



What-Z-Up Glenstantia

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Glenstantia
Primary
School

Quote for the week

"It takes **courage** to grow up and become who you really are."
- E. E. Cummings

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Principal's Desk

Dear Parents / Guardians

Welcome back to all our learners , parents and staff. We trust all are well rested, ready and enthusiastic for the new term.

Grade 4 to 7 learners will be writing exams at the end of the term. They should make optimal use of each learning experience to prepare not only for tests and exams but for life.

Learners from Grade 4 and 5 will depart on their tours to Klein Kariba and Bush Pigs next week. We wish them a safe journey and an enjoyable experience.

Extra murals start next week and we remind all learners to get involved and attend regularly and not let their teams down. Proper sports uniform must be worn for all matches.

Special points of interest:

* Barefoot Day: 16 April

School closes at 13:00 tomorrow, 12 April 2013.

This is due to educators attending a course. Supervision will be provided until 13:40.

STAFF NEWS

At the end of last Term we said a sad farewell to Mrs Nortje (Finance Department) after 18 years of service to Glenstantia in various fields. She will be missed by children, staff and parents. We wish her well in her future endeavours.

We welcome Mrs G Warren in her new position as the Business Administrator. She will be missed as Mr Pretorius' PA.

We welcome Mrs V Jacobs as Mr Pretorius' PA, Mrs R Moodley in reception and Ms C Mabena as a grade admin assistant.

Mrs Dore will be focusing solely on admission. Mrs Munien and Mrs Salie (grade admin assistants) have also taken up posts with the After School Centre in the afternoons.

We wish them all great success at Glenstantia.



GENERAL NEWS



RE-REGISTRATION OF CURRENT LEARNERS FOR 2014



Re-registration will take place between 9 April – 8 May 2013.

Re-registration forms will be sent home with each learner on 15 April 2013.

REGISTRATION FOR NEW LEARNERS FOR 2014

The registration application period is from 9 April – 21 May 2013.



NEW REGISTRATION

All application forms are to be collected from the admission office (Mrs Dore). Completed forms may only be returned to the Admissions Officer on 17 April 2013 and from 22 April – 21 May 2013.

GRADE R AND 1 WINTER UNIFORM

We would like to remind you that the 2013 uniform for Grades R and 1 will be the standard KDA Uniform to be worn everyday throughout the year.

KDA Winter Uniform: The school Tracksuit to be worn over Green shorts and green golf-shirt, with white ankle socks and white sports shoes / takkies during winter. A green school jersey may also be worn.

WINTER UNIFORM

All learners will be required to wear the winter uniform from Monday, 6 May 2013.

WINTER UNIFORM: (from 6 May 2013)

Boys:

School tracksuit

Tracksuit worn with white long-sleeved shirt, or khaki short-sleeved shirt, both with green school tie

Dark green socks and black lace-up shoes

A plain green, white or red scarf may be worn in winter

OR:

Long grey flannels, long-sleeved white shirt and school tie

Dark green socks with black lace-up shoes

Dark green jersey

Girls:

Tartan skirt. Length of skirt – 2 fingers above the knee

White long-sleeved shirt and green tie

Long green socks and black shoes

Dark green cardigan or jersey

A plain green, white or red scarf may be worn in winter

OR:

School tracksuit in place of the tartan skirt



PREFECTS wear a special prefects' tie

OPTIONAL

A green drimac may only be worn over the school jersey or tracksuit top in exceptionally cold rainy weather and only until 10:00.

Wear your uniform

with pride!

- Proudly Glenstantia

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Learners must maintain a high standard of dress at all times. Uniforms and sports uniform items are available from the official stockist. A cash discount is available.

- * Constantia Outfitters, Waterglen Shopping Centre, Waterkloof Glen (tel. 012 993-3130)
- * Monument Park (MP) Outfitters, 73 Skilpad Rd, Monument Park Shopping Centre (tel. 012 460-8770)

ITEMS OF SCHOOL CLOTHING ON SALE AT THE TUCKSHOP: Open Monday – Friday 08:00 – 13:00 (excluding break times)

Break times: 09:40 – 09:55, 10:25 – 10:55 and 11: 55 – 12:15
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Prices guidelines

