



# FEEL THE PRIDE

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## HERITAGE RUN

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### PARKTOWN BOYS' HIGH SCHOOL HERITAGE RUN 2016

DATE: SUNDAY 25 SEPTEMBER 2016  
TIME: 07h00



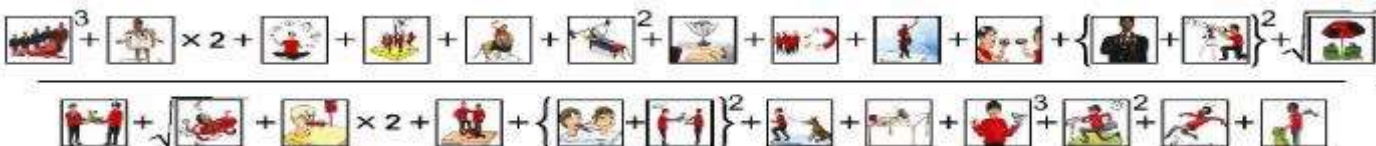
DISTANCE: 5km & 10km  
ENTRY: <https://entrytickets.net/parktownboys>  
FEE: R80 for adults (18+) R50 children (R100 entry on the day)  
PARKING: Available at the school - R20 per a vehicle

**FOOD & DRINKS WILL BE ON SALE  
FUN FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY**

This school fundraising event is bought to you by the Parent Association



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**WORLD SCHOLARS' CUP**

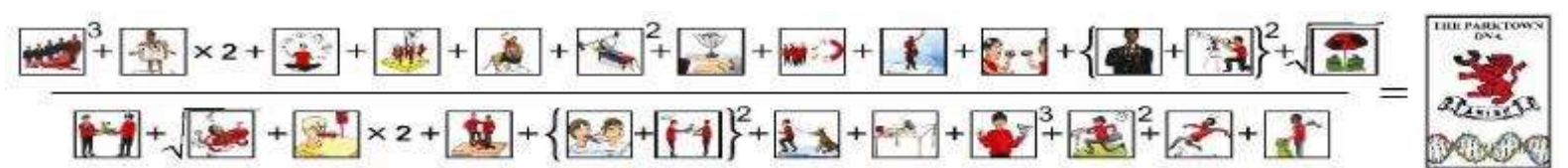
Congratulations to the boys who participated in this year's World Scholars Cup held in Prague. The results for the Global Round were as follows:

- Team 745 (Zidaan Habib, Rushil Daya and Tristan Wilkinson) – 2<sup>nd</sup> ranked Team in Africa.
- Team 746 (Mohammed Elzubeir, Jesse Bwanali and Moein Elzubeir) – 3<sup>rd</sup> ranked Team in Africa.
- Tristan Wilkinson was placed 4<sup>th</sup> overall in Africa and Mohammed Elzubeir was placed 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Mohammed Elzubeir was ranked in the Top 10 out of 500 Scholars for Social Studies.



**SCIENCE DEMONSTRATION**

Mr Barry Myers gave an Applied Science demonstration in the Hall for all our learners from Grade 8-11. The show was very dynamic, featuring basic scientific explanations of optical phenomena and electricity, stunning light-spectra examples, high-voltage equipment and spectacular explosions. In the photo, Mr Myers is holding a 65 000 V taser that he used to light up a Neon based light-tube. Because the gas was Neon, the light produced was red.





**BOARDING HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT**

The building for the new Boarding House Establishment started last week and already a considerable degree of progress has been made. We can't wait to see the forthcoming developments in this area!



All boarding application queries can be sent to [stoppelk@parktownboys.com](mailto:stoppelk@parktownboys.com) or [beards@parktownboys.com](mailto:beards@parktownboys.com).

The Foundation is also running a R250 club which is been used partially to sponsor the new Boarding House. All funds from this club are used to benefit the school – for more information please contact Ruanne Wood at [info@surgite.co.za](mailto:info@surgite.co.za).





