Newsletter Exchange

The newsletter exchange is an exchange program between Bongolethu Primary School in Oudtshoorn, South-Africa and Primary School Vianova in Alphen aan den Rijn, The Netherlands.

Hi friends from Alphen aan den Rijn

This newsletter is about our school, Bongolethu Primary School in Oudtshoorn, South Africa. Enjoy reading it!

Greetings from all of us.

Pupils from Bongolethu Primary School

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OUDTSHOORN



Twin city of Alphen aan den Rijn







Text: Bruzane and Morenchia

School's name: Bongolethu Primary. Languages taught are isiXhosa and English The pupils come to school to learn but some comes to school for playing and eating. Learners are very poor. We have seven hundred in our school.

The school is in Oudtshoorn in the Bongolethu area. Our school is situated in the Western Cape province. Most of the learners speak Afrikaans and Xhosa.

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We go to school by foot. We there are \pm 46 learners in a classroom. We have 24 teachers at our school. We have a soccer field and we have a computer lab and a net ball field. We have a rugby field a net ball field and a office.



This is what Bongholehtu Primary School looks like from the roadside

Our class

Text: Samantha, Clarischa and Siphosihle

We are 53 learners in our class. Most of the learners are loving and kind. We like to share our things with each other and our class teacher is a good person. Most of the learners are Afrikaans speaking and the other learners in our class speak isiXhosa. There are Afrikaans learners that can speak isiXhosa to. The Afrikaans learners can speak Xhosa like Xhosas. Our class is always clean and beautiful.

There are 53 learners in our class. There are two grade 5 classes

We have a time table and many periods. We have 9 subjects: 3 languages, Natural Science, Mathematics, Social Science, Economic and management Science, Arts and Culture, Technology and Life Orientation.

Good bye!!!

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This picture is during one of the newsletter exchange lessons

Schoolyard

Text: Leonie and Somila

We have a big school yard A section of it has a fence around it. This is for the learners safety. Not all visitors are aloud to see teachers.

We have a vegetable garden at the back of the school yard, a kitchen, tennis court and netball fields on the yard.

We have a computer lab, an office and a playing park. We have a pause in the morning at 10h00 and in the afternoon at 12h00. We play soccer, netball, rugby and cricket.

Greetings



A dancing competition at the schoolyard

About our theacher

Text: Hayleigh Ann and Zinzi

Our teacher's name is Mrs.A.Jonkers. She teaches us English.

I like it when my teacher reads stories to us and sings to us. I like it when she gives us books to read she is our best teacher. We spend most time together because she teaches us English, Arts and culture and Economic and Management Science. So she teaches us how to work with money and art and she teaches us about neatness. She also lives in Oudtshoorn and she loves Jazz music and she doesn't like noise. She likes hot food such as curry and rice. She loves us. She has two children and a husband.

Her daughters are funny and they like chocolate and they are a good family.



Our teacher supports us with writing the articles for the newsletter exchange.

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