





OUR MOTTO

The way, the truth, the life.

OUR MISSION

Through Christian education, to maximise the potential of each child, to serve his or her family, country, and the kingdom of God.

OUR VISION

To maintain a standard of excellence in all areas of teaching through dedication and commitment, to teach the child biblical foundation principles to help each one grow in his or her relationship with God, to help each child to grow his or her potential.

OUR VALUES

Christ centred Respect

Excellence

Prayerfulness Compassion

Unity Commitment





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HEADMASTER'S REMARKS

Lendy Park School transcends the confines of a mere educational institution; it embodies a profound aspiration and a unwavering commitment to imparting the transformative knowledge of Christ to the children of Zimbabwe and their families. We diligently nurture the saplings that will one day flourish into a vibrant forest, cultivating each child with meticulous care.

Our school proudly stands as a member of both the Association of Trust Schools and the esteemed Association of Christian School International. We hold each child in the highest regard, meticulously fostering their innate abilities and strengths to mould well-rounded individuals prepared to navigate an ever-evolving world.

This magazine serves as a platform to showcase the diverse facets of our school's endeavours. I trust that you will find its contents both informative and inspiring.







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PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

I	MEDI	CHAIRPERSON:	Mrs C. Mangoma
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STAFF NEWS

This academic year has witnessed a degree of staff turnover. Upon the departure of Mrs. Chinyowa at the end of 2022, a new deputy headmaster was appointed, but regrettably departed at the end of the second term. Mrs. Charlene Ndowa assumed classroom duties in his stead.

It is with profound sorrow that we bid farewell to Mr. Passion Kamwemba, who embarked on a new position at Hillcrest at the year's end. His dedication to the sports department and the pupils of Lendy Park School will be deeply missed.



Back Row: N Mugugu, J Martins, G Sagwata, H Manatsa, P Chigwedere, T Magumise, C Gaza, M Kadungure, E Chinhamu, M Tunhira

Middle Row: T Muchemwa, L Shuva, M. Mwasi, C Stephen, R Chimbarange, P Kamwemba, P Jekapu, T Chinyowa, J Dube, S Anderson

Front Row: A Nhliziyo, L Bowen, N Martins, J Musharavati, S Magumise, M Warinda, L Nyamande, E Ndongwe, C Ndowa (Missing: Mrs M Chavunduka)



Back Row: T Mzeza, T Katoma, D Katoma, E Katoma, P Chimbare, C Nyarire, U Nyawo Front Row: H Ciment, S Mandirahwe, B Chipara, S Redzo





Back Row: A Nkhwazi, B Kufa, F Zhuga, A Mirion, G Muchemwa Front Row: E. Kadewere, E Magwenzi, S John













HEADMASTERS' ADDRESS

"Why did you choose Lendy Park School to educate your child?"

The Guest of Honour, Mr Kumbirai Dhliwayo, the Chairman of the Board Rev John Chinyowa and Mrs Chinyowa, Board Members, representatives of the Ministry of Education, the Chairperson of the Parents Association, Mrs Chenesai Mangoma and committee members, staff, parents, boys and girl: welcome.

I am honoured to stand before you today as we celebrate the achievements of our students and the dedication of our staff at the annual Speech Day and Prize Giving of Lendy Park School. Despite the challenges we have faced this year, we have persevered and emerged stronger.

The year has been filled with remarkable accomplishments. Our sports teams have showcased their skills and sportsmanship, our choirs and musicians have excelled in competitions, and our students have demonstrated their academic prowess in various examinations. We have also produced exceptional plays, enriching the cultural life of our school, while fulfilling our core mission of spreading the news of salvation offered by our loving God through Jesus Christ

On the spiritual front, we have emphasized the importance of living a life that pleases God. Our school values, guide our decisions and influence our behaviour, and we are committed to reinforcing these values through assemblies and our Spiritual Formation Plan. These efforts will help us achieve our Expected Student Outcomes, defining the qualities we strive to instil in our pupils by the time they graduate in Grade 7. These values will make them valuable and influential members of the community.

Academically, we have gradually moved towards the full adoption of the Cambridge Primary Framework to complement the ZIMSEC curriculum, preparing our children for a rapidly changing world where skills are paramount. The Ministry of Education's CALA initiative complements our focus on skills development, but we must ensure that these activities are meaningful and not mere box-ticking exercises. We hope that The Ministry will reduce the number of these projects to prioritize quality over quantity. By next year, the Cambridge Framework will be fully integrated into the classroom procedures for ECD to Grade 6, allowing Grade 7 to focus solely on the ZIMSEC Grade Seven Examinations.

Despite the financial challenges faced this year, we have made significant progress. With the generous support of the PA Committee, we have painted half of the school's external walls. Additionally we have managed to acquire a "new" bus aptly called Rumbidzai, planted grass, and provided textbooks for many of the classrooms.

The rebirth of the PA at the end of the first term as a vibrant community of parents dedicated to improving our school stands as the remarkable achievement of this year. Chenesai and her team have played a pivotal role in this transformation and to you I express my thanks.

I am also immensely grateful to the board of trustees, led by Pastor Chinyowa, for their steadfast guidance during this challenging year. Their unwavering commitment to providing a truly Christian education for our children is invaluable. They have generously given their time, wisdom, and personal finances to uphold the vision and mission of Lendy Park.

The goodwill that exists within the community for Lendy Park School is truly inspiring. Individuals and organizations, both parents of Lendy children and people unconnected with Lendy Park, have come forward time and again to support us: from providing grass clippings to buses and from oranges to tractors and from clay to paint. I would like to express my special gratitude to Paul Davis, a steadfast friend of Lendy Park School, as he embarks on a new chapter in his life. I also extend my heartfelt appreciation to



Gill Martin, Howard Matthews, Fiona Benzon, Tim Middleton from ATS, and Kevin Ricquebourg

from ACSI for their unwavering support and mentorship throughout the year. The sudden departure of our deputy head, Mr. Nyangani posed a significant challenge; team Lendy Park has stepped up to the plate. I am especially grateful to Mrs. Nhliziyo, Mrs. Mugugu, Mr. Chigewdere, Mrs. Magumise who have assumed roles previously held by the deputy head. Their willingness to go the extra mile has been instrumental in our success and the raising of standards in the different departments.

At the end of this term, we bid farewell to Passion Kamwemba as he takes up the role of Sports Director at Hillcrest, and at the end of Term 1 2024, we will say goodbye to Harry Manatsa as he joins Midlands Christian School as Sports Director. Both these men have dedicated themselves wholeheartedly to our students and the development of our sporting programmes. Their contributions are immeasurable, and we wish them all the best in their future endeavours.

In order to keep costs of running the school down, we have decided that no new Deputy Head will be appointed for now and Passion will not be replaced.

The teaching profession is demanding, requiring teachers to pour their hearts and souls into nurturing and educating their students. I pay tribute to the entire staff of Lendy Park School for their unwavering dedication to our children. Their commitment is a testament to the power of God working through imperfect individuals.

To the Finance department, led by Mrs Memory Chavunduka, thank you for working so hard to manage the finances - keeping the business aspect of the school moving forward; chasing outstanding fees and finding the money just in time.

A special thank you to Mrs Kelly who has managed to juggle many balls so successfully this year.

To the staff of Lendy park School. It is you, though your daily interactions with our children and parents make this school what it is. Even if the school was burned down tomorrow, Lendy Park would still remain. Thank you for your sacrifices this year for our children and to sustain the vision of Lendy Park School.

As we look to the future, we remain committed to our mission. Our goals for next year are as follows:

- Instilling in our students the values of living a life that pleases God and meeting the expected student outcomes in our pupils.
- Registering as a Cambridge School.
- Ensure the full and complete integration of the Cambridge Curriculum into our programme.
- Completing the painting of all classrooms.
- Installing the necessary infrastructure for irrigating our fields.
- Begin our journey to self-sufficiency with regards electricity.
- We are hopeful that by this time next year, we will have received our first of our annual certifications from the Association of Christian Schools Southern Africa's Pathways to School Improvement Programme. This certification will assure you of our commitment to continuous improvement and our unwavering focus on Christ-centred education.

Lendy Park is not a place - it is a work of God that strives to bring families and individuals to salvation through education and the preparation of these children to fulfil their God given role in His plan; it is a community of like minded people all working together for this common purpose. Lendy Park School is every individual sitting in this hall today.

In conclusion, I asked at the start of this address, "Why did you choose Lendy Park School?" I believe the answer lies in the many reasons outlined today.



PRIZE WINNERS

GRADE 1

Attainment: Tawongaishe Mikazhu

Effort and Progress: Kudakwashe Chidamahiya

Christian Conduct: Chiedza Mushininga

Reading: Tanaya Chikotie **Computers**: Jayden Mafukidze

GRADE 2

Attainment: Ryan Besa

Effort and Progress: Gabrielle Nyazorwe

Achievement: Tadiswa Kachidza
Diligence: Kundai Mangoma
Diligence: Mutsawashe Ndhlovu
Christian Conduct: Anisah Chaka

Christian Conduct: Anisah Chakavha

Reading: Munesuishe Mhlanga **Computers**: Victor Chikasha

GRADE 3

Attainment: Shinganashe Zezai Achievement: Bryce Mavodo: Christian Conduct: Tanaka Mauye Diligence: Tanaka Machingauta &

Vicky Vengesai **Reading**: Ignacia Terera

Critical Thinking: Tinotenda Zvinorova

Progress: Jordan Kandiero **Computers**: Tuso Madzande

GRADE 4

Attainment: Joshua Chinyowa

Effort: Tyrese Chanetsa

Diligence: Luckson Mucharwa **Christian Conduct**: Tadiwa Swoswe

Reading: Rutendo Marere Computers: Anesu Mashumba

GRADE 5

Attainment: Tawananyasha Gono

Effort and Progress: Cristabel Mukumba **Achievement**: Nathaniel Muchinapo &

Tadaishe Chigwedere

Christian Conduct: Tawananyasha Tafireyi

Diligence: Laureate Terera &

Tehila Kandiero

Computers: Lennon Njeni

GRADE 6

Attainment: Matiparuva Masamvu Effort and Progress: Arielle Ndoro Christian Character: Takunda Muputa

Achievement: Chiedza Mutizira Diligence: Tavonga Seremani Computers: Tovadaishe Shange

