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STAFF NEWS

We bade farewell to **Khona Mhlabeni** at the end of the fourth term last year and to **Zandi Bryant** at the end of the first term. Congratulations to **Sally Bowes** who got married in the holidays and who is now **Sally Wilson**. Congratulations also to **Richard** and **Nina Smith** on the birth of their daughter, Lara. **Jason Bantjes**, **Dean Sudding** and **Donovan Abrey** took long leave and we welcomed **Diana Inglis**, **Nell Kruger** and **Tim Sjoberg** in their places. **Jannie de Villiers** moved from the Afrikaans department to the Geography department. A number of new staff were welcomed at the first assembly: **Linda Tippoo** (Science), **Wessel Theron** and **Burgert Maree** (Afrikaans), **Steven Carletti** (Music), **Aneen Kritzinger** (Xhosa) and **Cheryl Gammon** (Mathematics – part time), **Katherine Spindler** (Art – part time). Two interns also joined the staff: **Neil Watson** (Mathematics) and **Fiona Mallett** (English). **Rhoda Manie** and **Jackie Withers** have signed full-time permanent contracts.

SUPPORT STAFF NEWS

COMINGS AND GOINGS: We say good bye to **Matthew Page**, the cleaner/golf cart driver who left us at the end of February. **Jeanette Oliphant**, one of the Bishops cleaners will be on maternity leave for 4 months from April and will be replaced by one of our seasoned casuals **Athabile Magadla**. **Zandi (Alex) Bryant** and **Lesley Cox** will be leaving the San at the end of the first term. Zandi will be continuing her studies as well as lecturing and Lesley has a new secretarial job, very close to home in the Westlake Business Park. We thank them both for the dedication and commitment to the San over the past few years. We are very happy to welcome **Sharon Hicken** as our new nursing sister from 1 May. Sharon has a wealth of experience and has worked as trauma sister at Constantiaberg for the past 9 years. Van Der Byl welcomed new housemother, **Jocelyn Winhall**, to the Prep at the beginning of the first term. Jocelyn has settled in with her cats and dogs and is adjusting to the hectic life of being a mom to many young boys.

CONVALESCING: After breaking her leg during the December holiday **Katy Grootboom**, White House, is still recuperating in Middleburg. **Margaret Fischer**, also of White House, was out of action for a month after having gall bladder surgery. **Frieda Snyman**, Prep Kitchen, underwent knee surgery and was off work for a while. Many of the support staff were also laid low by the vicious tummy bug which swept the Bishops campus in February.

CONDOLENCES: Our condolences to **Bonnie Padiachy** on the death of her father; **David Alberts** on the death of his brother; **Mouche Scheepers** on the death of her grandfather; **Petronella Maralong** on the death of her sister, and **Mandy Spreeth** (ex payroll administrator), on the death of her nephew. We were also saddened to hear of the death of **Stanley Johannes**,



Debbie Morton and Enid Richter

Bishops bus driver who was on disability. He is survived by his wife, **Bernice**, also an ex Bishops employee. **Enid**, the Maltese poodle belonging to **Warwick Richter**, who was an honorary member of the Bishops Admin staff had to be put down in December, after a brave fight against cancer. The Richter's new puppy Tracy has been introduced to all, but sadly since Warwick is no longer living on campus, we won't get to know her as well.

whirlwind courtship, **Marlene Dirks** secretly tied the knot with **Bruce Connolly**. Debbie gave the happy couple her blessing once they brought cake to celebrate the occasion. **Sue Gibson**, Housemother of Founders, recently announced her engagement to **Roy Ritchie**. As yet the happy couple has not set a wedding date. **Kathryn White** (*Couzis*) is proud mom to another little boy, Adam.

STAFF DEVELOPMENTS: Support Staff attended conflict resolution courses at the beginning of the term as well as drug awareness sessions.

CONGRATULATIONS: After a



Seb Remmelzwaal and Alessio Giuricich with their National Gold Medals

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Congratulations to the Matric Class of 2010 on their outstanding results! Highlights include the highest ever number of subject distinctions at an average of 2,55 per boy, a Mathematics average of 79,5% and the fact that every boy, bar 1, achieved a Bachelor pass making them eligible to apply to a university

Alessio Giuricich and **Seb Remmelzwaal**, who were awarded gold medals at last year's South African

National Expo Finals, have been selected to represent South Africa at the prestigious global science fair – Intel ISEF 2011 in Los Angeles in May. Alessio's project is a statistical survey on sugar dependency among South African adolescents and Seb's project is an investigation into the effect of soil quality on growing food gardens.

We congratulate **Ramsay Collins** and **Thomas Dusterwald** on their award of the South African National Road Agency Limited Scholarships for 2011. The SANRAL Scholarships cover all their tuition fees at Bishops, books and stationery and an allowance for sporting equipment. The Scholarships are open to all matriculants in South Africa and are designed to encourage young South Africans to study engineering and science. It is a great honour for them and Bishops and we commend them highly.

The members of the Ten Club for 2011 are: **Peter Beare, Reece Bolus, Ramsay Collins, Michel Comitis, Didier de Villiers, Thomas Dusterwald, Dee Ferrandi, Manoj Gihwala, Matthew Golesworthy** and **Thomas von Zahn**.

CULTURAL AFFAIRS

Of the 69 boys who played in the Royal Schools of Music Practical exams, 12 achieved a distinction, which is above 88%. Special mention must be made of **Nicholas Hyslop** and **Davide Scott**, who achieved a distinction on 2 instruments each. **Matthew Golesworthy** played an exam on 3 different instruments, and wrote a grade 6 theory exam. Of the 4 exams, he achieved a distinction for 3 of them, and was invited to play at the Royal Schools High Achievers Concert. **Lood van Niekerk** was also selected to play at the High Achievers Concert. Congratulations also go to: **Peter Beare, James David, Jo Kahn, Michele Marais, Sergio Marais, Guy Paterson-Jones, Neil Robertson** and **Sam Wolski**. **Stephen Falconer** was awarded Full Colours for Music and **Reid Falconer** was awarded Half Colours. Congratulations to the following boys on receiving their President's Award at the end of a very productive year. Bronze: **Ross Christopher, Afika Nyati, Kilian Schabert, Nyakallo Makgoba** and **Nicholas Cotchobos**. Silver: **Peter Beare**.

SPORTING AFFAIRS

The captain of the Bishops Basketball Club for 2011 is **Michel Comitis** and the First team court captain is **Abu Talib Sheikh**. The Captain of Canoeing for 2011 is **Murray Walters**. Congratulations to the following cricketers who receive a mounted ball for their bowling efforts over the cricket season: **Ludan Theron, Chris Immelman, Tim Allan** and **Matthew Rudston**. **Charlie Plimsoll** and **Ludan Theron** scored centuries.

Countney Blandin de Chalain is Cycling Captain for 2011.

Landon McClure and **Robert McGregor** were selected to the SA team for the Junior African Fencing Championships where Robert was the South African Star. He came home with three medals in total – silver for Cadet foil and bronze for Cadet epee and Junior foil.

Viljoen van Heerden has been appointed Captain of Rock Climbing for 2011.

Congratulations to **Frederick Scholtz** who has been appointed Boatman for the Rowing Club for 2011. Bishops came first in the U19A scull; second in the U19A four, the U16A double and the U15A double and fourth in the U15B scull at the Rondebosch Regatta. **Dane Wilson** and **Frederick Scholtz** took part in the River Vaal Regatta. In the sculls, Frederick

ended 9th out of the 14 competitors and Dane reached the quarter final. In the pairs race the boys lost in the semi final to the St John's A pair by a boat length. At the SACS Regatta, the Club won two trophies (The Loydell Trophy for the Junior boys 1st four winner and The Morse Trophy for the Junior (boys) 1st sculls winner) and placed second overall.

