



IMPALA CRESCENT PRIMARY SCHOOL

TERM THREE

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WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATION AT IMPALA CRESCENT PRIMARY SCHOOL

On 7 August 2026, Impala Crescent Primary School proudly celebrated Women's Day with a special assembly programme. The celebration was a wonderful opportunity for learners and educators to honour and recognise the important role that women play in our society.

The programme began with an opening prayer, followed by a warm welcome and the singing of the National Anthem. Learners from different grades participated enthusiastically in the assembly through poems, songs, speeches and dances.

A highlight of the programme was the presentation about the history behind Women's Day and the remarkable women of South Africa. Learners spoke about inspiring women who have made significant contributions to our country and reminded everyone of the importance of courage, strength and equality.

The learners also performed beautiful dances and recited meaningful poems dedicated to women. Their performances showcased their confidence, creativity and appreciation for the women who inspire and support them every day.

The celebration ended on a joyful note with a musical finale, bringing the entire school together in celebration of women.

The Women's Day programme was a meaningful and enjoyable event that allowed our learners to celebrate, honour and appreciate the remarkable women in our country and community. We celebrate the strength, achievements and contributions of women every day.



EDITORIAL

Dear Impala Crescent Primary School Community,

Term 3 has been a vibrant and memorable term filled with achievement, opportunity, teamwork and celebration. As we reflect on the past few months, we are filled with immense pride in our learners, educators, support staff and parents who continue to make Impala Crescent Primary School a place where every learner is encouraged to shine.

Our Heritage Day celebrations provided a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our rich and diverse South African heritage, while Deaf Awareness Month reminded us of the importance of inclusion, understanding and respect for all.

Our Grade 7 Market Day was an astounding success! A heartfelt thank you to our parents, learners, Madam Dada, all educators who assisted, and our dedicated kitchen assistants. Your teamwork and commitment ensured a memorable and successful event.

We are grateful to the Johannesburg Metro Health District for an engaging and interactive physiotherapy and wellness visit with our Grade 3 learners, helping our young learners understand the importance of healthy bodies and healthy lifestyles.

Our sporting achievements also brought immense pride. At the Lenasia School Sports Derby Day, all our qualifying teams put their best foot forward and represented our school with determination and sportsmanship. We are bursting with pride at your tremendous effort!

Academically, our learners continued to make their mark. Congratulations to Madam Bham and our learners who participated in Maths24, and to our avid readers who proudly scooped 3rd position in the Phendulani Book Quiz, hosted by St Andrew's College.

A special thank you to the teachers who continue to inspire and nurture our learners' love for reading.

Our Speech Contest on 13 August showed the confidence, talent and eloquence of our young speakers. Their mesmerizing speeches captivated audiences, with our winners progressing to the ETS Elimination Round on 22 August. We are incredibly proud of their achievement.

Our Grade R Open Day on 5 September provided a wonderful opportunity to showcase our youngest learners and welcome prospective families into our school community. This was followed by a fantastic Grade R Sports Day on 19 September. Despite the threatening weather in the preceding week, it turned into a wonderful day of fun, talent and family participation. Well done to the Grade R team and all educators who supported the event!

As we look back on Term 3, one message stands out: success is a team effort. Every achievement, event and celebration has been made possible through the combined efforts of our learners, educators, support staff, parents and community partners. Thank you for continuing to believe in our learners, support our school and uphold the Impala spirit.

As we enter the final stretch of 2026, let us continue to learn, grow, participate and strive for excellence. We are proud. We are grateful. We are Impala Crescent! Together, we learn. Together, we grow. Together, we achieve!

Ms RN Rangan - Deputy Principal



IMPALA CRESCENT PRIMARY SCHOOL SPEECH CONTEST

On the 13th August, we hosted our Annual Speech Contest, and what an incredible evening it was! We were truly inspired by the confidence, talent and dedication displayed by our young speakers.

A huge congratulations to all our learners who took the time and effort to prepare and present their speeches. You were absolutely amazing, and we are incredibly proud of each and every one of you!

A very special congratulations to the learners who achieved first place in their respective divisions:

Division 1: Vulombe Khosa (Grade 1)

Division 2: Nandi Sithole (Grade 2)

Division 3: Reneilwe Tloubatla (Grade 4)

Division 4: Rita Molefe (Grade 7)

Most promising speaker: Bokang Nketsi (Grade 1)

These talented learners went on to represent our school at the ETS Speech Contest. Although we did not make it through to the finals, we are extremely proud of every learner who participated and represented Impala Crescent Primary School with such enthusiasm and confidence.

