Dads and Granddads who joined us for our Father's Day celebration. What a fantastic turnout! It may even have surpassed the Mother's Day attendance 😊.

The children had an absolute ball, proudly showing off their dads. The highlight, of course, was the much-anticipated soccer match between the Dads and the Staff.

Now, if you ask the official score, the Staff may tell you they won... but judging by the celebrations on the field afterwards, we're not entirely convinced the Dads noticed. Or perhaps they wisely decided that Father's Day is about making memories, not keeping score!

Either way, there were plenty of laughs, great sportsmanship and wonderful moments shared. Thank you for helping us create another special St Paulus memory. We already can't wait for next year's rematch!



Enrolment for Grade 00, R and 1 in 2027

We would like to request that parents notify us of the intention to reserve a place for their child in Grade 00, Grade R and 1 for 2027.

We ask that you reserve your place by completing this form:



<https://forms.gle/aq9vCwCgUhRYcogX8>

As we have a waiting list for Grade 00; R and 1 for 2027, we require confirmation of enrolment by 7 August 2026.

Adult L2S (Learn-2-Swim)

Did you know that we offer Hydro Fitness, Adult Learn-2-Swim and Parent/Toddler L2S Lessons in our heated Learn-2-Swim pool?

Adult L2S

07:30 – 11:30 Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays

16:30 Wednesdays

Parents & TodSwim

Monday – Friday 08:30 – 11:30

Lesson duration 25 min

R140 per lesson

Contact Coreen: 079 492 1625

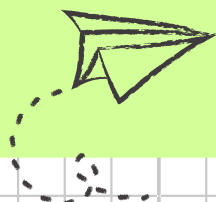
Notification of the intention to withdraw



If you already know that your child will not be returning in 2027, we ask that you please notify the school of your intention to withdraw your child, by 1 September. Letters of Notice should be addressed to the Principal and should be received by no later than 1 September 2026.

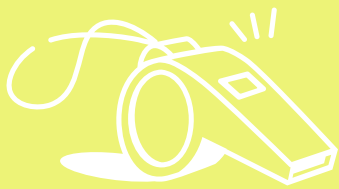
Welcome to Term 3! We hope all our families enjoyed a restful holiday and are ready for an exciting term ahead.

Louise Bukowski
Principal



“ The sense of
community♥
is the most essential element
in building a better world.”





NewsFlash Sports Page - The Final Whistle



St Paulus U12 and U13 Hockey teams participated in the HOCO Cup from 27 - 30 June. We are incredibly proud of all our players who gained a great deal of experience against tough competition. It was encouraging to see St Paulus amongst the very best hockey teams in Pretoria. A special mention to Joshua Alton who won best U12 goalkeeper at the tournament. Well done, boys and girls!



St Paulus Tracksuits

Please note that all teams travelling away to schools are required to travel in their full tracksuits with white sport shoes and socks. We find it important that we not only carry ourselves in the correct manner on the pitch, but that we do so off the pitch as well. Please ensure that all children are properly dressed to be allowed to travel on the bus. Thank you for your support with this; good luck to all our teams for the term ahead!

No fixtures due to concert practice.



IMPORTANT TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS



Buses will depart St Paulus at **13:45** to various venues. We are scheduled to be back at school at **17:00**. If for any reason there is a delay, or we are to return early, a message will be sent out to the relevant parties. Thank you for your understanding and patience.



THE PLAYFUL TIMES



Father's Day

At our Father's Day celebration, we did what dads and children do best... we PLAYED! Our fathers and father-figures put their fishing skills to the test in our "Reel in a Refreshment!" challenge, folded their best paper aeroplanes, and got creative during our "Dad-Dazzled" card-making activity. It was an afternoon filled with laughter, fun, and special memories.

We hope all our dads and father-figures had a wonderful Father's Day and felt celebrated for the special role they play in the lives of our children.



"The righteous man walks in his integrity; His children are blessed after him." – Proverbs 20:7



Pre-School "Eye-Spy Nature Hike" Social for Term 2



To end off the term, we enjoyed a lovely little hike up the koppie behind our school. The children loved spending time outdoors, getting some exercise, and exploring nature as they searched for the items on their "Nature-Hike" checklist. It was a wonderful opportunity to appreciate the beauty of our surroundings while learning through discovery.



"Let Nature be your teacher." – William Wordsworth