



SUCCESS LAVENTILLE SECONDARY SCHOOL

EDITION

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SUCCESSFUL TIMES

YEAR IN REVIEW 2025-2026

A year of growth. A year of grit. A year of **success**.

*Let
Success
be your
noise.*

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EST. IN 1983



ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

Celebrating our scholars and their achievements



BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Highlights from activities, clubs, sports and more



SUCCESS IN ACTION

Partnerships, service and impact in our community

LIGHT ON THE HILL. **SUCCESS** FOR LIFE.



SUCCESS LAVENTILLE

SECONDARY SCHOOL



OUR MISSION

To create in collaboration with our social partners a positive and secure learner-centered environment, which inspires and empowers students to achieve their fullest potential and assist in the positive transformation of their communities on a national and global level.



ABOUT

We are a co-ed, 5-year secondary school located in the community of Success Village, Laventille.



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Light on the Hill

From the **Principal**



Ms. Stacey Lezama was confirmed by the Service Commission on **January 29th, 2026** as Principal of SLSS after serving in the position for many years.

“

Welcome to our first edition school newsletter.

We look back with pride at all that our staff and students have achieved over the last academic year.

Whilst you have a safe and enjoyable WELL deserved JAVA, I invite you to reflect on the memorable fun and learning over the last three terms.

As we showcase and celebrate our school community, we look forward to September for greater learning, greater discipline and greater success.

*The Light on the Hill -
Proud to be Success!*

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OUR SUCCESS COMMUNITY

THE PEOPLE BEHIND SUCCESS

Leadership, service and the people who strengthen our school community.

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LIGHT ON THE HILL
SUCCESS FOR LIFE.

HELLO, Mrs. Walker!

GETTING TO KNOW THE WOMAN
A RHYTHM OF HER OWN

Students know her as Vice Principal Mrs. Walker — but how much do we really know about the woman behind the title?

So, in true Wedding Band fashion, we decided it was time to say “Hello, Mrs. Walker!” and get to know our VP, who has a rhythm of her own.



SAME
ENERGY,
DIFFERENT
STAGE.
STILL.
MRS. WALKER.

- 1 What do you love most about working at SLSS?**
“The staff — the teachers and, of course, the children. I really enjoy being around them. Without the students, I am nothing. They are at the heart of what we do.”
- 2 What does a typical day look like for you?**
“My day usually starts with walking the plant, or at least part of it. As Vice Principal, I make sure the teachers’ register is out and that teachers have signed in, while also assisting the Principal with the overall running of the school. My main focus, however, is making sure that both teachers and students are doing what they are supposed to do so that effective teaching and learning can take place.”
- 3 What do you find most rewarding about your role?**
“Seeing the growth — in both students and teachers. Knowing that I can support, encourage and make a difference, even in small ways, is very rewarding.”
- 4 What are some of the challenges you face?**
“Getting students to take responsibility for their actions and to understand the importance of making positive choices. It can be challenging, but it also keeps me motivated to keep working with them.”
- 5 What advice would you give to our students?**
“Be disciplined, work hard and believe in yourselves. Take school seriously, set goals and surround yourselves with positive people. You have more potential than you realise.”
- 6 What keeps you motivated?**
“The belief that every student can succeed. I am motivated by the opportunity to make a positive impact and to be part of a team that works together for the best interest of our students.”
- 7 What is your vision for SLSS?**
“A school where every student feels supported, challenged and equipped to reach their full potential — academically, socially and personally. I want SLSS to continue to be a place of excellence, respect and opportunity.”
- 8 What message would you like to share with our school community?**
“Let’s continue to work together — students, teachers, parents and community members — to build a positive, supportive and safe environment. When we collaborate and believe in our young people, there is no limit to what we can achieve.”
- 9 What is something people don’t know about you?**
“Despite the fact that I laugh a lot and make a lot of jokes, when it comes to academics, I take it very seriously. I’m not one who goes with the flow when it comes to research. I am serious when it comes to the product I put out. People see me joking and may not realise that side of me, which is why I have high expectations of teachers. I believe in being prepared and being knowledgeable. Don’t go into the classroom guessing. Know your subject area. Try your best. No matter the type of student, you CAN teach them. It takes trial, effort and a commitment to helping them do well.”

A QUICK LIME WITH MRS. WALKER

Favourite song



“If I Can Help Somebody
by Mahalia Jackson.”

Favourite colour



“Idk nah (laughs)....
blue.”

Favourite sport



“Netball.”

Life motto



“Hard work shows
rewards.”

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 2026

INSPIRING THE NEXT GENERATION



LEADERSHIP • PURPOSE • CONFIDENCE

In recognition of International Women's Day 2026, the Honourable Penelope Beckles, Leader of the Opposition and Member of Parliament for Arima, addressed our upper school female students in an engaging and inspiring session.

Her visit provided our young women with an opportunity to hear from a distinguished female leader and encouraged them to approach their futures with confidence, purpose and determination.

Special thanks to Mr. Ragoonanan and the team for organising this meaningful event.



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BREAST CANCER Awareness

**AWARE. CARE. SUPPORT.
TOGETHER WE FIGHT.**



Every October, Ms. McDowell leads SLSS in championing **Breast Cancer Awareness Month**.