Congratulations to **Tarquin Carlsson** who has been appointed Captain, and to **Tim Swiel**, Vice-Captain of the Bishops 1st XV for 2011.

Oliver Gilbey and **Wouter Kuhn** tied to share the cup for the 'Shottist of the Term'. This is awarded to the shooting squad member who achieves the highest shooting points in one term.

Congratulations to **Keenan Alexander** (U14) who came 1st in the 1km Open Water race and 2nd in the 3km Open Water race held recently. Keenan has qualified to participate in the Western Province team at the Provincial Open Water Championships. **George Quenet** placed 5th in the 1km race in the 16-30 year age group and **Jonty Quenet** came 3rd in the 1km race in the 14-15 year age group.

Nic Schooling was awarded a Distinction tie for his selection for the U18 SA Waterpolo side to play a TriNations tournament in New Zealand – versus New Zealand u18 and u17 and Australia u18. The team subsequently won this tournament comfortably. **Keegan Foreman** is the Captain of Waterpolo for 2011 and **Alexander Buchanan** will head the table.

AWARDS

JERSEYS

Academic

Didier de Villiers, Dee Ferrandi, John-Pierre Lanser

TIES

Distinction

Nic Schooling (Waterpolo)

Academic

Grade 11: **Steven Falconer, Alexander Friedman, Costas Martalas**

Grade 9: **Michael Louis, Oliver Marr, Ishtiyyaq Rawoot, Alex Stewart, Murray Walters**

All Rounders

Michael Mynhardt, Sam Wolski

Service

Harry Danckwerts (*Chapel*), **Alex Keyser** (*Chapel*), **Neil Marais** (*Chapel*), **Floris Groeninx von Zoelen** (*Chapel*), **Tobias Groeninx von Zoelen** (*Chapel*), **Matthew Coetzee** (*Library*), **Viljoen van Heerden** (*Library*), **Alex Buchanan** (*Waterpolo*), **Tom David** (*Waterpolo*), **Keegan Foreman** (*Waterpolo*), **Tobin Davenport** (*Waterpolo*), **Jordan Hickman** (*Waterpolo*)

NEWLY APPOINTED CHAIRMAN OF COUNCIL

MIKE BOSMAN



(L to R) Former Principal of Bishops Mr John Gardener (OD); Principal Mr Grant Nupen; The Rt Reverend Garth Counsell, Bishop of Table Bay; newly appointed Chairman of Council Mr Mike Bosman (OD); Chairman of the OD Union Mr Brian Robertson (OD). The four were inducted as members of Council by Fr Terry Wilke in the start of the year Eucharist Service held in the Memorial Chapel on 19 January 2011. On that occasion Grant Nupen delivered the sermon to the school.

Mike Bosman was born in 1960 in Johannesburg. He is currently CEO of One Digital Media, a communications company based in Stellenbosch. The fusion of technology, communication and retail environments is his work and passion. He has addressed local and international conferences on the topic. Mike completed his schooling at Bishops in 1978 and furthered his education at the University of Cape Town and Harvard University, studying finance and accounting and reading for a Masters degree in law. He qualified as a Chartered Accountant after working at Coopers & Lybrand (today PWC). From 2004 to 2006 he was the Group CEO of TBWA, which included South Africa's top-ranked creative advertising agency TBWA\Hunt\Lascaris. In 2000, Mike was appointed President and Chief Operating Officer of FCB North America, the largest advertising agency in the US at the time. He was based in New York and headed up all of the FCB offices in the United States and Canada. He served as a member of the worldwide executive committee and as an executive main

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board director of FCB Worldwide. Prior to that, from 1997, Mike was the Chairman and CEO of South African advertising agency FCB Lindsay Smithers and of the FCB Africa region. Mike was named as the Advertising Man of the Year in South Africa three times, most recently in 2006. He is the Chairman of the World Scout Foundation based in Geneva; Chairman of the Board of Governors of Bridge House School and a Board Member of the Oprah Winfrey Leadership Academy Foundation and a non executive director of Anglovaal Industries Ltd (AVI Ltd). Mike flies jets and helicopters and is a helicopter flying instructor. He was formerly a Captain in the SA Air Force with 110 Squadron flying jets. Mike has won several aviation awards including South African national colours, two World Championship silver medals and the Gold Wings of the Aero Club of South Africa. Mike is married to Sabine and they have two teenage daughters, Lisa and Aimee. They live in Franschoek. The Bishops Community welcomes Mike to Bishops as Chairman of Council.

Paul Murray

A FAREWELL TO STAFF



KHONA MHLABENI

Khona Mhlabeni was Xhosa head of department for nine years and our resident African languages and culture scholar. He departed from Bishops at the end of 2010 to continue a journey begun many years ago, when he first left his rural Eastern Cape home, ultimately to study and work as an academic practitioner of the Xhosa language. Teaching at Bishops, a prestigious, largely Anglo-centric independent school, in many ways so far removed from Khona's origins and identity, he represented a component of South Africa which most of us in the broader Bishops constituency possess scant experience. Khona's determination to transcend this cultural gulf is testimony to his inner strength and courage.

Before embarking upon his university studies during the 1990s, Khona moved through several work environments vastly different to teaching, including working in the early 1980s as a labourer in the Stutterheim timber industry and two years underground as a gold miner in Stilfontein. Later in Cape Town, Khona was employed part-time as a Xhosa tutor, teacher and lesson designer at various places, for age levels ranging from kindergarten to university students. At UCT Khona graduated with a BA in Xhosa and by 1996 had completed an HDE; obtaining a BA (Hons) degree in Xhosa at Stellenbosch in 2000. Khona strove to promote African languages, literature and cultural studies, making it clear the extent to which he relished his own culture and language. Soon after his arrival at Bishops Khona encouraged the black students to use their African first names rather than a western-originated alternative. Besides teaching his many Xhosa classes Khona also served as a WCED moderator and examiner; he ran a regularly attended African languages society, coached rugby and cricket, besides also serving as a chapel warden.

Khona was entirely secure within his own cultural milieu and endeared himself to his colleagues with his capacity to rise above the absurdities of highly defensive political or cultural positions.

With English having become the de facto South Africa official language, most local African languages face a significant challenge in maintaining any long term viability as academic disciplines. It is teachers of Khona's commitment and learning that will count much in trying to ensure the scholastic future of Xhosa and other African languages. In short, Khona gained a great deal of respect amongst staff and pupils for his steadfast promotion of Xhosa

Khona's journey now continues as he has moved off to teach elsewhere the culture and language so dear to him. His colleagues wish him good luck and God speed.

Rodney Warwick



ALEXANDRA (ZANDI) BRYANT

In all the time I have known Alex (Zandi) Bryant I have never known her not to speak her mind fearlessly, on any matter, anyone or anything ... something she might have learned as a farm girl or at boarding school or later as a university student where her feminist and political ideas evolved. She is not afraid and she is not dull. She is one of those multi-talented teachers who occasionally blesses us for all too

short a while with his/her special genius – Zandi's was to serve the school in a double capacity: as a highly experienced and expert Xhosa teacher, an itinerant LO teacher and, after hours, to run the Sanatorium as the Sister-in-charge. That she managed to carry out her duties in both fields with such dedication is a tribute to her expertise and stamina. Everything Zandi tackles she does with energy, passion and commitment and her wicked sense of humour and sharp wit flavoured all her lessons in the classroom and interactions with staff and boys. She showed compassion, calmness and competence in dealing with the flu epidemic in 2009 and then again with the measles epidemic in 2010. We are very sad that Zandi decided to leave Bishops after 4 years of valuable service and to move on to other exciting and perhaps more rewarding ventures: she is now lecturing at UWC and has bravely embarked on an Honours Degree as well. We will miss her incisive commentary on life at Bishops. We wish her all good luck and good fortune in her new direction and thank her deeply for everything she has done for the boys at Bishops. Hamba kakuhle.