GRADE 7

Attainment: Natalie Makwindi

Effort and Progress: Anodiwa Mapuvire Christian Conduct: Ryan Zinyama Mathematics: Martin Chedondo English: Natalie Makwindi

Shona: Natalie Makwindi

Social Science: Martin Chedondo Agriculture: Martin Chedondo Computers: Nathan Katiro

CULTURAL ACHIEVEMENTS

Junior Musician: Makanaka Chinhamu Senior Musician: Nathan Katiro &

Laura Wadzingenyama

Best Marimba Player: Kudakwashe Mangena Junior Public Speaking: Makanaka Chinhamu Senior Public Speaking: Takunda Muputa Junior Reading: Makanaka Chinhamu Senior Reading: Matiparuva Masamvu

SPORTS AWARDS

Girl Athlete: Charity Vengesai Runner-Up: Tinenyasha Chagwesha Boy Athlete: Tinovimbanashe Magaya Runner-Up: Atikudzaishe Kuretu

Sports Girl of the Year: Anyahlaa Washa

Runner-Up: Tania Mutama

Sports Boy of the Year: Tinovimbanashe Magaya

Runner-Up: Matipaishe Dhumbura

MAJOR AWARDS

Service to the school: Timothy Makomeke All Round Achievement: Natalie Makwindi Best Grade 7 Results: Matalie Makwindi &

Martin Chedondo

Inter-House Academic Trophy: Hungwe



PARENTS' ASSOCIATION

Term 2 of 2023 marked a turning point for the Lendy Park Parents' Association (PA). After a period of dormancy, a dedicated team of parents spearheaded a remarkable revival, injecting renewed energy and enthusiasm into the organization. Their unwavering commitment, coupled with the fantastic support of the wider Lendy Park community, has seen the PA blossom into a vibrant and impactful force within the school.

The revitalized PA committee hit the ground running, their mission clear: to foster a closer relationship between parents and the school, enhance the learning environment for students, and raise valuable funds to support various school initiatives.

Their efforts quickly bore fruit. The highly anticipated Jericho Sponsored Walk became a resounding success, with students enthusiastically collecting pledges and completing the sponsored walk with smiles and determination. The event not only raised a significant amount of money but also provided an opportunity for students to bond with their classmates and teachers while promoting a healthy lifestyle and a reminder that we need put our faith in God.

Building on this momentum, the PA organised a

Golf Day that drew enthusiastic participation from the golfing community. The event was a resounding success, generating much-needed funds and fostering closer ties between parents, teachers, and local businesses.

The year culminated in a spectacular Fun Day, providing a day of joyful celebration for the entire Lendy Park family. With a plethora of fun activities, delicious food stalls, and lively entertainment, the event served as a joyous culmination of the PA's tireless efforts and a testament to the strong sense of community spirit at Lendy Park.

The success of the Lendy Park PA revival wouldn't have been possible without the unwavering support of parents. Their active participation in events, generous contributions, and enthusiastic volunteerism have provided the fuel that keeps the PA engine running.

Looking ahead, the PA committee is brimming with exciting plans for the future. From organizing inter-house sporting events to hosting educational workshops for parents, their aim remains steadfast: to enrich the school experience for every student at Lendy Park.



















































IN THE CLASS ECD A

This has been a wonderful year for the ECD A children. The experiences that they have enjoyed from visits to the Lion and Cheetah Park to the inaugural ECD Soccer Tournament. We have enjoyed working with this enthusiastic and motivated group of leaners.





















Back Row: P Sami, A Masunda, S Thomas, R Muvhiyiwa Middle Row: Ms J Dube, S Mutero, C Gomba, H Sewera, C Chikasha, Mrs L Shuva Front Row: M Muchingami, B Tembo, C Magureyi, A Hwenga



IN THE CLASS ECD B

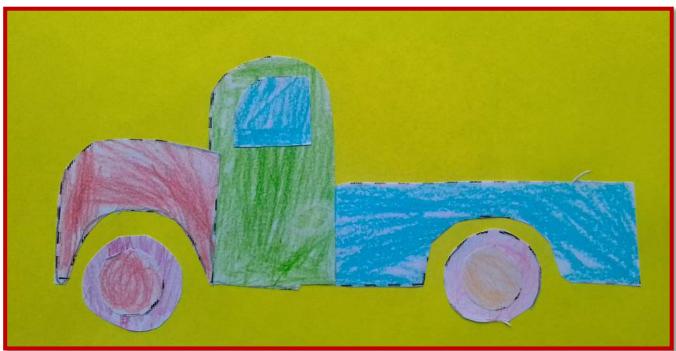
What a year this has been! These children have outdone themselves both in and outside the classroom. They have grasped the school values and striven to implement them in their daily interactions with their peers.

The daily devotionals and participation by the children in praying for the school, their peers, their teachers and their families has demonstrated a growing spiritual maturity.





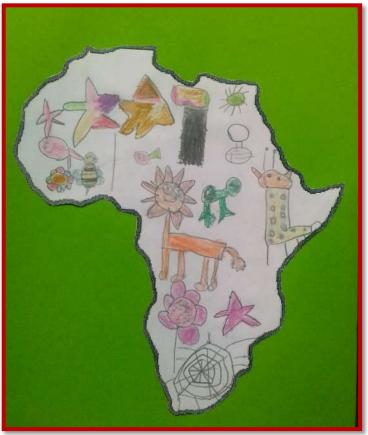










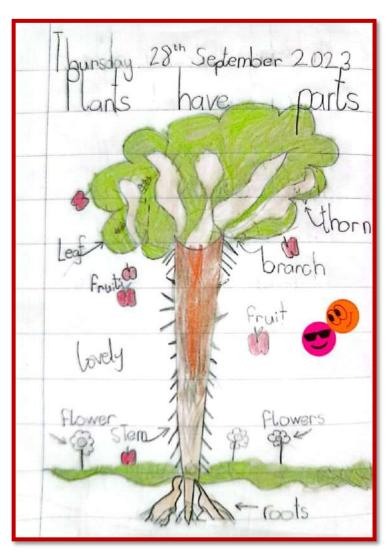


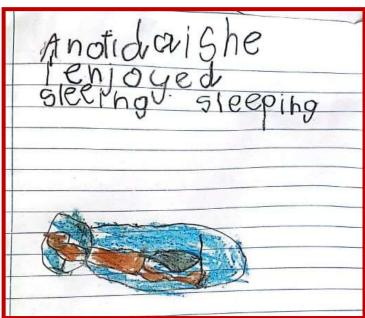


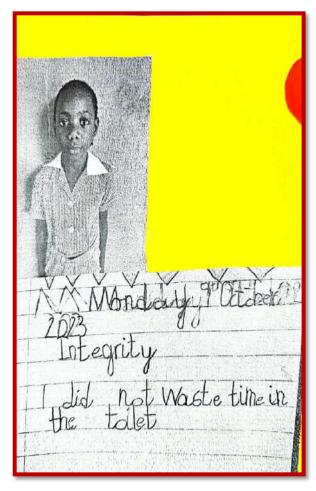
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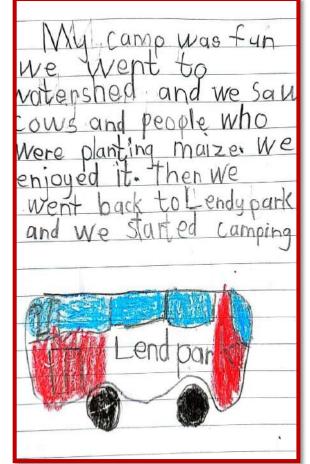


IN THE CLASS GRADE 1

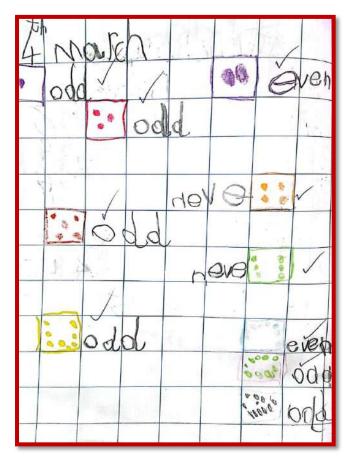














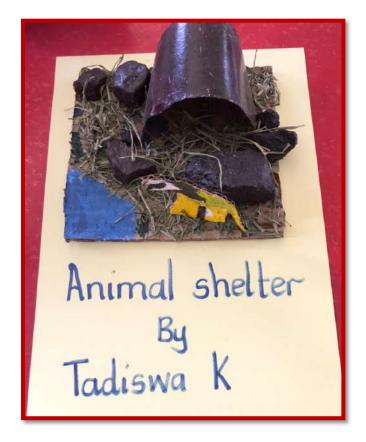


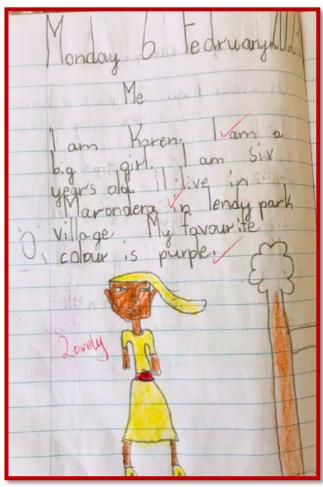
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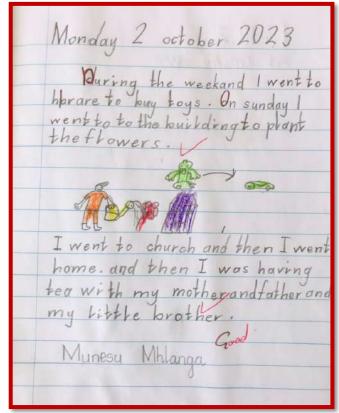


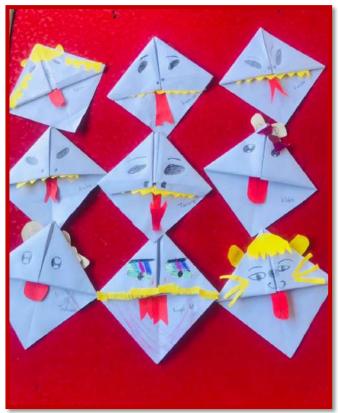
IN THE CLASS

GRADE 2

















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IN THE CLASS GRADE 3

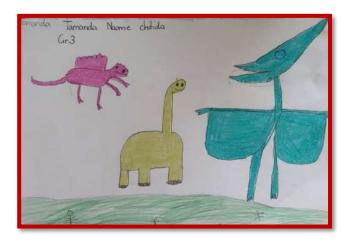
My Pet Dinosaur

My Pet Dinosaur my pet dinosaur's name is Shizelorasaurs. She is cute but she is dangerous. She likes to eat leaves and people who make her angry.

