



### FROM MR MAREE'S DESK...

With our extra-mural programme up and running and almost all our learners returned, there is sense of normality back in and around our campus. It is apparent that learners are better organised for the school day which is evident when welcoming them at the start of each day. **In order to continue the smooth drop-off arrangements in the morning, we kindly ask that parents, guardians and drivers slow down their driving once entering the campus and to remain inside their vehicle.** Your support regarding this matter is greatly appreciated as this supports the safety of our learners and staff.

**EXTRA-MURAL**

Mr Albertus Liebenberg and his wife are expecting their first child. We are excited for the family and wish them the very best till the little one arrives early on in 2021. A warm welcome back to Mrs Tanya Erasmus who returned from maternity leave.

Remember to order your child's textbooks for 2021 as per the email that was sent out at the end of September. Please email Anneline in the Primary School office should you need another copy.



### UPCOMING AWARD CEREMONIES

Please take note of the upcoming award ceremonies, more detail to follow soon;

- Mon, 26 Oct: **Grade 4-7 Sport Prizegiving** at 6pm
- Tue, 27 Oct: **Grade 4-7 Culture and Chairman's Award Prizegiving** at 6pm
- Wed, 28 Oct: **Grade 1 Graduation** in the morning
- Thu, 29 Oct: **Grade 2 Graduation** in the morning
- Fri, 30 Oct: **Grade 3 Graduation** in the morning
- Tue, 8 Dec: **Grade 4-7 Academic Prizegiving**

### CLOTHES TO TREES

Curro Aurora, Clothes to Good (C2G) and H&M have teamed up to create a 'Clothes to Trees' programme. C2G gets second-hand clothing from schools, which C2G recycles at an inclusive facility (including people with disabilities). We value educating and empowering people to create sustainable business opportunities, and not rely on charity alone. This 'Clothes to Good' fund will be used to raise funds to provide each child who participates with a Spekboom to plant for arbour month & a 15% H & M discount voucher at the end of the drive. Help us educate our children about sustainability and develop a sense of community spirit. Each child would have received a bag with the Clothes to Good letter and this project will run until the 27 November 2020. Please may we request that the bags coming onto campus be sanitised and left at the drop off area near the Cosmic Hall.



Culture



### CULTURE

The culture department is bursting with joy as extra murals as started this week. Despite this whirlwind of a year we plan on ending the 2020 Culture year off on a high.

Please take note of the culture extra mural days below as communicated prior in the **Intermediate Phase: Extra mural and co-curricular timetable: Term 4 2020.**



- **Dance Crew** (2020 Team) - Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 15H00 – 16H00
- **Drama Club** - Tuesdays from 15H00 – 16H00
- **Senior Choir** (2020 Team) - Thursdays from 15H00 – 17H00
- **Marimba Band** - Tuesdays from 15H00 – 16H00 and Fridays from 13H00 – 14H00
- **Art Club** - Wednesdays for Grade 4 & 5 from 15H00 – 16H00 and Thursdays for Grade 6 and 7 from 15H00 – 16H00

### Headmaster’s Award (Culture)

To all our learners that have competed in any Cultural activities and events this year outside of Curro Aurora, kindly email all your information to Mr Gabin ([dane.g01@curro.co.za](mailto:dane.g01@curro.co.za)) before Wednesday, 21 October 2020.

### GRADE 4 TO 7 TERM 4 EXAM

Demarcations were e-mailed out to all Grade 4 to 7 parents and guardians. The reason for communicating the demarcations early is to give our learners the best opportunity to be fully prepared for their final exam. You will note from the exam schedule that we allowed a day of study in between each subject. Please see the schedule below;

Mon, 9 Nov: Grade 7 Mathematics 1	Mon, 23 Nov: Grade 5 and 7 Natural Science
Wed, 11 Nov: Grade 7 Technology	Tue, 24 Nov: Grade 4 and 6 Afr and isiZulu
Fri, 13 Nov: Grade 7 EMS	Wed, 25 Nov: Grade 5 and 7 Afr and isiZulu
Mon, 16 Nov: Grade 4 and 6 History	Thu, 26 Nov: Grade 4 and 6 Mathematics
Tue, 17 Nov: Grade 5 and 7 History	Fri, 27 Nov: Grade 5 and 7 Mathematics
Wed, 18 Nov: Grade 4 and 6 English	Mon, 30 Nov: Grade 4 and 6 Geography
Thu, 19 Nov: Grade 5 and 7 English	Tue, 1 Dec: Grade 5 and 7 Geography
Fri, 20 Nov: Grade 4 and 6 Natural Science	



