

# **Weekly Newsletter**

# **CHARTER COLLEGE**

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Dear Parents and Students.

Friday the 19th October

Our annual leadership day for the Grade 11's was held at the botanical gardens. The students were divided into groups and had to plan for a picnic luncheon. They had different themes and had to decorate their set up accordingly. We had a fantastic day with delicious foods from Mexican, Carnival, Casino, Halloween, Wild West, Alice in Wonderland and Around the World. Students all put in a tremendous amount of effort. The excitement was palpable as each picnic was set up with great enthusiasm. Thank you to all the staff and students for making the day one to remember.

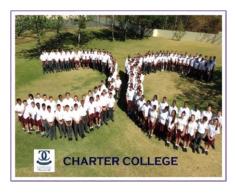
Grade 8's headed to the SPCA with bags of food and other donations. Grade 9's made sandwiches for an old age home and picked up litter at the botanical gardens.

Grade 10's went to the Ark Animals centre. They helped to clean puppy enclosures, walked and bathed the dogs. They had an experience of a lifetime.

Thank you to all our students and parents for the donations and ensuring Friday was a success

## Cambridge and College Exams

The Cambridge exams are under way and seem to be going well. The College exams start on the 6th November. All exam timetables have been put on the D6 communicator. We are aware that some parents are unable to collect their children directly after the exams. Please don't panic. There are always classrooms available for students to sit in and study



## **Upcoming Events**

#### Ocober 25th

- Cycle Tests for next week
  - o Gr 8 Accounting
  - o Gr 9 E.M.S.
  - o Gr 10 -Biology
  - o Gr 11 -Geography

# SPORTS & **CULTURE NEWS**

On Saturday the 20th of October, Charter College students attended the NATIONAL final round of the SALA competition in Witbank. Our speakers spoke very well and made Charter College proud. Unfortunately our matrics could not attend due to being in the midst of their final examinations.

Special congratulations to the following students who placed in the National Final!

Yaseen Motara Jean Erasmus

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#### 3 Terms

In 2019 Charter College will be reverting back to a 3 terms. We did send a survey out last year and the majority of our parents prefer a 3 term school year

## Subject Choice and Career Assessments

The subject choice forms have been handed out to all students. Once your decision has been made, please ensure you return the completed form to your register teacher.

Mr Dodge is offering subject choice and career assessments to all Grades 9, 10 and 11 students. The students have received the letter. There is also a copy available on the D6 or you can contact the office for more details.

## **Tuckshop**

<u>Under new management.</u> Please view our new and exciting menu under resources on the D6. Check every day to see what's on special (e.g. Tramezzini's, Health Rolls, Steak & Boerewors Rolls, Pies & more), keep an eye out for what's new on the shelves.

Best wishes for a good 4th Term

Mrs. A. Dodge Principal

### Dates to Remember

Date	Description	Venue	Time
26 <sup>th</sup> October	New Students welcoming Assembly	Charter College	07:30
02 <sup>nd</sup> November	Final school Assembly	Charter College	07:30
05 <sup>th</sup> November	Students study day before Exams. Students may stay at home		
06 <sup>th</sup> November	College Exams begin	Charter College	
22 <sup>nd</sup> November	College Exams end	Charter College	
23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Students come to School to check their Exam papers	Charter College	
28 <sup>th</sup> November	Honours Evening	N G Kerk Kloofendal	18:00
30 <sup>th</sup> November	School Reports handed out	Charter College	07:30 - 09:00

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