Janis van Tonder



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Erlangen, Robert	<i>Bachelor</i>	McCallum, James	<i>Bachelor</i>	Waterfield, Rory	<i>Bachelor</i>
Everingham, Simon	<i>Bachelor</i>	McDougall, Bruce	<i>Bachelor</i>	Whitfield, Guy	<i>Bachelor</i>
Faure, Brian	<i>Bachelor</i>	McLeod, Kieran	<i>Bachelor</i>	Willets, Luke	<i>Bachelor</i>
Fehrsen, Matthew	<i>Bachelor</i>	McPetric, Christopher	<i>Bachelor</i>	Williams, Matthew	<i>Bachelor</i>
Fitz-Gerald, Ciaran	<i>Bachelor</i>	Meinert, Nick	<i>Bachelor</i>	Wilsenach, James	<i>Bachelor</i>
Fowler, Adrian	<i>Bachelor</i>	Mills, Jason	<i>Bachelor</i>		
Galloway, Alexander	<i>Bachelor</i>	Mitchell, Hugh	<i>Bachelor</i>		



*James McGregor
and LEAP school
students*

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

All too soon the holidays arrived and left us facing the very busy fourth term of 2010. Sadly the euphoria of the World Cup had soon faded and was replaced by the scramble of preparing for Matric finals, the Epic and the many other traditional end-of-term and end-of-year functions. Eucharist on 5 October in the Memorial Chapel started the term and was a sobering moment for the Matric group as they did this for the last time as boys in the College. As we settled into the term, a contingent of 47 boys, staff, parents and the LEAP school joined the Global Leadership Summit for a two day conference in Parow. This is part of the global network of Christian leaders who meet annually under the leadership of the Willow Creek Community Church based in Chicago under the directorship of Bill Hybels. A well organised two days followed with a variety of challenging video presentations and much discussion. Via video link we were able to tune into the wisdom of business leaders such as Jack Welch and Jim Collins, to be exposed to the 'Tom's shoe story' in an interview with Blake Mycoskie and to really ponder the meaning of life with Jeff Manion as he spoke of the Land Between. Adam Hamilton spoke of the fallibility of leaders and Daniel Pink talked of motivation and the need for leaders to think and appreciate those who work with them. Many of the lessons learnt at the GLS have been brought back to the school and are a source for ongoing debate and training. We are looking forward to the next conference in October 2011 and hope to see many more members of the Bishops community

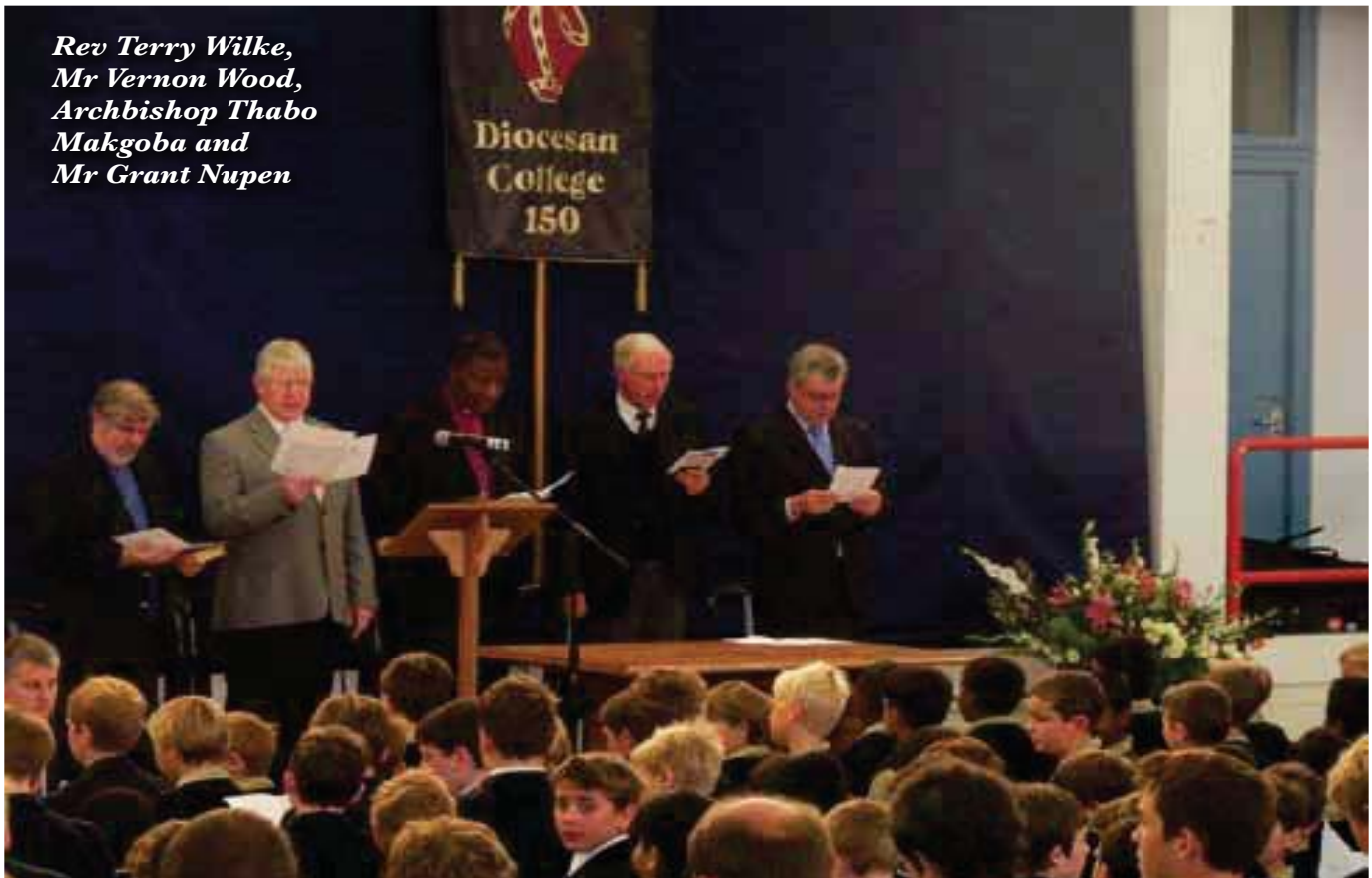


*Peter Golsworthy, Geoff Everingham
and Steve Pletts in conversation*

join us at that time.

Monday 18 October saw us wave a fond farewell to the Matrics as they attended a splendid morning which combined Prize Giving with the Valedictory Service. It was good to see the matric group able to celebrate the achievements of their peers and then to hear the fine speeches of the Valedictorians and Head boy as they bid farewell to the College.

Bishops Praise took place the following week. It was good for us as a school to come together and to give thanks to God. The Archbishop, Thabo Makgoba was in attendance and commended to boys on their fine singing. He then gave an informal address encouraging the boys to think of those less fortunate than themselves. The school then made a donation to his School for Haiti appeal fund and thanked him for his time with us. An interesting chapel talk was made by John McInroy who shared his dream of international friendship and closeness with the boys and introduced them to the www.redsockfriday.com website. He tells the story of, as a boy at Bishops, noticing an elderly serviceman who always wore red socks to the Remembrance Day service. On asking he was told of the pact made between boys who then went off to war, many to never return. The red socks reminded them of their friends and the strong links of friendship forged at school and beyond. After completing his studies overseas, he was looking for a way to remember his friends and used the same concept which has now grown into an international organisation supplying red socks, global friendship and close links with others across the world. He invited the boys to look up the website, to obtain their red socks and to spread the message of friendship and camaraderie. All too soon the Advent season was upon us and we saw the beginning of November start the proceedings with



the College Advent service, followed by the Remembrance day service with the “Lament” played by the Drums and Pipes of the Bishops Pipe band and the strains of the “Last Post” echoing across silent fields as we remembered those who gave their lives in conflict and other situations. Dr Rodney Warwick, Historian, addressed the College with an address which left many thinking and asking questions. All too soon the term ended with the proud voices of the Bishops College boys singing Psalm 150 and truly ‘Praising the Lord’ at the end of a term of many challenges.

