



Newsletter

August & September 2025 issue

Term 3

Important dates

OCTOBER

Enjoy your holiday! Remember...

Report card collection on Friday
3 October
6:30 - 8:30

School Closes 3 October
School Opens 13 October

8

DAYS LEFT

Grade 12 school days
before finals. 29/09

Coming up in October

- 2 Oct - SS Parent Afternoon
- 3 Oct - School Closes
- 8 Oct - Matric Farewell
- 13 Oct - School Opens
- 15 Oct - Group Photos
- 21 Oct - Blood donations
- 23 Oct - Parent evening
- 31 Oct - Fun Day - Splash Bash
- 31 Oct - Final Exams Start Gr 8-11

**FINAL
EXAMS
START**

31 OCTOBER

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FHO NEWSLETTER



AUG &
SEPT
EDITION

FHO 70TH
BIRTHDAY!

Hoërskool FH Odendaal is proudly celebrating 70 years of excellence in education! For seven decades, our school has been a beacon of learning, community, and growth, shaping generations of students with strong values and a passion for knowledge. To mark this special milestone, each register class made a cake in celebration of the school's birthday, adding a sweet and creative touch to the festivities. We honor our rich history, dedicated teachers, and vibrant student body who continue to make Hoërskool FH Odendaal a place where dreams take flight. Here's to many more years of success and inspiration!



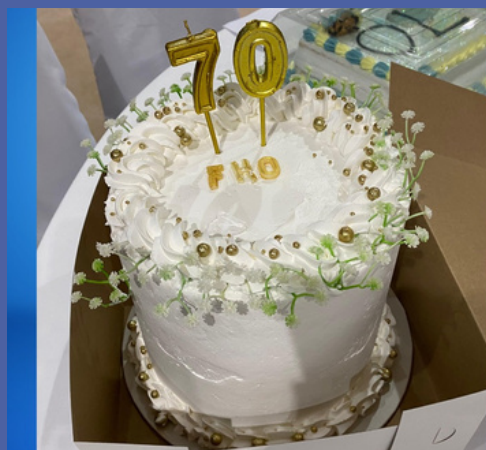


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Today the festival continues.
We start with a cake competition.



1955 - 2025

GALA DINNER

HOËRSKOOI FH ODENDAAL

70th Birthday



To celebrate its 70th birthday, Hoërskool FH Odendaal hosted a magnificent gala dinner that brought together past students, teachers, and community members. The elegant evening was filled with heartfelt speeches, nostalgic stories, and joyful celebrations honoring the school's rich history and achievements. It was a special moment to reflect on seven decades of growth, friendship, and excellence, while looking forward to an even brighter future. The gala dinner truly highlighted the strong spirit and pride that define Hoërskool FH Odendaal.





1 August 2025

FUNDAY



Hoërskool FH Odendaal's annual Fun Day is always a highlight of the school calendar! It's a lively celebration filled with games, competitions, music, and laughter, where students, teachers, and staff come together to relax and enjoy each other's company outside the classroom. From thrilling races to creative challenges, everyone gets a chance to show their spirit and teamwork. Fun Day is not just about entertainment—it strengthens our school community and creates lasting memories for everyone involved. It's a day where joy and friendship truly take center stage!



TENNIS



**FHO TENNIS RESULTS UPDATE
OUR TENNIS TEAMS DELIVERED
AN IMPRESSIVE PERFORMANCES.**

**SENIOR GIRLS WON 1 SINGLES
MATCHWON 1 DOUBLES MATCH
AGAINST HOËRSKOOL
AKASIA TEAM**

**FHO WON 36 - 31 AGAINST
CRAWFORD COLLEGE**

**EXCELLENT WORK, TEAM!
THE PLAYERS SHOWED GREAT
DETERMINATION, SKILL, AND
SPORTSMANSHIP ON THE COURT.
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL
INVOLVED — YOUR HARD WORK
IS PAYING OFF, AND WE'RE
PROUD OF YOUR SUCCESS!**



FHO

SOCCER

[2025]

NEWSLETTER

GIRLS TEAM

THE U19 GIRLS SOCCER TEAM HAS CLINCHED VICTORY IN THE JVW DIAMOND LEAGUE PLAYOFFS, SHOWCASING INCREDIBLE TEAMWORK, DETERMINATION, AND SKILL. CONGRATULATIONS TO THE PLAYERS, COACHES AND EVERYONE WHO SUPPORTED THEM THROUGHOUT THE SEASON!