● CANCER POSTER COMPETITION

Students expressed creativity and compassion through powerful artwork that spreads awareness and inspires hope.

● BEST PINK ACCESSORIES FOR STAFF

Our staff showed their support in style, reminding us that every touch of pink makes a difference.

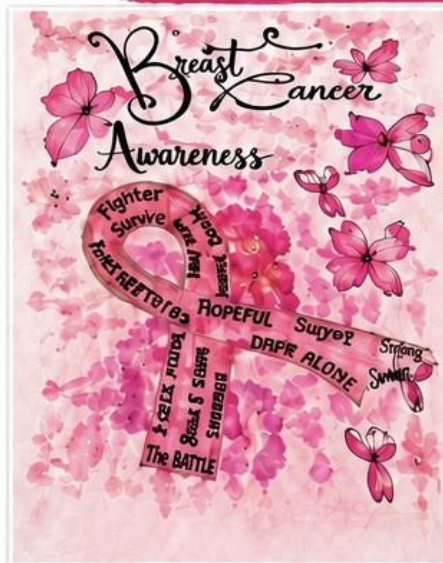
● STORIES THAT INSPIRE

Many staff and students have cancer 'stories' to share about the trials and triumphs of this prevalent disease.

*Together,
we raise
awareness,
we spread
hope, and
we stand
strong.*



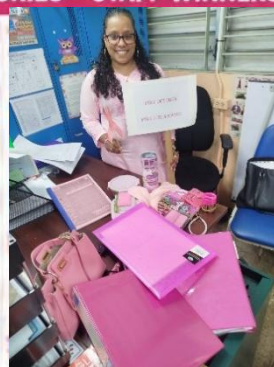
STUDENT ART ENTRIES



STUDENT WINNERS



BEST PINK ACCESSORIES – STAFF WINNERS



REAL MEN WEAR PINK



Thank you to all staff and students who continue to support this important cause.
SLSS Keeping Cancer Awareness Alive Every October.

Thank You JETAATT!

Inspiring Creativity.
Connecting Cultures. 

Through the efforts of our own **Ms. Glasgow** (JET Alumni) and VAPA HoD **Mr. N. Phillips**, our students were given a unique opportunity to explore Japanese art through a hands-on, Japan-themed canvas painting workshop.

Creativity. Culture. Connection.



Students explored Japanese art techniques and symbolism.



They expressed their creativity while learning about Japan's rich culture.



An unforgettable experience that blended art, learning and cultural appreciation.



ABOUT JETAATT

JETAA Trinidad & Tobago (JETAATT) is the local chapter of the Japan Exchange and Teaching (JET) Alumni Association.

The group works to strengthen friendships between Japan and Trinidad & Tobago through cultural exchange, education, leadership development and community outreach.

This outreach reflects our commitment to providing students with meaningful learning experiences that broaden their horizons and inspire future global citizens.

IGNITING INNOVATION AND COLLABORATION



WHO IS HARCON?

HARCON (National Youth Sustainability & ESG Project) is a youth-led sustainability programme that empowers students to become change makers through education, innovation and collaboration. It equips young people with the tools and mindset to solve real-world challenges and create positive environmental and social impact.



OUR SCHOOL OUTREACH

Through HARCON, our students lead and participate in projects that build a culture of sustainability within our school and wider community.

- ✓ **Environmental awareness** campaigns that inspire action
- ✓ **Waste reduction and recycling** initiatives to promote cleaner communities
- ✓ **Energy and water conservation** drives that encourage responsible use of resources
- ✓ **Peer education and community engagement** to empower others to take part

*Small actions today.
Big impact tomorrow.*



HARCON CLOSING CEREMONY

Our school was proudly represented at the HARCON closing ceremony at the HYATT, celebrating the hard work, creativity and dedication of students across the country who are building solutions for a sustainable future.

We remain committed to exposing our students to meaningful opportunities that develop future thinking, leadership and the skills needed for a greener, environmentally just world.

Empowered Students. Sustainable Future.



PASSING THE TORCH

STUDENT LEADERSHIP AT SLSS

As we say goodbye to our Form 5 prefects who served the school with commitment, we are proud to welcome our newly installed Form 4 cohort of School Prefects. Through SLSS Youth Empowerment, we continue to strengthen student leadership and student voice, giving our young people opportunities to serve, lead and contribute to school life.



SUPPORTING STUDENT LEADERSHIP

Congratulations and sincere thanks to Ms. Nandoo and Ms. Gill for their continued contribution to school development and for supporting our students as they grow into confident young leaders.

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LEARNING & INNOVATION

LEARNING HAS NO LIMITS

Ideas become experiences as students explore, create and prepare for what comes next.

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SUCCESS FOR LIFE.



SLSS MATHEMATICS *Leads* WITH INNOVATION

RECOGNISING CREATIVITY. CELEBRATING COMMITMENT. INSPIRING STUDENT SUCCESS.