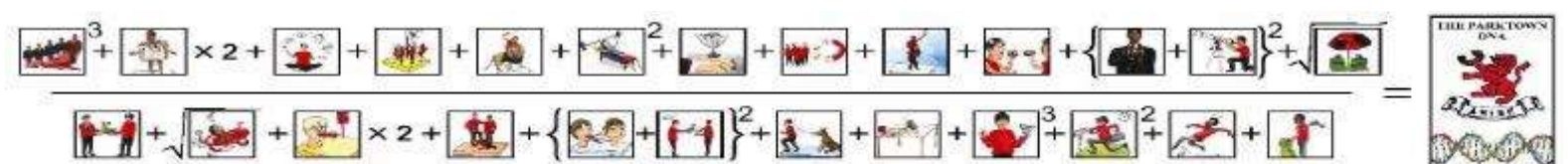
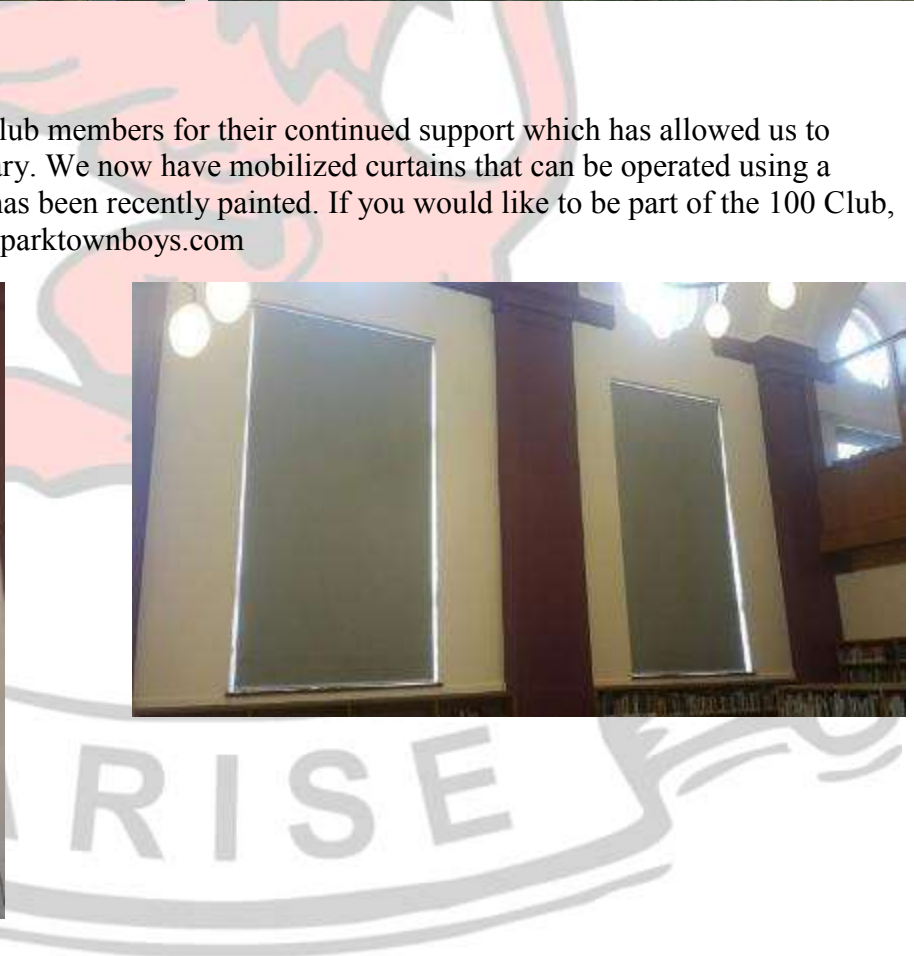
### ***ROWING OPEN DAY***

We would like to thank all parents and boys who attended the Rowing Open Day on Sunday 28 August. It was a great success.



### ***LIBRARY UPGRADES***

We would also like to thank the 100 Club members for their continued support which has allowed us to make a few changes to the school library. We now have mobilized curtains that can be operated using a remote control device and the library has been recently painted. If you would like to be part of the 100 Club, please contact Mrs Heron on [heronb@parktownboys.com](mailto:heronb@parktownboys.com)





### PROTEA FIRE

Aaqil Sarlie had the opportunity to meet the Proteas last week.

### BASKETBALL

Parktown Boys' started Basketball at the beginning of 2015, with mixed success, after I had identified a need for the sport at our school. Not only is Basketball a great spectator game but it is also one of the most physically intensive sports the summer season has to offer, in addition to Water Polo, Rowing and Swimming. This will benefit other sports down the line, such as Rugby and Hockey, as the physical health of the young men playing Basketball will improve. It will also positively influence their ball-skills, strength, agility and, importantly, discipline – something which I am sure we agree is needed amongst our youth today.

As the sport is still in its infancy at the school, we require equipment, coaches and other items to get this off the ground.

If anyone would like to get involved with sponsoring or assisting with Basketball please contact Mr Christensen ([cristensenm@parktownboys.com](mailto:cristensenm@parktownboys.com))



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