The green Glenstantia golf-shirt	-	R100.00
Green school shorts	-	R90.00
School tracksuit	-	R375.00 to R450.00 depending on size
School tie	-	R40.00
Long dark green socks	-	R35.00 pair
White swimming cap with Glenstantia printed	-	R55.00
White swimming cap	-	R40.00
White sports socks	-	R45.00 pair
White golf shirt	-	R100.00
Green school hat	-	R70

prices subject to change without prior notice

Good quality used items of school uniform are also available from the **Second-hand shop**. This shop is situated next to the tuckshop. The Second-hand shop will be open Monday to Friday from 08:00 – 13:00 (excluding break times)

WARNING: OVERNIGHT TOURS

We would hereby like to bring to your attention Resolution 12 passed at the Parent Budget Meeting held on 15 October 2012. It states: ***“All money received by the school from the parents for trips and school related activities will first be allocated to the school fees”.***

Please ensure your school fees are paid up to date or an arrangement made in writing at the Finance Department to ensure your child is not excluded from trips and school related activities.

BAREFOOT DAY: 16 APRIL

All children and Staff may come to school barefoot. Each barefoot child / staff member must bring a pair of used shoes in good condition. These will be donated to an orphanage.



Should you want to buy a new pair of shoes for an orphan you may do so.

The children must wear their school uniform.

NEW PREFECTS 2013

Congratulations to the following learners who were selected as prefects for 2013 on 9 April 2013.

Kgomotso Mukwevho Grade 7K
Gemma De Wet Grade 7G
Jordan Martin Grade 7V
Jasmin Naidu Grade 7V

We are very proud of you.



*Unity is strength... when there is teamwork and collaboration,
wonderful things can be achieved.*

- Mattie Stepanek

CAMI MATHS COMPETITION



Mrs Uys is running a CAMI Maths competition throughout the year.

The results for the **second round** are as follows:

Grade 3:

Top Learner: Lulama Lingela
Top Class: 3T
Most Improved Learner: Skandh Bhatt
Most Improved Class: 3T

Grade 4:

Top Learner: Corban Ahir
Top Class: 4D and 4N
Most Improved Learner: Nceba Bottoman
Most Improved Class: 4N

Grade 5:

Top Learner: Avile Maja
Top Class: 5O
Most Improved Learner: Solly Ntuli
Most Improved Class: 5O

Grade 6:

Top Learner: Cherry Chan
Top Class: 6W
Most Improved Learner: Shaylin Chetty
Most Improved Class: 6W

Grade 7:

Top Learner: Aidan van der Westhuizen
Top Class: 7N
Most Improved Learner: Clinton Orr and Khayaletu Sibeko
Most Improved Class: 7G

Congratulations!

Happiness does not come from doing easy work but from the afterglow of satisfaction that comes after the achievement of a difficult task that demanded our best.

-Theodore Isaac Rubin

TOP TEN

Congratulations to the following top ten learners for overall academic achievements in Term 1:

Grade 4

Kezia van Rensburg	4K	86%
Airianna Barnard	4C	84%
Corban Ahir	4S	81%
Somila Lehloesa	4S	80%
Shannon Thompson	4D	80%
Keegan Mckenna	4S	80%
Emily Vicatos	4C	80%
Skylah du Toit	4N	80%
Khodani Matibe	4N	79%
Jessica Pieterse	4D	78%

Grade 5

Kalsee Nadasen	5M	90%
Naledi Modise	5C	87%
Benjamin Anthony	5O	85%
Ogodiseng Mothudi	5S	84%
Amandla Mashigo	5N	83%
Megan Dinwoodie	5N	82%
Neo Farirai	5R	82%
Jose de Sousa	5S	82%
Tumelo Mariri	5R	82%
Zinhle Mkabela	5O	82%

Grade6

Lea Smit	6H	85%
Skye Robinson	6S	84%
Tayla Rowe	6A	83%
Evan Wilson	6H	81%
Stephen Botha	6V	80%
Momo Ratsoana	6B	80%
Heather Hawtrey	6S	80%
More Skosana	6S	80%
Llyod Hansmeyer	6A	80%
Leah Karstel	6W	79%

Grade 7

Lara Gouws	7V	87%
Nooreen Bhol	7N	87%
Devon van rensburg	7G	86%
Nihan Soyertas	7N	86%
Skye Brown	7A	85%
Mieke Bezuidenhout	7V	85%
Lesedi Chiloane	7R	84%
Kayla Smit	7A	83%
Erin Holmes	7A	82%
Lume Lee	7N	82%



ENTERTAINMENT



Happy birthday wishes go to **Mrs Celetana-Buck** (Grade 2 Educator) who is celebrating her birthday on Wednesday, 17 April.