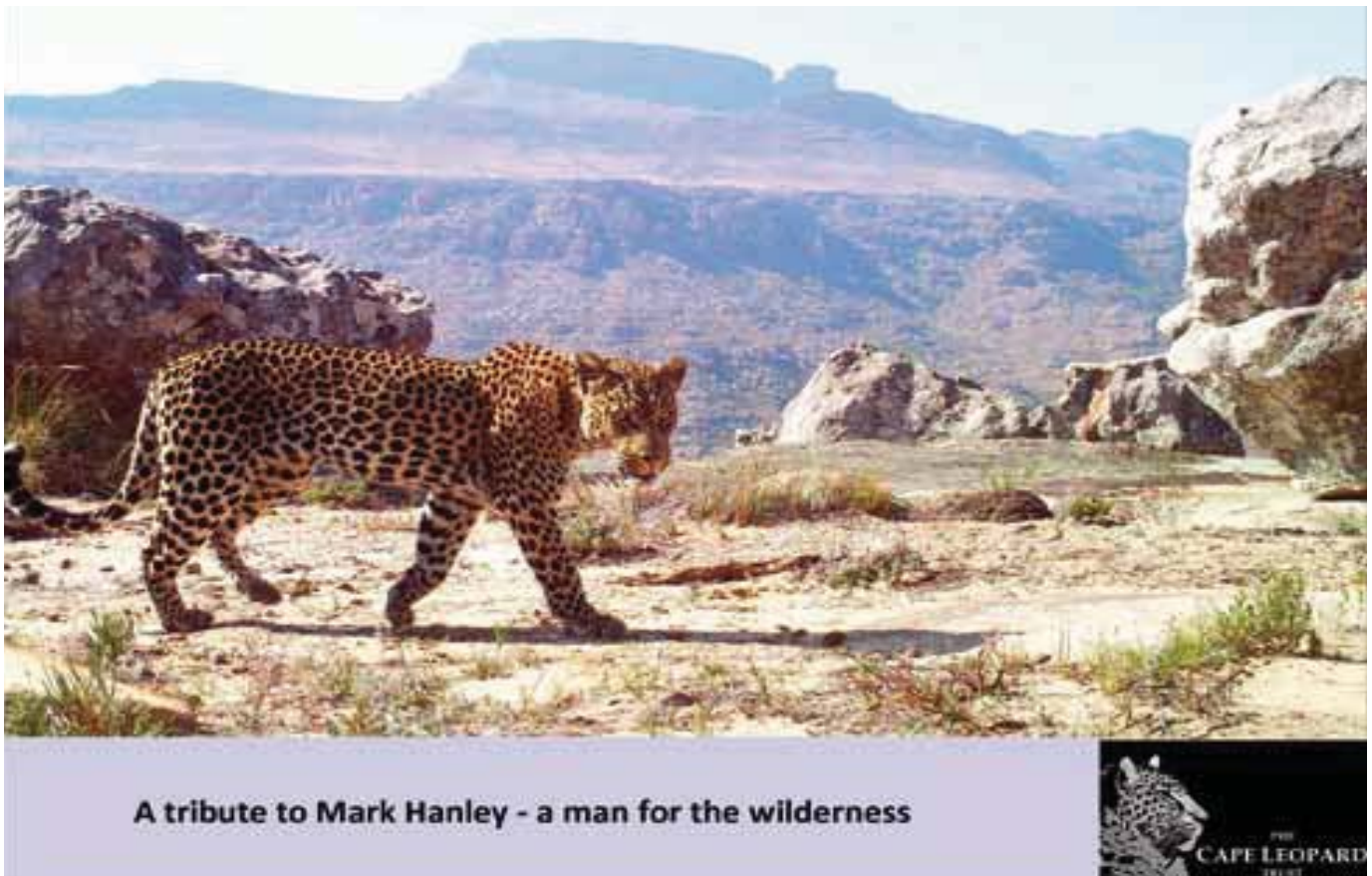
It was good to then have the relative quiet descend upon the College and to gear up for the Christmas Service held, this year, in the Brooke Chapel at 0830 instead of 0900. In the light of the very warm weather, this proved to be a good change of time and location. The Chapel was comfortably full with a sense of Christmassy closeness which one loses as one sings the Christmas hymns in the vastness of the Memorial Chapel. During the fourth term we were able to welcome a number of new Christians into our midst as we witnessed the baptisms of Max Benjamin Harvey, Enya Blau, Denushe Witbooi, Carrlyle John Witbooi, and Connor Reese Morcott. Sadly it was also a time for parting as we said farewell to Gerri Petersen, Robert Duncan McInroy, Stephen Graham (Peter) Eriksen, William (Bill) Murdoch Robertson, Servass Thomas (Buzzy) de Kock, and the mother of our Head Boy, Susan Steltzner. May they rest in peace. While 2010 was a time for football, it was not a busy time for weddings at Bishops. We did, however, celebrate the nuptials of Nicholas Pentreath to Jessica Ross in October and wish them many years of happiness.

Fr Terry Wilke

EPIC 2010

Epic was a huge success, and I want to add my congratulations to the many that must already have come to you, Phil Court, and all the others who put so much effort into making this a truly fantastic event for the boys. When I arrived in camp for the final afternoon/evening/night, Louis came over immediately to greet me. I noticed something different about him - a manliness, born out of a reconnection with Nature, and an understated, earned, self-assurance. I knew then that the previous 16 days had been more than worthwhile: this wonderful project he had embarked on had succeeded on so many levels. I am sure the positives he picked up will show themselves in so many ways, for a long time to come, and the memories will be with him forever. I never met Mr Hanley, but understand that Epic was largely his creation. It's hard to think of a finer legacy for a school master, than giving magical inspiration to so many. Thank you so much for overseeing the continuation of his vision with such passion and commitment. I believe that the level of emotional intelligence and leadership that underpins the entire concept of Epic is an unrivalled tribute to Bishop's excellence.

Charles Spencer



A tribute to Mark Hanley - a man for the wilderness



The quote above (copied with permission) epitomises all that Epic stands for and, in particular, this past Epic. Taking over from where Mark left off was pretty seamless – he had everything planned and it was the job of the staff to pull all the bits and pieces together to ensure nothing significant was forgotten. Mark was a genius – in the three years of him running it from



conception to where it is now, Epic has established itself as an integral part of Bishops. We are very blessed to have the quality of staff we have at Bishops – not only in terms of a group of people who could pull together in very testing times, but who all have a commitment in ensuring Epic runs as smoothly as it does. We pay our respects to Mark, who had the vision, determination and guts to venture into uncharted waters and establish Epic and make it what it is today.





In 16 days, boys did a combination of two overnight hikes, bike riding, water skiing, kayaking, 24 hour solo, community work in schools, GPS orienteering, abseiling, horse riding, viewed rock art, worked on their own art, did team building exercises, swam, cleared alien vegetation, cooked for themselves, tracked leopards (part of a group even saw one!), learnt about group dynamics, learnt more about themselves and some even found pleasure in getting to know staff better.

One of the things that has stood out this year is the strengthening of the relationships with the three school communities we are linked with for our social awareness programme. In addition to Elizabethfontein Primary (Founders) and Grootkloof Primary (School), this year will see Dwarsrivier Primary coming to Cape Town for a weekend – thanks to White House.

