

RIDGEWAY COLLEGE

NEWSLETTER



2 December 2022

Dear Parents

The academic year has almost ended. The busy environment that is Ridgeway College has seen this year fly-by. I would like to take a moment to thank the staff for their dedication and commitment this year; whilst teaching is often extremely challenging, the rewards are remarkable. Change is inevitable but the introduction of a new head can be an unnerving time for staff, pupils, and parents alike; I must express my gratitude to all for welcoming me and for making my transition a pleasurable one. I am appreciative of how embracing our children were on my arrival at Ridgeway – they truly are a great bunch of young adults.

Please may I remind you of some final dates and points:

AWARDS EVENING

Our final awards evening will take place in the Shandukani Hall on Thursday 8 December @ 18:00. All parents and pupils are encouraged to join us to acknowledge and celebrate the achievements of our children this year. Parents of award recipients will be advised accordingly on Wednesday next week to ensure that they have time to make arrangements to be present.

REPORT COLLECTION

Year-end reports will be issued from the Shandukani Hall on Friday 9 December between 08:00 and 11:00.

JANUARY FEES

Please be reminded that January fees are payable by the 4th of January 2023. No statements will be sent out for January fees as we only close our books after 30th December this year. Parents are reminded to refer to the new fee structure letter that was sent out in October to determine the correct amount to pay. Parents who pay fees by debit order will have their debit orders adjusted automatically.

Please also remember that Grade 8-10 pupils will be going on their field trips in the first term and the 1st installment is due with the January fees on the 4th of January – the amount per grade is included in the fee structure sent in October – the full amount can be divided into three installments.

TEXTBOOKS

A last reminder to our pupils to ensure that they have returned all textbooks to their subject teachers.

D6 COMMUNICATOR APP

If you have not already, please be reminded to download the D6 Communicator App for Ridgeway College – our regular communication with parents will be exclusively through this app from the start of next year.

SCHOOL SHOES DONATION

The generosity of our Grade 12 pupils will be shared with Tshikota High School (Makhado) – their school shoes will be delivered this week. Once again, thank you for your kindness.



Thank you!

KIND REGARDS

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