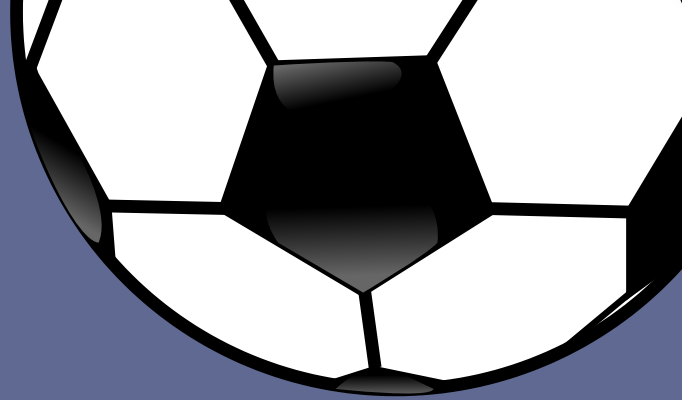
BOYS U20 TEAM

FHO WON 1 - 0 VS CLAPHAM HIGH SCHOOL

BOYS U15 TEAM

FHO DREW 1 - 1

OUR FHO TEAMS HAVE DELIVERED EXCEPTIONAL PERFORMANCES ACROSS THE BOARD! THE GIRLS' TEAM REMAINS UNBEATEN, SHOWING DOMINANCE AND DETERMINATION AS THEY ADVANCE TO THE SEMI-FINALS. THE BOYS U20 SECURED A HARD-FOUGHT VICTORY AGAINST CLAPHAM, WHILE THE U15S HELD THEIR GROUND IN A SOLID DRAW. THE ENERGY, TEAMWORK, AND SCHOOL SPIRIT ARE UNMATCHED—ONWARDS AND UPWARDS! MOVING ON TO THE SEMI-FINALS!



Rugby



Noordvaal Cup 2025

A huge congratulations to our u/15 rugby boys on a brilliant season!



They showed incredible spirit and fight to the very end.



Despite a narrow 14-15 loss, we are immensely proud of their performance and growth.

A special word of thanks and congratulations to Mr. Gouws for his dedication to the team.



Softball

Latest Update from the world of sports



This term's highlights

U15 & U19 Girls Softball Teams Shine This Season!

A huge congratulations to our U15 and U19 Girls Softball Teams for an incredible season!

Both teams showed outstanding performance, dedication, and teamwork — losing only one match throughout the entire season!

Their passion for the game, relentless training, and sportsmanship were on full display in every match. This season's success is a testament to the players' hard work and the support of their coaches and families.

We're proud of every athlete who contributed to this amazing run — the future of FHO softball is looking stronger than ever!



Netball



Latest Update from the
world of sports



U15 & U19 Girls Netball Teams Takes The Season!

Massive congratulations to our U15 and U19 netball teams, who delivered a clean sweep at the recent Fast Five Tournament!

Our U19 girls fought hard and emerged victorious in their toughest game with a commanding 22–13 win, showcasing exceptional teamwork, strategy, and resilience.

Meanwhile, the U15 team played with energy and determination, going undefeated throughout the tournament and making us incredibly proud.

Well done to all our players and coaching staff for raising the FHO flag high — your dedication and team spirit continue to inspire!





