



LADDSWORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL



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HEADMASTER'S NEWSLETTER #39

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12 NOVEMBER 2019

AGM and 2020 Budget Meeting

I would like to thank all the parents who attended the 2019 Budget meeting that was held on **Tuesday, 5 November 2019**. The 2020 budget was unanimously adopted. The school fee increase for 2020 will be 7.82% (R2 050 per annum). Resolutions regarding the payment of school fees and application for exemption from, or reduction in school fees were also unanimously adopted.

2020 Fees	1 Child	2 Children	3 Children	4 Children
Annual fee	28 250,00	56500,00	84750,00	113 000,00
Annual discount - 5%	- 1412,50	- 2825,00	- 4237,50	- 5650,00
Total (by 28/2/2020)	26 837,50	53 675,00	80 512,50	107 350,00
Monthly fee (10 months)	R2 825,00	R5 650,00	R8 475,00	R11 300,00
(January to October)				

I would like to offer sincere thanks to all involved in preparing the budget but in particular our SGB Chairman Mr Jones, Treasurer Mrs Day and Bursar, Mrs van Veenendaal, for their meticulous attention to this very important aspect of the planning for the next year.

This budget will allow the school to maintain and develop the wonderful facilities that Laddsworth is so fortunate to have. With your support, the staff and I will continue to provide your child with a first-class education.

Staffing News

The Laddsworth family congratulates Mr and Mrs Sibiya on the birth of their second child. They are the proud parents of a daughter, Ungakathi Khanya Sibiya, who was born at 00h30 on Friday, 8 November 2019. We wish the Sibiya's everything of the best with their new and exciting addition to their family.

Carols by Candlelight 'African Noël'

Our Choirs will be presenting Carols by Candlelight at the swimming pool on **Tuesday, 26 November at 18h00**. All Laddsworth families and friends (Grade 1 to 7) are cordially invited to join us. An invitation has been uploaded onto the D6 School Communicator under RESOURCES (General). Laddsworth children attending the Carols by Candlelight 'African Noël' must please be dressed in school uniform. There is no cost.

Hair, Nail and Uniform Inspection

Hair, Nail and Uniform Inspection will take place on **Monday, 18 November**. Many boys are in desperate need of a haircut. We are proud of our Laddsworth uniform and ask that all children wear it with pride and make every effort to look neat.

Stationery for 2019 – Final Date

Parents are reminded that the final day for Waltons 2020 stationery order forms is **08h00 on Tuesday, 19 November**.

Civvies Day for Support Staff – Friday, 22 November 2019

We will be holding a Civvies Day for our support staff on **Friday, 22 November 2019**. Every year we collect money to enable us to give each of our general assistant staff a thank you gift for the work that they do around the school. Should you wish your child to participate in the Support Staff Civvies Day, please send R10.00 to class teachers in a marked envelope. All money must be at school by **Friday, 22 November 2019**.

Sports Results

Date	Sport	Team	Opposition	Venue	Result	Score
Tue, 5 th Nov	Mini Cricket	Grade 1	Festival	Laddsworth	Won 2, Lost 1	
Tue, 5 th Nov	Mini Cricket	Grade 2	Festival	Laddsworth	Won 3, Lost 2	

Sports Fixtures

Date	Sport	Team	Opposition	Venue	Transport	Staff	Start Time	Estimated Finish
Tue, 12 th Nov	Mini Cricket	Grade 1 & 2	Festival	Howick Prep	Parents/School Bus	Mrs L Wolhuter	13:00	14:00
Tue, 12 th Nov	Swimming	Boys & Girls	Various	Merchiston	Parents/School Bus	Mrs L Wolhuter	17:00	18:00
Wed, 13 th Nov	Mini Cricket	Grade 1 & 2	Festival	Merchiston	Parents/School Bus	Mrs L Wolhuter	17:00	18:30
Wed, 13 th Nov	Basketball	U11C	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Mrs H Nolte	15:00	15:30
Wed, 13 th Nov	Basketball	U11B	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Ms E Rowlands	14:30	15:00
Wed, 13 th Nov	Basketball	U11A	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Mr C Phelps	14:30	15:30
Wed, 13 th Nov	Basketball	5 th	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Ms K Rolfe	14:30	15:00
Wed, 13 th Nov	Basketball	4 th	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Ms K Rolfe	15:00	15:30
Wed, 13 th Nov	Basketball	3 rd	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Ms C McLuckie	15:30	16:00
Wed, 13 th Nov	Basketball	2 nd	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Ms T Groenewald	14:30	15:30
Wed, 13 th Nov	Basketball	1 st	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Mr T Ngcobo	14:30	15:30
Fri, 15 th Nov	Cricket	3 rd	Cowan House	Laddsworth	N/A	Mr S Ngubane	14:15	17:00
Fri, 15 th Nov	Cricket	U10B	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Mr C Phelps	14:15	17:00
Fri, 15 th Nov	Cricket	U9B	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Mr C Hoffman	14:15	17:00
Fri, 15 th Nov	Basketball	1 st	Tournament	Cowan House	Parents/School Bus	Mr T Ngcobo	13:00	17:00
Sat, 16 th Nov	Cricket	U9A	Cowan House	Laddsworth	N/A	Mr D Varty	08:30	12:30
Sat, 16 th Nov	Cricket	U10A	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents	Mr A Woodgate	08:30	12:30
Sat, 16 th Nov	Cricket	U11A	Cowan House	Laddsworth	N/A	Mr R Gloy	08:30	12:30
Sat, 16 th Nov	Cricket	2 nd	Cowan House	Cowan House	Parents	Mr D Griffiths	08:30	13:00
Sat, 16 th Nov	Cricket	1 st	Cowan House	Laddsworth	N/A	Mr K Nero	08:30	14:30

Please note:

- Estimated finish time is the estimated time the match will finish.
- This is not an arrival time.
- Please make provision for travel time.
- Fixtures are subject to change.

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Yours sincerely

G. Lambooy

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HEADMASTER

Thoughts from the Headmaster

“We are taught you must blame your father, your sisters, your brothers,
the school, the teachers - but never blame yourself.

It's never your fault.

But it's always your fault,

because if you wanted to change you're the one who has got to change.”

Katharine Hepburn

“Life is a series of experiences, each one of which makes us bigger,
even though sometimes it is hard to realize this.

For the world was built to develop character,
and we must learn that the setbacks and grieves
which we endure help us in our marching onward.”

Henry Ford