She likes to play hide and seek but she doesn't realise that she is too tall so everybody can see her. Shizelorasaurs likes to step on other people's houses which is not very nice but I don't blame her because she is a giant and probably cannot see them.

I love my dangerous pet dinosaur!

Shinganashe Zezai



A Pet Dinosaur

My pet dinosaur is called Thumbelinasaurus. She has blue and black stripes and Thumbelinasaurus can breathe out fire. She has huge ears and she wears glasses and socks.

Thumbelinasaurus likes to eat popcorn! She is a very lazy pet. But she is all mine.

Faith Muzenda



My Pet Dinosaur

My pet dinosaur's name is Lucirausaurs. She looks like a cat; a big one! She is a girl.

Lucirausaurs and I like to throw balls at each other. She can do lots of amazing things like carry two litres of water on her back.

She doesn't like people disturbing her when she is sleeping. If you do, watch out: she will scratch you.

Lucirausaurs likes to drink milk.

Making Tea for Mummy

The first thing that I do is to boil the water. The second thing I do is put sugar in the cup. Teh third thing I do is to put a tea bag in the cup. The fifth thing that I will do is to put some milk and hot water in the cup.

I will decorate the cup that I give my mum.

Faith Muzenda









Back Row: T Mauye, T Kwanayi, V Vengesayi, S Zezai, S Musariri, E Herema, R Mupotsa, T Machingauta, T Zvinorova Middle Row: Mrs A Nhliziyo, I Terera, T Kadhani, F Muzenda, E Musodza, E Munetsi, J Nyatanga, M Kaseke, T Chitida, L Maradzike, Ms J Martins

Front Row: M Manatsa, T Siyawamwaya, T Mbayo, D Makwindi, I Changara, C Hwenga, B Mavodo , J kandiero



IN THE CLASS GRADE 4









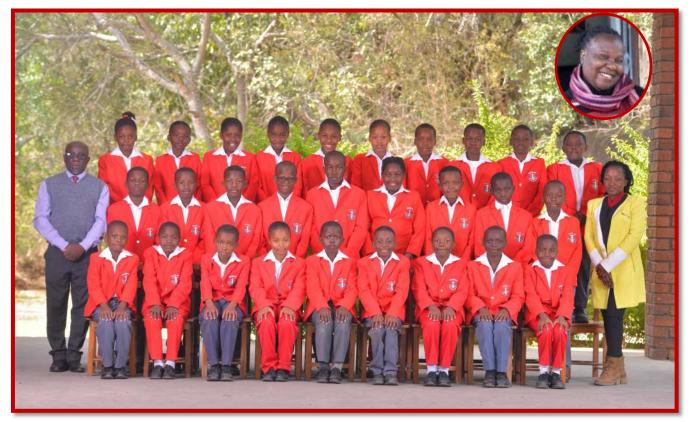












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Middle Row: Mr N Nyangani, A Mashumba, T Swoswe, T Marozva, P Mutataguta, A Chimbodza, L Mutiwekurasa, J Chinyowa, R Tsinakwadi, L Mucharwa, Ms J Musharavati

Front Row: T Muchingami, A Nhenderere, T Shundure, T Karizamumimba, T Chanetsa, M Gomba, A Mabika, N Mutandadzi, Chloe Munjoma Inset: Mrs C Ndowa (Term 3)



IN THE CLASS GRADE 5

Dear John

I would like to tell you, if you can believe it, that people are now able to buy a ticket to go into space!

If you buy the ticket, you will go on a spacecraft and you will see the wonders of space: the stars, the Moon and even the Milky Way up close.

You'll learn about the spacecraft, the universe and how the stars were formed. This will be a great learning experience for you. Best of all, you might even learn how to fly a spacecraft. Can you imagine that whizzing through space on your own with the powerful engine driving you to infinity and beyond.

The experience will take your breath away... literally! You will feel free and happy. It will be really awesome telling you friends and family that you went to space.

I hope that you will buy a ticket and join me on the journey of a lifetime.

Yours,

Nathaniel





My Christmas Wish List

My Christmas Wish List is packed with all sorts of things that I would love to have but I will only tell you about my top three wishes.

For my first wish, I would wish for a new dog. I would like a dog because we used to have four dogs but now we have three: the oldest dog died and I was so unhappy it broke my heart. That is why we need to get another one. That way we will have our four dogs again

My second wish would be for some new clothes - as you know, girls NEED clothes. Christmas time is here and this is the perfect time to begin a fresh new look for the new year. We need some new clothes in our wardrobes and perhaps some pyjamas too. Some Santa hats might also be needed to get into the Christmas

For the last wish, I would love a cat. On my birthday, my old cat Maya went missing. I was heartbroken so my cousins got me a tiny kitty. The kitty, named Thunder, is all alone at home so he needs a friend so that he won't be lonely anymore.

My Christmas is going to be amazing when my wishes come true

Tehila Kandiero







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L Terera, C Taruvinga, T Kachidza, C Munyaka Front Row: L Njeni, P Mhetu, T Kandiero, C Mukumba, M Masamvu, Mrs T Chinyowa, T Mbayo, T Chigwedere, K Chipanda, K Chigwedere, R Mtsambiwa



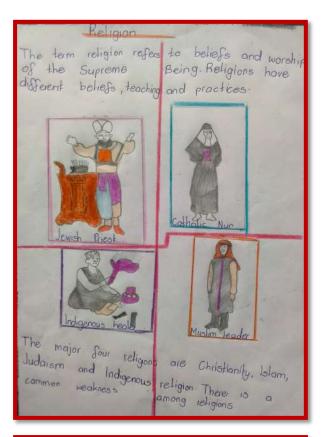
IN THE CLASS GRADE 6

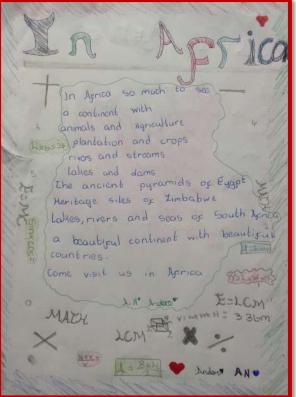
My Lovely Pet

My lovely, delightful little pet, As sweet and as gentle as a butterfly, Patient and intelligent, Protective, patient and obedient. Once I whistle the melody of a rhyme. He'll answer me running with his head up high, I wish I could have seen you one last time. Before we had to say goodbye. It hurts us in ways unimaginable, Hearing nothing but the wind blowing And the sound of birds singing. One day we will reunite, In heaven and in our dreams. I will love you for eternity, My lovely, delightful little dog, as sweet and a gentle as a butterfly I will call once more, When you hear the melody of a rhyme.

Takunda Muputa















Back Row: T Muputa, A Kuretu, A Ndoro, M Mayere, M Mujaranji, T Maodzeka, T Ngwenya, M Masamvu, A Mujuru, C Mudzinganyama, M Chinyowa Middle Row: A Maronjese, C Mutizira, T Bodzo, T Magaya, A Mushambi, D Zvarimwa, C Vengesai, T Shange, M Dhumbura, T Kadhani Front Row: A Nhendere, N Magaire, A Chingara, Z Kashangura, Mr P Chigwedere, T Seremani, K Mungoni, G Mangwiro, N Nyamazana Absent: T Mauye



IN THE CLASS

GRADE 7

Our grade 7 class of 2023 is composed of 26 students: 7 girls and 19 boys. Of these students, Tinenyasha Chagwesha, Natalie Makwindi and Teras Masocha did their ECD at Lendy Park. Martin Chedondo, Edison Chikukwa, Tania Mutama and Nyasha Nyangani joined in grade one, with the rest of the students joining up the grades.

The boys and girls have been kept on their toes from the beginning of the year as they had end of first term tests to prepare for, followed by the CHISZ common entrance exams they had to sit for on the 2^{nd} of July.

Vacation school happened to be shorter than the two weeks the school usually allows during the August holiday. This was mainly due to the heroes' public holiday, the harmonised elections and the ACSI educators' conference.

The Room I Would Like for My Very Own

The room I would like for my very own will be very big. It will be forty-eight square metres in area and it will be rectangular in shape.

My room will have five windows and one big French door with golden curtains. There will be a big bed with golden pillows, silver sheets and a golden duvet. The room will be the colour gold inside.

The walls will be filled with pictures of myself, a large poster of Beyoncé and a giant clock at the top corner. There will be a comfortable couch with fluffy cushions and a bean bag next to it. Across the room there will be a chair and a desk, and next to it there will be a shelf with books arranged in alphabetical order, there will be a vending machine and a refrigerator full of drinks and fruits. There will be a little dressing room full of clothes and shoes, and an en suite bathroom.

That is how I would like the room of my very own to be like.







My resolutions for 2023

I want to be good at Maths and Other subjects. I sometimes struggle with Maths. My parents said Maths is easy but I do not see that. I want to make my parents proud by getting eight units.

I want to thrive in sports and who would not want to thrive in sports especially in cricket and soccer (football). My goal is to become a captain in a sport one day maybe one day in high school or something

I want to make good relations with lots of pupils at school and at home. I do not want people to hate each other, I want people to have good relations

I want to have a good relationship with GOD because he is the creator of all and a promise keeper. I believe in GOD because if it was not for him I would have not been alive.

Nyasha Nyangani



My Life at Lendy Park

I have had many enjoyable moments in my life but my life at Lendy Park has been very great. I have achieved many things in this school and I will cherish my memories of this school.

Out of all my years at Lendy, grade 3 was my favourite year in 2019. We visited Proton Bakers, the dentist (which was actually fun) and on top of that we went to Imire for camp. In that year I won the prize for attainment.

My favourite teacher was Mrs Mugugu and she was my grade 5 teacher. My favourite sport was soccer and I was the best defender in the team and the smartest boy in the class. I will really miss this school and I wish I could stay but life has to go on and I have to move on.