TECHNOLOGY MEETS MATHEMATICS

SLSS Mathematics teacher **Mr. Millette** received a **Certificate of Participation** on behalf of the school for its entry in the Ministry of Education's **Micro-Teaching Video initiative for Mathematics**.

Mathematics Head of Department, **Ms. Wright** and fellow departmental colleague, **Ms. Alexander**, and Principal **Ms. Lezama** were present to support and celebrate the achievement.

Through initiatives like this, SLSS teachers continue to **leverage technology to make Mathematics more engaging, accessible and easier for students to understand**.

WORLD OF WORK

PREPARING TODAY FOR TOMORROW

As our Form 5 students prepare to leave secondary school and step into adulthood, SLSS is committed to ensuring that they are equipped for life beyond the classroom. Each year, the Form 5 Level, English Department and Guidance Officer, Ms. Jackman, collaborate on a World of Work programme that develops practical career-readiness skills. Students worked on résumé writing and cover letter preparation before putting their learning into practice during a day of mock job interviews. This year's interview panel included **SLSS alumni** and **our very own VP Ms. Barbara-Jackson**, giving students a valuable taste of the expectations of a real interview setting.



THE WORLD IS OUR CLASSROOM

LEARNING BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Learning does not stop at the classroom door. Through field trips and educational experiences, SLSS teachers continue to create opportunities for students to see, explore and connect with the world around them—turning lessons into experiences and curiosity into possibility.



EXPLORING NEW SPACES • DISCOVERING NEW POSSIBILITIES



ATHLETICS & TEAM SPIRIT



LEARNING IN THE COMMUNITY

SEE MORE. EXPERIENCE MORE. LEARN MORE.

Every experience opens another door to learning.

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LEARNING BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

01

FIELD TRIPS • CULTURE • CAREERS • EXPLORATION



BEACH CLEANUP

CGA and SLSS Geography teachers and students joined forces for a beach cleanup, putting environmental responsibility into action.



MARIPOSA GARDENS

Form 4B POB students explored entrepreneurship, cocoa production and local culture during an enriching visit to Mariposa Gardens in Lopinot.



WORLD SURVEYING DAY

Form 3 and 4 Geography students visited UWI for World Surveying Day 2026, exploring careers, drones, laser surveying and land-surveying instruments.



KAMBULE PROGRAMME

SLSS drama students attended Republic Bank's Kambule Programme closing ceremony, enjoying a valuable cultural experience arranged by Ms. Mark.

LEARNING BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

02

FIELD TRIPS • CULTURE • CAREERS • EXPLORATION



ALUMNI MENTORSHIP

Ms. Pierre took student mentees on an exploration of South Trinidad and key historical landmarks as part of the Alumni Mentorship Programme.



COSTAATT EXPERIENCE

Form 4 students visited COSTAATT with Mr. Hargreaves and Ms. Laloo Bahadur to explore career pathways and further-education opportunities.



LANGUAGE IMMERSION

SLSS Foreign Language students attended the Centre for Language Learning Open House with Mr. Thompson and Ms. Bruce for a day of language and cultural immersion.



UWI MATHEMATICS FAIR

Students visited the UWI Mathematics Fair 2026, discovering practical and engaging ways to connect mathematical concepts with the world around them.

LEARNING BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

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FIELD TRIPS • CULTURE • CAREERS • EXPLORATION



FITNESS SCHOLARS 2026

At En ToTo's Fitness Scholars 2026, Ms. Toussaint and SLSS percussionists won a Rhythm Sound Off prize on a trip organised by Ms. Auguste.



BAMBOO CATHEDRAL HIKE

Form 4 and 5 PE students joined Mr. Wolfe and Ms. D. Auguste for a team-building hike along the Bamboo Cathedral trail.



OPEN DAY

SLSS Business students attended the Arthur Lok Jack Open Day with Mr. Hargreaves and Business HOD Ms. Barbaste-Jackson to explore future study and career options.



BEHIND THE SCENES

Form 4 and 5 students visited TV6 with Ms. Sookra and Ms. Ramdenny for a behind-the-scenes look at journalism and television production.



TECHNICAL CONFERENCE

SLSS students performed at the APETT Technical Conference 2026, with Ms. Toussaint accompanying the group and directing their musical performance.

LEARNING BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

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TALENT • ACHIEVEMENT • PROFESSIONAL GROWTH



SHINING AT THE AMCHAM T&T NATIONAL HSE AWARDS

Jayvaughn Callica of 5D performed at the AMCHAM T&T National Excellence in HSE Awards, while Kierra Shepherd and Amelia Waldron assisted behind the scenes.



BUSINESS EXCELLENCE

Form 4 student Joshua Henry placed second in the 2025 NAAP Business Student of the Year Exercise after being prepared by Ms. Barbaste Jackson.



THE SUCCESS 5

Congratulations to these five SLSS teachers on graduating from the Ministry of Education Teacher Induction Programme 2024/2025.

CARNIVAL VILLAGE 2026

CULTURE COMES ALIVE



LEARNING THROUGH CULTURE

The SLSS English Department took more than 100 students to Carnival Village 2026 for a vibrant learning experience beyond the classroom. Students explored Trinidad and Tobago's rich Carnival traditions, viewed cultural displays, interacted with exhibitors and participated in activities that brought aspects of our history, creativity and culture to life. The visit provided an engaging opportunity for students to experience and celebrate the traditions that continue to shape our national identity.



