



Matters of Principal

"To everything there is a season, and a time for every purpose under heaven." – Ecclesiastes 3:1

I Value Quality

As we draw the curtain on a long and challenging term, I am reminded of the extraordinary dedication, resilience, and commitment that defines our Stanford Lake College community. Our theme, "I value Quality," speaks not only to the academic and extracurricular achievements of our students but also to the character, perseverance, and integrity that shine through in every aspect of school life.

This term has been marked by exceptional effort: our matrices undertook rigorous exams, students engaged enthusiastically in sport, outdoor treks, and numerous co-curricular activities, and every member of our community contributed to the vibrant life of the College. Amidst the busyness and demands, it is vital to remember the importance of rest, recuperation and recovery. Taking time to recharge is not a sign of weakness but an essential part of maintaining quality in all that we do. I encourage every student and family to embrace this period of reflection and rejuvenation, returning refreshed and ready for the challenges ahead.

I would like to extend heartfelt gratitude to our academic staff and support personnel, whose commitment ensures the smooth running of the College and the nurturing of every student. My thanks also go to the Board of Governors for their guidance, and to the Parents' Association for their tireless efforts in hosting the two major events this term, which added tremendous value to our school life and strengthened our sense of community.

In conclusion, as we celebrate the achievements of the term and look forward to a well-deserved break, let us remember that quality is reflected not only in what we achieve but in how we care for ourselves and each other. May this holiday provide time for rest, connection and renewal, as we prepare to continue our journey of excellence at Stanford Lake College.

Farewells,

Firstly, to Mr Ludick, whose dedication to Stanford Lake College and to education more broadly has been truly remarkable. With nearly 40 years of service to the field of education, his contribution has left a lasting legacy, and we are deeply grateful for his commitment, guidance, and the positive impact he has made on countless students and colleagues over the years.

Secondly, to Mrs Kotzé, who has been with us for six years as our bursar. During her time here, she has implemented significant improvements in the accounts department and contributed meaningfully to the broader development and upgrades of our campus. Her professionalism, initiative and dedication will be greatly missed.

We thank both Mr Ludick and Mrs Kotzé for their outstanding service and wish them every success and happiness in their future endeavours.

Warm Regards

Dr. [Signature]

*Grade 8 2026
Sunrise Summit*



2026 Leaders

HEADS OF SCHOOL

HEAD BOY



Nakedi Makweya

HEAD GIRL



Lerato Mokgoatsane

DEPUTY HEAD GIRL



Paityn Landsman

DEPUTY HEAD BOY



Matthew Scriven

BOARDING HOUSES

FOUNDERS NORTH

FOUNDERS SOUTH

KEN SHUTER

SERALA

LAKESIDE

DAY SCHOLAR HOUSE



Joshua Doolabh



Oratile Jafta



Mia Drake



Tanya Raulinga



Moratiwa Inama



Alessio Calokechi



Bethia Makashe

SPORTS HOUSES

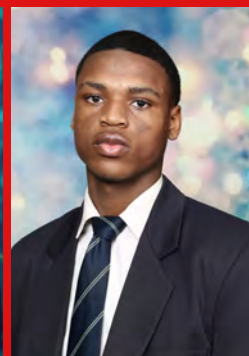
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FENWICK

ORVIS



Olivia Turner



Vuthlari Mdaka



Mfumo Ndhlovu



Mika Jones



Michaela Alcock

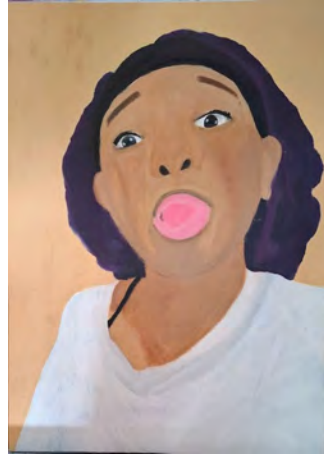


Anrich van Wyngaardt

Paintings in Oil



Daniella Esteves
Grade 10



Mckayla Munetsi
Grade 10



Sasha Boyum
Grade 10



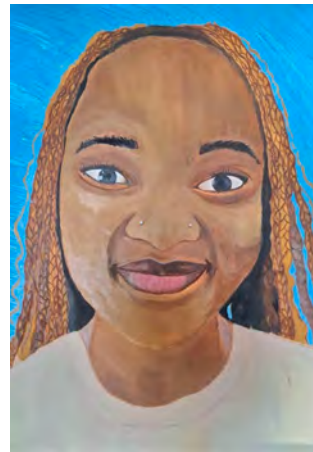
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Grade 11



