



Danville DIGEST

2 October 2014

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents,

We are very pleased to congratulate our new prefects for 2015. They are a wonderful group of girls who I am certain will rise to the challenge ahead of them.

The position of prefect at Danville today is so much more than it used to be. It no longer focuses on the enforcement of rules only. It has become a journey of leadership development where the girls learn about motivating people and building a sense of belonging. It is about learning that leadership is a form of service for the greater good of all the girls in the school.

Our model also recognises that girls of a wide range of personality profiles have leadership potential and gives them space to find their niche and grow.

We wish them everything of the best on their new journey and know that under the guidance of the Staff Leadership Committee they will flourish.

Kind regards,
Cally Maddams



Highlights

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE LEADERS OF 2014/2015!

Rianka van Antwerpen	Head Girl
Tarryn Ward	Deputy Head Girl
Sne Mbatha	RCL President
Melissa van Straaten	RCL Deputy President
Lameez Ahmed	Class Prefect
Britt Appelgryn	Environmental Prefect
Savannah Ashworth	Pastoral Care Prefect
Natusja Bennett	Media Centre Prefect
Laaqah Booley	Class Prefect
Kristen Botes	Class Prefect
Megan Cairns	Class Prefect
Neriska Chandarman	Class Prefect
Caitlin Donnelly	Class Prefect
Jean-Mari du Plessis	Class Prefect
Erin Farland	Class Prefect
Chereé Greyvenstein	Class Prefect
Emma Gultig	Pastoral Care Prefect
Robyn Henderson	Class Prefect
Uyanda Hlomuka	Environmental Prefect
Kyla Hurrell	Class Prefect
Aisha Hussain	Academic Prefect
Asha Irvine	Culture Prefect
Bailey Kemper	Academic Prefect
Jessica Lardant	Class Prefect
Alexia Luizinho	Class Prefect
Kiya Madaree	Pastoral Care Prefect
Chante McPherson	Class Prefect
Janelle Moses	Class Prefect
Nomceba Mthembu	Class Prefect
Lindelwa Mthiyane	Culture Prefect
Rohini Naidu	Community Service Prefect
Gabriella Pekelharing	Pastoral Care Prefect
Cheylyn Pienaar	Class Prefect
Erin Shillaw	Pastoral Care Prefect
Kiara Tedder	Class Prefect
Mekayla Temlett	Pastoral Care Prefect
Aimee Timms	Sport Prefect
Any Visser	Class Prefect
Erin Wittstock	Class Prefect
Chane Zeeman	Class Prefect
Sibo Zulu	Class Prefect



Rianka van Antwerpen & Tarryn Ward



Melissa van Straaten & Sne Mbatha

DATES TO DIARISE

03 Oct	School Closes
13 Oct	School Re-opens
15 Oct	Speech Day
16 Oct	Gr 12 Farewell Assembly
27 Oct	Start of Matric Final Exams

HOUSEPLAYS 2014



The hall was abuzz with excitement and the stage was set for a great evening as the curtains opened on the annual Houseplays. This year's theme of Dr Seuss added a riot of colour and zany characters who got up to hilarious antics.

The Grade 11 directors and producers created their own scripts using the wacky and zany characters from Dr Seuss's books. Palmer presented **The Fault with our Seuss**, directed by Chane Zeeman and produced by Nomcebo Mthembu, Hollander took us into the world of **The Lorax with The Lorax: Seussical** directed by Lihle Qulo and produced by Anele Zwane. **The Grinch who Stole Christmas** was adapted by Keera Murray as director and Sphumelele Mahlobo from Campbell and the last play of the evening took us into the magical world of **Seussville - Jojo's Wacky Dream** was directed by Smith's Rianka van Antwerpen and produced by Kyla Hurrell.

A big thank you to the technical team and trainees for the endless hours of work to make sure the sound, projection and lighting was perfect for the big night. A huge congratulations to the band who added flair to the evening with their magical music! The adjudicator for the evening was Mrs Rikki Hastings, who was impressed by the talented and energetic performers!



Inter-house Athletics

On 11th September we held our annual Inter-house competition and there was fierce competition on the field and on the stands. Final results showed Hollander victorious followed by Smith, Palmer and Campbell. On the stands, Campbell was judged to have the best spirit.

Individual stars were Gabriëlla Pekelharing (Senior Victrix) and Emma Wittstock (Junior Victrix). Mrs Brenda Ballack was the guest of honour and handed out the trophies. Other age group winners were:

Under 14: Siphokazi Bophela

Under 16: Caitlyn de Lange

Open: Callen Ballack.

It was the second year of the Diamond relays and three records were broken: Under 14, Under 16 and Under 17. Well done girls!



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