THE WORLD IS OUR CLASSROOM



FROM WASTE TO WOW!

COMMONWEALTH YOUTH RECYCLED ART COMPETITION 2026

Creativity, sustainability and Success came together as **Saniyah of Form 3A**, guided by **Ms. Harley** and **Ms. Thomas**, represented SLSS in the Trinidad and Tobago Commonwealth Games Association's Commonwealth Youth Recycled Art Competition 2026.

Transforming discarded plastic into an eye-catching work of art, the team earned an impressive **2nd place nationally** before going on to secure **2nd place** in the **regional** competition.



Guided by Ms. Harley and Ms. Thomas

PROUD TO BE **SUCCESS!**



**2nd PLACE
NATIONAL**



**2nd PLACE
REGIONAL**

BOXCART INTERCOL COMPETITION 2026

The Gravity Racing Association's Boxcart Intercol Competition brings together secondary schools from across Trinidad and Tobago to design, build and race human-powered boxcars. It was established in 2000 by the Gravity Racing Association to promote creativity, engineering skills, teamwork and school pride through a fun yet competitive challenge.

OUR JOURNEY



A FIRST-TIME ENTRY

A test of our resources and resilience.



NEW CHALLENGES

New challenges included learning to weld old school furniture together to create the box cart. Guided by Mr. Balroop.



CONFIDENCE & TEAMWORK

Creativity sparked. Teamwork strengthened. Confidence built.



MORE THAN A COMPETITION

It's a launchpad for future innovators.



**BUILDING MORE
THAN A RACECART.
BUILDING FUTURES.**



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CULTURE & CREATIVITY

OUR CULTURE. OUR CREATIVITY.

Celebrating expression, performance, heritage and the creative spirit of Success.

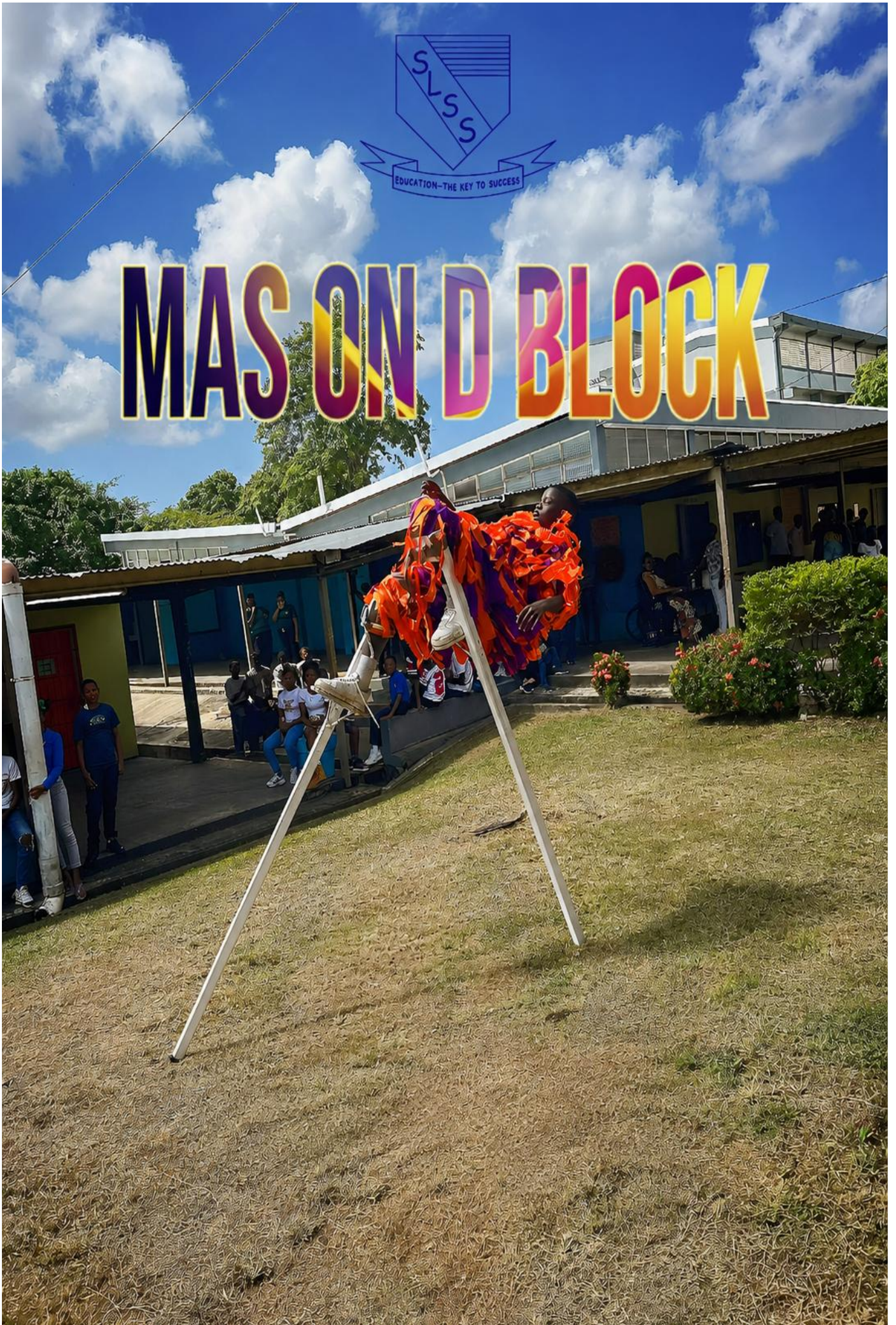
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MAS ON D BLOCK



