

Walvis Bay Private High School

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MATRIC FAREWELL: 6 SEPTEMBER 2019



Some would say the impossible has just been done on Friday, September 6th 2019. WBPHS was covered in glitz and glamour from the colourful lights to the red carpets runway; it was indeed the greatest show. This year's theme was ringmasters, acrobats and various other colourful characters entertaining the crowd throughout the night.

The matrix of 2019 attracts the community of Walvis Bay as they made their grand entrance for their matric farewell. The night was not only filled with the raising of glasses for a toast to the hard work over the years, a delicious three course meal delighted the palette and motivational speeches.

A photo booth also ensured that the memories made were captured to look back on many moons from now. The event was made possible by the grade 11 parents, teachers and students. WBPHS would like to thank all the sponsors and individuals who assisted. "We are because you are". Thank You



GRADE 11 & 12: TOP TEN CANDIDATES—2ND TRIMESTER 2019



GRADE 11: Renaldo van der Merwe, Corné Engelbrecht, Mianka Robberts, Dian Neethling, Tihane Knowles, Jolé Gerber, Ané Nel, Nicole Wittmann, Amoré Koorts, Kara Reichert

GRADE 12: Maurice Hinterholzer, Zurielle de Bairos, John Faul, Michelle du Plessis, Sue-melle Mans, Albertus de Klerk, Idelette Liebenberg, Daniel Allen, Ethen Visagie von Solms, Wayne Proffitt

ATKV REDENAARSKOMPETISIE TE GOUDINI SPA

'n WBPHS-leerder behaal vyfde plek in die finale van die ATKV-Redenaarskompetisie 2019 by ATKV-Goudini Spa

Elmi McCarthy, 'n graad-9 leerder, het die vyfde plek in die kategorie graad 8 - 9 Afrikaans Huistaal Voorbereid by die finale van die ATKV-Redenaarskompetisie behaal. Elmi is 'n ware ambassadeur vir WBPHS. Hierdie is haar tweede deelname aan die finale as ingeskrewe leerder van WBPHS.



Nog twee van ons leerders het deurgedring na die finale: Maurice Hinterholzer in die kategorie graad 10 - 12 Afrikaans Huistaal Onvoorbereid en Petrus Ekdjjo in die kategorie graad 8 - 9 Afrikaans Addisionele Taal Voorbereid, maar hul en mev Patricia Stadler kon nie die finale bywoon nie, aangesien die vlug die dag voor die finale gekanselleer is. Volgens 'n berig in die "Namibian Sun" van 26 Julie 2019 was die toestande by Walvisbaai lughawe "uiters mistig", wat dit vir vliegtuie onmoontlik gemaak het om te land sonder die hulp van grondgebaseerde navigasie-instrumentbenaderings. Dit het geblyk dat alle instrumentbenaderings in Namibië wat afhanklik is van land-gebaseerde navigasiehulpmiddels, onmiddellik deur die Namibiese burgerlugvaartowerheid uit diens geneem is.



WBPHS is in die besonder dankbaar teenoor mev Patricia Stadler wat, met haar span, hierdie leerders voorberei het vir die kompetisie.

Geskryf deur Charmaine Nagel

ROYAL CHESS CHALLENGE

The Royal chess challenge took part in Swakopmund on Saturday, 21 September 2019. 100 Learners from 7 schools took part in this event. Janco du Plessis, Xander Feris, Liam Blaauw and Nazneen Goases represented WBPHS at this event.

Janco du Plessis got 3rd place for U/8; Nazneen Goases got 1st place for U/16. WBPHS ended in the 3rd place. Congratulations and well done!



"It is what we make out of what we have, not what we are given, that separates one person from another."

Nelson Mandela

MNR & MEJ MUNTLEGGING—12 JULIE 2019



Mnr & Mej Muntlegging het plaasgevind op 12 Julie 2019. Aan elke ouerhuis wat die spaarvarkies leeggemaak het ... baie dankie!! Die fondse word vanjaar aangewend ten bate van die opgradering van ons klankstelsel in die Tom Swemmer Saal.

CNNC ROSSING URANIUM BIRD WATCHING DAY—20 SEPTEMBER 2019



Four of our grade 9 learners were invited to participate in this annual event. These learners were Deon de Klerk, Malinda Bam, GP Greeff and Marcel Myburgh.

This year was Rossing's 18th year of Bird watching. The aim of this event is to get learners to experience and view the unique birdlife in our area. It formed part of the United Nations Environment Day.

Whilst identifying different bird species, the learners also participated in the National Clean up Campaign.