DATES TO REMEMBER (Subject to change)

Term 2: April 2013

Mon	15	Extra Mural's Start
Tues	16	Barefoot Day – remember to donate shoes!
		Parent Evening Grades R – 3
		Parent Evening Grades 6
Tues – Fri	16 – 19	Grade 5's Tour to Bush Pigs
Wed	17	PA Meeting @ 18:30 in the staffroom
		Grade 1 – 3 Parent Evening
Wed – Fri	17 – 19	Grade 4's Tour to Klein Kariba
Mon	22	Finance Meeting @ 17:00
		School Governing Body Meeting @ 18:30
Tues	23	Parent Evening Grades 4 & 5 & 7
Wed	24	PA Meeting @ 18:30 in the staffroom
Fri	26	Cake & Candy: Gr 1 & 4 to donate
Tue	30	Gr 7 Trip to TO Strand: Final payment due (R1640 if deposit paid)

(Don't forget – also on the School Communicator Calendar)



ACTIVITIES



EXTRAMURAL TIMETABLE

All extramurals start on **Monday, 15 April 2013**.

An extramural timetable for Term 2 accompanies this Newsletter. Please ensure that your child joins at least one extramural per term and stays committed for the remainder of the term.

The academies start on **Monday, 22 April 2013**. Application letters for the Academies will be available as from Monday, 15 April 2013.

GLENSTANTIA PRIMARY SCHOOL EXTRA-MURAL TIMETABLE

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ACTIVITY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
AFRICAN DRUMS <i>Mrs Temane</i>		<u>Gr. 4 - 5:</u> Mrs. Temane 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Gr. 6 - 7:</u> Mrs. Temane 15:00 – 16:00			
ART CLUB <i>Mrs Bezuidenhout</i>	<u>Gr.1 C7</u> Mrs. Wells Ms Wallace 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Gr. 4: D23</u> Mrs Backhouse Mrs Wells 15:00 – 16:00	<u>Gr.3 P4</u> Mrs. Oosthuizen Mrs Thompson 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Gr.5 D6</u> Ms Shongwe 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Gr. 6 and 7: D36</u> Mrs Bezuidenhout Mrs Uys 14:00 – 15:00	<u>Gr.2 C4</u> Mrs. De Vlamingh 14:00 – 15:00	<u>Gr. 6 and 7: D36</u> Mrs Bezuidenhout Mrs Uys 14:00 – 15:00	
BASKETBALL <i>Mr Matlala</i> Matches <i>According to Fixture list</i> Wed/Fri/Sat	<u>Boys Open:</u> Coach Evano and Mr Matlala 14:00 – 16:00	<u>Girls Open</u> Coach and Mrs Siguauque 15:00 – 16:00	<u>Boys Open</u> Coach Evano and Ms Farmeray 14:00 – 15:00	<u>Girls Open</u> Coach and Mrs Kunitz 14:00 – 15:00 Coach and Ms Farmeray 15:00 – 16:00	
CHESS <i>Mrs Moopanar</i> 14:00 – 15:00	<u>Club Gr. 4 - 7 D14</u> Mrs Nagel <u>Club Gr. R - 3 C5</u> Coach Elbie and Mrs Thompson		<u>Team Match D14</u> and <u>Practise</u> Coach Elbie and Mrs Nagel		
SENIOR CHOIR <i>Mrs E Snyman</i>	Mrs. Snyman Mrs Harmse Ms Viljoen 14:00 – 15:00		Mrs. Snyman Mrs Harmse Ms Viljoen 15:00 – 16:00		
JUNIOR CHOIR				Mrs. Snyman Ms Viljoen 12:45 - 13:45	
COMPUTER CLUB <i>Mrs Nieuwoudt</i> 14:00 – 15:00		<u>Gr. 4 and 5</u> Mrs Nieuwoudt		<u>Gr. 6 and 7</u> Mrs Nieuwoudt	
EXTRA AFRIKAANS <i>Mrs Streeter</i> 14:00 – 15:00	<u>Gr. 4: D23</u> Mrs Backhouse	<u>Gr. 5: D15</u> Mrs Streeter	<u>Gr. 6 and 7 D27</u> Mrs Jacobsz		
EXTRA ENGLISH <i>Ms Reid</i> 14:00 – 15:00			<u>Gr. 4: D6</u> Ms Reid	<u>Gr. 5, 6 and 7 D1</u> Mrs Newham <u>Gr. 4: A21</u> Extra Reading (x2) Mrs Sator	
EXTRA MATHS & Problem Solving <i>Mrs Maharaj</i> 14:00 – 15:00	<u>Gr. 6 D28</u> Mrs Naidoo	<u>Gr. 4: D13</u> Mrs Ntini <u>Gr. 5: D5</u> Mrs Maharaj <u>Gr. 7: D35</u> Mrs van Niekerk		<u>Gr. 4 and 5: D5</u> Mrs Maharaj (PS) <u>Gr. 5: D2</u> Mr Chihodzi <u>Gr. 4: D13</u> Mrs Ntini <u>Gr. 6 and 7: D35</u> Mrs van Niekerk (PS)	

