

RIDGEWAY COLLEGE

Dear Parents



Reports

Your child's Term 3 report will be emailed to parents today. Please could we ask parents to check both spam and junk folders if the report does not arrive in your inbox. Please contact reception if you have not received our child's report by end of day.

Grade 9 Outing

Ms Nthutang and our Grade 9s took a trip to the Wegraakbosch Organic Farm in Haenertsburg last Friday. This Natural Sciences outing was a most enjoyable, educational experience for your children, including a mouth-full of fresh milk, straight from the cow's udder.



Staff Quiz Night

The Staff Quiz Night last Friday gave our dedicated staff from across the whole school, an opportunity to challenge their general knowledge, relax and have some fun together. It was a great bonding experience for our teachers and administrative staff – surely the first of many.



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The Brainy Bunch

A big thank you to our generous sponsors:

- Fresh Stop Safari
- Roman's Pizza (LTT)
- Salon Finesse
- KFC (LTT)
- Studio 1
- Barley & Jam
- Chantelle du Plessis

THANK YOU



Your sponsored prizes added great excitement to the evening.

Colour Run

Our whole school Colour Run is scheduled for Saturday 21 October – details will be shared at the start of next term.



Term 4

Term 4 will commence for our pupils on Tuesday 10 October.

We start with day 2 on the time table

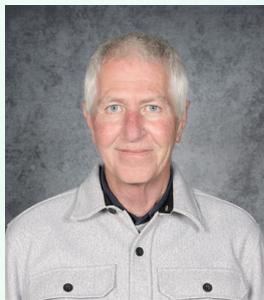
Play Production

Last night was the final performance (Gala Evening) of MEDEA, our production for 2023. The cast under Ms Guptar's skilful directing, produced a truly momentous Grecian performance. The 'buzz' will last for a long time. Thank you to all parents and family who supported our production - we look forward to the next Ridgeway production.



Heritage Day

Today our staff and pupils celebrate Heritage Day in a burst of colour. Traditional dances, praise poetry and food tasting from various cultures made for a super ending to the term.



Memorial

On Thursday the high school held a memorial service to bid a fitting farewell to Mr Stoltz. Personalized messages from pupils of grades 8-11, a candle lighting ceremony and a final balloon release, made for a very moving, special goodbye to our Accounting teacher.



We have a well-deserved two-week break ahead of us.

To our Grade 8-11 pupils this is a time to relax, reflect and recharge before the final stretch of 2023. To our Grade 12 pupils, who have just completed their preliminary examinations – this is a two-week study break – it is the time to push yourself as hard as you can to ensure that you enter your final examinations with confidence, producing your best work.



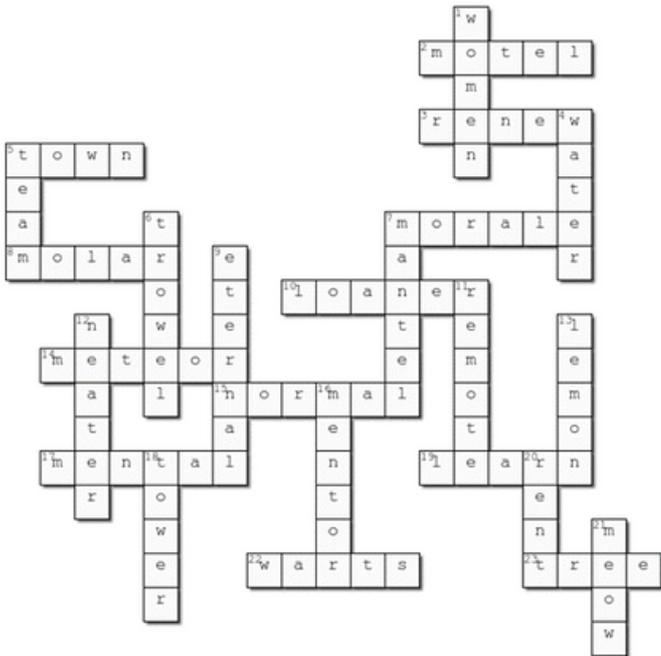
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Ridgeway Fun

Solution to crossword puzzle - 15 September

Watermelon words

Here's a fun one crossword puzzle for all ages. The answer to every clue is spelled using only the letters in WATERMELON. Hopefully this is a sweet, juicy challenge for you!



You are in a dark room with a box of matches. Nearby are three things: a candle, an oil lamp and a log of firewood.

Which do you light first?

How can you go 10 days without sleep?

What has 13 hearts, but no lungs or stomach?

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