PRESIDENTS 2025/2026



Mixo Vumo



Joel Mumbuza

WE PROUDLY ANNOUNCE OUR NEWLY ELECTED VICE PRESIDENTS



Angelica Nzimande



Lekisha van Nel



Bathabile Mahlangu



Andile Nxedlana

NEWLY ELECTED STUDENT COUNCIL



Thato Ndala



Abongile Ngwenya



Nhlanhla Ntuli



Angelica Nzimande



Kimmy Oor



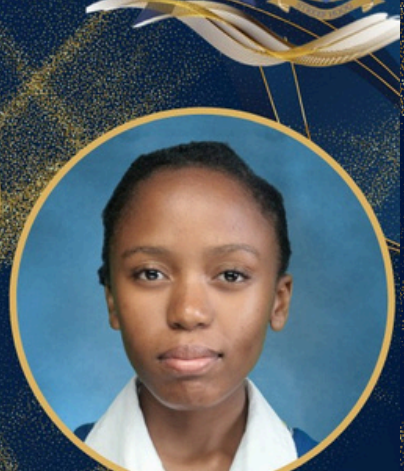
Tebogo Raboshaba



Kahlego Rampedi



Lebohang Ratlou



Nolwazi Seimela



Zinhle Sibanyoni



Lekisha van Nel



Mixo Vuma



Qiomi Masoga



Lebogang Matseane



Britleigh Matthys



Onthatile Motaung



Angel Msiza



Thandikile Mthombeni



Blessings Ditshego



Mabotsha Ditshego



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Bathabile Mahlangu



Lethabo Malatji



Tyron Ratlhagane



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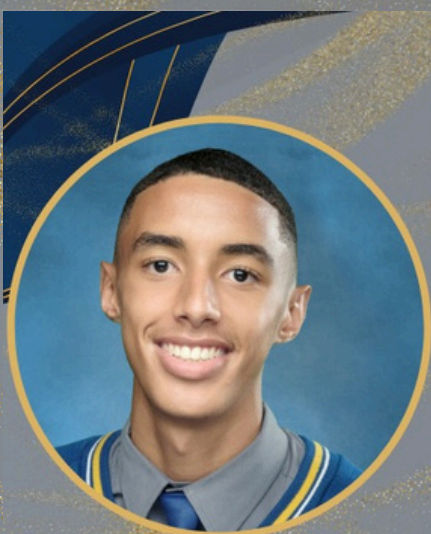
Mbalenhle Sydes



Caleb Wessels



Junior Youssa-Tshuitcheu



Langston Alexander



Jason Brink



Zeolyne Felix



Adrian Koekemoer



Tshepiso Mahlangu



Kwena Mahlo

NEWLY ELECTED STUDENT COUNCIL



Thabiso Makhubela



Siyabonga Masilela



Joel Mumbuza



Melvin Ndala



Andile Nwedlana

NEWLY ELECTED JUNIOR STUDENT COUNCIL



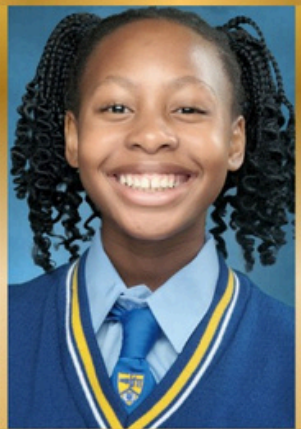
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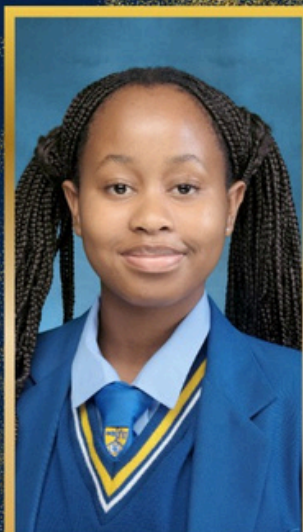
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Lindiwe Matobeni



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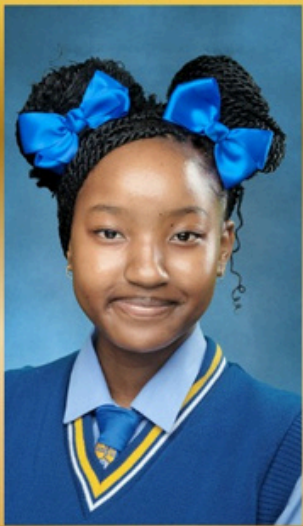
Denga Mukwevha