Grade 7 was a good year even though we got into trouble here and there but it was a pretty good year especially the last few weeks. I will really miss this school even though Mr Stephen kept us busy by giving us a lot of work ②. Lendy Park has taught me to do my best in everything I do and to believe in myself. As I go to high school I will use the skills and techniques for sport that I acquired at Lendy Park.

I will miss playing soccer with my friends.









Back Row: A Mapuvire, N Nyangani, K Mazhindu, T Dube, T Kazimi, R Moyo, D Tangayi, V Phiri Middle Row: T Chagwesha, L Chirau, N Katiro, A Washa, K Mangena, T Makomeke, M Madamombe, T Chauke, L Wadzingenyama Front Row:T Nhliziyo, M Chedondo, E Chikukwa, N Makwindi, T Masocha, R Zinyama, A Chiguware, T Mutama



IN THE CLASS

GROWTH POINT

Working in the Curriculum Support Department has been a terrific eye-opener to the different characters and natures of the children at Lendy. Growth Point offers a safe haven where those who struggle can learn from their mistakes and learn through their attempts and then be able to work through their challenges.

Growth Point has become a vibrant, colourful place where the children from Early Childhood

Development (ECD) right up to the school come to "See, Read and Imagine" all kinds of subjects. This term, having adopted poetry into the curriculum, the children are able to develop their imaginations and creative thinking with the large visual aids and pictures that they see. Their attitudes and ideas are stretched and difficulties are worked through as we build confidence and maturity to cope, as the motto is "Try, try and try again". "Can't" is not allowed in the classroom, but we build on the promise given by the Word of God, "I CAN do ALL things through Christ who gives me strength."





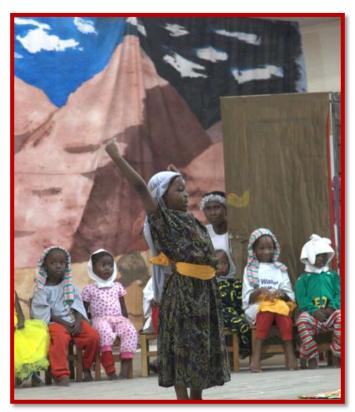




ARTS AND CULTURE ECD NATIVITY PLAY

With captivating performances and infectious enthusiasm, our Early Years Foundation Stage A and B classes presented a delightful Nativity play entitled "The Big, Little Nativity Play" this Christmas season. Each child embraced their unique role,

bringing the timeless story of Jesus' birth to life with endearing costumes, heartfelt portrayals, and joyful song. Their talent and dedication captivated the audience, imbuing the event with the true spirit and meaning of Christmas. This enchanting experience will undoubtedly be cherished by all who participated. We extend our sincere gratitude to everyone who played a part in making this memorable event a reality.







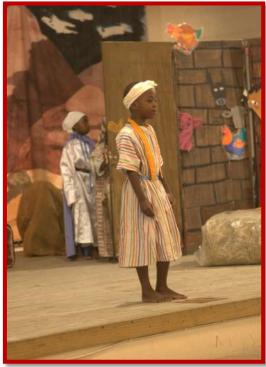




ARTS AND CULTURE GRADE 1 & 2 NATIVITY PLAY

Each year, parents eagerly anticipate the Nativity play, where the birth of our Lord and Saviour Je-

sus Christ is reimagined through a variety of creative expressions. This year, the children delivered a captivating musical performance entitled "Christmas Checklist," which effectively reinterpreted the traditional narrative through the combined power of music and scriptural readings. The audience was left enthralled and readily would have requested an encore. The exceptional performance by Grades 1 and 2 is to be commended.















ARTS AND CULTURE GRADE 3 & 4 EASTER PLAY

The joyful shouts of "Hosanna" echoed through the hall as our talented grade 3 and 4 learners presented their Easter play. Their dedication shone through in the confident lines, heartfelt singing, and expressive movements. The simple yet impactful performance beautifully conveyed the hope of Christ's resurrection, warming the hearts of everyone present. A special thank you to Julie, whose creative props brought the story to life, and Edmore Chinhamu, whose music filled the air with grace.



















ARTS AND CULTURE GRADE 5 & 6 PLAY

This year's school play, titled "Survivor Babylon," vividly retold the legendary tale of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego.

The three heroes faced the formidable wrath of King Nebuchadnezzar when they steadfastly refused to bow down and worship his golden statue.

This innovative and musically vibrant adaptation of the well-known biblical narrative was rendered with remarkable skill by our talented cast.

It powerfully conveyed the timeless message that true faith demands unwavering devotion to one's God alone.

A big thank you to Mr Chinhamu, Mrs Chinyowa, Mr Chigwedere for all their input into this productions.









ARTS AND CULTURE

SHONA CULTURE DAY

This year's Shona Culture Day was held with great ceremony and panache, celebrating the theme of "Mutopo". Every child, accompanied by their family, donned their totemic garments, creating a vi-

brant and kaleidoscopic spectacle. The day was filled with joy and merriment for all, with traditional food and dishes being served, time-honoured games being played, and a spirited tug-of-war competition forming the grand finale. We eagerly anticipate hosting another Shona Day next year, with a novel yet equally comprehensive theme.









ARTS AND CULTURE GRADE 3 CAREERS DAY

Grade 3 Careers Day was not merely a parade of costumes, but a veritable space shuttle propelling their dreams into orbit! From doctors and astronauts to architects and teachers, even a grease monkey whose toolbox exuded an air of authenticity, each child took the stage with beaming confidence and presentations brimming with research, a testament to the invaluable support of their par-

ents. The infectious passion they exhibited for their chosen paths served as a potent reminder that the future belongs to these dreamers, from those constructing cardboard skyscrapers to those crafting virtual sushi and our very own Zimbabwean Ronaldo. Who knows, perhaps Simukai, the miniature game show host with a microphone larger than his dreams, will one day be interviewing real astronauts on Mars! So brace yourselves,











ARTS AND CULTURE

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

The Music Department has enjoyed a vibrant and fruitful year. Our students have relished a diverse array of musical experiences and a comprehensive curriculum encompassing all facets of music, including singing, instrumental instruction, music theory, and performance. They have been exposed to a multitude of musical genres and cultures, refining their abilities in both individual and collaborative settings.



Beyond our regular music lessons, we have offered a rich tapestry of extracurricular activities, such as choirs, residential camps, educational field trips, bands, orchestras, and individual and small group coaching. The department has also actively participated in school musicals throughout the year, providing students with valuable stage experience and the opportunity to showcase their talents.



In the realm of instrumental music, our students

have embarked on the journey of learning a variety of instruments, including guitar, piano, marimba, recorder, mbira, violin, percussion, and a novel range called Nuvo instruments. We also boast several student bands and ensembles that regularly grace school events, such as Culture Day and Fun Day, with their musical offerings. The school further hosted a collaborative Mutinhimira Concert with Ruzawi School and Springvale House School, fostering a spirit of musical camaraderie and shared passion.



We are immensely proud of the accomplishments of our music students this year. Their dedication and perseverance have yielded significant progress in their musical abilities. Their talents were further showcased at the Eisteddfod Festival (Vocal and Instrumental), where they received numerous first-place accolades in solo, band, and choir performances. Notably, the following ensembles achieved first and first-plus grades:

Marimba Band: First Plus Grade

Pan-African Ensemble: First Grade

Recorder Band: First Plus Grade

Guitar Instrumental Choir: First Plus Grade

Choir Western: First Plus Grade

Choir African Contemporary: First Grade

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our supportive parents and dedicated teachers. We firmly believe that music is an indispensable element of a wellrounded education, and our department remains steadfast in its commitment to providing our students with the highest quality of musical instruction.





Guitar BandBack Row: Mr C Gaza, A Kuretu, T Kadhani, N Katiro, T Kazimi, M Dhumbura, Mr E Chinhamu Front Row: K Chigwedere, T Mupamhadzi, M Chinyowa, G Chigoma



Violin

Back Row: M Chinhamu, Mr E Chinhamu, A Mujuru Front Row: T Kandiero, J Chinyowa, M Masamvu, T Chigwedere, E Chikukwa





Pan African Band

Back Row: T Chauke, N Katiro, A Washa, L Chirau, L Wadzingenyama, N Makwindi Front Row: Mr E Chinhamu, T Mutama, T Chagwesha, T Dube, T Makomeke, M Madamombe, M Chedondo, N Nyangani, Mr C Gaza



Jazz Band

Back Row: Mr C Gaza, T Masocha, L Chirau, N Makwindi, T Kazimi, T Mutama, Mr E Chinhamu Front Row: N Katiro, A Washa, T Chagwesha, L Wadzingenyama, M Masamvu











Junior Marimba BandMr C Gaza, E Herema, T Seremani, M Chinhamu,
C Munyaka, P Mhetu, K Chigwedere, Mr E Chinhamu



Senior Marimba Band
Mr E Chinhamu, T Masocha, N Katiro, T Makomeke,
M Madamombe, T Chauke, Mr C Gaza



Wind Band

Back Row: T Choto, M Chinhamu, N Makwindi, V Phiri, C Mudzinganyama, Z Hove, L Terera, C Mutizira, T Chagewsha, Z Kashangura

Middle Row: Mr C Gaza, A Mujuru, M Moyo, A Ndoro, L Chirau, L Wadzingenyama, A Washa, D Zvarimwa, A Mushambi, M Masamvu, C Vengesai, Mr E Chinhamu

Front Row: A Nhenderere, A Mutambu, M Masamvu, T Kachidza, T Chigwedere, K Chipanda, P Simango, L Forogo, T Kandiero, N Makwindi





Junior Choir

Back Row: G Chigoma, M Masamvu, T Chigwedere, M Chinhamu, J Chinyowa, T Mbayo, T Mupamhadzi, K Chipanda Middle Row: Mrs E Chinhamu, L Forogo, M Moyo, C Munyaka, L Terera, Z Hove, M Mugomba, T Kachidza, T Choto, Mr C Gaza

Front Row: A Nhenderere, K Chigwedere, E Herema, P Simango, A Mutambu, T Kandiero, P Mhetu, R Mutsambiwa



Senior Choir

Back Row: T Chagwesha, T Kadhani, V Phiri, M Dhumbura, T kazimi, C Mudzinganyama, C Mutizira, T Magaya, T Shange, N Nyangani, N Makwindi, A Ndoro

Middle Row: Mr E Chinhamu, C Vengesai, M Masamvu, L Chirau, D Zvarimwa, M Madamombe, A Washa, T Makomeke, N Katiro, A Mushambi, L Wadzingenyama, T Chauke, Mr C Gaza

Front Row: T Seremani, M Chedondo, A Kuretu, A Mujuru, T Bodzo, M Chinyowa, T Masocha, T Muputa, Z Kashangura, E Chikukwa, M Mungoni, T Mutama



ARTS AND CULTURE

PUBLIC SPEAKING

This year, both senior and junior pupils enrolled in the Public Speaking Club had the valuable opportunity to present in front of a substantial audience.