MAS ON THE BLOCK

CARNIVAL • CULTURE • CREATIVITY

Each year, the VAPA Department brings Carnival culture to life through Mas on the Block. This year's Carnival Thursday celebration filled SLSS with colour, movement and tradition. Students showcased traditional mas characters, stick fighting and the energy of Carnival.



MAS ON THE BLOCK



THE HIGHLIGHTS



BABY DOLL



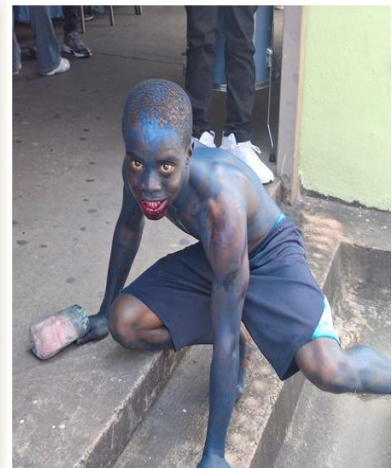
MAS & COLOUR



BLUE DEVILS



Mr. Charles, SLSS Resident DJ



TEACHERS JOIN IN

SLSS *Lights Up* THE STAGE

Our students performed in
"The Master of Carnival"
production.

SLSS Drama Teacher Ms. Mark organised our talented students to take the stage in "The Master of Carnival". The production was a vibrant celebration of culture, creativity and Caribbean spirit.

Our creatives were given the space to shine, bringing energy, passion and excellence to every performance.



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SUCCESS IN MOTION

ENERGY. TEAMWORK. EXCELLENCE.

House spirit, movement and competition bring our students together.

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SUCCESS FOR LIFE.

HOUSE CHANT SHOWDOWN!

CARNIVAL WEDNESDAY 2026 | ONE SCHOOL. FIVE HOUSES. ONE VOICE AGAINST BULLYING!



BIG VOICES. POSITIVE MESSAGES. STRONGER TOGETHER.

On Carnival Wednesday 2026, the Sports Committee turned up the energy with a Pre-Sports Day House Chant Competition centred on Anti-Bullying. Each house used its voice, creativity and team spirit to share a positive message while building excitement for Sports & Family Day.

CHANT RESULTS

TIED 1ST

House Lara & House Walcott

3RD PLACE

House Latapy

SPORTS DAY COORDINATORS & JUDGES



BEHIND THE CHANTS

Judging the House Chant Competition were Mr. Wolfe, Ms. Auguste and Vice Principal Ms. Barbara-Jackson. The trio also served as Sports Day Coordinators, helping to bring the school's long-awaited Sports & Family Day to life.

TEAM SPIRIT • CREATIVITY
ANTI-BULLYING • SUCCESS

SLSS HOUSE AEROBATHON

ENERGY • ENDURANCE • HOUSE PRIDE

SPORTS DAY COUNTDOWN 2026

WHO COULD LAST THE LONGEST?

The energy was high as students and teachers represented their houses in the SLSS House Aerobathon, putting their stamina, rhythm and determination to the test. With house pride on full display, participants kept moving until only the finalists remained!

HOW IT STARTED...



THE FINAL THREE

Still moving. Still fighting. Still representing.



AEROBATHON RESULTS

TEACHERS • 1st Ms. Bruce — Latapy | 2nd Ms. LeGendre — Walcott | 3rd Mr. McAlpin — Ramnarine

STUDENTS • 1st Nicholas Ottley — Latapy | 2nd Ile Ife Holder — Latapy | 3rd Isaiah Williams — Walcott



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SPORTS & FAMILY DAY 2026

THE LIGHT ON THE HILL CAME ALIVE!

A LONG-AWAITED RETURN

After more than 12 years, Sports & Family Day made its long-awaited return to Success Laventille Secondary School. Held on Wednesday 25th March 2026 at the Police Barracks, St. James, the day brought students, staff, parents and families together for a celebration of athleticism, teamwork, friendly competition and community spirit. Our five houses — Lara, Latapy, Bovell, Walcott and Ramnarine — brought colour, energy and tremendous house spirit.

THE MARCH PAST



MARCH PAST CHAMPIONS HOUSE BOVELL

House Bovell celebrated a standout performance in the March Past, with the Bovell Queen accepting the trophy from Principal Ms. Lezama. The spirited display set the tone for a day filled with pride, participation and memorable moments.

FIVE HOUSES. ONE SUCCESS FAMILY.