Taking a group of 130 boys into the bush is not without its potential for drama – fortunately the fire that was started in Dwarsrivier was not as serious as it could have been; fortunately the head of a puffadder was squashed and not its tail – this after three boys and a member of staff had, unbeknown to them, walked over it; and all the twisted ankles occurred with boys who were wearing ankle height shoes and not boots. As with each year, we've learnt new things from this past year and will be doing our utmost to educate boys, parents and staff even more



than ever before but realise, despite our best intentions and actions, which an operation of this magnitude will inevitably result in a curved ball or more.

One of the primary aims of Epic is to provide an avenue for our young men to venture into becoming a man through the activities on offer. It is wonderful therefore to have our last night to which fathers or another significant father figure come to the mountains to welcome the young men back into the tribe, this after the Blessing of Boots Service (a first) provided the opportunity for parents to 'send' their boys away for the 16 days.

My thanks to all involved – the communities in the Cederberg at our bases and in the towns, those who run the bases, the paid volunteers, the Old Boys, ex teachers at Bishops, the parents who made donations, those who lent us transport and a boat, the support staff at Bishops and the staff themselves. What a privilege to be part of such a dynamic team.

Graham Robertson



GRADE 9 SURF CAMP 2010

The surf camp has been one of the best camps that I have ever been on and definitely the highlight of the year. It was an absolutely amazing experience and everyone surfed until they were literally incapable of doing so any longer. We woke up at the crack of dawn each morning and surfed for about two hours before breakfast. After a huge cook up we would go to the beach, where, not surprisingly, the rugby ball got brought out and a game of touch unfolded - one of the more serious games of touch that many on the camp had ever played! We would then have some lunch and head off for an evening surf. A generous supper would then be cooked for us and we would eat our fill before either playing an incredibly abstract, homemade form of (roughly) '30seconds', or flopping onto our mattresses. One of the best parts about the camp was the fact that people grew so much in their ability to surf and some even made the jump from being a "subspecies" (body-boarders) in Mr Mallett's words, to surfers! Another positive of the trip, was the friendships that were formed between boys who had never really known each other that well before the camp. Whether we were telling stories around the campfire, tearing it up in the surf or making up some incredibly funny nicknames for each other we were always having fun. Although waking up at half past four in the morning sounded slightly daunting at first, it was all worth it when we arrived at the beach to find it completely deserted, not to mention world-class waves that we could enjoy all to ourselves. What made this even better was the fact that Victoria Bay is renowned for its aggressive locals and apart from one, slightly ugly conversation, they were ecstatic to see so many young surfers in the water. This year there were more applicants than have ever been seen before and, quite honestly, I am not surprised, because all in all, the surf camp of 2010 was an incredibly successful one and one that we will all have memories of for many years to come.

Oliver Marr

POST MATRIC REFLECTIONS

18 students from many parts of Africa decided to embark on a new journey in life as post matric students at Bishops. Many of them were leaving their homes for the very first time, but their hearts were filled with enthusiasm. An orientation day was held on the mid-morning of the 18th of January 2011 which was very exciting and allowed us to get to see the faces of all our soon-to-be class mates. Some were reserved, others very outgoing. Some of us were simply observing the group members.

So far we are all enjoying ourselves, and getting along splendidly. We have gone on a hike to Elandspad which was for us an opportunity to get to know one another and bond as a grade. This proved to be very successful as the Post Matrics all encouraged one another through the

tiresome journey. A braai was held with the various teachers who take and teach the post matric students. It allowed them to bond with us and get to know us on an individual level – to put faces to all the names.

The next exciting adventure we look forward to is the epic on Cederberg. It is a 5-day hike through the mountain. It is another opportunity for us to be together and for us to reflect on our inner beings. It is also a chance to give back to the community.

Olga Peel



*Elaye, Nick and Chris
relaxing at the pool*



Post Matrics off to Elandspad

THE BISHOPS MUSEUM & ARCHIVES

Curator & Archivist: Paul Murray

Assistant Curator & Archivist: Basil Bey



Sketch of Cecil John Rhodes by Violet, Duchess of Rutland (1898)

The Bishops Museum and Archives invited a number of visitors to tea on 2 November 2010. The Honoured guests included Jamie McGregor OD, Michael Fielding OD, Robin Mills OD, Rogan Earp-Jones OD, Jeremy Lawrence OD, Mrs Jackie Diesveld (ex Staff) and Syd Cullis OD. Present at the tea were Mr Grant Nupen, Mr Michael King, Mr Vernon Wood (College), Mr Greg Brown (Prep), Mr Marcus Bizony, Mr and Mrs Tim Hamilton-Smith (OD Union), and Staff from the Principal's Office, Mrs Linda Dinan, Mrs Yolanda Raman, Mrs Rosemary Wilke and from the Prep Museum Mr Melvyn Wallis-Brown and Mr Basil Bey and Charlie (Mr Bey's sheep dog). After a word of welcome to guests Mr Nupen asked Paul Murray to speak to the various donations that had been made. He referred to the Alex McGregor Papers; the Fielding Cup, the architect's impression of St Thomas's donated by Robin

Mills Mills and a donation by Rogan Earp-Jones. Paul expressed his thanks to Basil Bey for his hard work on a daily basis in the Museum. Then Paul handed over to Michael King who spoke to the newly framed Rhodes pictures now hanging on the walls of the Museum. There are three portraits that we had framed: one of them was one of two presented to Bishops by Col. Frank Rhodes in 1904 – they were both artists' proofs of the famous picture of Rhodes by Herkomer. The second is a portrait by Violet, the Duchess of Rutland, completed in 1898. It was given to Frank Reid in 1938 by C. Miller who was then the Assistant Secretary to the Rhodes Trust. Frank in 1951 gave the picture to Jack Manning, OD Manager of the Rhodes Trust Farms, and he, on his retirement in 1978 presented the portrait to Bishops. The third portrait came into our hands via the van Renen family (ODs). Rhodes gave this portrait to Harry van Renen in Kimberley; Harry died in 1914 leaving the picture to his cousin Rudolph, who donated it to Bishops in March 1950. Rhodes was a good friend to Bishops; in 1896 he donated a considerable sum of money towards the completion of the North End Brooke Wing in Founders. He also presented the College with the Rhodes Cup (Inter-House swimming trophy) and, of course, we have the Rhodes Scholarship.

Paul Murray and Basil Bey

VALETE 2010 AND SALVETE 2011

VALETE 2010

GRADE 8

Parsons, AC
Reilly, AR
Dare, MS

GRADE 9

Seo, H
Smith, ML
Mediarmid, BD
Brand, DT
Pelser, H
Tilahun, A
Brown, SN
Fischer, TE

GRADE 10

Bekker, M
Wentzel, DC

GRADE 11

Clegg, M
Thorne, BN
Sayer, BJ
Yates, BD

GRADE 12

Alexander, PJ
Allan, E P
Baigrie, B J H
Bayly, M C
Begbie, L
Bell, M J
Bestbier, A D
Boswell, N D D
Bradford-Welbourne, B N
Brink, J J

Bryant, B E
Bryant, D R G
Burger, C R
Bywater, J
Chikte, M R
Christians, B
Christopher, J
Church, C R
Cowell, M J J
Crowson, J A J
Currie, S C J
Curtis, A H
D'Arcy, A
da Costa, M A
Dalton, T A
Day, C J
Day, R B
Doherty-Bigara, P R
Donnelly, K B
dos Santos, N
Dreyer, K D
Du Toit, J P
Duprez, D R R
Earl, W N
Ebrahim, M S
Edwards, R M
Emvula, C K
Erlangsen, R P
Everingham, S G
Faure, B W B
Fehrsen, M M
Fowler, A D
Galloway, A J
Gibbs, G S H
Graham, J D
Greeff, T R
Gresse, W H
Gunston, M T