### AFTERCARE

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome Teacher Jo to the Aftercare Team. Learners already enjoy having her at aftercare. Our Learners have started with homework again, which takes place between 2PM and 3 PM Monday to Thursday. Aftercare learners continue enjoy the safe and creative environment while participating in extra-murals. For any further information for enrolments please contact Ms. D. Opperman on: [danielle.o1@curro.co.za](mailto:danielle.o1@curro.co.za)

### DEBIT ORDER PAYMENTS FROM 2021.

- Annual and debit order payments will be the only accepted method of payment from 2021 for all new Curro enrolments.
- Current Curro parents are also requested to complete and return the 2021 debit order form you will soon receive.
- Please contact Angela Schoeman (Financial Administrator - [angela.s1@curro.co.za](mailto:angela.s1@curro.co.za)) if you would like to discuss the change in payment method for 2021.

### SPORT – CURRO AURORA GOLF ON TOP!

Curro Aurora hosted the Inter-Curro Golf Challenge that took place from Friday, 7 August until Sunday, 27 September 2020. The Team and individual challenge provided an opportunity for Curro golfers to participate with, and compete against, the boys and girls from the other schools in the Curro family. Participants played three rounds on any course of their choice and submitted their points scores as individuals and/or as part of the team.

The Primary School Team Challenge included 13 teams from 9 schools. All players teed off from the forward tee boxes. **The Curro Aurora team consisting of Jayden Hoskins, Casey Twidale, Kaitlyn van der Vyver and Daniel Buckle won THE NATIONAL COMPETITION by 9 points.**

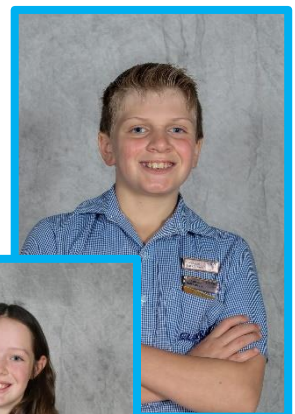
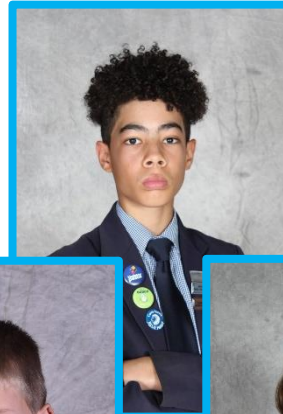
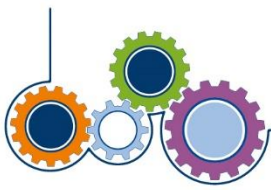
The Primary School Individual Challenge included 44 golfers. **Jayden Hoskins from Curro Aurora won the Individual Challenge by 32 points.** He scored rounds of 69, 67 and 72. Casey Jarvis finished 6<sup>th</sup>, Kaitlyn van der Vyver 9<sup>th</sup>, Daniel Buckle 20<sup>th</sup> and Matthew Buckle 23<sup>rd</sup>. The Foundation Phase Challenge was an Individual event that included 6 golfers. Matthew Buckle from Curro Aurora finished in 2<sup>nd</sup> place.

The High School Team Challenge included 16 teams from 9 schools. **The Curro Aurora ‘Blue Pride’ team consisting of Kieron van Wyk, Kim Turgut, Kael Strydom and Stefano Marchetti won the Challenge by 98 points.** The Curro Aurora ‘Masters’ team consisting of Brent Barendsen, Arnoux van der Merwe, Berk Turgut and Tae’yn Plaatjies finished in 4<sup>th</sup> place.

The High School Individual Challenge included 50 golfers. Kieron van Wyk, Curro Aurora Golf captain, won the Challenge by 6 points. He scored rounds of 70, 67 and 67. **Stefano Marchetti finished 4<sup>th</sup>, Brent Barendsen 6<sup>th</sup>, Kim Turgut 7<sup>th</sup>, Kael Strydom tie-8<sup>th</sup>, Arnoux van der Merwe 13<sup>th</sup>, Berk Turgut 20<sup>th</sup> and Tae’yn Plaatjies 28<sup>th</sup>.**

The Staff Challenge included 18 teams from 7 schools. **The Curro Aurora staff pairing of Jonathan Wernich and Adrian Ferreira finished in tie-3<sup>rd</sup> place. WELL DONE GENTS!**





**Yours in education**  
**Mr. Christiaan Maree**  
**Head of Primary School**