Kaitlynn Murray



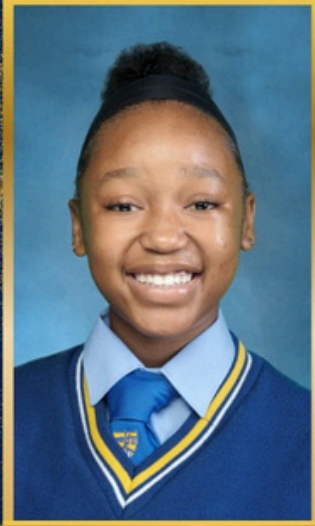
Cayleigh Petersen



Mpumi Matjebe



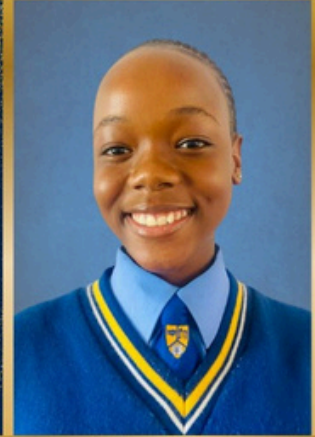
Lesedi Msiza



Lindo Matsena



Remo Modise



Bonolo Mogohlowane



Reuel Bergman



Oarabile Mashiane



Thabo Magopa



Kgotso Mashala



Itu Matji



Jason Matjila



Sphehshle Moore



Omogolo Mogale



Otile Mokoka



Ndoda Mthombeni



Nhlamulo Mteleni



Deján Naidoo



Amo Pila



Ronwyn Sampson



Dylan Valoyi

TREE CEREMONY

“We don't plant trees for ourselves but for future generations to come.” - Mr Danie Brummer - Principal



On 1 October 2025 we proudly celebrated our tradition of growth, unity, and legacy at the Annual Tree Ceremony. Each year, this special event reminds us that just as trees grow strong roots and branches, so too do our learners grow in knowledge, character, and spirit.

This year's tree was generously gifted by Plantland Akasia, and we are thankful for their contribution to our school's tradition.

A big thank you also goes to GROOT FM for sharing this initiative on radio and helping us spread the message of growth and community. May this tree grow tall and strong, just like our FHO family!



FHO

HOUSES

2025

FOR OUR 70TH BIRTHDAY
CELEBRATION MS. S. MATTHEE
EXCEPTIONALLY SKETCHED ALL
4 HOUSES OF FHO.

HOËRSKOOL FH ODENDAAL STARTED WITH THE
HOUSES INITIATIVE IN 2023. THE DIFFERENT
HOUSES GAIN POINTS IN ACADEMIC, SPORT
AND CULTURE ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS.

THERE ARE FOUR HOUSES AND EACH HOUSE
HAS A HOUSEMASTER. LEARNERS AND
EDUCATORS ARE RANDOMLY SELECTED AND
DIVIDED INTO THE DIFFERENT HOUSES.

**THE FOUR HOUSES REPRESENT THE SCHOOL'S
VALUES.**

REVERENTIA (PERSEVERANCE): HOUSEMASTER:
MR K GOUWS

EXCELLENTIA (EXCELLENCE): HOUSEMASTER:
MS A PAXTON

RESPECTUS (RESPECT): HOUSEMASTER: MR J
GREYVENSTEIN

HUMILITAS (HUMILITY): HOUSEMASTER: MR C
BUYS





Arts Competition

The winners have been announced.
3rd place is shared by:
PJ Raphala & Karabo Mashiyane
2nd place: Casey Akpakpan
1st place: Thato Mahutla