ACTIVITY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
FITNESS <i>Mrs Wallis</i> 14:00 – 15:00	<u>Gr 3 - 7</u> Mrs Wallis Ms Bosma	<u>Gr 3 - 7</u> Mrs Wallis Ms Bosma			
GROSS MOTOR <i>Mrs Jordaan</i> 14:00 – 15:00			<u>Gr.R G11</u> upon invitation only Mrs Jordaan	<u>Gr.1 G11</u> upon invitation only Mrs Jordaan	
HOCKEY JUNIOR <i>Mrs Fernandes</i> HOCKEY SENIOR <i>Mrs M Venter</i> Matches on Fri / Sat	<u>Practice:</u> Juniors Coaches and Mrs Fernandes 14:00 – 15:00 Seniors Coaches and Mrs Venter 15:00 – 16:00			<u>Practice:</u> Juniors Coaches Mrs Fernandes 14:00 – 15:00 Seniors Coaches and Mrs Venter 14:00 – 15:00	
LEGO LEAGUE <i>Mrs Gouws</i> <i>Mrs Davey</i>	Lego Club C12 Gr 3 - 7 Mrs Davey		Lego Club C12 Gr 1 - 2 Mrs Davey		<u>Gr 4 - 7 D32</u> Mrs Gouws Mrs Davey
JUNIOR RANGERS <i>Mrs O'Kelly</i> 14:00 – 15:00		<u>Gr. 5 - 7 G3</u> Worksheets / Activities		<u>Gr. 5 - 7 G3</u> Worksheets / Activities	
MEDIA <i>Mrs Barnard</i>	Mrs Barnard Mrs Venter 14:00 – 15:00	Mrs Barnard Mrs de Vlamingh 14:00 – 15:00	Mrs Barnard Mrs Venter 14:00 – 15:00	Mrs Barnard 14:00 – 15:00	
MINI RUGBY <i>Ms Duncan</i> 14:00 – 15:00		<u>Gr. 1 and 2</u> Coaches and Ms Duncan	<u>Gr. 1 and 2</u> Coaches and Ms Duncan		
MINI SOCCER <i>Mr Bhatt</i> 16:00 – 17:00			<u>Gr. R to 3</u> Coaches and Mr Bhatt (Parent)		
MINI TENNIS <i>Mrs Hess</i> 13:45 - 14:30	Gr R - 3 Mrs Hess Mrs Jacobs	Gr R - 3 Mrs Hess Mrs Jacobs			
NETBALL <i>Mrs Smit</i>	<u>Under 10</u> Coach and Mrs de Waal 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Under 8 + 9</u> Mrs Corradi 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Under 11</u> Coach and Mrs Buck 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Under 10</u> Mrs de Waal 14:00 – 15:00	<u>Open</u> Coach and Ms Ngema 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Under 12</u> Coach and Mrs Smit 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Under 11</u> Coach and Mrs Buck 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Under 10</u> Mrs de Waal 14:00 – 15:00	<u>MATCHES:</u> See separate fixture (All coaches) 13:30 – approx. 16:30	<u>Open</u> Coach and Ms Ngema 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Under 12</u> Coach and Mrs Smit 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Under 11</u> Coach and Mrs Buck 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Under 8 + 9</u> Mrs Corradi 14:00 – 15:00	
RUGBY Senior <i>Mr Rich</i> 14:00 – 15:00		<u>Gr. 4 - 5</u> Mr Rich <u>Gr. 6 - 7</u> Coach Wallis and Ms Nigrini	<u>Gr. 4 - 5</u> Mr Rich <u>Gr. 4 - 7</u> Coach Wallis and Ms Nigrini		

