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Dear Parents and Guardians

Information regarding the June Examination/Assessments 2024; NBT Workshops; Project Week – Grades 8 and 9; Final Week of Term 2; Indoor Cricket Centre Launching.

Information regarding the June Examination/Assessments 2024

Due to planned electrical maintenance in the Wynberg area on Tuesday 4 June, please would you ensure that your son brings a personal headlamp to school for the early morning examinations/assessments.

Should your son miss an examination/assessment, please e-mail his Subject Teacher, Tutor, and House Head with the reason for missing the examination/assessment.

If the reason is valid according to the Education Department (death, imprisonment, illness accompanied by a medical certificate, national representation, or compassionate leave to a death within the immediate family), the missed exam/assessment will not detrimentally affect your son's term, year, or SBA mark.

The link to the timetable is as follows: <u>June Exam</u> Timetable 2024 (Incl venues)

Grade 12 NBT Preparation Workshops - 2 weeks away

This is a reminder of the NBT preparation workshops for Grade 12 students at WBHS on Saturday 15 and Sunday 16 June 2024, focussing on key concepts tested in the NBTs.

Please register on the following link Wynberg Boys and Girls High School NBT Prep Workshop Booking Pdf

Project Week - Grades 8 and 9

Project Week commences next week where the Grade 8 and 9 boys will complete a programme arranged for various subjects. This is slightly less stressful than full examinations, but it is however compulsory, and the boys will be completing assessments which will count towards their Term 3 School Based Assessment (SBA) mark.

The exam timetable has been published as has the programme for the week, but examination rules apply for any absences as per normal examinations. These SBA assessments need to be completed in the allotted time slots as they are standardised tests. Please do not allow your son to tell you they are not doing anything at school on those days.

The day will start at 08h00 and end at 12h00 and the requirements will be sent by the relevant subject teachers to the boys via their MS Teams pages. At a minimum they should have writing implements including calculators, and fully charged laptops to access any online content required.

There is no studying required for these projects but there will be some reading material distributed, by some subjects, prior to the day of the project.

Final Week of Term 2

A very busy and important week is planned for the final week of term and starts with an exam paper hand back and various other activities from Monday to Friday.

Kind regards,

Graham James

Acting Vice-Principal: Academics





Wynberg Boys' High School gives the green light on Indoor Cricket Centre

In a groundbreaking move, set to transform the landscape of cricket training and development, Wynberg Boys' High School proudly announces the launch of its long-awaited Indoor Cricket Centre. This cutting-edge facility is poised to grow the way cricket is played, practiced, and perfected at Wynberg Boys' High School.

The School Governing Body has approved the much-anticipated Indoor Cricket Centre construction and a call for tenders has been issued with the submission deadline of 14 June 2024.

The project, conceptualised to ensure Wynberg Cricket remains in the top echelon of competitive schools, is fully endorsed by Wynberg Old Boy and international cricket legend Jacques Kallis.

"What awesome news that Wynberg Boys' High School will be breaking ground on an Indoor Cricket Centre. It is going to mean so much to the boys on those rainy days in the Summer months.

Congratulations on a superb call made by the school and governing body - Proud Old Boy." – Jacques Kallis

While the Old Boys' Legacy Fund will fund part of the projected R8 million cost, matched rand for rand by WBHS, we are excited to be opening up a Buy-a-Brick fundraising campaign alongside corporate sponsorship opportunities to allow our community and Old Boys to write their names into the future of our school.

WBHS looks forward to sharing the project progress in the weeks ahead.

Yours sincerely

Deon Scheepers Headmaster