

MONDAY, 24 JULY 2017 TO FRIDAY, 23 SEPTEMBER 2017

Columns (L-R): date, weekday, cycle day, activity / notice
 Sport abbreviations: **B** U14 = boys' U14 team; **G** 1st = girls' 1st team
CLOSED = Boarders must stay in BE; **CA** = Compulsory attendance



JULY

- 23 SUN HS Parent-teacher forum – 14:00 – 16:00 ←
- Anreisetag* – Boarders return to the BE by 18:00
- 24 MON (6) *Schulanfang* – School starts for Term Three – 07:15
- HS Grade 11 & 12 Geography field trip
- Athletics: **G** Grade 7–12 heats – 14:15
- 25 TUE (7) Athletics: **B** Grade 7–12 heats – 14:15
- 26 WED (8) Athletics: **G** Grade 7–12 heats – 14:15
- 27 THU (9) Athletics: **B** Grade 7–12 heats – 14:15
- 29 SAT *Wartburg Basar*
- HS Soccer: **B** 1st & U15 vs Wartburg – 15:00
- PS Hockey: **B** U9 & U10 vs Treverton (away) – 08:00
- 30 SUN Greytown Museum Arts Fair
- 31 MON (1) HS Athletics: Inter-house finals begin
- Pietermaritzburg Eisteddfod opens

AUGUST

- 4 FRI (5) HS Soccer: **B** 1st & U15 vs Weston (home) – 15:00
- PS Hockey: **B** U13 day/night tournament (New Hanover)
- National Enviroquiz
- 5 SAT **R&B Inter-house Athletics – 08:00 – CA – ALL** ←
- 7 MON (6) HS Tennis: **B & G** vs Voortrekker (home) – 15:00
- 9 WED (8) **NORMAL SCHOOL DAY – CA – ALL**
- 10 THU (9) HS Soccer: **B** 1st & U15 vs Greytown (away) – 15:00
- 11 FRI (10) HS Grade 11 Geography field trip
- PS Athletics: Inter-prep Meeting (Treverton) – 09:00
- 12 SAT HS Grade 12 Accounting Day
- PS Hockey: **B** U13 vs Howick (away) – 08:00
- Gemeinde Basar Schlachten* (meat processing)
- 14 MON (1) PS Cross-country: Inter-house Grades 1 & 2 – 11:35
- PS Cross-country: Inter-house Grades 3–7 – 12:30
- HS Cross-country: Inter-house – 14:15
- PS Hockey: **B** U10/U13 tournament at Wembley – 14:00
- 15 TUE (2) HS Tennis: **G** vs Wembley (away) – 15:00
- 16 WED (3) **PHOTO DAY – CA – ALL**
- School closes for mid-term break – 11:00 (after photos)
- 20 SUN *Anreisetag* – Boarders return to the BE by 18:00
- 21 MON (6) School starts with morning devotion at 07:15
- 22 TUE (7) HS Athletics: Quadrangular meeting (DSH) – 14:00
- 23 WED (8) HS Hockey: Inter-house – 14:15
- 24 THU (9) HS Soccer: **G** vs Wartburg – 14:30
- HS Tennis: **B** vs Voortrekker (away) – 15:00
- KZN Midlands Youth Choir Concert – 18:30 ←
- 25 FRI (10) HS Grade 11 Student Expo TBC
- PS Hockey: **B** U11 day/night tournament New Hanover

- 26 SAT HS Athletics: Co-Ed Meeting (Treverton) – 08:00
- PS Hockey: **G** U13 tournament (Wembley) – 08:00
- Gemeinde Basar* ←
- 28 MON (1) Hermannsburg Music Eisteddfod – 08:30 to 16:00 ←
- HS Tennis: **B** vs Wembley (away) – 15:00
- HS Grade 12 Music concert (church hall) – 18:30 ←
- 29 TUE (2) HS Tennis: **G** vs Treverton (away) – 15:00
- 30 WED (3) HS Trial Examinations start for Grade 12
- 31 THU (4) HS Soccer: **G** vs St Nicholas – 15:00

SEPTEMBER

- 1 FRI (5) Arbor day devotion – 07:15
- HS Soccer: **B** vs Voortrekker (away) – 15:00
- 2 SAT **PS UMVOTI ATHLETICS – CA – PS – 09:00** ←
- HS Soccer: **B & G** Wembley College Duck Derby – 08:00
- Grey/Bloem athletics trials
- 3 SUN *Kreisposaunenfest* (Circuit Brass Festival)
- 4 MON (6) HS Tennis: **B** vs Wembley (home) – 15:00
- 5 TUE (7) HS Grade 12 Deutsche Sprachdiplom (DSD) II (written)
- HS Tennis: **G** vs St Anne's (home) – 15:00
- PS Hockey: **B** Grade 1 & 2 tournament (home) – 13:00
- B** U10 & U13 tournament (home) – 14:30
- 6 WED (8) HS Grade 10 DSD I (written)
- HS Grade 12 DSD II orals begin
- 7 THU (9) HS Grade 10 DSD I orals begin
- HS Soccer: **G** vs Linpark – 15:00
- PS Athletics: Grade R–3 meeting at Wembley – 10:00
- 8 FRI (10) **Kindergarten Opa & Omi Tag** ←
- 9 SAT HS Soccer: **B** 1st & U16 vs Grace College – 15:00
- PS Hockey: **B** U10 & U13 tournament at Wembley – 08:00
- Board of Trustees meeting
- 13 WED (3) PS Vorspiel (music recital) ←
- HS Soccer: **G** vs Alexandra High – 15:00
- 14 THU (4) ELCSA(N-T) Synod at Hermannsburg begins
- HS Tennis: Inter-house tournament – 14:15
- PS Athletics: Grade 3–7 meeting at Wartburg – 12:00
- 15 FRI (5) Speech & Drama Festival
- HS Trial Examinations end for Grade 12
- Naturkunde & Wandern* (Nature Club) field trip departure
- 17 SUN ELCSA(N-T) Synod at Hermannsburg ends
- Naturkunde & Wandern* (Nature Club) field trip return
- 18 MON (6) Play practices begin
- 21 THU (9) **SCHOOL PLAY** ←
- 22 FRI (10) School closes for the holidays – 11:00
- HMB GOLF DAY** at St Cathryn's Golf Estate
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- Gemeinde* Potjiekos Competition ←