Their efforts were adjudicated by a distinguished panel of senior school language teachers and es-

teemed retired junior teachers, offering a welcome change and allowing them to receive feedback from respected professionals within the field. The evening proved to be a resounding success, with Takunda Muputa and Makanaka Chinhamu emerging as the victors in the senior and junior categories respectively. We look forward to engaging with other schools and elevating Public Speaking to a competitive level.









COMMUNITY PRAYER MORNING

This academic year, the school has made the decision to entrust our pupils with the leadership of our prayer mornings.

Each term, a child from every class, from Early Childhood Development to Grade 7, has been given the privilege of leading a prayer in accordance with their own heartfelt wishes.

Furthermore, we are honoured to participate in these gatherings alongside all members of our school community. This includes everyone from our valued estate workers to the active members of the Parents Association and the esteemed Board of Trustees. Through these shared moments of reflection, we acknowledge that Lendy Park is ultimately a school dedicated to the divine, and we collectively rededicate ourselves to His service at the conclusion of each term.









ATHLETICS

Lendy Park Athletics enjoyed a stellar season, punctuated by numerous triumphs both individual and collective. We actively participated in three events - the Ruzawi meeting, the Marondera Schools' Athletics Meeting, and the prestigious EPSA championships. The season's crowning

achievement was undoubtedly the team's emphatic victory at EPSA. This exceptional accomplishment stands as a powerful testament to the unwavering dedication and diligent efforts of both our athletes and their coaches.

The athletics team's prowess extended beyond individual events, with particular brilliance displayed in the relay races. Notably, our under-12 and under-13 boys' 4x100m team performed with exceptional distinction.



Back Row: T Mutama, T Chigwedere, A Mujuru, M Chinhamo, C Mukumba, M Masamvu Middle Row: Ms L Nyamande, N Makwindi, M Masamvu, C Vengesai, A Washa, L Terera, A Ndoro, T Chagwesha, Mr P Kamwemba

Front Row: V Vengesai, A Mutero, L Manatsire, T Machingauta, K Chipanda, K Nyabadza, T Choto



Back Row: Ms N Nyamande, K Chigwedere, T Magaya, T Ngwenya, J Washa,
T Shange, M Dhumbura, Mr P Kamwemba
Middle Row: M Gomba, Tswoswe, T Mupamhadzi, A Kuretu, Mr H Manatsa, N Nyangani,
J Chinyowa, G Mangwiro, S Mascha, T Chisvo



CROSS COUNTRY

As a coach, I hold the firm conviction that a child making the cross country team is, in itself, a victory. This sentiment resonates deeply with the following quotation from running coach and writer Hal Higdon, which encapsulates my goal for the children as they race:

"Different people have different reasons for racing, but one is simply the incentive to get out and run, increase mileage, and feel good."

Our season's initial objective was straightforward: to run, to find enjoyment, and to complete the course with pride. The team boasted representatives from Year 3 all the way through to Year 8, fostering a sense of responsibility in the older chil-

dren as they looked after their younger counterparts. This fostered personal accountability, unwavering determination, and a lifelong appreciation for fitness and well-being within all the cross country runners.

The children raced with unwavering resolve, the highlight being the Trotting Tortoise competition, where they triumphantly secured the trophy. Their zeal, physical prowess, and remarkable teamwork were truly inspiring.

My heartfelt gratitude goes to each and every boy and girl who participated this season. Finally, I extend a massive thank you to all the parents and guardians who generously sacrificed their time to support our wonderful children!

Indeed, with unwavering faith, all things are possible.



Back Row: K Chipanda, T Chigwedere, N Makwindi, A Washa, M Chinhamu, T Masocha, C Mukumba Third Row: Ms N Nyamande, A Kuretu, L Terera, T Magaya, N Nyangani, J Washa, K Mazhindu, Mr P Kamwemba Second Row: A Mutero, S Masocha, T Mutama, Mr H Manatsa, K Chigwedere, A Nhenderere, T Choto Front Row: T Siyawamwaya, T Mupamhadzi, M Masamvu, K Nyabadza, N Mukatyei, V Vengesai



CRICKET

First XI Cricket Team

First Team Cricket Report 2023

The First Team cricket team had a strong start to their season, winning the first four games in a row. This was particularly impressive given that the team has a large number of Grade 6 players. Although the batting has not been particularly prolific this season, the Grade 6 players have all contributed to the team's success.

The bowling has been excellent, with the team taking wickets consistently. The Grade 6 bowlers have shown a lot of promise, with Matipaishe Dhumbura taking a four-wicket haul in one of the matches.

The Grade 6 players are also very hardworking and dedicated to their cricket. They are always willing to learn and improve, and they are always pushing themselves to be the best that they can be.

The future is very bright for the First Team cricket team, thanks to the influx of young talent from the Grade 6s. These young players have the potential to lead the team to great success in the years to come.





Back Row: M Dhumbura, T Chauke, L Takaedza, T Makomeke, M Madamombe, T Shange

Front Row: A Nhenderere, T Magaya, J Washa, Mr H Manatsa, N Katiro, A Chingara, T Mauye, Missing Mr T Magumise











Second XI Cricket

Back Row: A Nhenderere, M Mungoni, T Muputa, T Kazimi, N Nyangani, T Nhliziyo, G Mangwiro, N Nyamazana Front Row: A Kuretu, T Masocha, Mr T Magumise, E Chikukwa, T Seremani



CRICKET

Colts Cricket Teams

Our junior boys played cricket against teams from local schools as well as those from Harare. Interest

in the game is growing, as each and every player has been able to acquire some personal kit to use instead of relying on the school kit. With their own kit, the boys should be able to practise more to further develop their skills.

Generally, the boys need to develop more confidence in order to withstand pressure in match situations when batting, fielding, and bowling.



Colts A Cricket

Back Row: K Chigwedere, P Mutataguta, C Munyaka, N Muchinapo, N Mukatyei, N Mutandadzi Front Row: Mr C Stephen, L Njeni, S Masocha, T Mupamhadzi, A Mashumba, J Chinyowa, Mr C Gaza



Colts B Cricket

Back Row: M Gomba, M Munetsi, A Chimbodza, R Tsinakwadi, T Chanetsa, M Makumbe Front Row: Mr C Stephen, L Mucharwa, J Mariyano, T Shundure, T Swoswe, Mr C Gaza



CRICKET

Grade 3 Cricket Team

Owing the low numbers of boys in the U9 age group, this team was bolstered by a large number

of Grade 2 boys. All boys fought hard and demonstrated phenomenal growth in their abilities in a very short time. It was especially pleasing to see their understanding of the spirit of the game grow.

By the end of the season, they were running effectively between the wickets, bowling some accurate a deliveries and catching the ball.



Grade 3 Cricket

Back Row: T Zvinorova, T Madzande, J Nyatanga, Mr M Kadungure, Mr P Chigwedere, E Masocha, T Kadhani, S Musariri, T Chisvo Front Row: J Kandiero, B Mavodo, R Besa, I Chingara, T Siyawamwaya, K Mangoma, M Manatsa





















GIRLS HOCKEY

Senior Girls Hockey Teams

As the season commenced, the girls were enthusiastic, and there was great potential at the training sessions.

This season, we have had many highlight games, including matches against Springvale and Hellenic, where we played some outstanding hockey with great tackles, passes, and goals. The challenging games were met with determination, as the girls kept fighting hard in every match and never

gave up until the final whistle sounded. It was pleasing to note that matches were won with humility and defeats faced with dignity.

The provincial trials really showed how far many of the first team players had come, both as individuals and as team players. Special mentions go to Tania Mutama, Anyahlaa Washa, and Amazing Mujuru for making the provincial team, which travelled to Bulawayo for the tournament. Thank you, girls, for being great ambassadors of the school.

Thank you to the team for making it a great 2023 hockey season.

Ms Nyamande



First Team Girls Hockey

Back Row: V Phiri, N Makwindi, L Wadzingenyama, Ms L Nyamande, L Chirau, M Masamvu, T Kadhani Front Row: A Mujuru, A Ndoro, A Washa, T Chagewsha, Z Kashangura, T Mutama







Second Team Girls Hockey

Back Row: C Mudzinganyama, L Terera, D Zvarimwa, Ms L Nyamande,
A Mushambi, C Vengesai, C Mutizira
Front Row: K Chipanda, T Choto, L Forogo, Z Hove, T Mbayo, T Mangauzani, M Mayere



GIRLS HOCKEY

Junior Girls Hockey Teams

The Fillies Girls Hockey Team had a fantastic term in Term 2, 2023. The team consisted of a group of talented and dedicated girls who were always willing to work hard and improve their skills.

The team started the term by working on the fundamentals of hockey, such as stick handling, passing, and receiving. They also focused on developing their teamwork and communication skills.

As the term progressed, the team began to focus on more complex skills, such as dribbling and shooting. They also started to develop their game strategies.

The team played a number of matches throughout the term, and they performed very well. They won the majority of their matches, and they showed great improvement over the course of the term.

In addition to their on-field success, the team also had a lot of fun together. They enjoyed the challenge of learning new skills and working together as a team. They also enjoyed the social aspect of the sport, and they made many new friends.



Fillies A Hockey

Back Row: C Mukumba, T Kachidza, M Chinhamu, T Chigwedere, M Masamvu Front Row: A Mabika, Ms J Musharavati, T Kandiero



Fillies B Hockey

Back Row: A Nhenderere, L Mutiwekurasa, M Moyo, A Kamwemba, P Simango Front Row: R Mutsambiwa, Ms J Musharavati, M Zvinavashe



Grade 3 A Girls Hockey

Back Row: T Mauye, M Kaseke, V Vengesai, S Zezai, T Chitida

Front Row: L Manatsire, Mrs A Nhliziyo, T Machingauta



Grade 3 B Girls Hockey

Back Row: L Mazichike, F Muzenda, E Munetsi, R Mupotsa Front Row: E Herema, I Terera, Mrs A Nhliziyo, T Kwanayi, T Mbayo



BOYS HOCKEY

Senior Boys Hockey Teams

The senior boys' hockey team focused on instilling core values of safety, teamwork, skill development, and continuous learning for personal growth. Our primary objective was not solely to develop star players, but rather well-rounded individuals through the medium of hockey.

