

MARIS STELLA WEEKLY BULLETIN

1 August 2017

WEEK TWO						
Tues 01 Aug	17:30 - 19:00	Eye Screening Grade 8-12 Parents' Evening	Centenary Hall			
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Wed 02 Aug	08:30 - 13:00	Eye Screening Grade 6 Excursion to uShaka	uShaka			
	07:30 JP Praise and Worship		Chapel Alliance Francais			
Thurs		Grade 11 Alliance Française Excursion				
03 Aug			Spur			
	19:00	Culture @ Kearsney	Kearsney			
Fri 04 Aug	13:30 - 16:30	Grade 12 CAT English Orals				
Sat 05 Aug	08:00 - 16:00	Grade 12 CAT English Orals				
WEEK ONE						
Mon 07 Aug		Grade 5 Overnight Excursion to Sweetdale	Sweetdale			
Tues		Grade 5s return from Sweetdale Final IQAA Evaluation Beyond Maths Challenge Round 2 Glenwood Primary				
08 Aug						
00 Aug						
Wed 09 Aug		Women's Day				
		Market Day Times				
Thurs 10 Aug	07:40 - 08:35	Grade 10-12 Workshop with Lynette Ntuli	Centenary Hall			
	08:35 - 09:30	Grade 5-7 Workshop with Lynette Ntuli	Centenary Hall			
	11:20 - 12:15	Grade 8-9 Workshop with Lynette Ntuli	Centenary Hall			
	18:00 - 19:00	Parents' Meeting: Guest Speaker Lynette Ntuli				
		Grade 12 IsiZulu Workshop				
Fri	08:00 - 13:30	Grade 2 African Bird Sanctuary Excursion	Bird Sanctuary			
11 Aug	10:00 - 13:30	Grade 11 Leadership Workshop				
	18:00 - 19:30	President's Award "Meet and Greet"	Westville Girls' High			

MARIS STELLA GOLF DAY

Our Maris Stella Golf Day will be held on Friday 1 September. To enter a four ball or sponsor a hole or prizes, please contact Haley Van Niekerk on haleyv@ioec.co.za. Entry forms can also be downloaded from the D6.

POETRY SLAM

Our second annual Poetry Slam held last Wednesday 26 July was very well attended, with over 7 schools sharing their talent. We are so proud of the Maris Stella girls who competed, and would like to congratulate them all on their exceptionally high standard of work. Well done to **Amani Mpanza** (Grade 10), **Tia Munsamy** (Grade 9), **Catherine Dunn** (Grade 11), **Palesa Maloka** (Grade 11), **Sesiphiwe Zwane** (Grade 11), **Nana Madwe** (Grade 12), and especially **Lulu Mbanga** (Grade 10) who was awarded third place, and **Sophie Ardé** (Grade 12), who came fourth. Many thanks to the Cultural Portfolio and Miss Smit for all their efforts in hosting such a successful event.

DANCE

Kaylee Walker, (Grade 6) attended the 86th South African Highland Dancing Championships held in Benoni over the past weekend. She took part in the Novice 11 years and older section, and was placed in all her dances and awarded Silver Medals for the Highland Fling and Flora dances. Congratulations Kaylee!

INANDA SEMINARY SPORTS FESTIVAL

Results of the 1st Hockey Team at the Inanda Seminmary Sports Festival, held on Saturday 29 July:

Team	Result
Maris Stella vs Inanda Seminary	Drew 1-1
Maris Stella vs Our Lady of Fatima	Drew 0-0
Maris Stella vs Northlands Girls' High	Won 3-1
Maris Stella vs Danville Girls' High	Won 2-1

Results of the 1st Netball Team:

Team	Result
Maris Stella vs Inanda Seminary	Lost 11-13
Maris Stella vs Our Lady of Fatima	Lost 9-10
Maris Stella vs Danville Girls' High	Lost 22-2
Maris Stella vs Northlands Girls' High	Won 19-2

NETBALL

Results from the Prep Action Netball League played on Monday, 24 July:

Team	Result	Outstanding Player
Maris Stella U11A vs Maris Stella U11B	A Won 12-0	Carly Smith
Maris Stella U11A vs Our Lady of Fatima A	Won 12-2	Mia Vlotman and Eyethu Shabangu
Maris Stella U11B vs Maris Stella U11A	B Won 12-0	Sithandile Dlamini
Maris Stella U12A vs Maris Stella U12B	A Won 16-2	Brygitte Barnabas
Maris Stella U12A vs Maris Stella U12B	A Won 29-0	Samafuze Ngcobo and Olwethu Mkize
Maris Stella U13A vs Just Skills Netball	Lost 6-16	Shasthi Naidoo and Gemma Murphy

WE CANNOT POSSESS CREATION

An economic system centered on the deity money also needs to plunder nature to sustain consumption at the frenetic levels it needs. Climate change, the loss of biodiversity, and deforestation are already showing their devastating effects in terrible cataclysms which we see and from which the humble suffer the most – those who live near the coast in humble dwellings, are so economically vulnerable that they lose everything due to a natural disaster. Brothers and sisters, creation is not a possession that we can dispose of as we wish; much less is it the property of some, of only a few. Creation is a gift, it is a present, it is a marvellous gift given to us by God so that we might care for it and use it, always gratefully and always respectfully, for the benefit of everyone.

Pope Francis Address to participants in the World Meeting of Popular Movements Old Synod Hall, Ireland October 28, 2014