

Peek at the Week ...

- ☺ Tue, 21 Jun - Music Tour returns
- ☺ **Wed, 22 Jun - Netball vs The King's Court**
- ☺ Fri, 24 Jun - End of Term Awards Assembly 10h00
- ☺ **Fri, 24 Jun - Parent/Teacher meetings in the dining room after assembly from 11h00-12h00**
- ☺ **Tue, 19 July - LESSONS RESUME**

REPORT BACK ON THE MUSIC TOUR



The music tour kicked off to a very enthusiastic start on Friday, 17 June. Both students and staff were glad to have finished exams and we were looking forward to an enjoyable week on fun, music and relaxation. We arrived in Sabie tired but excited. The following day we headed off to Babanango Valley Lodge, a long drive but worth it when we got there. The following morning we woke up to the most amazing sunrise and a day full of music and drama. Groups were set up and split into drama class and music class, in which we all learnt a lot from each other and the coaches. In the music class we were split in two different groups to prepare a piece in which we could use any form of music, drama, etc. for a show that night. The pieces were amazing and it was brilliant to see the talent we have at Stanford. Over all, after a lot of travelling and fun the music tour showed a side of Stanford that is hardly seen. We hope to bring what we have learnt into the Stanford family to create an amazing drama/music department. Thank you to everyone who made such a tour possible.

Vicky Smale



BLANKET DRIVE

Mrs Boshoff's Mentor group is appealing for blankets to be distributed to the needy in our area. If you have an old blanket at home that is not being used, please send it in next term. If you would like to contribute to the appeal by buying a blanket we are particularly looking for blankets for children and babies which can be purchased quite cheaply from Ackerman's or Mr Price. Last year we collected 40 blankets and would like to improve on that figure this year. There will be a treat for the Mentor group that collects the most blankets.

OPEN LETTER FROM A RS EXCHANGE STUDENT

You come into a strange world, you don't know what to expect, you don't even know even if you *should* expect something. That is how I would define my exchange. Exchange for me was the best opportunity to know who I really am, to realize that I could fit in where I wanted and make things work out even in the most impossible situations.

Stanford Lake is an amazing institution with epic people and definitely very unlike Vivek High School in almost all its aspects. I am sure I could not have had a better exchange destination. I never expected I would not want to go back, because in the beginning I was always waiting for these three months to pass.

I am going back with a bunch of awesome memories and this bag of memories shall stay forever.

For me it was not a life time experience but living a life in a short experience.

Thank you!
Sanjana
Vivek High School
India



NETBALL NEWS

The girls played their last match of the season against The King's Court. The 1st team girls met them for the first time and, in a closely contested match, managed to beat them by a handful of points. In the other three matches, all friendlies and return matches as we had played them before. The u15s and 17s were narrowly beaten and the u14s were victorious. Thank you to all players, coaches and umpires for a good season. Thank you also to the parents who regularly supported out matches, particularly to Mrs Prinsloo, who has kept the statistics for the 1st team all season.



Netball will resume in the fourth term when we will begin to prepare for the 2012 season.

The Weeks ahead ...

- ☺ Sun, 26 Jun - Turkey Tour departs and returns Thursday, 7 July
- ☺ HAVE A WONDERFUL HOLIDAY, EVERYONE!
- ☺ **Tue, 19 July - LESSONS RESUME**