

HSH – WE DO ORDINARY EXTRA-ORDINARILY!



VALUE FOR TERM 2 – ENTHUSIASM!

Newsletter 9/2021
29 May 2021

Liewe Ouers

Die lewe vat ons op wilde reise van wisselende emosionele vlakke. Dit is die afgelope 2 weke weereens onderstreep met 'n heldergroen "highlighter". Twee weke gelede was ek in die sewende hemel van geluk – ons leerders kon vir die eerste keer in 400+ dae die vreugde van 'n sportdag ervaar. 'n Week later word ons gekonfronteer met die nuwe werklikheid van geen skolesport teen ander skole en die realiteit van 'n Covid-uitbreek in die HSH-skoolgemeenskap. Ons kan egter nie "Hopefield-guts" predik, maar dit nie uitleef nie. Ons sal hierdie "baaisiekel" maar net eenvoudig by die "handles" moet vat en vorentoe beur. Wegkruip en terugdraai is nie 'n opsie nie.

1. Covid realities

At the time of writing this newsletter there were 9 Covid positive learners in the school.

They are:

Dennis Engelbrecht	7A
Du-Wayne Brains	8A
Schalk Pretorius	8B
Nico Hanekom	8A
Nian Doubell	10A
Michael Scullard	10A
Albert van Dyk	11A
Christo de Wet	11A
Evan le Grange	11D

At this stage 90 learners were placed in isolation and I want to assure everyone in the HSH school community that this is part of the process to ensure that HSH is a safe place for all our learners and staff members.

As school management, we undertake always to be as transparent as possible in the way we communicate and manage Covid positive results. We have the fullest confidence in our systems and if we all work together, the school environment should be a very safe place. It is, after all, an environment where masks are worn, regular sanitising are taking place and social distances are kept.

We urge parents not to send learners with cold symptoms to school. **Parents are also asked to see to it that learners placed in isolation, stay at home and isolate.** If parents decide to place a learner in isolation, the school should be informed in writing. If the school places a learner in isolation, no communication is necessary.

Parents of hostel learners can rest assured that plans are put into place to ensure a safe environment for all our hostel learners and staff. For the time being, hostel boys and girls will eat in separate dining halls in order to minimise the risk with regards to Covid.

We have also returned to the bubble concept on our school grounds where certain parts of the school grounds will be allocated to specific grade groups. **Parents must also be informed that all school buildings will go through a deep cleaning process this weekend.**

After extensive discussions and deliberations, school management decided that HSH will continue with long days and sport practise. This will continue according to the adapted Covid guidelines. No contact drills will take place and the focus will be on conditioning and skills drills allowed according to the guidelines. It is clear that sport is good for our learners and it is also important that our momentum with regards to sport practice is not lost now. **It is also crucial that parents know that participation in the school's extra-mural programme is not compulsory.** I also want to clear up the issue about school closure. School closure is the prerogative of the Western Cape Education Department. School management can only act on their instruction. At this moment I am consulting with the Circuit Manager on a daily basis and we are absolutely convinced that school closure will not be a viable option at present.

I also need to commend the parents of HSH. During the challenging times of the past two weeks, your support and understanding really made my job easier. A big thank you for that!

Ek wil regtig 'n dringende beroep doen op ouers om HSH te ondersteun in die volgende:

- Leerders in isolasie MOET isoleer. Leerders wat in direkte kontak met 'n Covid-leerder was, isoleer om die verspreiding van Covid te verhoed. Die risiko gaan vir almal groter raak as isolasie nie streng toegepas word nie.
- HSH poog baie hard om die boodskap van sanitering, maskerdissipline en sosiale afstand duidelik en deurlopend oor te dra en toe te pas. Ons wil HSH-ouers versoek om ons hande te vat en hierdie boodskap by die huis te versterk en uit te leef.
- Kom ons hou asb. ook ons leerders by die huis indien hulle verkoue simptome toon. Hoewel hierdie versoek baie maklik 'n skuiwergat kan wees vir swak skoolbywoning, weet ons ook nie wat die toekoms vir ons inhou nie. Ons vra dus dat ouers dit oordeelkundig sal bestuur, omdat elke moontlike skooldag vir elke leerder krities belangrik is.

Ons moet vrede maak met die realiteit van Covid – dit gaan vir nog baie lank met ons wees. Dit is egter in die DNA van 'n Hopefielder om nie te gaan lê nie en dit is presies wat ons by HSH gaan doen. Ons is dit immers verskuldig aan die generasie van leerders wat nou op ons skoolbanke sit. Hulle is geregtig daarop om uit te sien na die normaliteit van skoolgaan soos ons dit beleef het. Kom ons stry die stryd!

2. Leerderprestasies

Ons is baie trots op ons jong perderuiter, Christi van Heerden, in Graad een. Sy het 'n puik tweede plek behaal tydens die Nasionale Saalperdkampioenskappe in Bloemfontein.