To ensure equitable playing opportunities for all students, we established three boys' teams: First, Second, and Third. These teams provided age-appropriate competition and fostered a supportive environment for development. Notably, several

successful matches were played against Ruzawi, Springvale, Digglefold, and Godfrey Huggins. The encounters with Ruzawi and Springvale were particularly memorable, showcasing the boys' dedication and skill as they strived for positive results.

Through consistent training and participation, the boys cultivated robust teamwork skills and blossomed into confident and adept players. This progress was further evidenced by the promotions of several talented players from the Second Team to the Senior Team.

To nurture future generations of skilled hockey players, ongoing investment in skill development programs across the junior teams is crucial. This commitment will ensure a sustainable pipeline of talent and maintain the vibrant culture of excellence within the boys' hockey programme.



First Team Boys Hockey

Back Row: K Mazhindu, M Dhumbura, E Chikukwa, M Chedondo Middle Row: Mr P Chigwedere, T Magaya, T Shange, N Katiro, R Zinyama, Mr M kadungure Front Row: M Mungoni, A Kuretu, T Makomeke, T Chauke, T Masocha







Second Team Boys Hockey

Back Row: G Mangwiro, T Muputa, T kazimi, T Ngwenya, T Dube, T Munjoma, T Nhliziyo Front Row: A Nhenderere, T Tafireyi, N Nyangani, T Seremani, N Nyamazana, Mr M Kadungure



BOYS HOCKEY

Junior Boys Hockey Teams

As the icy winds swept across the field, the young athletes of our school's Colts hockey teams showed unwavering determination, impeccable skills and an unbreakable team spirit throughout the season. With each match, these talented individuals displayed their passion for the game and exemplified excellent sportsmanship.

The Colts hockey team embarked on the season with a renewed sense of purpose and dedication. Under the guidance of their coaches and through their relentless practice regimen, they continuously pushed themselves to new heights. Their commitment to improving individual skills while fostering a strong bond as a team reflected their absolute dedication to the sport.

The team's exceptional skill set was evident in their seamless coordination on the field. Each player showcased remarkable stick-handling abilities, precise passing and powerful shots that often found the back of the net. From the strong defensive line to the swift forwards, the Colts navigated the game with grace, leaving spectators astounded.

One of the hallmarks of this talented Colts team was their unwavering unity. The players supported and motivated each other, forging a bond that went beyond the boundaries of the hockey rink.

Throughout the season, the Colts hockey team exhibited outstanding sportsmanship, always maintaining respect and fairness towards their opponents. They played fiercely yet never compromised integrity. Whether faced with victory or defeat, these young athletes displayed graciousness and remained humble, endearing themselves to both fans and rivals.

The culmination of the season witnessed the Colts hockey team securing victory after victory, with an impressive win-loss record that spoke volumes about their talent and perseverance. Their positive attitude, combined with their deep love for the game, showcased the true essence of sportsmanship As we bid farewell to this incredible season, we eagerly look forward to witnessing the growth and continued success of these talented young athletes.



Colts A Boys Hockey

Back Row: K Chigwedere, T Masocha, J Chinyowa, N Mukatyei Front Row: L Njeni, N Mutandadzi, T Muchingami, Mrs Kadungure Missing; Mr N Nyangani





Colts A Boys Hockey

Back Row: P Mutataguta, C Munyaka, A Chimbodza, N Muchinapo Front Row: T Chanetsa, T Swoswe, T Muphamhadzi, Mr M Kadungure



Colts A Boys Hockey

Back Row: T Chisvo, S Musariri, T Zvinorova, T Madzande, E Mushodza, J Nyatanga, T kadhani Front Row: Mr C Gaza, R Besa, K Mangoma, I Chingara, B Mavodo, M Manatsa, J Kandiero, Mrs A Nhlizoyo



NETBALL

Senior Teams

The senior girls enjoyed their netball season, despite some losses. It is great that they used these as an opportunity to improve, and that they celebrated I hope that the girls continue to enjoy playing nettheir wins by playing more netball. Netball is a

great sport for promoting teamwork and positivity, and it is clear that this season was a success for the girls.

They learned how to deal with adversity and setbacks, and in doing so, they made new friends and created lasting memories. Well done to them for their hard work!

ball in the future!







First Team Netball Back Row: L Wadzingenyama, Mrs T Chinyowa, A Washa, A Ndoro



NETBALL

Junior Teams

The Fillies netball team had an excellent season in 2023. The girls were well-prepared for their matches throughout the season and demonstrated

outstanding shooting and defensive skills in their play. They participated in the Endeavour Festival at Gateway, which provided them with an opportunity to hone their skills. The Fillies A team also competed in the Ruzawi Festival towards the end of the season, where they exhibited a high level of skill. The team is grateful to God for the successful season they have had.!







Fillies A Netball
Back Row: T Kachidza, Mrs N Mugugu, M Chinhamu, T Chigwedere
Front Row: A Mabika, T Kandiero, M Masamvu, C Mukumba





Fillies B Netball

Back Row: R Marere, L Mutiwekurasa, Ms J Musharavati, M Moyo, M Zvinavashe
Front Row: R Mutsambiwa, P Simango, A Kamwemba, A Nhenderere



Grade 3 Netball

Back Row: I Terera, E Herema, E Munetsi, S Zezai, M Kaseke
Front Row: T Mbayo, T Machingauta, Mrs S Magumise, T mauye, L Maradzike



RUGBY

Senior Teams

The First Team rugby team had a strong start to their season, finishing fourth at the Musikili 7s Rugby Festival before performing admirably in their first three games at the Springvale House pretrials. The team's momentum carried forward to the Coaches Festival at Gateway Primary School, where they produced a dominant display. However, they were brought back to earth in their eighth game, losing to a much stronger side.

Despite the loss, the team has shown great effort

and determination in every game. The forwards have been particularly impressive, dominating the set pieces and providing a solid platform for the backs to play off of. The backs have also been in good form, with some exciting attacking play from the wings.

One of the team's standout players so far this year is the wing, who has been outstanding with his quick breaks. The team also had two boys selected to play for the provincial rugby side: Tiyelani Chauke and Tinovimbanaishe Magaya.

The boys finished on a high note, winning against a big team that they had lost to in the semi-final at Musikili Primary School. There is great potential for this team to achieve great things in the next season.



First XV Rugby

Back Row: T Ngwenya, N Nyangani, T Magaya, N Katiro, M Dhumbura, M Mungoni Middle Row: T Masocha, K Mazhindu, T Bodzo, A Kuretu, T Shange, J Washa Front Row: Ms J Martins, A Nhenderere, G Mangwiro, T Chgauke, E Chikukwa, T Muputa, Mr H Manatsa











Second XV Rugby

Back Row: T Munjoma, T Kazimi, T Maodzeka, T Makomeke, T Gono, T Dube Middle Row: Ms J Martins, M Chedondo, M Chinyowa, M Mugomba, M Mujaranji, M Mayere, Mr H Manatsa Front Row: N Nyamazama, N Magaire, A Chingara, T Seremani, T Nhliziyo, E herema, T Tarifeyi



RUGBY

Junior Teams

2023 saw a big welcome back to rugby which had been stopped for two seasons due to COVID 19

induced lockdowns. The young boys trained hard and played well in the matches arranged for them. Our Colts A team stood their ground playing the local teams as well as the Harare teams that we usually have fixtures with. The boys put up brave fights and showed good sportsmanship playing in festivals at Springvale House festival and at the Hellenic Day and Night Festival.





Colts A Rugby

Back Row: M Munetsi, L Mucharwa, J Chinyowa, N Muchinapo,
P Mutataguta, A Mashumba, R Tsinakwadi

Front Row: L Njeni, T Chanetsa, Mr C Stephen, Mr P Kamwemba,
S Masocha, K Chigwedere







Grade 3 Rugby
Back Row: I Chingara, T Madzande, J Makumbe, E Musodza,
T Kadhani, M Mhlanga, T Chisvo
Front Row: J Kandio, R Besa, T Mangoma, M Manatsa,
T Siyawamwaya, Mr P Kamwemba



SOCCER

Despite having fewer fixtures than our counterparts in other winter sports, our football team has made the most of their competitive opportunities, emerging victorious in every match played.

The most exciting development, however, has been the formation of the first-ever Eastern Football Team, with nine of our own players selected to form part of the fifteen-man squad.

Nyasha Nyangani, Atikudzaishe Kuretu, Munashe Mungoni, Matipaishe Dhumbura, Takudzwanashe Nhliziyo, Tovadaishe Shange, Ngonidzashe Nyamazana, Jayden Washa, and Tinovimbanaishe Magaya are the talented individuals representing our school in this historic endeavour. Notably, the majority of these players are in Year 6, which augurs well for the continued success of our First Team in the coming year.







First Team Soccer

Back Row: A Kuretu, J Washa, T Magaya, T Shange, M Dhumbura, T Nhliziyo Front Row: A Nhenderere, M Mungoni, Mr H Manasta, N Nyangani, N Nyamazana



SWIMMING

The Lendy Park School swimming team enjoyed another stellar year in 2023, leaving a trail of outstanding achievements in their wake. Throughout the season, the team participated in numerous galas, consistently exceeding expectations with personal best times from many swimmers.

Leading the charge was a talented group of senior swimmers: Anyalaa Washa, Tinenyasha Chagwesha, and Lincoln Takaedza. These exemplary individuals served as role models for their younger teammates, fostering a positive and supportive team environment. Younger swimmers like Mazvita Masamvu, Prince Mutataguta, and Apryl Kamwemba also delivered captivating performances, adding to the team's overall success.

The Lendy Park swimming team's dedication and hard work throughout the season paid off hand-

somely, culminating in a highly successful year. Witnessing their swimmers achieve personal bests was a testament to their unwavering commitment and perseverance.

