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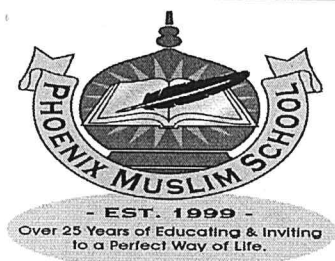
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20 March 2025,
Respected Parents/ Guardian
As Salaamu Alaikum

Newsletter No. 03

On behalf of the Board of Governors, it is our Dua that this newsletter reaches you in the best of health during this sacred month of Ramadan.

Message from Acting Principal:

It has been an honour and pleasure to have served Phoenix Muslim school as the Head of the institution for the past one and half years. In all humility I was given an opportunity to facilitate the UMALUSI Accreditation process which warranted the merging of the two campuses which is an unprecedented milestone in the history of Phoenix Muslim school. All praise and glory to the almighty that we have emerged victorious amid the challenges we have faced in 2024. The cohort of matrics have produced excellent results achieving a 96% pass rate and it's 64% bachelor passes. We are fully focused on the class of 2025 aiming for educational excellence.

Phoenix Muslim school hosted their annual FET awards on the 15th of February 2025. We congratulate our awardees for their outstanding performance in the NSC exams. The DUX of 2024 is Ahmed Refqat Ali. Husnaa Mohommed achieved the Association of Muslim schools AMS distinction awards in CAT and Business Studies. Our matric learners were also placed in the top 30 positions amongst the AMS schools in KZN.

I now hand over the baton to the incumbent Principal, Mr. A. Moideen. The Staff and SMT aim to work together to take Phoenix Muslim School to greater heights.

1. LEARNER DISCIPLINE

• Attendance to school

Learner absenteeism according to the Basic Education Law Amendments Act (BELA) and the South African Schools Act, learners must attend school everyday. Parents must ensure learners are at school and if they are absent for more than three days a letter or a medical note must be sent to school indicating reasons for absence. A parent can be charged or imprisoned for not sending a child to school without a valid reason.

• Schools Code of Conduct

Learners must abide by the **School's Code of Conduct** with regards to Behaviour and the School Dress Code in the interest of **SCHOOL DISCIPLINE**. Cell phones are not allowed at school and therefore, it will be confiscated according to the school Cell Phone Policy. If a child is caught with a cell phone, it will be confiscated and retained for a period of six months from date of confiscation.

Learners who engage in cyberbullying, posting of indecent, racist and unislamic messages on social media will be in serious violation of the code of conduct

Physical fighting and bullying will not be tolerated at school.

Learners carrying unauthorised materials to school such as legal drugs like medication, and illegal substances like vapes, drugs etc. will be committing a serious misdemeanour.

All of the above violations will result in a Disciplinary Hearing which can lead to suspension and expulsion of a learner.

The BOD and the Management of the school will not tolerate learners who are displaying a lack of interest in their studies and engage in disruptive behaviour, vandalism and absconding of lessons.

Note: The registration of all learners will be reviewed for the new year depending on learner performance and behaviour. Subsidy can be withdrawn of those who transgress.

- ***Parents Code Of Conduct***

Parents must abide by the Islamic dress code when visiting school as this is a Masjid premises. Parents are welcome to e-mail the school first to resolve issues. Reserve calls and visits to the school to address urgent issues only, however it would be appreciated if you make an appointment to see the principal. Parents who do not conduct themselves with decorum and respect will be escorted out of the school by security. Parents need to set an example to the little eyes and ear at our school. Remember the Principal and SMT are always eager to attend to your concerns and we implore you for your patience.

- ***Late Arrival:***

Far too many learners are coming to school late. Parents are required to ensure that learners report to school on time 07.20. School commences at 07.30. Learners are missing the morning Zikr, Duas and notices.

2. KEY HIGHLIGHTS OF THE FIRST TERM:

- ***The RCL induction***

The RCL induction took place on the 14th of March where we encourage leadership development. Congratulations to all those learners who have been selected as RCL's of 2025. ***(names attached)***

- ***Conquesta Olympiad***

Learners have produced excellent results in the foundation phase in the 2024 Conquesta Olympiad. Our learners featured in the top 20 position. Grade 1 were placed first for life skills and placed third for English. Grade 3 were placed sixth for English.

- ***Grade 12 Lessons***

Normal lessons will take place for the Grade 12 on the 24th and 25th of March. Important syllabus coverage and review of tests will be completed. Learner attendance is compulsory.

EDUVOS the tertiary institution visited our school on the 12th Of February to address the grade 11 and 12 learners on career development.

- **Parent Matriculant Information Meeting**

A successful information meeting with 12 parents was held on the 1st of March. Study Tips and guidance was offered to parents.

- **Colgate Bus**

Wandile from Colgate visited our school on 14/03/2025, to teach the Foundation Phase learners on oral hygiene and hand washing techniques. The learners had an enjoyable experience.

- **The Department of PLC (Professional Learning Community) English Baseline Tests**

Our Grade 8 learners produced excellent results in their baseline tests. We encourage learners to read books and reduce screen time to build reading, writing and literacy skills.

3. ANTICIPATED EVENTS FOR TERM 2:

- School re-opens on Tuesday the 8th of April 2025.
- Reports will be handed out to learners from Grade 4 to 12 on the 11th of April
- A parent consult based on the March Test results will take place on Saturday the 12th of April 2025.
- The grade 1 to 12 excursions will take place on the 22nd of April
 - Grades 1 to 3 and Grades 4 to 12 girls will be going to the Ushaka Marine World and
 - Grades 4 to 12 boys will visit Splash world.

