





Deputy principal Mr Eman Adekponya

Thank you Mr Adekponya, today we wish you well, your inspiration and difference you made in so many lives has been inspirational. You might be leaving teaching, but lesson learnt will forever remain.

Enkosi Tata from all pupils past and present, teachers at St Matthews High School, and Sifunda Kunye Educational Project.



#### Special points of interest:

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# St Matthews High School welcomes Principal Mr Mgqoba



#### **Presented by:**

St Matthews Newspaper club

Edited by: Jolande Swartz

# Book Club 2017

#### Reading is fun !!!

Sifunda Kunye's book club at St Matthews High School reopened for 2017 on the 21st of January, with Sifunda Kunyes Facilitator Sanga, and all the student volunteers from St Matthews High School. We had a fun time with storytelling, song and dance and reading. Sifunda Kunye has a weakly book club for all the children that want to join on a Saturday, at St Matthews High School, in Keiskammahoek.











# Athletics 2017

#### **ATHLETICS SPORT OF 2017**

On the 20<sup>th</sup> January 2017 as the ST.Matthew's school we had our inter-house at our grounds.it was a competition between our students, where we divided them into different houses. We had white,blue,red,yellow and black.

The yellow team was so fortunate that it came position one out of the whole school.

Students who won during the inter-houses were going for the inter-schools to represent our school.

On the 27 of January 2017 our town Keiskammahoek had inter-houses and our students went to represent us. Even the students who weren't participating were allowed to show support by watching.

42 of our students managed to succeed in the interschools and were given a chance to proceed to King William's Town for Sub-District of Amathole competition.

From the Sub-District, 6 students succeeded to East London. The Athletes represent our District of Amathole. Congratulations to Avumile Mguye for being chosen to present our Eastern Cape province. Written by: Dayile Zimkhitha















#### St Matthews Debating team SOPA 2017



St Matthews Debating team visits Bhisho Parliament, SOPA 2017

On the 11 of March 2017 the debate team represented St Matthews in Bhisho parliament. St Matthews was invited to the Eastern Cape Legislature in Bhisho to observe The State Of The Province Address Schools Debate 2017. We were very honoured to be one of the

schools amongst the other schools to be chosen for the SOPA debate 2017.

There were four categories and in each category our learners participated, and delivered a speech.

Overall winner of 2016 delivered a message of support, and then the premier "Mr Pumullo Musualle" delivered his speech. After the speech

of the premier, the winners were announced from each category.
Thank you to our supportive principal and teachers for always supporting our debating team.

WRITTEN BY: MAMAYO ONGEZIWE

#### St Matthews Drama club takes first place

Well done to the drama club at St Matthews and Sanga, Sifunda Kunye facilitator for winning a drama competition for a second year in a row hosted by the liquor board of South Africa. We are very proud of all of you.





# St Matthews High School visits Addo, Port Elizabeth – Columba Leadership Academy.

During this past term on the 12<sup>th</sup> of February 2017, twelve learners from St Matthews High School visited Addo, Port Elizabeth. The twelve learners were chosen based on their essay that was written about "What would I like to change about my school, community and themselves".

The 12 learners visited Columba Leadership Academy, learners learned about awareness, focus, creativity, integrity, perseverance and service as a leader.

Quote of the day "Sharing resources selfishly and effectively, using your strength and experience to take meaningful action, let all contribute to the greater good"

Let us all activate the inner leader in ourselves as indi-

viduals, and remember we all have the potential to be a leader you just need to push in the right direction.

By Mbalentle Mafai Grade 11



#### Career Exhibition

On the 3<sup>rd</sup> of March 2017 students from Grade 9 & 10 visited Briedbach Secondary School in King William's Town.

Universities that did presented the career exhibition were Fort Hare University, Walter Sisulu University.

The career day assisted us all to gain knowledge of how to plan for our future studies and careers.... One important lesson we all learned and many forget or forgotten in South Africa—" Education is the key to a successful future"

WRITEN BY ZIYANDA AND SIIMA





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#### SPORT NEWS

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MATTHWES AGAINTS ULANA

The 8<sup>th</sup> of March 2017 we went to play sport at ULANA SECONDARY SCHOOL here at keiskammahoek.We played Netball, Rugby and Soccer

Netball won amazingly, with the following Scores team D 16-0, team B 13-5 and team A won amazingly to 20-5.

Avela Zaci and Hlumelo Mbete from Team D brought the 16 score, from team C Ayandiswa Booi and Sivenathi Adams scored 11 goals all together ,Team B Ayalizwa Mnwana and Simnikiwe Batyi scored 13 goals. Team A Hlumelo Ndamase and Emihle Tondile scored 20 goals. All these team brought home a win

Unfortunately for soccer they lost to 2-1. They only had one team and they complained about the sport field which was not level and the referee listening to the crowd, but they claimed that they had players who were not from the school, in short terms they took some of their player from the community to play against our school. The One goal was by Zizipho Matiwane, which was a free kick.

Both Rugby team, A and B won team B won 17-5, tries by Gawu Ndzondelelo, Ndzibongwana Siphokuhle and Sikho ndlangalavu. Odwa Dyantyi, Kuhle Matsoyiyane and Sinethemba Buhlungu with a conversion and they won 17-7.

At the end of the day we had a nice meal and we departed.

Rumours say that Ulana demands a re-match here at our school, but that has not been finalised yet.

Through all that, we had a great day and we had fun just like every friendly game should be.

Thank You

Report written by: MIHLALI TISO







Man of the Match-Rugby



Well done to Nxlangalavu Sikho and Gwiana Masimagne—certificates of appreciation

#### **CAMI Maths** -





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- Helps to improve the students concentration and his/her understanding of what has been read.

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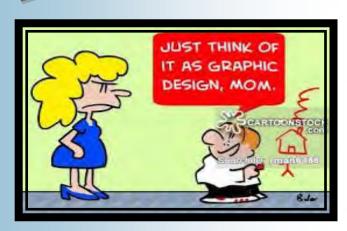


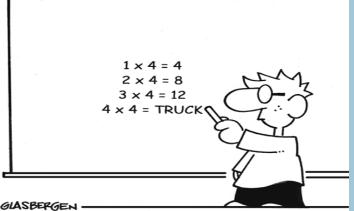




















# Memories