Ms Jolandi Vogel



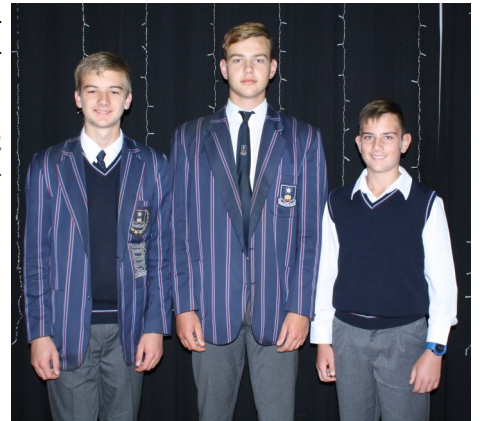
CRICKET ACHIEVEMENTS

At the recent Salt Refiners Junior Cricket Tournament held during the August holidays the U11 team won 5 out of 7 games. The U13 team won 4 out of 6 games. Sebastian van Vuuren is appraised as the player of the tournament.

Congratulations to Tiaan van der Westhuizen who made the final team for the U/12 Namibian Team to participate in Somerset West in the T20 Tournament during September 2019. Non Traveling Reserve is Adriaan Boonzaaier.

William Lottering U15A, Chris Fourie U15B and Iwann van Staden U15C have been chosen to represent Namibia in South Africa. They participated in the Namibian trials held on 13 September 2019 in Windhoek.

Our cricket players also enjoyed participating in the recent NNKK Cricket festival



NAMSPIRE KRIEKET SPAN: Die volgende leerders behaal die Namspire Krieket span wat in Desember gaan toer in die Kaap.

U/11: Sebastian Van Vuuren; Rowan Van Vuuren; Ruhan Boonzaaier

U/12: Adriaan Boonzaaier; Dreyer Oberholzer; Damian Kotze



WBPHS OLD SCHOLARS ASSOCIATION

We gladly introduce the recently elected OSA Committee of the WBPHS Old Scholars Association of 2019 to you: The Association was started in 2012 and we are excited to hand over the reins to the new Committee.

Chairman: Mr Christo van Vreden; Vice-Chairman: Mr Nico van der Westhuizen; Treasurer: Mrs Daleen Agenbag; Bookkeeper for OSA: Mrs Julia Engels; Marketing: Mr John Engels

Additional members: Mr Peet Boonzaaier; Mr Riaan Lotriet; Mr Chris Bruyns; Mr Dawie Koen; Mr Mias de Klerk; Mr Heini Franken; Mr Deon Ellis. Mr Frank Scholtz as Director Marketing & OSA, Mr Henjan van der Hyde as Deputy Principal, Mr Willie van Zyl as HOD Fundraising, Mr Herman Grobler and Mr Morney Brendell as teachers, with Mrs Rúnelle Zerbe as secretary, are also part of the OSA group. Congratulations and thank you to each one for their involvement.



◀ The OSA Player 23 spectator shirt is available in the WBPHS Clothing Store.



ATKV SENIOR OLIMPIADE: Tydens die ATKV senior olimpiade eksamen het Maurice Hinterholzer hierdie jaar weereens die 1ste plek in Namibië verwerf in die Huistaal afdeling. Hy eindig internasionaal 5de (Suid-Afrika en Namibië), wat ook 'n besondere prestasie is. In die Eerste



Addisionele Taalafdeling het Caitlin Gerber die eerste plek verwerf.

Baie geluk Maurice en Caitlin.

NASIONALE WALTONS-GRIFFELKOMPETISIE

Die Nasionale Waltons-Griffelkompetisie vir leerlinge van graad 5-12 word jaarliks deur Windhoek Afrikaanse Privaatskool aangebied.

Tydens hierdie landswye kompetisie het leerders die geleentheid om hulle skryftalente te ontgin.

Karli Rudolph het hierdie jaar 'n uitmuntende prestasie behaal deur in beide die kortkurs en digkurs met die eerste pryse weg te stap. Sy is ook uitgenooi om WBPHS te verteenwoordig by die Griffelprysuitdeling by WAP.



NAMIBIA IS NOT A TRASH CAN

WBPHS took part in the National clean-up campaign from 16 to 21 September 2019. The prefects of the primary school started the clean up in the town. The grade 11 volunteers and the prefects decided to clean up the southern lagoon area. Various learners further participated in cleaning the school grounds. A small act with a big impact.



HOCKEY: We would like to congratulate Chris Fourie with his Level 1 achievement in the CSA umpire exams. With this qualification he can start umpiring in the club games. Well done Chris.



Field Hockey: K5 Super Fives Hockey tour to Cape Town 24-27 September 2019. Stephen Fourie was chosen for the u13 boys team.

Congratulations to Stephen who made the team.