Learners are encouraged to participate in extracurricular events. Parents are encouraged to advise learners about being careful and to engage in water safety at the excursion venue.

- The Annual School Sports event will take place on the following days:
 - Boys Sports 6th Of May 2025
 - Girls Sports 7th Of May 2025
 - Foundation Phase 8th Of May 2025
- **AMS Soccer, Netball and Volleyball Tournament**
 - The Girls AMS Netball tournament will take place on the 31st of May 2025.
 - The Boys AMS Soccer tournament will take place on the 24th of May 2025.

The dates for the Volleyball tournament will be finalized.

4. School Fees Payment:

We encourage parents to update school fees that need to be paid on a monthly basis. Ensure that you are not falling behind this important amanath towards your child's education.

5. Staff News:

- Congratulations to Mam K. Munsamy on the birth of a beautiful baby girl. We wish her success with her bundle of joy.

- Mubarak to members of staff who will be embarking on a journey of a lifetime may the Almighty grant them an accepted Hajj. We wish Apa Y. Joosab, Apa N. Divan and Apa Z. Kara a Hajj Maqbool and Mabroor.
- We welcome Apa S. RAZZAK to Phoenix Muslim School.

6. General:

- School will be **closed on Friday the 21 March 2025**, Human Rights Day.
- The March Controlled tests will bring the **Term 1 to a close on the 26th of March 2025 at 10:30**. Kindly make necessary transport arrangements for early closure.
- School will reopen for **term 2 on 8 of April 2025**.
- **Foundation Phase reports will be issued on Wednesday 26/03/2025 to learners.**
- April Holidays:
 - Friday 18th April 2025 – Good Friday
 - Monday 21st April 2025 – Family Day
 - School will be closed from 28th April 2025 to 2nd May 2025 – Public School Holiday

School will resume normal from 5th May 2025. Normal School times will resume.

Closure of School **Monday – Thursday Grades 1-3 at 14.20**

Monday – Thursday Grades 4-12 at 14.50

Friday Grades 1-12 at 14.15

We encourage and appreciate communication between **the** school and parents. Thank you for supporting your child in their educational journey.

On behalf of the BOD we wish you a spiritually uplifting Laylatul Qadr and a blessed Eid Mubarak. May your homes be filled with peace and prosperity.



R.B. Buckus (Acting Principal)

7. Watsapp Communication:

Phoenix Muslim School will embark on a watsapp broadcast service.

Kindly fill in the reply slip to confirm if you would like to join to pertinent messages regarding school.

----- **REPLY SLIP** -----

I, _____ parent of
 _____ in grade _____

hereby give Phoenix Muslim School permission to add me on the watsapp broadcast.

Watsapp Number: _____

 Parent Signature

 Date



REPRESENTATIVE CLASS LEADER (RCL) - 2025

TOTAL : 65

GRADE: 4FD	- Muhammad Nuraiz Mahomed - Aaliyah Mahomed	GRADE: 4DP	- Abdullah Ally - Suhaifa Khan
GRADE: 5G	- Aakifah Ebrahim - Ziyana Noordeen	GRADE: 5B	- Armaan Dadabhay - Mohamed Rayyan Hoosen
GRADE: 6G	- Yashfa Ahmed - Amirah Mahomed	GRADE: 6B	- M. Huzaifa Lalchund - M. Uthmaan Khan
GRADE: 7G	- Fareeha Mohamed - Tasmiyah Iyob	GRADE: 7B	- Raihaan Mustapha - Dawood Khan
GRADE: 8G	- Zahra Amod - Juwairiyah Amra	GRADE: 8B	- Zainul Abedeen Rashid - M. Tawheed Shaik Abdool
GRADE: 9G	- Swabira Kassim - Farha Mustapha	GRADE: 9B	- Mohamed Rizan Khan - M. Zain Lutchman
GRADE: 10G	- Siddiqua Bibi Mohideen - Umme Kulsum Vally - Hayat Usman - Halima Ismail - Hawa Bibi Khan	GRADE: 10B	- Muhammed Zidaan Ramjan - Mohammed Nawaaz Abdul - Muhammed Ali - Zain Sayed - Ashraf Khan - Siraj Salot - Sibtein Hoosen - Zuhair Abdul - Zuhair Hanif - Ahmed Essop
GRADE: 11G	- Atika Amod - Iqra Anwar - Amina Chimba - Fathima Zahra Gaffoor - Salma Mahomed - Tazkiya Munir - Nashmia Noordeen - Sumaya Usman - Mahdiya Abdool - Labiba Bashir	GRADE: 11B	- Muzaffar Richards - Sayed M. Yusuf Khan - Shaahid Khan - Muazzam Mahomed - Safiyullah Haffejee
GRADE: 12G	HEAD GIRL: Maseeha Noor DEPT.HEAD: Mumtaaz Mohamed DEPT.HEAD: Umairah Sheik - Laaiqah Zahrah Khan - Ayesha Essop -	GRADE: 12B	HEAD BOY: M. Nassir Sheriff DEPT.HEAD: Hafiz M.Nabeel Yusuf DEPT.HEAD: M. Siddique Eusouff - M. Zaahid Sheriff - M. Rehaan Mahomed - M. Rayyan Abubaker