Handley, W D
Hau, C M
Hawinkels, J P
Hendrix, Z
Higgins, M P
Hoefnagels, S S
Husband, J W B
Jackson, G S
Jacobs, L P
Jacobs, U F L
Jarzebowski, J G
Johnston, R M S
Josop, Q P
Kang, K
Kiessig, C M J
Knight, W G
Kruger, J-D
Kruger, M
Kuiper, P D
Landon, P G
Lassen, P A
Le Fleur, J
Lee, D J
Leslie, W A
Leyds, D Y
Li, R H K
Linegar, D J
Lister, J J S
Llewellyn, R G
Loizides, D A
Lubbe, J A
Macha, E M I
MacIntyre, K R
Matheson, S J P
McCallum, J P
McDougall, B L
McLeod, K H
McPetric, C L

Meinert, N C
 Mills, J R
 Mitchell, H Y
 Molteno, C D
 Narismulu, K
 Neill, D J
 Nel, N
 Nicholls, R C
 Nkanda, E R
 Nyendwa, M M
 Orrey, S R M
 Otto, S J
 Parker, C J
 Parry, D A
 Paulucci de Calboli, C
 Peel, A W
 Peterson, L T
 Pirow, A G
 Pretorius, M
 Reilly, K M
 Robertson, D M
 Rosenberg, W M
 Sandell, R C
 Sattar, U N
 Seleka, LT
 Silvester, T J J
 Simpson, R A J
 Smit, M J J
 Steele, N M
 Steele, T S
 Stelzner, S G E
 Strang, J C
 Strauss, E
 Swartz, D C
 Tam, S N
 Tatham, G F B
 Tjombe, F K
 Tregidga, S J
 Tripp, R M H
 van der Merwe, P A R
 van Zyl, L N

Vavatzanidis, M
 Versfeld, M M
 Waterfield, R B
 Whitfield, G D
 Willetts, L R
 Williams, M R
 Wilsenach, J B

SALVETE 2011

GRADE 8

Alberts, M J
 Allies, E J
 Badenhorst, T F
 Baldwin, W J
 Brey, S
 Brink, P A
 Butler, A F
 Byron, G L
 Chisin, S G
 Conrad, R A
 Cook, L M
 Cotchobos, C J
 Crowther, J G
 Daron, P-H
 Davies, M J
 Day, W A
 Dean-Brown, J
 Dewar, T J
 Douglass, S R
 Ferreira, C T
 Frankenfeld, N W
 Gardener, L F
 Gow, K F
 Gregory, D
 Hamutenya, E M
 Hedges, J T
 Henderson, A J
 Henderson, S J
 Hill, C H
 Jacobs, G L

Jankovich-Besan, T
 Jeffery, S J
 Kinnear, M L
 Knipe, J J
 Labia, F W J
 Lees, R C
 Leyds, T
 Lurie, J E
 Mahinda, M
 Marlow, O B
 Maseke, S
 Maxwell, D S
 Mayosi, P
 Meintjes, J
 Meintjes, N
 Mngomezulu, N M
 Munro, M
 Murray, T E
 Nel, J D
 Nelson, R A
 Parton, C T
 Pithey, L N
 Poole, J G
 Pople, K R
 Potgieter, L
 Roberts, M A
 Rudston, M S
 Salomo, B
 Scruton, K D
 Smith, L
 Smith, R C
 Steyn, C A
 Sutcliffe, T J
 Thebus, S
 Toorabally, S A H
 Van Der Ross, I
 Van Niekerk, J J
 Van Ryneveld, N G
 Vickers, D
 Wilkinson, J
 Willcocks, G

Woods, L E

GRADE 9

Allan, T A
 Toy, D J

GRADE 10

Crowther, S A
 De Villiers, J-O
 Lurie, D A
 Steinhagen, J

GRADE 11

Quma, V

POST MATRIC

Mponda, G S
 Njenje, V S
 Wills, M D
 Rogers, C L
 Musonda, N N
 Ntshikila, B S
 Porbeni, E D
 Obadeyi, O
 Chitondo, N M
 Nyoni, M J
 Viviers, E J
 Harvey, N E
 Ngaruka, M-A



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BAK!

Voorsitter: *Max Giardini*

Verlede jaar, 2010, was 'n besonderse jaar vir Suid-Afrika, asook vir BAK! Ons het die jaar op 'n hoë noot afgeskop deur die Suidoosterfees by te woon. Die Suidoosterfees se visie is “om die Kaapse Afrikaanse leefwêreld in sy volle verskeidenheid te vier en ontwikkel; en om sosiale diversiteit en nasionale eenheid in en deur Afrikaans te beklemtoon en bevorder.” Nog 'n aangename uitstappie was dié na die jaarlikse Woordfees op Stellenbosch wat op 6 Maart gehou is. Ons het Adam September en die Nazi-skat bygewoon, asook Kap Án. Op Woensdag, 17 Maart, is ons na die Baxter-teater toe om die skreeusnaakse Joe Barber 5 te sien. Wat 'n lekker manier om die eerste kwartaal mee af te sluit! Ons is weer op 22 April terug Baxter toe om Afrikaaps te gaan sien. “Die oorspronklike idee vir hierdie produksie was om 'n getroue, gekombineerde en natuurlike projek saam te stel. Om met digters, rappers, rolprentmakers en musikante te werk, het my geïnteresseer, omdat hulle self die elemente van die musiek en teks bymekaar sal sit.” – Regisseur Catherine Henegan Op 3 Mei het ons ons eerste ‘Gatsby’-aand van 2010 gehad. Daai “fullhouse” is soos hemel in 'n rol. Daarmee het die tweede kwartaal tot 'n einde gekom. Die enigste uitstappie wat BAK gedurende die derde kwartaal meegemaak het, was na die Celeste van Pletzen-konsert by Michael's op Saterdag, 21 Augustus.



BAK Gatsby-Aand

Dinsdag, 19 Oktober, was ons tweede en laaste ‘Gatsby’-aand van 2010. Die een was nog lekkerder as die eerste een, maar miskien was dit die flik ‘Jakhalsdans’ wat die verskil gemaak het. BAK het afgesluit op Donderdag, 28 Oktober, toe ons God van Chaos in die Baxter-teater bygewoon het. Ek het uit my maag gelag en op daardie lekker noot het BAK vir 2010 vaarwel geroep.

Max Giardini

DEBATING

Chairman: *Andrew Attieh*

Teacher-in-Charge: *Ms J. Stielau*

Bishops Debating under Chair, Andrew Attieh, assisted by Tom von Zahn, currently supports 46 members. In 2011, both competitive Junior and Senior teams have secured professional coaches. Juniors have Jess Price from the UCT debating league and Seniors have Irene Pampallis, former SA team coach, who is in Cape Town for a year to set up the hosting of the 2012 World Debating Championships – this huge interna-

tion





Venezuela - Andrew Attieh and Tom von Zahn and their LEAP Teammates

tional event will be organized out of an office in the Molteno Library! 2010 saw the inception of Grades 8 and 9 debating leagues with the Von Zahn Trophy going to R. Naidoo, N. Narismulu and S. Schneiderman and the Attieh Trophy going to I. Rawoot, A. Smith and N. Pillay.

Unfortunately, our Seniors had to relinquish the Rotary Trophy going down to Westerford in 2010, but wins, to date, in 2011 seem set to redeem us once again. A three-day Provincial Debating tournament was held on campus at the behest of the WC Debating

League. Bishops fielded three teams including a very nervous shadow-team of Grade 8s. Nevarr Pillay made final selection to the WC provincial side.

