



# CHALK TALK

June 2012

## WHATS NEW

### Lotto

All Lotto projects are now complete – equipment , staff kit , competitive gymnasts kit , shower doors and kitchen sink.

We must thank the National Lotteries Distribution Trust Fund for their continued support – only thing to do now is the paper work !!! (report , bookkeeping and then the audit .....)



### Odd Ball Olympics

Further to all the “hype” about this event – we used it as a staff team building exercise and we won it at our first outing !!! – we were criticized by the other teams for trying too hard and having a team that looked far too athletic – I think the celebratory back flips on the cricket field gave our game plan away !! – the Lions Club will use the “profit” from this event to assist Lahee Park in general with security , clean ups , etc. – win – win ...

## FOR YOUR DIARY

**8 & 9 June** – Testing @ Pinetown Gym for boys squad who are due to go to USA training camp

**16 June** – PUBLIC HOLIDAY NO gym classes

**23 June** – Last day of classes for term

**23 June** – Level 1 to 3 TEAM competition @ Pinetown Gym – first competition for the lower levels

**24 June > 29 June** – Training camp with Tuks Gymnastics hosted here at Pinetown – selected boys and girls (higher levels)

**30 June > 8 July** – Boys tour to USA training camp

**9 July** – Classes resume for 3<sup>rd</sup> Term

**27 July** – eThekweni District schools competition hosted at Pinetown Gym

**28 July** – Levels Invitational Competition hosted by Pietermaritzburg Academy

**9 August** – PUBLIC HOLIDAY NO gym classes

**9 August** – Naledi Cup & Schools Competition hosted at Pinetown Gym

**17 & 18 August** – Pinetown Invitational Competition for levels 1 through 8

## REPORT BACK

### National Championships

Tough 3 days in Pretoria for our high level boys – results as follows :-

Christopher Campos in Elite 2 – 2<sup>nd</sup> overall and apparatus medals as follows – Pommel horse , vault and parallel bars – gold – floor , rings and H Bar – silver

Michael Robbertze – the new Junior National Champion – top class !! – apparatus as follows :- Floor , Rings and Vault – gold – Pommel , P Bar and H bar silver

For the seniors – Tyrone was placed 2<sup>nd</sup> overall – individual medals as follows :-

Tyrone gold on Floor and P Bar with a 3<sup>rd</sup> on vault

Sips took a well deserved gold on pommel horse

Gee, Mom ... these 4-hour workouts really tire me out!

Zzzzzzzzzz ...