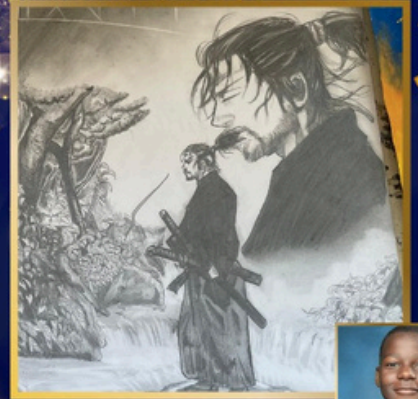
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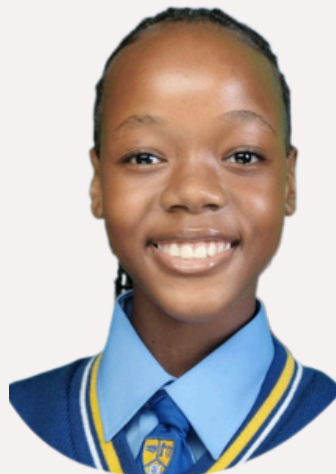


A decorative border surrounds the central portraits, featuring various science-related icons: a satellite dish, a laptop, test tubes, a flask, gears, a book, a globe, a molecular model, and a microscope.

We are extremely proud of our
Grade 8 and 9 learners who took
part in the Tshawane South
Mathematics Olimpiad this year.



**Hard work plus
perseverance equals
achievement - in
math and in life.**



OUR TEACHERS GOT FIRST AID TRAINING



What do teachers do on a weekend when they're not marking? They coach sports or getting trained to do first aid.

CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS!



Ensuring we keep our learners safe is our first priority.



SPLASH BASH

31 October 2025

R30 entry only

Pay on D6 or at
the finance office.

**Wear your
civvies!!**

R50 gets you

Entry +
5 water balloons
& 2 paint colors

There will be:

- Extra paint and water balloons colours
- Boerewors rolls
- Epic Mocktails
- Cooldrinks

GR9&11 STUDENT COUNCIL CAMP



Our Grade 9 and 11 Student Council members recently took part in an exciting Leadership Camp — a weekend filled with learning, teamwork, and fun! 🌟

The camp focused on developing key leadership skills such as communication, problem-solving, collaboration, and initiative. Students participated in team-building activities, leadership workshops, and reflective sessions that challenged them to step out of their comfort zones and grow as future leaders.

We're incredibly proud of how our Grade 9 leaders represented FHO and can't wait to see the positive impact they'll make in the school community this year!





They are
going to need
the carbs



Break
time



Spelling Bee



The English Department's annual Spelling Bee took place this term. The learners once again amazed the educators with their spelling abilities.





Math Olympiad

Nine of our Grade 8 and 9 learners participated in the District Olympiad and performed excellently.



CHESS TOURNAMENT



Our talented U19 Chess Team has been awarded medals in The DEN for being crowned Tshwane South School District Winners in the Open B League!

With sharp minds and strategic brilliance, these players have demonstrated that success isn't only earned on the field, but also at the board. We're incredibly proud of their discipline, focus, and the way they've represented FHO with excellence.

Congratulations to the team and their coach — your hard work has truly paid off!



Wen jou Wetenskap en Wiskunde

Graad 10 tot Graad 12 Wiskunde:

- Vraestelle met Memo's @ R130
- Nifty Notas @ R130

Vat die volledige Wiskunde
Pakket vir slegs R240

Graad 10 tot Graad 12 Wetenskap:

- Nifty Notas @ R130
- Flashy Flitskaarte @ R70
- Vraestelle met memo's @ R130

Vat die volledige Wetenskap
Pakket vir slegs R300

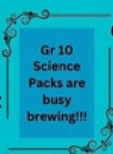
Afleweringkoste
@ R120



Win your Science and Maths

Grade 10 to Grade 12 Maths:

- * Tricky Exam Papers with Answer Sheets @ R130



Grade 11 to Grade 12 Science pack:

- * Snazzy Summaries @ R130
- * Flashy Flashcards @ R70
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Courier Costs
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goodies @ R300

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