3. Personeel

Die pienkvoete oorval nou die personeelkamer van HSH! Ons is super opgewonde om aan te kondig dat mnr. Jean en juffrou Anine binnekort die trotse ouers gaan wees van 'n dogtertjie! Ons kan nie wag nie!

4. **SPH Kundalila Fundure Rally**

The annual SPH Kundalila Rally is scheduled to take place on Saturday, 19 June. This event was hugely successful in the past and we believe that this year will be no exception. The rally takes place on farms around Hopefield and quads, motorcycles and side by sides are welcome to enter. See entry form attached. We would like to extend an invitation to all parents with reliable 4x4s to assist us with the marking of the route. For more details with regards to entries or assistance, contact Anneke Basson at the school. All Covid measures and protocols will be followed.

5. **HSH 4x4 Dag**

Ons is ook baie opgewonde oor HSH se eerste 4x4-dag op die plaas Enkelvlei op Saterdag, 3 Julie. Hou hierdie spasie dop vir meer besonderhede!

6. **Inskrywings 2022**

Die aansoekproses vir die 2022-skooljaar het op Maandag, 24 Mei, ten einde geloop en die 646 aansoeke is weereens 'n groot mosie van vertroue in die goeie naam van HSH. Op hierdie stadium is dit een van die grootste uitdagings wat die skoolbestuur en die Beheerliggaam in die oë moet kyk. Die feit dat ons dorp ook 'n invloei van mense ervaar, maak getallebestuur 'n tameletjie. Die negatiewe kant is dat baie ouers en leerders teleurgestel word, want daar is eenvoudig nie plek vir alle aansoekers nie. **Ons wil dus ouers dringend versoek om ons onmiddellik in te lig as u kind/kinders die skool gaan verlaat.** Dit sal ons beplanning vir 2022 aansienlik vergemaklik.

Voorspoed aan almal in die HSH skoolgemeenskap!

Wehan Fourie (Skoolhoof)

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PROGRAM: 31 MEI TOT 13 JUNIE

"Whatever the mind can conceive and believe, it can achieve." Napoleon Hill

MAANDAG 31 MEI

Dag 6

Terreindiens: MF HT/MaF JvZ

Snuffels Werkswinkel (middag)

Gr. 11 Uistappie (Distrik 6) Teachers in charge: Arnold en Elna van der Westhuizen

Phelophepa Health Train in Saldanha

Golf Swartland (Away)

DINSDAG 1 JUNIE

Dag 7

WOENSDAG 2 JUNIE

Dag 1

Culture Long Day

Golf-Langebaan

DONDERDAG 3 JUNIE

Dag 2

LS Varia werkswinkel

SAPS Cyber Bullying Workshop

VRYDAG 4 JUNIE

Dag 3

Detensie: MO

GGBS – voltooi 2020 se QA6 vir 2021

Snoek & Patat Take Away (14:00)

Snoek & Patat Braai 19:00 Hopefield Sportklub

SATERDAG 5 JUNIE

SONDAG 6 JUNIE**MAANDAG, 7 JUNIE**

Dag 4

Terreindiens: NvT BA/HB EC

Eisteddfod Bestuursvergadering

Vakaturelys 2 verskyn

Golf – Dirkie Uys (Away)

DINSDAG, 8 JUNIE

Dag 5

Fin Kom Vergadering 16:00

WOENSDAG, 9 JUNIE

Dag 6

Culture Long day

Golf-Langebaan

DONDERDAG, 10 JUNIE

Dag 7

LS Varia werkswinkel

VRYDAG, 11 JUNIE

Dag 1

Detensie: NSw

14:15 Mnr & Mej HSH oefening (saal buite perke (hele dag) verhoog word gebou vir Mnr & Mej HSH)

SATERDAG, 12 JUNIE**SONDAG, 13 JUNIE**

Mnr & Mej HSH oefening (Saal buite perke vir komende week tot Wo.)



Hopefield Funduro Indemnity & Registration Form

I, _____ (Name & Surname)

with ID Number

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am willingly participating in the Hopefield Funduro. I acknowledge that in participating in these activities, I shall be subjecting myself, my passengers and participating minor independents and my vehicle/quad bike/ 2 wheeler or side by side, to danger and the possibility of personal injury, loss of support and / or the loss of my life or independents or passengers lives, and / or the loss or damage to personal possessions during this event and date of event.