Beyond their competitive prowess, the Lendy Park swimming team is renowned for its positive and nurturing team environment. The pool resonates with the constant chorus of encouragement as swimmers cheer each other on, readily offering support and guidance to help one another refine their skills. Throughout the season, the team organises various social events, further solidifying the bonds of camaraderie and fostering a strong sense of teamwork.

The Lendy Park swimming team's 2023 season was nothing short of phenomenal. Not only did the swimmers achieve their individual and collective goals, but they also revelled in the journey, creating lasting memories along the way. As they set their sights on the upcoming season, one thing is certain: the Lendy Park swimming team is poised for yet another year of triumph.



Girls Swimming Team

Back Row: Z Kashangura, M Chinhamu, T Chagwesha, Z Hove, T Kadhani, T Kachidza, T Mangauzani Middle Row: Ms M Tunhira, A Mabika, P Simango, F Muzenda, A Kamwemba, A Washa, M Masamvu, N Makwindi, M Masamvu, Mr P Kamwemba Front Row: L Manatsire, C Munjoma, T Chatida, T Kwanayi, R Mupotsa, V Vengesai, T Mutama



















Boys Swimming Team

Back Row: A Chingara, A Kuretu, T Bodzo, J Washa, K Mazhindu, M Dhumbura, J Chinyowa, T Mauye Middle Row: Ms J Martins, T Chanetsa, T Munjoma, T Chauke, L Takaedza, N Muchinapo, M Chinyowa, P Mutataguta, J Mariyano, Mr P Kamwemba

Front Row: R Besa, K Mangoma, J Makumbe, N Mutandadzi, S Masocha, T Kadhani, M Makumbe



TENNIS

Senior Teams

In tennis, wins and titles do not define the success of a season. Rather, it is the building of a cohesive team through leadership and mentorship that defines success.

We had a fantastic start to the new tennis season. It was wonderful to see so many eager children participating in the sport and enjoying every moment of it. Tennis matches were played throughout the term, with some excellent individual and doubles performances. Some of the highlights of the season included matches against Ruzawi, Eaglesvale, and Gateway.

The girls were committed to developing their skills during practice, which they translated into competitive matches. It was a pleasure to work with them.

The girls deserve to be applauded for their sportsmanship and for taking difficult matches in their stride. They are encouraged to continue practicing in order to continue polishing their tennis skills for upcoming seasons.

Well done to everyone, and thank you to the parents and guardians for their support. We give glory to God for His protection.



First Team Tennis
Back Row: N Ndoro, L Chirau, A Washa,
Ms N Nyamande, A Mujuru
Front Row: Z Kashangura, N Makwindi,
L Wadzingenyama, T Mutama







Second Team Tennis
Back Row: Ms L Nyamande, T Chagwesha, D Zvarimwa,
C Vengesai, A Mushambi, C Mutizira, Ms M Tunhira
Front Row: T Kadhani, C Mudzinganyama, M Mayere,
M Masamvu, V Phiri



TENNIS

Junior Teams

The Fillies A Tennis team has had a positive year, despite a mixed record of wins and losses. The girls have worked hard and improved their game throughout the season.

Special mention goes to Tadisa Choto, who gave

her all in every game and worked tirelessly to improve her weaknesses. This is a great example of the dedication and commitment that the girls have shown to the sport.

Well done to all of the girls for their hard work and dedication this season. It is clear that they are a talented team with a bright future.

I am confident that the girls will continue to improve and achieve even greater success in the future.



Fillies A Team Tennis

Back Row: L Forogo, T Choto, Mrs T Chinyowa,
M Chinhamu, T Kachidza
Front Row: A Mabika, T Chigwedere, T Manguazani,
C Mukumba, Kayla Chipanda







Fillies B Team Tennis

Back Row: Mrs L Nyamande, T Chagwesha, D Zvarimwa, C Vengesai, A Mushambi, C Mutizira, Ms M Tunhira Front Row: T Kadhani, C Mudzenganyama, M Mayere, M Masamvu, V Phiri



SPORTS - Provincial Representatives



Mashonaland East Provincial Hockey Representatives A Mujuru, Ms L Nyamande, A Washa, T Mutuma



Mashonaland East Provincial Soccer Representatives

Back Row: A Kuretu, T Shange, N Nyangani, T Magaya, T Nhliziyo Front Row: M Mungoni, J Washa, Mr H Manatsa, M Dhumbura, N Nyamazana



EDUCATIONAL TRIPS

ECD - LION AND CHEETAH PARK



















EDUCATIONAL TRIPS GRADE 1 - SLEEP OVER

The Grade 1 camp this year was an extraordinary experience that marked the beginning of a memorable journey. After the exhilarating swimming gala, the excited students eagerly devoured a delightful lunch and embarked on a thrilling adventure to Watershed College Farm. The tour of the farm provided a unique insight into the world of agriculture, eliciting a range of emotions from the children. Some expressed initial apprehension towards the cows, while others questioned the clean-

liness of the milking process due to the presence of cow dung. Despite these mixed reactions, the overall experience proved to be invaluable, enriching their understanding of the food production process.

As the day progressed, the students enjoyed a delicious supper prepared by the hostel staff, followed by a mesmerizing marshmallow roasting session. The next morning, they embarked on an invigorating trek into the woods, returning tired and ready for a refreshing dip in the swimming pool. The camp concluded with a delightful takeaway lunch, leaving the students with a treasure trove of cherished memories.













EDUCATIONAL TRIPS GRADE 2 - GOSHO PARK

On October 5th, the Grade 2 class at Lendy Park School went on a camp to Gosho Park in Marondera. The children were very excited to go to camp and sleep overnight.

When they arrived at the park, the children were greeted by a friendly ranger who gave them a tour of the grounds. They saw all sorts of animals, including giraffes, zebras, impalas, and kudus.

In the afternoon, the children went on a long walk to the Boxing Glove, a large rock formation in the park. Most of the children were tired by the end of the walk, but they enjoyed climbing the rocks and chasing each other around.

In the evening, the children had a Bible story on creation before going to bed. After the story, they roasted marshmallows over the campfire. This was the highlight of the evening for many of the children.

On Friday morning, the children packed their belongings and went for a walk to watch the birds. They saw many different types of birds, including

hornbills, eagles, and hawks.

After the bird walk, the children played some games and enjoyed each other's company. They had a wonderful time at Gosho Park and were sad to leave.

The children learned a lot at their camp at Gosho Park. They learned about different animals and their habitats, as well as about the importance of conservation. They also learned how to work together as a team and how to have fun in a safe and responsible way.

Quotes from the children

"I liked seeing all the animals." - Tadiwanashe

"Roasting marshmallows was the best part." - William

"I liked climbing the rocks." - Karen

"I liked playing games with my friends." - Munesuishe

"I had a lot of fun at camp." - Everyone!

The Grade 2 camp at Gosho Park was a great success. The children had a lot of fun learning about animals, nature, and each other. It was an experience that they will never forget.













EDUCATIONAL TRIPS GRADE 3 - IMIRE

On Tuesday, we went to IMIRE Bush Camp. It was so exciting as we went on a game drive with our host. He showed us different types of animals. We saw a lot of impala, and many warthogs. After the game drive, we went back to camp and ate our dinner which was delicious. Then it was time for bed. - Munenyasha Kaseke

On Wednesday, went for another game drive and we saw more impala, zebras, Crispin the crocodile and Mambo the lion.

Then went up the mountain and saw a beautiful view.

After than we have the best time ever! We fed

Nzou, the elephant and we saw some white rhinos; these are grazers.

Later on, we went for a night drive and saw some owls and impalas. It was a wonderful day. - **Anonymous**

On Thursday, the last day of the camp, we woke up early because we were returning to school. We dresses quickly and had a wonderful breakfast of sausages, , baked beans, toast and scrambled eggs.

After breakfast we went for our last game drive. We saw impala, again, warthogs, buffalo (including Steve), Crispin the crocodile and Mambo the Lion.

Finally it was time to return to school. Thank you Aunty Jade and Mrs Nee for keeping us safe. **Shinganashe Zezai.**













GRADE 4 - LASTING

IMPRESSIONS

The Grade 4 pupils of Lendy Park School participated in a five-day educational camp at Lasting Impressions in Kadoma, Zimbabwe. The camp was a resounding success, with pupils engaging in a range of activities that were both educational and enjoyable.

One of the highlights of the camp was the canoeing trip down the Mzvezve River. Pupils learned how to paddle and steer a canoe, and they appreciated the scenery of the river and the surrounding bush. They also had the opportunity to observe some of the local wildlife, including crocodiles, zebras, and birds.

Another popular activity was zip-lining into the dam. Pupils experienced the thrill of flying through the air, and they also enjoyed the views of the dam and the surrounding area.

The bush walks with the tour guides were an excellent way for pupils to learn about the Zimbabwean bush and its plants and animals. The tour guides taught the pupils how to identify different plants and animals, and they also shared stories about the Bushman culture.

In addition to the outdoor activities, pupils also participated in a variety of educational workshops. They learned about the different types of trees and plants in the Zimbabwean bush, as well as the different types of animals that live there. They also learned about the importance of conservation and how to protect the environment.

The evenings at camp were filled with fun and laughter. Pupils enjoyed singing and playing games. They also had the opportunity to bond with their classmates and teachers.

Overall, the Grade 4 educational camp to Lasting Impressions was a resounding success. Pupils had the opportunity to learn about and experience the Zimbabwean bush, develop their leadership, teamwork, and problem-solving skills, and foster their appreciation for nature and the environment. They also created lasting memories and friendships.















GRADE 5 - ABERFOYLE

The class had a marvellous time at Aberfoyle in the Honde Valley! Outdoor learning is a superb way for children to learn about the natural world and appreciate its beauty.

There were a variety of activities for the class to do, from the polar plunge to butterfly catching to learning about compost and earthworms. Children also had a chance to play golf, water polo, and putt -putt. The trip was a well-rounded educational experience for the pupils.

Learning about how tea is made is a great way to introduce children to agriculture and sustainability. The class's visit to the Wamba Tea Factory was exciting, and tea tasting was a fun experience for all!

It was truly a memorable and educational experience at Aberfoyle.

















GRADE 6 - FAR & WIDE

During Term One, the Grade 6 cohort embarked on a seven-day educational camp to Far and Wide, a picturesque location designed to motivate, encourage, and cultivate essential life skills in these young learners. The tour aimed to foster both teamwork and individual problem-solving abilities through a diverse range of engaging activities.