Tom von Zahn and Andrew Attieh joined forces with the LEAP School to represent Venezuela at the South African Schools Model UN debate held at the Cape Legislature. In August, Attieh, von Zahn, Ramsay Collins and Declan Manca flew to St John's for the African Schools Debating Competition. Bishops sponsored a LEAP student team's flights and we all enjoyed great speakers (including Thabo Mbeki, constitutional court judges, legal experts and members of the press), great tours of the Concourt and the Apartheid Museum and some riveting debates – Bishops made it through to the quarter finals.

Debating colours: S. Stelzner, R. Nicolls, S. Everingham, K. Narismulu (re-award)

Half-Colours: A. Attieh, T. von Zahn

Jo Stielau

DRAMA

Teacher-in-Charge: *Mr W. Tucker*



As in every year at this time, the Drama Society is involved in the major first term production. This year 'Master Harold ... and the boys' is being staged. The production is directed by Wayne Tucker and stars Ty Wills

(Master Hally), Ernie Koela (Sam) and Sihle Qashani (Willie). Other members of the society are involved in positions in the sound and lighting box and backstage. Rehearsals have been intense and the learners have been busy five times a week in preparation for what promises to be a great piece of theatre. Unfortunately, this year's Grade 11 Western Cape Schools' Festival clashed with too many Bishops commitments and we were unable to attend. We hope to attend again in 2012. Many members of the Society attended the Maynardville production of 'The Taming of the Shrew' and enjoyed it. Rosemary Wilke facilitated two very exciting workshops and covered improvisation and characterisation – much fun was had by all who attended. With many exciting productions being staged in the greater Cape Town area, we look forward to a few trips to the theatre in the near future.

Wayne Tucker



FIELD AND STREAM

Chairman: *Max Herberstein*

Teacher-in-Charge: *Mr L. Glanvill*

The Society has found new life. This is thanks to Mr Wallis-Brown who has encouraged me to get involved. It is hard to explain the satisfaction of

learning how to fly fish. Everyone should try this sport. The society has had two outings to Le Ferme. The most recent was a few weeks ago. The farm has dams stocked with trout and bass. They have also stocked the river. The latter was the most rewarding. Joshua van Niekerk caught the biggest fish of the day. Our next camp will be to Trout Haven. The society has been invited to fish for bass on the Burger's farm later this year. The field part of the society refers to the fact that it also includes



Society Members Enjoy Breakfast

the Wildlife Society and Ornithological Society. The 3rd of March is the launch of the joint society with a talk by Mr March Turnbull. He is mapping conservation areas in Africa using Google maps. The chairperson of the society is Max Herberstein and a secretary has yet to be appointed. Any keen parents and ODs who wish to get involved, help train lads or reveal secret fishing spots should feel free to contact me.

Leon Glanvill



FORUM

Patron: Professor Taffy Lloyd (OD)

Chairman: Andrew Attieh

President: Mr P.L Murray

The Forum has been very privileged to have two speakers the calibre of popular Cape Town journalist and radio talk show Mr Mike Wills and founding director of the Wits Institute for Social and Economic Research (WISER) Dr Deborah Posel, speaking on the press and the future South African political situation, respectively. Mr Wills addressed the society on the Media Bill and the implications for the press in South Africa. His predictions to hold back this legislation from being promulgating have thus far proved correct. The Society was very privileged to be able to listen to Mr Mike Wills whom many will know from Cape Talk 567, as well as his column in the Cape Argus. At the time of writing this report Dr Posel was still to address the Society, and therefore the details of the meeting will appear in the September



*Professor
Taffy Lloyd (OD)
the Patron of
The Forum*

edition of the school magazine. The topic of her address will be on South Africa after Mandela.

Andrew Attieh and Paul Murray



GLOBAL ISSUES NETWORK

Chairmen: Peter Beare and Thomas Düsterwald

Teacher-in-Charge: Mrs C. Douglas

The Global Issues Network made a positive start to 2011, gaining many new members and re-forming the image of the Society as one to address every Global Issue, rather than just Sustainability and Global Warming. Under the new system, boys choose their own Global Issue and prepare and present their findings on amongst others: poverty, healthcare, media, technology, globalisation, education, environment, sustainability or infectious diseases. The plan for the coming term involves working in groups to publish projects through the medium of the Student News Action Network, the worldwide social network dedicated to the pursuit of solutions for global issues. Thanks to their obtaining support from Taking IT Global, there is now a substantially larger audience to read, interpret and comment on the projects produced by the members, providing valuable feedback and allowing for global collaboration. Aside from this research, several projects of note are currently under way - in order to aid research on the effect of Global Warming on tree growth for the Smithsonian Institute, several members have begun measuring designated trees around the school regularly and submitting the measurements. The senior members of the Society, as well as the Portfolio members, have restarted the Global Issues Minute, a weekly presentation to the school during Leaders' Assembly in order to raise awareness, with particular regard to UN International Days such as World Water Day on the 22nd of March. Another project due for completion over the next two terms is the Retrofit Plan arising from the Green Audit of 2009/2010. The Audit aimed to address the Energy, Water and Waste sectors in White House, where the Kitchen was targeted for the Retrofit due to its high consumption of energy and water and its high production of unsorted waste. The implementation of the Retrofit Plan will be undertaken by the Society as a whole, led by the two Chairmen (Thomas Düsterwald and Peter Beare) and by those choosing Sustainability as their point of focus. Our website has recently been updated, and can still be accessed via Links on the Intranet. The new website includes a page dedicated to screening the video of the week as seen in the Global Issues Minute and a members list, which has swelled substantially this term to include many new members from Grades Eight and Nine. The Global Issues Network has much to do over the next three terms, and we look forward to researching and addressing these issues in the months to come.

Peter Beare



HISTORY

Chairman: Tobin Davenport

Teacher-in-Charge: Dr R. Warwick

GRADE 12 OUTING

On Tuesday, 8 February all Bishops grade twelve history students went on an historical ex-

*Adderley Street Cenotaph**General Lukin**St George's Cathedral*

cursion to the centre of Cape Town, complementing a heritage assignment which they had recently completed. The tour was accompanied by history teachers Messrs Dave Mallett, Paul Murray and Dr Rodney Warwick. It encompassed the Company Gardens and the monuments therein; St George's Cathedral; the Groote Kerk and the War Cenotaph in Adderley Street. Another specific purpose of the excursion was to make our senior history students more aware of the rich layers of cultural, colonial and political history, along with the various war remembrance structures, which together constitute a significant portion of the physical heritage of our city. Dr Warwick spoke to the group on this often publically little remarked upon physical heritage within the Cape Town city centre, such as General Timson Lukin's stature in the Company Gardens and the Adderley Street Cenotaph, in terms of what these structures once meant to past generations of Capetonians. Yet they remain relevant to this day in terms of marking both history and the human sacrifices for ideals of honour, patriotism and freedom from tyranny. Mr Murray expertly described the architectural uniqueness and respective histories of St George's Cathedral and the Groote Kerk, along with the Anglican cathedral's historical relationship with Bishops. It was a worthwhile morning whereby our history students, besides enjoying a break from lesson routines on a hot summer's day, returned hopefully considerably more informed on aspects of Cape Town's history that are often left unappreciated or understood by many of the city's residents.

