

MARIS STELLA WEEKLY BULLETIN

7 November 2017

WEEK ONE				
Tues 07 Nov		Grade 2S Retreat		
Thurs 09 Nov	17:30 - 19:00	Grade 1 P Retreat Pre-school Christmas Concert	Centenary Hall	
Fri 10 Nov		Grade 7 Examinations end Grade 8 & 9 Examinations begin		
WEEK TWO				
Mon 13 Nov		Grade 8 – 11 Examinations continue		
Wed 15 Nov		SADAP Dance Awards		

MARIS STELLA RECIPE BOOKS AND APRONS

Our hardworking Parents' Association have compiled a beautiful Maris Stella recipe book, which is currently in print and will be on sale from next week. Thank you so much to all families who submitted their favourite recipes for us all to enjoy. The recipe book and Maris Stella apron will be on sale for a total price of R220. You can also purchase the book or apron separately for R125 each. If you would like to view samples, please visit the Marketing office, and to pre-order, please send money in a clearly marked envelope to the Bursar's office.

ATHLETICS

On Saturday 4 November, a number of our athletes took part in the KZN Sub Youth Track and Field Championships, held at Kings Park.

We congratulate:

- **Caitlyn Gooding** for winning a Silver medal for placing 2nd in the U15 800m
- **Carly Smith** for winning a Gold medal for 1st place in the U11 1200m. She also came 4th in the U11 Long Jump.
- **Jemma Smith** for winning a Bronze medal for 3rd place in the U9 Turbo Javelin. Jemma also came 5th in the U9 600m

Well done girls!

HOCKEY

Results from High School Indoor Hockey matches against Durban Girls' High School on Friday 3 November:

Team:	Result:
Maris Stella 1st Team vs Durban Girls' High 1st Team	Won 3-1

Maris Stella U16A vs Durban Girls' High U16A Drew 1-1

TENNIS

Our Prep Tennis Team consisting of Lauren Walsh, Jamie le Roux, Julia McAlister, Sophia Singh, Zenala Mbonambi and Rachel Hudson and, played a fixture vs Reddam House on Monday 23 October, and lost with 19 points to 26.

MUSIC

Congratulations to **Jade Young**, who recently passed her Grade 1 Trinity College of London Piano Exam.

DANCE

Congratulations to **Hannah Constantine**, who completed her Advanced 1 Checchetti Ballet Examination with Distinction, winning the Caryl Dixon Shield & Bursary for scoring the highest marks in this exam. Well done Hannah!

We are also extremely proud of **Natasha Metcalfe**, who came 2nd in the Natal Festival of Dance. Well done Natasha!

EVERYTHING IS INTERRELATED

Because we dwell in a common home, we cannot help but ask ourselves about the state of its health, as I sought to do in *Laudato Si'*. Water and air pollution, the indiscriminate exploitation of forests, and the destruction of the natural environment are often the result of man's indifference to man, since everything is interrelated. Then too, there is the way we treat animals, which has an effect on the way we treat other people, not to mention what people freely do elsewhere that they would never dare to do at home. In these and other situations, indifference leads to self-absorption and a lack of commitment. It thus contributes to the absence of peace with God, with our neighbour and with the environment.

POPE FRANCIS

Message for the 2016 World Day of Peace from the Vatican Sunday, December 8, 2015