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Tebogo wins for 3rd time

School closes
Thursday,
23-09-10
and re-opens
04-10-10.



Mrs Isabella Mellet, Head of the Art Department and Tebogo Mashila, Grade 11, proudly hold Tebogo's trophy for winning the Pretoria News design-an-ad competition. Tebogo has won the competition for the 3rd consecutive year.



Mrs Isabella Mellet says: "I believe that every child is a designer. However the problem is to remain a designer when you grow up. Picasso said: 'I am always doing things I can't do—that's how I get to do them.' At Pro Arte Alphen Park every designer gets a chance to live these maxims, to do their own thing and to develop into the best designers they can be." Tebogo has a dream and is proud of winning for the 3rd time. "When I won, I started believing that anyone, not just me, can do anything they set their minds to. If I keep on winning I'll be noticed by professionals and that will further my chances of a possible career opportunity or bursary."



Hospitality Studies host 2 VIP dinners

Grade 10's, you rock!

On , 8 and 15 September , the Grade 10 Hospitality Department learners hosted two very successful VIP dinners.

We host these dinners annually to thank all sponsors and people who support the school. It is imperative to deliver professional service and create a good image of the school at these dinners. That is exactly what the Grade 10's did.

Congratulations to the *Maître d's* of these restaurants, Nikita de Cares and Angelique Allison for doing a professional job.

Thank you to all the staff members, waiters and chefs, you have made us very proud.

The theme was Africa and these learners surprised the guests with spontaneous singing.



Hanna Grobler, actress and old learner, was very impressed. On the photo: Hanna and her manager Miranda Horton. Back: Mr Güldenpfennig, Kevin Sibiya and Angelique Allison.

4th term important dates

4 October
School re-opens

6 October
IT evening

9 October
High schools chefs' competition
Sandwich making for charity sponsored by Heinz Ketchup

14 October
Matric farewell

27 October
Parent budget meeting

8 November
Grd 8-11 Examinations commence

15 November
Birthday: Mr Guldenpfennig
Choreographic competition

3 December
Grd 8-11 Examinations end

10 December
School closes



Let's talk

stats:

•100%

matric pass

rate for 14

years.

• 80.8%

passed

with

university

exemption

in 2009

...And on the topic of dates, here are the 2011 term dates:

Term 1: 12 January—25 March

Term 2: 11 April—24 June

Term 3: 18 July—30 September

Term 4: 10 October—9 December

What does 9 October and the Departments of Hospitality Studies and Art have in common?

FUN, of course! Cooking up a storm, creating beautiful art works and sandwich making are ingredients for success.

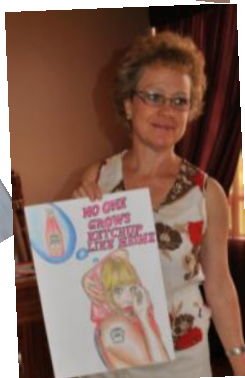
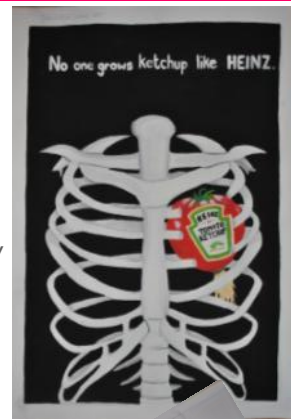
Pro Arte Alphen Park is proudly hosting the chefs' competition for high schools for the fourth year.

Teams from different schools receive a mystery basket of ingredients to prepare a starter, main course and desert. Professional adjudicators assess the competition.

We won the competition in 2008.

On the day children from various primary schools in the area will make sandwiches for the Hanna Grobler Charities Trust. These sandwiches will then be distributed to children in need.

This year, our Art Department will participate by submitting art works to advertise the sponsor, Heinz Ketchup. The organisers will pick a winner. Here is an exciting preview or shall I say, taster?



TO FEED A BLUE BULL, YOU MUST BE ABLE TO COOK...



On 21 September, Grade 10 learners had to prepare a meal using mystery ingredients. Ms Klara Blom, PGCE student from TUKS arranged the cook-out as part of her course, where she had to do a real-life challenge with the learners. Four blue bulls were the adjudicators. According to them they were very surprised to learn that 16-year-olds can cook like champions. The meals exceeded their expectations and one comment read: "May I have the recipe?" Great, Refilwe, Tshwarelo and Busisiwe, who won the cook-out. You have dropped, placed and scored against the Curriecup champions!

On the photo from left (back): Winners, Refilwe Mabogoane, Tshwarelo Chauke and Busisiwe Khoza. (front): CJ Stander, Wilhelm Steenkamp, Gerrit-Jan van Velze and Mthunzi Mabeta.

Oh Brother, music is in their blood...



Visser Liebenberg, Grade 12 Music learner, was chosen to perform as soloist with the Cape Town Hugo Lambrechts orchestra. He was one of only a few to be selected as a soloist. In October, Visser will be participating in the Artscape National Youth Music Competition – he is one of only 35 accepted nationally. Visser and his brother, Maritz are also members of the Miagi National Youth Orchestra, which consists mainly of students. Well done!



ADRIAAN DANS 4 TOEKENNINGS LOS

Die vyftienjarige Adriaan Marais, Graad 10-dansleerder van Pro Arte Alphen Park het VIER toekennings tydens die afgelope *Fine Arts International Dance Competition 2010* ingepalm: beste choreografie; beste duet *Forbidden Love*, saam met Angelique Allison ook in Graad 10 in Pro Arte Alphen Park; beste produksie *Circus* en beste *freestyle* in produksie *Circus*.

Hy en Angelique Allison (saam met hom op die foto) het 99% vir hul duet behaal, asook 'n

spesiale toekenning daarvoor ontvang. Verder het Adriaan die choreografie van nog drie duette behartig: *Butterfly* deur die vyfjarige Danielle Nagel en agtjarige Kaylin Marais behaal 97% en 'n spesiale toekenning. *Romeo & Juliet* deur die negejarige Suné van der Walt en tienjarige Jason Marais behaal 97% en 'n spesiale toekenning.

True Love deur die tienjarige Gaby Nagel en Jason Marais behaal 98% en 'n spesiale toekenning.

Adriaan het 'n passie vir dans en veral choreografie. En om kinders te help, het hy die *Dance Fusion* dansgroep op die been gebring. Daar is 47 kinders van 5 jaar oud tot 18 jaar oud en hulle het op 19 Maart vanjaar begin oefen aan die *Circus* produksie. *Circus* het ook 'n verstommende 99% tydens die kompetisie behaal. Angelique het op die laaste minuut 'n individuele item ingeskryf waarmee sy 'n verrassende 96% verdien het.



Laat die kameras rol...en...AKSIE!

Twee van Pro Arte Alphen Park se seuns is gekies vir "Roepman", die rolprent oor Jan van Tonder se boek met dieselfde naam. Op die foto is Japie Ellis, Graad12-dramleerder (links), Jan van Tonder en Westley Smith, Graad 10-dramaleerder op die stel van Roepman by die Eloffsdal NG kerk. Jan is ook die skrywer van die bekroonde "Die Kind" wat tans 'n voorgeskrewe boek vir Graad 11 Afrikaans Eerste Adissionele Taal is.



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