GLENSTANTIA PRIMARY SCHOOL EXTRA-MURAL TIMETABLE

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ACTIVITY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
RECORDER <i>Mrs Snyman</i> 14:00 – 15:00		Mrs Snyman D43 Ms Willers		Mrs Snyman D43 Ms Willers	
SCRABBLE CLUB <i>Mrs. V Naidoo</i> 14:00 – 15:00		<u>Gr.2 - 7</u> D28 Mrs. V Naidoo			
SCRIPTURE UNION <i>Mr Chihodzi</i> 14:00 – 15:00	<u>Grade 6 + 7</u> Mrs Malan D2 Mr Chihodzi <u>Grade R, 1 - 3</u> Mrs Gouws C3 Ms Muller		<u>Grade 4+5</u> Mrs Groeneveld Ms Muller C3 <u>Grade 6-7</u> Mrs Malan D2 Mr Chihodzi		
SOCCER <i>Mr. Heyns</i>	<u>Practice</u> All teams and coaches <u>Under 14</u> Coach Epalanga <u>Under 13 A</u> Coach Uys <u>Under 13 B</u> Coach Seloka <u>Under 13 C</u> Coach Modise <u>Under 13 D</u> Coach Manzi <u>Under 11 A</u> Mr Heyns <u>Under 11 B</u> Coach Ronaldo <u>Under 10 A</u> Coach Mandy <u>Under 10 B</u> Coach Jason	<u>Challenge Cup</u> <u>Matches</u> U14 U13 A U11 A and B U10 A and B	<u>League Matches</u> All teams and Coaches	<u>Girls Soccer</u> U12 and Open Coach Mandy Coach Jarred and Mr Heyns 14:00 – 15:00	

ACTIVITY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SCIENCE CLUB			<u>Gr.5</u> D32 Mrs Newham Ms Willers 14:00 – 15:00		
TABLE TENNIS <i>Mrs Erasmus</i>		<u>Gr. 1 - 3</u> Mrs Erasmus 14:00 – 15:00		<u>Gr. 4 - 5</u> Mrs van Bergen 14:00 – 15:00 <u>Gr.6 - 7</u> Mrs van Bergen 15:00 – 16:00	
TENNIS <i>Mrs Streeter</i>	<u>School Champs</u> Mrs Streeter Mrs Zeelie 14:00 – 16:00	<u>Beginners</u> Coach: Mrs Day Ms Wallace 14:00 – 15:00 Mrs Oosthuizen 15:00 – 16:00	<u>Squad Practice</u> Coach: Mrs Day Mrs Roets 14:00 – 15:00 Mrs Roets 15:00 – 16:00	<u>Intermediate and champs:</u> Coach: Mrs Day Mrs Jacobsz 14:00 – 15:00	
ACADEMIES Starts week of 22 April 2013 Application forms will be available as from 15 April 2013					
SOCCER ACADEMY	<u>Gr.1 – 4</u> Coach Uys and Mr Heyns 16:00 – 17:00		<u>Gr.5 – 7</u> Coach Uys and Mr Heyns Coach 16:00 – 17:00	<u>Gr.1 – 4</u> Coach Uys and Mr Heyns 15:00 – 16:00 <u>Gr.5 – 7</u> Coach Uys and Mr Heyns 16:00 – 17:00	
CRICKET ACADEMY					<u>Gr. 1 - Gr. 7</u> Coach Nicolaides 14:00 – 16:00
GYMNASTICS ACADEMY					SATURDAY Mr Heyns 09:00 - 11:00



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MASTER MATHS

CNS – Commission and sponsorship.

MYSCHOOL – Thank you to all our supporters who use their MySchool card. Forms are available from Reception.



Yours Faithfully,

**HPJ PRETORIUS
(PRINCIPAL)**



CLASSIFIEDS RATES

Contact glenstan@mweb.co.za for more information

Weather Pretoria: 11 – 17 April 2013

Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
22° 15°	23° 17°	25° 18°	27° 19°
Mon	Tue	Wed	
28° 19°	29° 19°	30° 20°	