OCTOBER

- 1 SUN *Anreisetag* – Boarders return to the BE by 18:00
- 2 MON (1) *Schulanfang* – School starts for Term Four – 07:15
- HS Grade 11 Leadership Camp begins
- 3 TUE (2) *Deutscher Tag* (German Day)

DATES TO REMEMBER – 2017

- AUG 5 **R&B Inter-house athletics meeting – CA – ALL**
- 9 **Normal school day for DSH – CA – ALL**
- 11 Inter-prep Athletics Meeting
- Grade 11 Geography Field Trip
- 12 Grade 12 Accounting Day
- 16 **Whole school photo-day – CA – ALL**
- 22 Quadrangular Athletics meeting
- 26 Co-Ed athletics meeting
- 28 DSH Music Eisteddfod
- SEP 2 **Umvoti Athletics meeting (PS) – CA – PS**
- 8 **Opa & Oma Tag – Kindergarten**
- 15 Speech & Drama festival at DSH
- 21 School Play
- 22–23 HMB Golf Day
- 30 HMB congregation potjiekos competition
- OCT 2–4 Grade 11 Leadership Camp
- 3 *Deutscher Tag* / German Day
- 7 School Fun Day & Walk
- 13 **Grade 12 Awards Ceremony – CA – HS**
- 14 Matric Dance (by invitation only)
- 17–21 Confirmation camp
- 23 IEB NSC examinations start (TBC)
- 29 Confirmation Service
- NOV 1 Reformation Day Celebration
- 18 Kindergarten Graduation & *ABC Schützenfest*
- 24–26 Nature Club field trip
- 25 Birding Big Day
- 26 Church service with school choirs
- 30 **Primary School Awards Ceremony – CA – PS**
- DEC 1 **High School Awards Ceremony – CA – HS**
- 8–14 Grade 12 teachers mark NSC examinations



PS = Primary School E. & O.E. HS = High School
 While every effort is made to ensure the accuracy of information, events, dates and times may change and should be confirmed individually in advance. More sport fixtures may be arranged during the term.

DAY SCHOLAR TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS

Bus departure times (These times apply throughout the year)

Greytown: PS & HS bus 06:40 daily on weekdays

Hermannsburg: PS bus 13:45 daily on weekdays
HS bus 16:40 daily Mon–Thu; 13:45 Fri

Please note that the advertised times may be affected by weather and traffic conditions.

Scholar participation in sport is compulsory
Parents are cordially invited to spectate at sports fixtures

TERM DATES FOR 2017

The first and last school days are given below for each term.
Boarders always return by 18:00 on the day before the first school day.
School closes at 11:00 on the last day of each term.

TERM 1: Monday, 16 January to Friday, 31 March
TERM 2: Tuesday, 18 April to Friday, 23 June
TERM 3: Monday, 24 July to Friday, 22 September
TERM 4: Monday, 2 October to Friday, 1 December

LONG WEEKENDS FOR 2017

For long weekends, school closes at 11:00 on the first day mentioned below, boarders return by 18:00 on the second day mentioned and lessons start on the following morning after the morning devotion.

TERM 1: Wednesday, 15 February to Sunday, 19 February
TERM 2: Saturday, 20 May to Wednesday, 24 May
TERM 3: Wednesday, 16 August to Sunday, 20 August
TERM 4: Wednesday, 1 November to Sunday, 5 November

CLOSED WEEKENDS FOR 2017

Boarders may not go home; day scholars are required to participate in school activities.

Friday, 20 January to Sunday, 22 January Grade 8, Grade 9 & Prefects
Friday, 10 February to Sunday, 12 February Grade 10 GEP participants

Please note that all Sunday church services are *Pflichtgottesdienste* (compulsory services) for boarders.
Day scholars and parents are most welcome to attend.

DAILY TIMETABLE

DAY ▼	LESSON (Starting times for lessons are given below)							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
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Tea break is from 10:25 – 10:55 daily.

Kindergarten and Grade 1 & 2 scholars end school at 13:00 daily.

Lesson 8 is from 13:00–13:25 for Grade 3 – 7 scholars.

Grades 3 – 7 end school at 13:35 daily.

PS Supervised study runs from 14:00 – 14:45, Monday to Thursday.

Lessons end for High School scholars at 13:40 daily.

Lunch is served for High School scholars at 13:45 in the Dining Hall.

High School sport practices start at 14:20, Monday to Thursday.

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TERM CALENDAR THIRD TERM 2017

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Our Mission

To provide educational excellence
in a Christian context,
in various languages, especially German.
To ensure the holistic enrichment of
each individual in order to meet
the challenges of a changing world confidently.

Our Values

The pursuit of **excellence** in all endeavours.
The conduct of all interactions with **integrity**,
respect, **trust** and **compassion**.
The fostering of an attitude of **commitment**,
responsibility and **pride**.