THEREFORE, in my personal capacity as well as natural guardian of my minor dependents,

_____ (Name & Surname of Independent)

_____ (Name & Surname of Independent)

I do hereby acknowledge that I have freely and voluntarily accepted fully the risk, to myself and my minor dependents and do hereby on behalf of myself, my heirs, executors, administrators or assigns forever discharge, release and indemnify, hold harmless and absolve the organizers of the Hopefield Funduro, their committee, land owners, sponsors and any other person involved in the above activities even where such activities constitute a negligent act or omission on the part of the Hopefield Funduro from any claim or claims of whatsoever nature prior to an including the date of the activities and particularly as a result of any activity of whatsoever nature in which the Hopefield Funduro is in any way party to. I acknowledge the Rules of the Hopefield Funduro as stipulated below:

- NO HELMET NO RIDE
- NO RACING OR SPEEDING OR PLAYING IN PARKING AND OFFLOAD AREA'S
- NO RACING OR SPEEDING IN POPULATED AND AROUND BUILDING AREA'S
- POPULATED AND AROUND BUILDINGS ARE IDLE ZONES
- NO DRIVING BACK AGAINST THE FLOW – GO ONE WAY FORWARD AND WITH THE FLOW
- NO CHASING AND HARM TO LIVESTOCK, WILD LIVE OR FARM ANIMALS
- CLEAR THE TRAIL IF YOU BREAK DOWN
- NO PASSING UNLESS SAFE TO DO SO
- DRIVE AT A RESPONSIBLE SPEED
- RESPECT THE KIDS ON ROUTE – BE PATIENT
- RESPECT SLOW DRIVERS AT ALL TIMES
- RESPECT OTHER RIDERS
- STAY IN MARKED TRAILS PROVIDED
- ADHEAR TO DANGER SIGNS AND ROAD SIGNS
- STAY OUT OF THE FIELDS AND PLANTED AREAS
- MAKE FRIENDS, NOT ENEMIES
- CREATE A SAFE ENVIRONMENT FOR YOURSELF AND OTHERS
- NO DRINKING OF ALCOHOL OR UNDER INFLUENCE OF SUBSTANCES DURING PARTICIPATING IN THE OUTRIDE

And I do further indemnify the Hopefield Funduro against any claim or claims, which may be brought against them by any other person or body arising out of my actions aforementioned, and In particular against claims made against the Hopefield Funduro for any claim or claims preferred against them by my dependents. I acknowledge that I have given indemnity form to each of my family members/ passengers and made them fully and aware and explain the above contents and that they have accepted and agreed to the conditions as set out above.

Covid 19 Regulations:

Please sanitize regularly. Keep your social distancing. Wear a mask at all times. Please complete:

Driver Fever		Dependent 1 Fever		Dependent 2 Fever	
Driver Symptoms		Dependent 1 Symptoms		Dependent 2 Symptoms	

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand at Enkelveit, Hopefield on this 19th day of June 2021 in the presence of the undersigned witnesses:

Signature Driver / Guardian / Passenger: _____

Contact Number Driver / Guardian / Passenger: _____

E-mail Address Driver / Guardian / Passenger: _____

Witnesses: _____ (Name) _____ (Signature)

OFFICE USE			
Registration/Indemnity Completed		Amount due	
Wrist Bands visible		Cash Payment	
Fever Taken		EFT proof attached	

HOËRSKOOL HOPEFIELD

INTERMEDIÊRE FASE (GRADE 4-6) – TOETSROOSTER 2DE KWARTAAL 2021

INTERMEDIATE PHASE (GRADES 4-6) – TEST TIME TABLE 2ND TERM 2021

<u>Datum / Date</u>	<u>Gr 4</u>	<u>Gr 5</u>	<u>Gr 6</u>
VR / FRI 25/06	GESK / HISTORY	ENG	ENG
MA / MON 28/6	PSW	PSW	PSW
DI / TUE 29/6	ENG	NW / NST	GEO
WO / WED 30/6	AFR	WISK / MATH	AFR
DO / THU 1/7	GEO	AFR	WISK / MATH
VR / FRI 2/7	WISK / MATH	GEO	GESK / HISTORY
MA / MON 5/7	NWT / NST	GESK / HISTORY	NWT / NST
DI / TUE 6/7	WRITTEN WORK FORMAL ASSESSMENT		
WO / WED 7/7	SKRIFTELIKE STELWERK FORMELE ASSESSERING		

HOËRSKOOL TOETSREEKS 2021 (Tweede kwartaal)

Finaal

Graad	22 Jun DINS	23 Jun WOENS	24 Jun DON	25 Jun VRY	28 Jun MAAN	29 Jun DINS	30 Jun WOENS	1 Jul DON	2 Jul VRY	5 Jul MAAN
12	CAT	Afr	-	LW Toer	BS	Eng	Wisk	-	FW	Rek IGO VS Geo Musiek
11	BS	Eng	-	Rek IGO VS Geo	FW	CAT(P)	LW Toer	Afr	Wisk	LO
10	Wisk	-	LW Toer	CAT	Rek IGO VS Geo	Eng	FW	LO	BS Musiek	Afr(HT)
9	NW	SW (Ges)	LO	Wisk	EBW	Teg	SK	Afr	SW (Geo)	Eng(HL)
8	NW	LO	SW (Geo)	SK	Wisk	Afr	EBW	Eng	SW (Ges)	Teg
7	EBW	Afr	Wisk	SW (Ges)	LO	Teg	SW (Geo)	Eng	SK	NW

Vakke wat Vrydag geskryf is, se punte moet Maandag ingelewer word.

Dié wat Maandag skryf, moet Woensdag-oggend inlewer.