We hope that this experience will inspire our young speakers to continue developing their public speaking skills and to share their voices with confidence in the years to come.

Well done, everyone! We are so proud of you!

SPEECH CONTEST PARTICIPANTS:

DIVISION ONE:

1. BOKANG NKETSI
2. ZULSHAAN LIMBADA
3. VULOMBE KHOSA
4. OWAMI MAROGELO
5. REARABILWE SEFUNO

DIVISION TWO:

1. HEART PHALATSI
2. NANDI SITHOLE
3. PHEMELO LEBANG
4. ORIPFA MULAVHEDZI
5. ALISHA BEN

DIVISION THREE:

1. NOMATHAMSANQA MOSAKO
2. RENEILWE TLOUBATLA
3. REAMOHETSWE MOSEUNYANE
4. HANAAN MOHAMED
5. CHINYERE ONYEJURUWA GREGORY

DIVISION FOUR:

1. MENAHIL ATEEQ
2. RITA MOLEFE
3. KARABO LEGODI
4. SAMIYAH ADAM
5. NOBUHLE MKAIPO



Photo: Learners who achieved positions at the school speech contest



Photo: Rita Molefe (Grade 7) and Reneilwe Tloubatla (Grade 4) who represented Impala Crescent at the ETS Speech Contest.

IMPALA CRESCENT U11 BOYS STRIKE SILVER AT DERBY DAY

Impala Crescent Primary School made its mark at Derby Day 2026, held at Progress Primary School on Saturday, 29 August. The event brought together qualifying school teams for a day of competitive sport, teamwork and sportsmanship. Impala Crescent's teams competed with determination and represented the school with pride throughout the day.

A standout performance came from the U11 Boys team under the guidance of Madam Dada, who fought hard to secure an impressive silver-medal finish. Their achievement reflects the team's commitment, discipline and teamwork.

The silver medal was a proud moment for the players, their coach and the entire Impala Crescent school community. Congratulations to Madam Dada and the U11 Boys on this outstanding achievement!

The Sports Department also congratulates all the Impala teams who participated and contributed to a memorable Derby Day. Well done, Team Impala!



Photo: The Under 11 Boys team who attained silver at Derby Day

TALENT WITHOUT LIMITS: MCK LEARNERS TAKE THE STAGE

On the 3rd September, we had the privilege of welcoming learners from MCK Special School for the Deaf as part of our Deaf Awareness Month celebrations.

The learners delighted the audience with a vibrant showcase of their talents, treating us to a variety of performances, including traditional dancing. Their enthusiasm, confidence and passion were truly inspiring, as they demonstrated that talent has no limits.

The showcase also gave us an exciting sneak peek into their upcoming Heritage Day concert. Through their performances, the learners will have the opportunity to celebrate and share their rich cultural heritage while showcasing the dedication and hard work that goes into their performances.

It was a memorable celebration of talent, inclusion and culture, and we are grateful to the learners and educators from MCK Special School for the Deaf for sharing this special moment with us.



BRIGHTER SKIES AHEAD AT IMPALA CRESCENT PRIMARY

On the 5th September 2026, Impala Crescent Primary School had the pleasure of welcoming parents of prospective Grade R learners for the 2027 academic year to a special Grade R Open Day. The event offered parents an opportunity to experience the warm, nurturing and vibrant environment that awaits their little ones as they begin their Grade R journey at Impala Crescent Primary School.

The Grade R classrooms were beautifully showcased, giving parents a glimpse into how our young learners are encouraged to learn through play, exploration, creativity and discovery. From colourful learning spaces to engaging activities, the Open Day highlighted the importance of creating an environment where children feel safe, loved and excited to learn.

The Grade R team shared the school's belief that children learn best when they are given opportunities to play, explore and make discoveries at their own pace, while receiving encouragement and support from caring educators. The Open Day also allowed parents to learn more about the Grade R programme, classroom routines and the important role that early childhood education plays in building a strong foundation for future learning.

