



NEWSLETTER

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HEADMASTER'S WORD

Dear Parents,

This is the final Newsletter of the term, meaning we have made it! This has been a very fulfilling though exhausting term and the teachers and children deserve a good break!

In my last news, I highlighted that the Grade 4s were off to Kariba to investigate the reason for our severe power cuts. Here go our findings: we inspected the turbines and marveled to see that the older ones have been operational since 1960!

There is, so we were informed, 3.28metres of usable water left that can turn the turbines. The water being used currently to turn the turbines, along with evaporation, means that the Kariba water level is dropping by 2cm a day. In short, we will cease to produce power from the turbines by mid-December, should we not have rain by then! The children responded to this news by saying a prayer to God, besides the dam wall, asking for rain. A very worthwhile and educational trip.

Finally, please note that the teachers and other staff will be in a workshop on Thursday the 8th of August and therefore, no children will come to school on this day.

Happy Holidays!

Regards,

Mr D. Oswald
HEADMASTER

OUR THANKS



A big thank you to the following parents for the invaluable assistance in assuring that our school continued to run this term in regard to procurement of fuel! Obrigado!

- 1) Mr & Mrs Makoni of Komodo fuel station
- 2) Mr & Mrs Chinhara of Glow Petroleum
- 3) Mr & Mrs Mandizvidza of Genesis Petroleum

BALLET RESULTS

We had three of our girls do their Ballet examinations with the Royal Academy of Dance this term. The girls made us proud with the following results:

1. Nicole Lufeli 76% Distinction (Gold medal)
2. Ruvimbo Muonde 80% Distinction (Gold medal).
3. Emma Hwengwere 79% Distinction (Gold medal)

Parabéns!



UP COMING EVENTS

Interhouse Ball Games Competition on Monday the 5th of August starting at 9am. All parents are welcome to support.

COUNSELLING

Counselling is very essential for everyone, including children. A tell-tale sign of the need is a sudden change in behaviour, seemingly without cause. Just as we go and see the doctor when we have a cold, our children also need to see the counsellor when they are feeling sad or overwhelmed. Counselling helps children who are struggling with different issues and also helps with positive growth (boosting self-esteem, coping skills, self-confidence etc) The Counsellor provides a safe space and an empathetic ear while providing tools to bring about change in thoughts, feelings and behaviour.

The Counsellor is there to help your children with any issues of worry or concern, so please do not hesitate to sign them up for counselling.

SPORTS DEPT. ANNOUNCEMENT

Lusitania Primary School Sports Department would like to offer Sports coaching lessons in the following sporting disciplines over the school holiday:

- Tennis
- Cricket

This is going to be offered to any student from grades **THREE to SEVEN** who are willing to develop their skills in these sports.

Our aim is to improve the knowledge of these games amongst Lusitania Primary School pupils both technically and tactically. Through this program, we are also aiming to improve the standards of our teams' performance when competing against other schools in these sports.

The program will run from Wednesday 14 August to Wednesday 4 September 2019 excluding weekends making it a total of 16 days. The coaching sessions will be a 2-hour session and will be starting from 9.00am- 11.00am. The cost will be **Ecocash RTGS\$25** per session.

To register your child for the program and payments please contact Mr. Chagadama on **0779889800**

OFFICE HOURS

During the holiday, office ours will be as follows:
OPEN : 8 – 9 and 14 – 16 August 9am to 1pm
CLOSED : 19 – 23 August
OPEN : 26 August – 9 September 9am to 3pm

School re-opens on **10 September at 7.30 am.**
Have a good rest with your families.

KARIBA TRIP PICTURES



AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES

There will be no further afternoon activities from Monday the 5th of August 2019. **Home time for all is 1pm.** Please be on time for collection.

IMPORTANT LINKS

1. [Senatical Parent Portal](#)
2. [Lusitania Facebook Page](#)
3. [Lusitania Instagram](#)
4. [Lusitania YouTube Page](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **No children are to come to school on Thursday the 8th as staff will be attending a workshop.**
2. **Reports will be available from Thursday the 8th of August.**

MERIT WINNERS WEEK ENDING 26/07/19

INFANTS

GRADE 1	1 EAST	1 WEST	1 SOUTH
BEHAVIOUR	Mufaro Mutungwazi	Kunashe Kokera	Anesu Muonde
ACADEMICS	Anenyasha Murisa	Makanaka Hodzonge	Lincoln Sango