SLSS

SPORTS & FAMILY DAY 2026

THE FUN • THE SPIRIT • THE VICTORY

FUN FOR EVERYONE

Students and families enjoyed the day to the max.



TEACHERS IN THE ACTION



BOVELL TAKES THE CROWN!



OVERALL CHAMPIONS HOUSE BOVELL

Congratulations to House Bovell — Overall Champions of SLSS Sports & Family Day 2026! Our SLSS staff and families rallied behind Lara, Latapy, Bovell, Walcott and Ramnarine, making the return of Sports & Family Day one to remember.

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CELEBRATING OUR ATHLETES

HONOURING EXCELLENCE • OCTOBER 2025

In October 2025, the SLSS Sporting Committee, together with alumni members, hosted a special celebration honouring athletes who excelled during the 2024-2025 academic year.



A PROUD SLSS MOMENT

Joining the celebration were past student and sports journalist James Saunders and recent graduate Jeremiah St. John, as the school community recognised dedication, discipline and outstanding achievement in sport.



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SSTF TRINIDAD *CHAMPS 2026*

3RD – 5TH MARCH 2026

 **HASELY CRAWFORD STADIUM
MUCURAPO, TRINIDAD**

WHAT IS SSTF?

The Secondary Schools' Track and Field (SSTF) Championships is the biggest inter-school athletics competition in Trinidad and Tobago. It brings together the country's top young athletes to compete for glory, school pride, and national recognition. It is a true celebration of talent, dedication and discipline.

Our athletes showed up and did their best.
Thank you to Ms. Sookra, Ms. Thomas, Ms Glasgow and Mr Wolfe for taking care of our athletes and their supporters at this three day event.



GOLD MEDAL
200M

SAVION GORING 3B
22.81 SECONDS



BRONZE MEDAL
110M HURDLES

ANTHONY ALEXANDER



SILVER MEDAL
400M HURDLES

2B



Pre-event heats conducted at the Eddie Hart Grounds.

Light on the Hill. Success for life.



SLSS AT THE NATIONAL AEROBATHON 2026

On **Sunday, April 26, 2026**, starting at **4:00 p.m**
The University of Trinidad and Tobago (UTT) successfully hosted its
fourth annual National Aerobathon, powered by **KFC**,
at the **National Cycling Velodrome in Couva**.



SLSS students Nicholas Ottley and Malik Adams, along with teachers Ms. Le Gendre, Ms. Sookra and Ms. Thomas, represented our school with pride and determination.

Malik Adams won a prize in his category.

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CELEBRATING SUCCESS

MILESTONES & MEMORIES

Honouring achievement, special moments and the memories that shaped our year.



GRADUATION

2026 *in Pictures*





GRADUATION *2026 in Pictures*



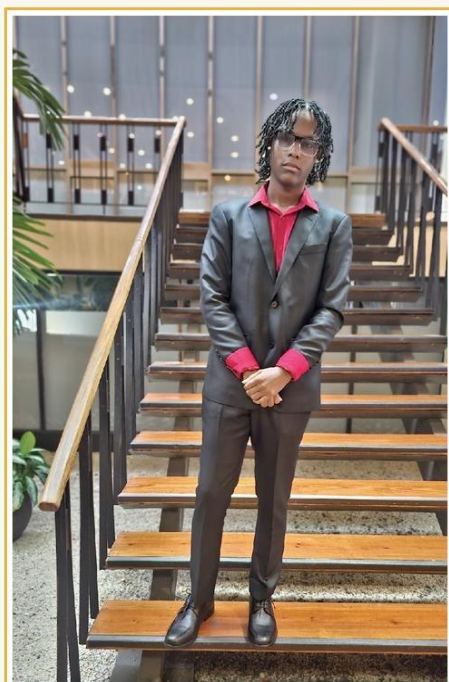
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GRADUATION BALL

2026 HILTON CONFERENCE CENTRE • JULY 1ST

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER

SLSS hosted its Graduation Ball at the Hilton Conference Centre on July 1st, 2026. Our students came dressed to impress, bringing style, elegance and personality to an evening celebrating the Class of 2026. It was a fitting opportunity for our graduates to relax, celebrate their accomplishments and create lasting memories together.



STYLE • CELEBRATION • MEMORIES

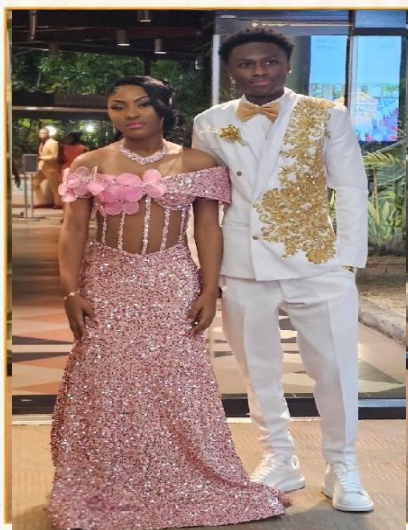
CLASS OF '26

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GRADUATION BALL

2026 AN EVENING OF STYLE & CELEBRATION

MORE MOMENTS FROM THE NIGHT



BEHIND THE CELEBRATION



A special thank you to our Form 5 Form teachers and all other members of staff who worked diligently behind the scenes to ensure that the night was enjoyable, well organised and stress-free for everyone in attendance. Their hard work and commitment helped make the Graduation Ball a memorable celebration for the Class of 2026.