Principal Mr Adam welcomed the prospective Grade R parents and shared his vision for the young learners joining the school in 2027. "At Impala Crescent Primary School, we want every child to walk through our doors feeling welcomed, valued and ready to learn. Grade R is the beginning of an important journey, and we are committed to making those first steps meaningful, joyful and memorable." Mr Adam also emphasised the importance of a strong partnership between parents and the school, saying: "When parents and teachers work together, we create a supportive foundation that allows our children to grow with confidence and reach their full potential."

The school extends its sincere appreciation to all the Grade R parents who attended the Open Day and showed an interest in becoming part of the Impala Crescent family for 2027. A special thank you is also extended to our guest speakers, Ms Agnes Moeletsi and Ms Rajesperi Naidoo, for sharing their words of encouragement and acknowledging the role that Impala Crescent Primary School plays in nurturing and developing young learners.

The Open Day was more than an introduction to the school — it was a glimpse into a place where little minds are nurtured, little hearts are cared for and big dreams begin.

At Impala Crescent Primary School...

We Love. We Play. We Grow.

Your child's bright future starts here.



LEARNING THROUGH SELLING: MARKET DAY SUCCESS!

On the 9th of September, Impala Crescent Primary School was filled with excitement as our Grade 7 learners hosted their much anticipated Market Day. The event gave learners the opportunity to put their creativity, teamwork and entrepreneurial skills into action as they planned and ran their own stalls.

From delicious treats and refreshing drinks to fun products and activities, there was something for everyone to enjoy. The learners worked together to promote their stalls, interact with other learners and experience what it is like to run a small business. The day was filled with laughter, energy and plenty of school spirit.

A big thank you to our Grade 7 learners, teachers, parents and everyone who supported the event and helped make the day such a success. Market Day was a wonderful learning experience and a memorable day for our school.



Young entrepreneurs selling their items successfully at the Grade 7 Market Day

HEALTHY BODIES, HEALTHY MINDS!

On the 11th September, Grade 3 learners at Impala Crescent Primary School took part in an exciting wellness programme designed to promote healthy living, physical activity and positive thinking.

The programme included fun physical activities that encouraged learners to get moving, participate with their classmates and understand the importance of exercise. The activities demonstrated that staying active can be both enjoyable and beneficial to a learner's overall well-being.

The learners also had an opportunity to chat with the healthcare team about how to maintain their health and become healthy, active learners. They discussed the importance of taking care of their bodies, making healthy choices and remaining physically active.

“Stay active. Make healthy choices. Think better. Learn better!”



Photo: The Johannesburg Metro Health District Team together with Mr Adam (Principal) and Mrs Rangan (Deputy Principal)

A key message shared with the learners was that physical activity is closely linked to learning. Healthy and active learners are often more alert, focused and ready to participate in the classroom. In other words, physical learners can become better thinkers.

The wellness visit provided an opportunity for the learners to learn, exercise and have fun while gaining valuable knowledge about their health. It also highlighted the importance of partnerships between schools and health professionals in supporting the well-being of children.

Impala Crescent Primary School expressed its appreciation to the Johannesburg Metro Health District for the wonderful wellness visit and for its commitment to the health and well-being of the learners.

WHOLE SCHOOL CELEBRATES HERITAGE DAY IN STYLE

The learners from Grade R to Grade 7 brought colour, excitement and pride to the school as they celebrated Heritage Day with a wonderful day of presentations and cultural activities. Learners across the school proudly showcased the rich and diverse cultures that make South Africa unique.

Dressed in beautiful traditional clothing, they shared information about their different cultural backgrounds, traditions, languages, food, music and customs.

The Heritage Day celebrations provided a wonderful opportunity for learners of all ages to learn more about their own heritage while also appreciating and respecting the heritage of others. From our youngest Grade R learners to our senior Grade 7 learners, everyone played a special part in making the day a memorable one.

The school was filled with smiles, laughter, music and applause as learners participated in the celebrations. Their presentations and activities demonstrated creativity, confidence and enthusiasm, while also highlighting the support and effort of teachers and families.

The celebration was a wonderful reminder that South Africa is a country rich in culture and diversity. Our differences make us unique and stronger, while our shared heritage brings us together as one school community.

Heritage Day was certainly a meaningful and memorable experience for everyone. It was a wonderful celebration of who we are, where we come from and the diverse cultures that make our school community special.

Well done to all our Grade R to Grade 7 learners for making Heritage Day such a fantastic celebration!



24SUMMORE: A DISPLAY OF MATHEMATICAL TALENT!