GRADE 2	2 NORTH	2 SOUTH
BEHAVIOUR	Mutsawashe Toronga	Kupakwashe Mabika
ACADEMICS	Malcolm Makarawa	Inathinkosi Ndlovu

JUNIORS

GRADE	MATHS	ENGLISH	CONTENT	SHONA	PORTUGUESE	COMPUTERS
3 North	Junior Nyandoro	Ryan Mandaza	Nicole Lufeli	Mukudzei Nyoka	-	
3 South	Emily Mumbengegwi	Tadiwanashe Maunze	Macnelly Hunidzarira	-	-	
4 East	Panashe Chigunhah	Anesu Vhinyu	Makatendeka Simango	Tavonga Hlatywayo	-	
4 West	Kunashe Mugadza	Michael Bare	Caitlyn Kanojerera	Chiedza Karombo	-	
5 East	Victor Kudumba	Carlton Mpame	Carlton Mpame	Joyce Ndemera	-	
5 West	Kaden Hahn	Ashley Mupandi	Bradley Marimo	Lisa Kautsiro	-	
6 North	Tanatswa James	Cherryl Chinomona	Atida Mapininga	Ryan Mukudoka	-	
6 South	Tanya Mapengo	Tsakani Sithole	Star Marasha	Clarence Maunganidze	-	
7 East	Nicole Munyengerwa	Alice Chitsinde	Riley Chindavata	Ropafadzo Siyakurima	-	
7 West	Kuzivakwashe Zengeni	Waraidzo Majiri	Christiaan Charidza	Charmaine Muchaka	-	

GRADE 7 CHIZS EXAMINATIONS

MERIT WINNERS WEEK ENDING 02/08/19

INFANTS

GRADE 1	1 EAST	1 WEST	1 SOUTH
BEHAVIOUR	Tanashe Chinomona	Makomborero Gweshe	Lincoln Sango
ACADEMICS	Asante Mudara	Waishe Nyaruvanga	Tayenda Chirumiko

GRADE 2	2 NORTH	2 SOUTH
BEHAVIOUR	-	-
ACADEMICS	-	-

JUNIORS

GRADE	MATHS	ENGLISH	CONTENT	SHONA	PORTUGUESE	COMPUTERS
3 North	Junior Nyandoro	Tawanashe Ndoro	Farrell Muzuwa	Nicole Lufeli	-	Tayambutswa Chikwanha
3 South	Tadiwanashe Maunze	Tadiwanashe Maunze	Tinomudaishe Gwenanguruwe	Tinomudaishe Gwenanguruwe	-	Tyler Chiimba
4 East	Chidochashe Maboreke,	Sean Zinjiba	Blessing Mutunduwe,	Russell Ndovorwi,	-	Tapiwanashe Mapfumo
4 West	Sindiso Moyo	Ashely Muziwi	Mutsawashe Chigaazira	Tadiswanashe Mahubo	-	Tinovonga Machawira
5 East	Alvin Kutaura	Praise Warara	Enam Dzakah	Kumbirai Matimba	-	Leanne Zivanayi
5 West	Manatsa Tafuma	Unathi Masilela	Rutendo Mwale Tadairwanashe Tsikayi	Helen Mazarura	-	Manatsa Tafuma
6 North	<h1>NYANGA TRIP</h1>					
6 South						
7 East	Nicole Munyengeterwa	Simbarashe Mapani	Allen Mondo	Tatenda Manuwa	-	Maraville Moetsabi
7 West	Elton Dzimwasha	Ethan Matanga	Anzel Matinya	Zach Mbizvo	-	Dannelle Makwara

SPORTS RESULTS

INFANTS SPORTS DAY RESULTS : 19 JULY 2019

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Girls Grade 1

NAME	POSITION	HOUSE
Asante Mudara	1	Gama
Renee Masocha	2	Gama
Matipaishe Marumazvitsva	3	Gama

Girls Grade 2

NAME	POSITION	HOUSE
Tanatswa Mungaraza	1	Viriato
Princess Munetsi	2	Dias
Tessa Kajau	3	Dias

Boys Grade 1

NAME	POSITION	HOUSE
Anesu Muonde	1	Dias
Nathaniel Muchengi	2	Viriato
Bradley Ruziwa	3	Dias

Boys Grade 2

NAME	POSITION	HOUSE
Astar Mapfumo	1	Viriato
Dalcey Mutasa	2	Gama
Joseph Muzenda	2	Viriato

OVERALL RESULTS

HOUSE	POINTS	POSITION
Viriato	54	1
Gama	42	2
Dias	38	3