Congratulations!

TO OUR

TOP CSEC PERFORMERS OF 2026

- | | | |
|---|-------------------|---|
| 1 | AMELIA WALDRON | ★ |
| 2 | KIERRA SHEPPARD | ★ |
| 3 | ROSANO ALEXANDER | ★ |
| 4 | ANDREUS LANGUEDOE | ★ |
| 5 | JORDAN ALEXIS | ★ |
| 6 | ANTWAN CAMPBELL | ★ |
| 7 | SHERIKA FORTUNE | ★ |
| 8 | SHEQUILLE GEORGE | ★ |
| 9 | DESTINY FRANCIS | ★ |



What's next for SLSS?



Building on Today.
Preparing for Tomorrow.
The Success Continues.

WHO'S THAT TEACHER?

SLSS TEACHER EDITION • CLUE SHEET

Crack the clue • Write your guess • Then find the surname in the word search

1. Looks like this sports man is ready to make the long-distance run to Toco. ☺

My guess: _____

2. An English teacher whose words can come with a little heat — but apparently that's nothing compared to her curry duck.

My guess: _____

3. Somewhere quietly counting his blessings — and probably making sure they balance.

My guess: _____

4. Central bred, union ready and football obsessed. Vamos Argentina!

My guess: _____

5. From careers to confidence, she helps students prepare for what comes next.

My guess: _____

6. Early is on time, fruit is always a good idea, and creativity is her specialty.

My guess: _____

7. Small Spanish teacher. PREMIER football knowledge. Serious gamer. ¡Excelente!

My guess: _____

8. With all these side quests, when does this teacher actually find time to teach? #SuperDean

My guess: _____

9. Teaching about the world and government by day. Fighting kids by night — professionally, of course.

My guess: _____

10. More than books live in her space — you'll find creativity, kindness and a few of our well-known kids there too.

My guess: _____

11. By the book, with the memory of one too. If it happened, chances are she remembers it.

My guess: _____

12. Quirky, quick-witted and dangerously good with words — inside the classroom and out.

My guess: _____

13. She keeps the rhythm going with our talented percussionists.

My guess: _____

14. Need some guidance? Follow the circles and you may — or may not — find him.

My guess: _____

15. Fit for fun and always on the move. If the music starts, don't expect this active lady to sit still.

My guess: _____

16. Don't let the smile fool you — the children know she means business.

My guess: _____

17. She can teach you how things grow — and probably has a trip planned so you can see it for yourself.

My guess: _____

18. Quiet lady, big bag. But don't get it twisted — this woman knows the land.

My guess: _____

19. Small in stature, BIG in personality. Surrounded by words, usually in pink — with the occasional splash of green.

My guess: _____

20. He speaks the language of technology, but the kitchen isn't unfamiliar territory. #ChowAnyone?

My guess: _____

21. Helping students explore the world, one Geography lesson at a time.

My guess: _____

22. She keeps it moving, keeps busy and keeps the students in check. Somehow, "don't play with Miss" needs no translation.

My guess: _____

23. "Good morning, fellow labourers in the vineyard." If you know, you know.

My guess: _____

24. Need it decorated? Organised? Done yesterday? Somehow, she'll make it happen. Multitalented is an understatement.

My guess: _____

25. One haircut later and SLSS almost needed introductions again. ¿Quién es?

My guess: _____

26. Some people arrive early. This one apparently used to arrive before the sun.

My guess: _____

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WHO'S THAT TEACHER?

SLSS TEACHER EDITION

26 NAMES • NO WORD BANK • LOOK EVERYWHERE

Across, backwards, up, down and diagonal — the whole grid is fair game.

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THE CHALLENGE:

Solve the clues first. Then hunt down all 26 surnames.

Some are hiding where you least expect them. 😊

SLSS

EDUCATION THE KEY TO SUCCESS

Moving Forward Together: **Keeping the Light Shining**

As we begin the 2026–2027 academic year, I look forward with renewed purpose, optimism and determination. The past year reminded us that progress is possible when we work together, believe in our students and remain committed to creating opportunities for them to succeed.

The 2025–2026 academic year was marked by participation, achievement and renewed school spirit. Our students participated in a range of academic and non-academic activities, giving them opportunities to develop and showcase their talents. One highlight was the successful return of our **Sports and Family Day after a twelve-year absence**. The event brought together students, staff, parents and supporters and rekindled a sense of pride, belonging and togetherness within our school community.

We were also encouraged by the **improvement in our students' performance at the CXC CSEC examinations**. While we celebrate this progress, we recognise it is not our destination, but a foundation on which we must continue to build.

As we move forward, our challenge is to **build on our gains and raise the standard even further**. Academic improvement must remain a priority. We must encourage our students to attend school regularly, be punctual, participate meaningfully in their lessons, complete assignments and assessments, and take greater responsibility for their learning.