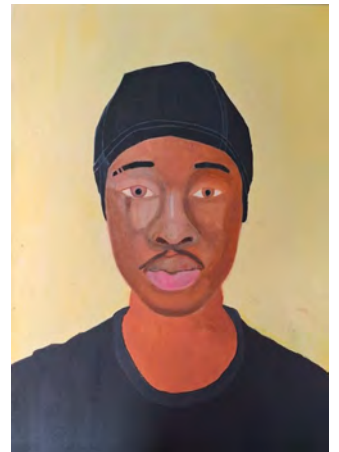
Ruby Fair
Grade 10



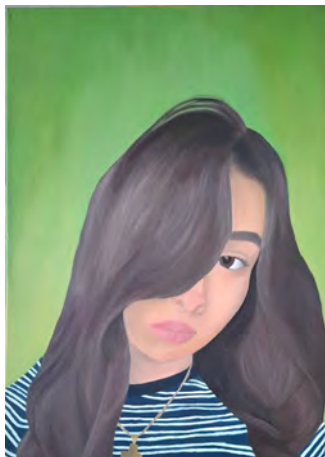
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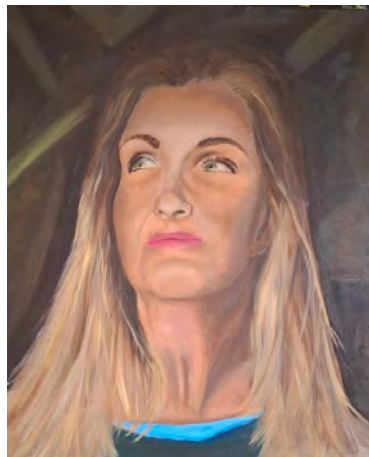
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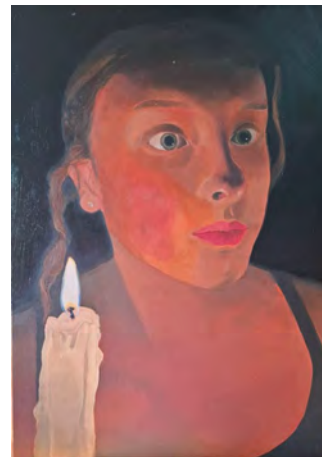
Orinea Mulaudzi
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Lorelei Scott
Grade 10



Carmen Van Der Merwe
Grade 10



Britta Göbel
Grade 10

STANFORD LAKE COLLEGE CULTURE WEEK

We've been celebrating Heritage, South African culture, and Stanford Lake College talent in true Badger spirit!

Our Houses – Ken Shuter, Lakeside, Serala, Founders North, South, and Day Scholars – have been practising for weeks for the much-anticipated Singing Competition. This fierce rivalry has been part of the College's heritage for years, and this time the Day Scholars lifted the trophy with a resounding win!

But that's not all – our celebrations continued with strong showings across a range of competitions:

Debating:

- 🥇 Fenwick
- 🥈 Orvis
- 🥉 Loomis

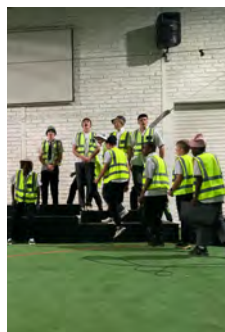
Chess:

- 🥇 Orvis
- 🥈 Fenwick
- 🥉 Loomis

Art:

- 🥇 Orvis
- 🥈 Fenwick
- 🥉 Loomis

A vibrant week of culture, competition, and community – well done to every scholar who showcased their talent and spirit!



ADVENTURE RACING ACHIEVEMENT

Congratulations to Ilne and Benno Kotzé, who completed a challenging 25km AR in Pretoria yesterday in an impressive 2 hours 13 minutes.

They finished 1st in their category (Mixed Teams) and placed 2nd overall – missing the top spot by less than a second out of 25 teams competing on the day!



Round Square Conference DUBAI 2025



BADGER OF THE WEEK

Badger of the Week goes to Michael Kiggundu, who shone on the tennis courts this week! Michael won his matches against Ben Vorster, playing a key role in securing a massive victory for our 1st Team.