The programme was carefully curated to cater to individual and group dynamics. Students participated in various activities, including nature walks, zip-lining adventures, collaborative web-tyre challenges, captivating Māori reading sessions, and thrilling treasure hunts. These experiences provided opportunities for self-discovery, collaboration, and resilience.

A highlight of the camp was the exhilarating sky

walk and zip line challenge, taking place at the longest and highest course of its kind in Southern Africa. Each activity was conducted under the highest safety standards, and participants received certificates of completion.

Throughout the camp, we were thankful for God's presence and protection, as no instances of sickness or injury occurred.

We extend our sincere gratitude to the team at Far and Wide for their exceptional hospitality and seamless organisation. Special thanks are also due to the school administration for granting our learners this invaluable experience.

Overall, the educational camp to Far and Wide was a resounding success, leaving a lasting impact on the Grade 6 students. The diverse activities, coupled with the supportive environment, provided an ideal platform for personal growth and skill development.





















Grade 7 - Jabulani Safaris

This was a new venue for Lendy Park and it turned some historical context. out to be an excellent choice to round off their

time at Lendy Park.

The children were challenged physically and mentally in the various activities that also required them to work collaboratively and to make use of critical thinking.

A visit to Naletale Ruin round of the trip with some historical context.



























EDUCATIONAL TRIPS Gosho Park Visits

Gosho Park is a wildlife reserve, meticulously managed by the Peterhouse Group of Schools, and serves as a significant natural asset conveniently situated in close proximity to the school. Throughout the academic year, pupils engage in regular educational excursions to the reserve, where they gain valuable insights into the practicalities of environmental stewardship. These excursions prove highly beneficial in broadening the pupils' understanding and appreciation of the ecological treasures within their nation.









BEAUTIFUL BOOKS

To celebrate the joy of literature, pupils throughout the school arrived on campus today adorned as cherished characters from their favourite works of fiction. This delightful Book Character Day brought immense merriment to all, while simultaneously serving a noble purpose. Proceeds from the event will enable the library to acquire several sets of the most popular books, further enriching

its literary treasure trove.

The festivities culminated in a vibrant parade, where students proudly showcased their imaginative costumes. Prizes were then awarded to the children whose portrayals resonated most deeply with the judges.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to Mrs Muchemwa for orchestrating this marvellous event. Her dedication and creativity ensured a resounding success, fostering a love for reading and enriching our school community with a vibrant appreciation for literature.

























Fun Day

What a truly splendid occasion it was! Anticipation thrummed through the school throughout the week leading up to our much-anticipated fete, and on the day itself, the atmosphere crackled with vibrant energy.

The grounds were transformed into a vibrant marketplace, teeming with numerous stalls showcasing a delightful array of wares. From handcrafted trinkets and delectable treats to informative displays and engaging games, there was something to tantalize every taste and pique every curiosity.

The children's area was a hive of joyous activity. Shrieks of delight filled the air as they navigated bouncy castles, embarked on pony rides, and revelled in a plethora of other entertaining activities. Witnessing their unbridled glee was a heartening reward in itself.

But the day's merriment transcended mere frivoli-

ty. The proceeds from this thriving fundraiser will be put to good use, painting the Early Childhood Development and Grade 3 and 4 classroom blocks. This transformative initiative will foster a brighter, more stimulating learning environment for our young pupils, undoubtedly impacting their educational journeys for the better.

A heartfelt thank you to the Parents' Association Executive and the entire parent body for their unwavering support. Their dedication and tireless efforts were instrumental in the event's resounding success.

From the contagious laughter of children to the heart-warming spirit of community, this fete was a testament to the power of collective action. It was a day brimming with fun, fellowship, and the promise of positive change – a truly magnificent addition to the school calendar.

We look forward to many more such memorable gatherings in the future, where we can join hands to create not just joyful memories but also lasting improvements for our school and, most importantly, our precious students.





















GOLF DAY

A rousing atmosphere pervaded the recent Golf Day, drawing a throng of enthusiastic participants, from seasoned veterans to enthusiastic novices. The event buzzed with friendly competition, showcasing a plethora of talent across all skill levels.

While the event undoubtedly yielded a substantial sum for the school, the true victor was community spirit. The day served as a magnificent platform to elevate the school's profile within the local community, fostering closer ties and a sense of shared pride.

We extend our profound gratitude to the Parents' Association Executive for their unflagging efforts in orchestrating this resounding success. Their meticulous planning and tireless dedication were instrumental in ensuring a smooth and enjoyable experience for all.

We are also deeply indebted to our generous spon-

sors and the ever-supportive community. Their invaluable contributions were the bedrock of the event's triumph, and we are truly grateful for their unwavering support.

The significance of this event transcends mere financial gain. It served as a potent reminder of the unifying power of sport and community spirit. Witnessing the camaraderie, sportsmanship, and sheer joy on display was truly heart-warming, and we are confident that the positive ripples of this event will continue to be felt long after the final whistle blows.

This resounding success has instilled in us an even greater zeal to host future events that celebrate not just athletic prowess but also the essence of community. We look forward to many more such occasions where we can come together, forge new bonds, and create lasting memories, all while contributing to the betterment of our school and the wider community.

Once again, we extend our heartfelt thanks to everyone who played a part in making this event such a glorious triumph.



















































JERICHO WALK

The annual Parents' Association sponsored walk commenced the school's fundraising endeavours in a truly rousing fashion this year. Embracing the theme of "The Jericho Walk," the event resonated with a powerful message: with God's hand upon us, all things are possible.

Each child received a sheet listing the school's aspirations, alongside a space for their handprint. This symbolic gesture signified their personal commitment to praying for the listed goals, fostering a spirit of unity and purpose.

While the primary objective was to raise funds for the essential refurbishment of the school's bathroom facilities, the event held a deeper significance. It aimed to instil in our young pupils a prayerful approach to life, encouraging them to entrust their concerns and triumphs to God's grace.

The success of the walk surpassed all expectations. By the end of the term, not only were the bathrooms gleaming with renovation, but the school rejoiced in the acquisition of a second-hand bus, alleviating the immediate transportation needs and solidifying the event's impact on the daily lives of students and staff alike.

This remarkable outcome serves as a powerful testament to the transformative power of faith and collective action. As we reflect upon the fruits of this "Jericho Walk," we are filled with an immense sense of gratitude and a renewed conviction in the words, "In all things, God is good."



















ORANGE DAY

This annual event pulsates with a spirit of unwavering compassion as it gathers our community to raise funds for Kidz Can, a vital organization dedicated to alleviating the plight of children battling cancer.

On this day, a vibrant wave of orange washes over the school, symbolizing our collective commitment to this noble cause. Each child arrives adorned in this vibrant hue, carrying with them a donation to fuel the fight against this insidious disease.

But the day's significance extends beyond mere fundraising. Through engaging activities and informative talks, we raise awareness among our young pupils about the dangers of cancer and the tell-tale signs that warrant immediate attention. This knowledge empowers them to become advocates for their own health and the well-being of their peers.

It is crucial to dispel the misconception that cancer is a disease of the elderly. In Zimbabwe, like many other parts of the world, it regrettably afflicts children as well. By supporting Kidz Can, we offer a beacon of hope to these young warriors, providing them with the resources and support they need to face this challenge with courage and dignity.

This annual event is more than just a fundraiser; it is a testament to the unyielding spirit of humanity and our unwavering commitment to supporting those in need. We stand united in our fight against cancer, and through the power of collective action, we strive to create a brighter future for every child, regardless of the hardships they may face.















TAKKIE DAY

Takkie Day is a heart-warming tradition within our school, pulsating with a spirit of generosity and empathy. On this day, our young learners arrive with eager strides, sporting their favourite sneakers (affectionately known as "takkies" in Zimbabwe) and carrying donations earmarked for Island Hospice. This esteemed organization provides compassionate care and support to individuals facing terminal illness.

The day is not just about footwear and fundraising, but also about fostering a connection to those facing life's final chapter. Each child receives a pair of vibrant, colourful laces to weave through their beloved takkies. These laces serve as a gentle reminder of the needs and vulnerability of others,

fostering a spirit of kindness and empathy within our young community.

Through Takkie Day, we cultivate the seeds of compassion within our pupils, encouraging them to consider the diverse experiences of those around them. In supporting Island Hospice, they learn the powerful value of community and the importance of extending a helping hand to those in need, particularly during life's most challenging moments.

The sight of our school grounds brimming with colourful takkies and vibrant laces is a heart-warming testament to the power of youth and collective action. This annual tradition transcends its fundraising goals, leaving an indelible mark on the hearts and minds of our young learners, shaping them into individuals who care deeply for their community and contribute meaningfully to the world around them.





LEAVERS' DINNER

At this dinner, Lendy Park School bid a bittersweet farewell to its departing Grade Seven students, marking the culmination of their journey within our verdant campus. It was a night brimming with emotions — a testament to the profound impact these young individuals have made on our school community.

We have witnessed first-hand the exceptional dedication and perseverance of these soon-to-be graduates. Through difficult times, they demonstrated unwavering leadership, setting a magnificent example for their peers and embodying the very essence of Lendy Park's values.

Their departure, however, is not an ending, but rather a vibrant new chapter. As they embark on their next adventure, we entrust them with the precious seeds of knowledge, character, and resilience sown during their time with us. We fervently hope that they will hold close the values we have strived to instil within them: integrity, compassion, and an unwavering commitment to excellence.

Proverbs 3:5-6 beautifully captures the spirit of

hope and guidance we wish to impart: "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths."

As they step out into the world, we encourage them to embrace this wisdom, navigating life's challenges with a steadfast trust in themselves, a dedication to their principles, and an open heart receptive to the guiding light of faith.

Dear departing class of Lendy Park, tonight, we celebrate not just your accomplishments, but the fruits of our collective labour – the blossoming of individuals imbued with the potential to leave an indelible mark on the world. Go forth with our unwavering belief in you, armed with the knowledge, values, and memories woven into the fabric of your Lendy Park experience.

We bid you farewell, not with sorrow, but with the joyous anticipation of witnessing your future triumphs. May your paths be ever straight, your spirits ever bright, and your hearts forever bound to the Lendy Park family.





















GRADE 7 LEAVERS



Missing: Lincoln Takaedza