Our vision, however, extends beyond academic achievement. We seek to develop well-rounded young people who demonstrate respect, resilience, responsibility and integrity. Through academics, sports, clubs, cultural activities and leadership opportunities, we must continue to provide experiences that help our students discover their talents and develop the confidence and character needed for life beyond school.

Achieving this vision requires a strong partnership among **students, staff, parents and guardians**. Each of us has an important role in creating an environment where our young people can learn, grow, and succeed.

Success at Laventille Secondary School is **"The Light on the Hill."** As we enter this new academic year, let us ensure that this light represents hope, opportunity, achievement and pride. Challenges will come, but what will define us is how we respond and what we are prepared to accomplish together.

My hope for 2026–2027 is simple: **that each of us strives to leave SLSS a little better than we found it**. Every student encouraged, every lesson improved, every parent engaged, and every achievement celebrated moves us closer to the school we aspire to be.

Together, let us build upon our progress, raise our expectations and continue moving SLSS forward.

The Light on the Hill is shining—and together, we must ensure that it shines even brighter.

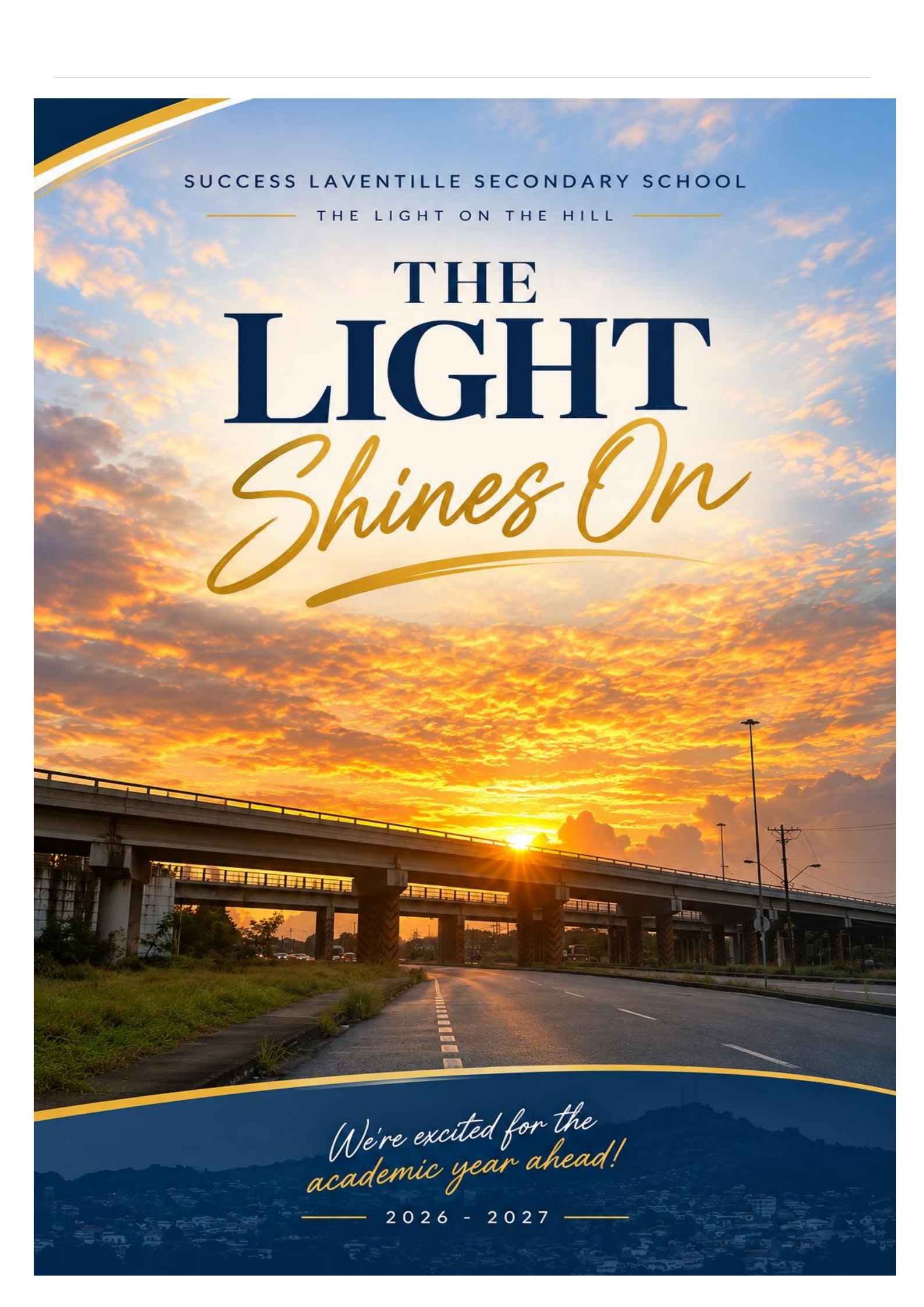
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Ag. Vice Principal

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THE LIGHT ON THE HILL

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THE LIGHT ON THE HILL

THE LIGHT *Shines On*

*We're excited for the
academic year ahead!*

2026 - 2027