Our Grade 5 and Grade 6 learners recently put their mathematical skills to the test in an exciting internal 24SumMore competition sponsored by Peregrine Capital. The competition saw learners competing against one another, using their problem-solving skills, quick thinking and mathematical knowledge to make 24!

Two outstanding learners, Amahle Tshipe (Grade 5B) and Mohammad Aly (Grade 5C), emerged as our school's top 24SumMore Maths learners. They were proudly invited to represent our school at the 24SumMore semi-finals in our area. The event took place at SBSM School in Lenasia on the 17th September.

Although they did not advance to the next round, we are incredibly proud of their achievement, effort and dedication. Well done, Amahle and Mohammad! You have represented our school with pride, and we wish you continued success in all your mathematical adventures!



Photo: Mohammad Aly (Grade 5C) and Amahle Tshipe (Grade 5B) at the 24SumMore Semi-finals at SBSM School.

On 19 September 2026 at 8:30, our Grade R learners enjoyed a wonderful Sports Day filled with laughter, excitement and plenty of team spirit!

Our three teams — Blue Dolphins, Red Seals and Green Turtles — proudly participated in a variety of fun-filled races and activities.

From the Fill the Jug Race, Sack Race and Bean Bag Race to our exciting Build-a-Puzzle Race, there was something for everyone to enjoy. However, the Fishing Race was definitely one of the highlights of the day! Our little learners had so much fun fishing, cheering one another on and showing off their determination.

GRADE R SPORTS DAY — A DAY OF FUN, LAUGHTER AND MEMORIES!



Photo: Grade R learners enjoying themselves at the Grade R Sports Day

The excitement continued with our Sponging Water Race, which brought lots of laughter and happy faces. The children enjoyed every splash and drop of water as they raced to complete the challenge.

Our parents also joined in the fun! Mothers took part in the Build-a-Puzzle Race, while fathers joined the Sponging Water Race, creating some hilarious and unforgettable moments for everyone watching.

It was a truly fun-filled day of laughter, teamwork, participation and togetherness. Most importantly, our Grade R learners created beautiful memories that they will treasure.

A heartfelt thank you to all our parents, families and staff for making the day so special with your support and enthusiasm.

Small feet, big smiles, lots of splashes and beautiful memories!



IMPALA PLACED 3RD IN PHENDULANI QUIZ

On the 22nd of September 2026, the grade 6 and 7 learners took part in the Phendulani Book Quiz that was held at St.John's school. The Phendulani Quiz involves learners working in teams and answering questions based on 12 books. It aims to encourage learners to read and share their knowledge after reading.

Impala performed very well and achieved an impressive third place after a very close finish. The learners showed great teamwork, confidence and knowledge of the books they had read. Congratulations to the team and the educators (S.Mayat and T.Malakoane) on this wonderful achievement.

Learners who participated in the quiz:

Grade 7: Halema Muhammad (7A), Mpho Nhlapo (7A), Karabo Legodi (7C) and Didintle Radebe (7C)

Grade 6: Mbalenhle Kubeka (6A), Hlalumi Makata (6A), Olwethu Mhlanga (6A), Aluve Mantyi (6C), Oratilwe Nkutsho (6C) and Shalom Shumba (6C)



Photo: Grade 6 and Seven Learners together with Madam S Mayat and Madam T Malakoane at the Phendulani Book Quiz at St Johns School

CONDOLENCES

Our sincere condolences and prayers go out to the following educators who sadly lost family members over the last few months.

- Madam Sithole on the passing of her mother in law.
- Madam Dendar on the passing of her aunt.
- Madam Thandrin on the passing of her father.

May the Almighty make it easy and grant strength to the bereaved families.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Madam K Khan on the birth of her baby boy. May the Almighty grant him good health and may each day with him be filled with joy, laughter and and love.

UPCOMING EVENTS



Term 4 will be a short and busy term, with the **November examinations** fast approaching. Learners are encouraged to use their time wisely, complete all outstanding work, attend classes regularly, and study hard in preparation for their exams. Let us remain focused, committed, and determined to achieve our goals. Every effort counts towards success, so let's finish the year strong and work hard to pass!

SCHOOL FEES

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Nedbank - Trade Route Mall

Account number: 1940 137 276

Branch code: 194 037

Reference: Child's name and grade

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PAYMENT; THEY ARE AN INVESTMENT
IN EVERY LEARNER'S FUTURE. ”**