SOCIETY MEETINGS

This report covers this term and the final meeting held in 2010 while Andrew Curtis was still Chairman. Tobin Davenport has been appointed Chairman of the History Society for 2011; congratulations to him. On 17 November 2010 the society hosted Dr David Klatzow; a local very highly regarded forensic pathologist who has recently had a book published entitled: *Steeped in Blood*, concerning principally the appalling and still unsolved murder from March 2005 of the Stellenbosch University student Inge Lotz. Dr Klatzow explained some of the forensic methodology to the society members, used in court to render the police's case against the accused invalid. Dr Klatzow demonstrated how fabricated evidence cannot stand up to a sophisticated forensic examination. He further explained how a combination of government employment policies and police mismanagement, have rendered the police services with inadequate numbers

of forensic investigators, resulting in vast caseloads of crimes not being carried timorously through the court processes. Dr Klatzow's talk was enough to sober anyone up to the grim reality of police's crime investigation capacity. On the 22nd of February the History Society had its first meeting for 2011 where Mr Athol Trollip, the Democratic Alliance's parliamentary leader addressed members on political prospects for South Africa during 2011. Mr Trollip focussed his talk largely upon concerns regarding unemployment and the DA's aspirations to move beyond its governing Cape Town, the Western Cape and some municipalities within this region, towards governing other metropolises, with Pretoria and Port Elizabeth being amongst the party's ambitions. Mr Trollip fielded a very large number of questions after his talk, ranging from some boys' concerns regarding affirmative action and BEE, to queries on how the DA would 'free' the South African economy up for creating further employment, should it come to national power. Mr Trollip's address also touched upon the upcoming municipal elections and the urgent need for Bishops students eligible to vote to register, while for those still too young, to encourage older family members to ensure they cast their ballots. Although Mr Trollip acknowledged he was communicating his party's views, his address was nevertheless most informative for our boys' who were clearly anxious to be informed on current South African political issues. The next History Society meeting is due to be held on 8 March where Professor Milton Shain of the UCT History Department will speak on "Making Sense of Israel and Palestine". A report dealing with this presentation will be covered in a future DC Magazine.

Rodney Warwick



LINGUA FRANCA

Chairman: *Tarquin Carlsson*

President: *Mr P.L. Murray*

Richard Jamieson (OD) addressed Lingua Franca explaining the benefits of creating a 'Green' business. Richard provided countless examples where individuals who are conscious of the environment can make a contribution and at the same

time run a green business. The second meeting was address by Tshepo Motale and Ernie Koela who expanded on their experiences of the road to manhood. Both these meetings saw attendance of in excess of 70 members and both were well illustrated with slide shows and the boys had lots of questions to ask. The meetings ended with cokes and donuts. We thank the speakers for the time they gave up to address us. Lingua Franca continues its strong commitment to its members to bring them interesting topics.

Tarquin Carlsson and Paul Murray



Members enjoy an interesting discussion



PHILOSOPHY

Chairman: *Thom von Zahn*

Teacher-in-Charge: *Mrs C. Douglas*

On Tuesday the 8th of February, the Philosophy society convened for the first meeting of the New Year; more than 25 boys attended, with both new boys and established members present. The meeting kicked off with a vocal advertisement for the wildly successful UCT-driven “Foundations in Philosophy course” which is set to be run in mid-March. A sizable Bishops delegation will attend a set of these fascinating annual lectures. The topic under discussion on the evening was “The Philosophy of Buddhism,” and the society was very privileged to have the presence of a fantastic guest speaker: Mr Richard Carlsson. He is a practicing Buddhist and very widely read and knowledgeable on the subject. The meeting took the form of an informal discussion and he welcomed feedback, comment and debate as he spoke about the issues. He started his talk giving a broad analysis of what Buddhism as a philosophy is, moving on to talk about the history of its founder, Gautama Buddha, and the principles this figure stood for and wrapped up talking about the “Eightfold path to enlightenment” one of the key elements of Buddhist. Through the talk, opinions were offered and contrasted and the evening culminated with a lively debate on many of the issues raised as members were encouraged to ask pertinent questions. A few boys participated vigorously in discussion, but many more spoke and aired views on the evening. The audience reacted very positively and with much enjoyment to the subject matter, as was reflected in the depth of discussion. At the conclusion of the evening Mr Carlsson was thanked for his effort and enthusiasm with hearty applause and some small tokens of gratitude, as boys enjoyed the traditional coke and doughnuts.

Thom von Zahn

THE HISTORICAL BENCH

Chairman: *Samuel Wolski*

Teacher-in-Charge: *Mr P.L. Murray*

The meetings we held this term carefully followed the debate around the referendum in the Sudan. We had begun observing this topic from last year already. At the meetings the chairman explained the historical background to the situation. Unfortunately at the time the Internet was down so we struggled a bit. But Chairman Wolski admirably held the discussions together and was able to give information and insights into the situation currently prevailing. We tried to put pieces of the puzzle together, to get a better understanding of what is going on in that country, especially since the south has much of the oil reserves. The Historical bench as it sat at the time gave its vote in favour of secession. We now await to see how the situation in the Sudan will turn out; especially amid current political turmoil in North Africa. The society has grown in numbers to about three times it was last year. New members are welcome – please see Sam Wolski or contact him at swolski@bishops.org.za.

Paul Murray

COLLEGE SPORT



Newlands Gala Aquatics Team 2011

AQUATICS

Swimmers have been active at Bishops over the past two terms – practices have been held on two afternoons a week with galas being swum on Thursday afternoons. Anesh Kalan (OD) left us at the end of 2010 and Todd Dugmore (Bosch old boy!) has been training swimmers for fitness and technique this year. We have once again seen an increase in numbers of swimmers this year – in fact the pool is bursting with up to 50 team swimmers at each practice. It has been a luxury to be able to choose an ‘A’ team from such a large group of dedicated swimmers. We have swum 4 galas so far this season with the Inter House Long Distance and Short Distance Galas to be swum in March. Swimmers with notable achievements this season are: **George Quenet** and **Jonty Quenet** will participate in the Provincial Level 2 & 3 Champs in March. **Callum Bell** recently swam the Clifton Mile and came 2nd in his race. **Keanan Alexander** came 2nd in the 3km and 1st in the 1km Open Water Champs held recently. He has done enough to qualify for the Open Water Champs



Matric Swimmers 2011

as part of the Western Province team. **Darren Smith** and **Sean Janse van Vuuren** – swam in the Midmar Mile in Kwazulu Natal in February in the Men’s 14 – 30 age group: Darren’s results: time: 28:42 – he came 295th out of 1511 therefore in the top 18,8% of his individual race, but in the top 9.9% of the overall 13 000 swimmers. Sean’s results time: 31:04 - he came 295th out of 1511 therefore in the top 28,4% of his individual race, but in the top 13,7% of the overall 13 000 swimmers. Thank you to Kabelo Gcabashe for his wonderful photographs.

Olga Peel

BASKETBALL

U16 TOUR TO ST JOHN'S COLLEGE

The Bishops U16 basketball team comprising: **Warren Black, Camagu Gwiliza, Daniel Chung, Ishtiyaaq Rawoot, Ismail Rawoot, Makumba Chiti, Lineekela Kaulinge, Nikie-Tom Jairo, Jonathan Woolley, Jeremy Wilkinson and Masood Bemat** visited St John's College for a national basketball tournament, with teams from all around the country. The standard at the tournament is never to be underestimated, and the boys certainly did see why Gauteng and KZN have such strong basketball squads! In our opening two matches, the boys came up against the eventual winners and runners up of the entire tournament, King Edward School and St George's College, respectively. Needless to say, our boys had their work cut out for them. Against oppositions that were more accustomed to a harder and quicker style of basketball, Bishops fought hard and did better than what was expected of them by the other teams, ending the tournament with 1 of 5 wins, and finishing 11th out of 14. As a unit, the boys grew mentally throughout the tournament, with emphasis being placed on taking each game's mistakes, and correcting them in the next. This mental fitness will surely be a great asset when coming up against local schools in the remainder of the term, especially with a squad that now works better as a team than they ever have before. As coaches, we are proud of the way our boys performed, placing a higher priority on what they learnt than how many games they won. Many thanks to Mr Broster for his hard work on the weekend!

Michail Scholiadis

CANOEING



Murray Walters

Captain: Murray Walters

Members: Joshua van Niekerk, Luke Rockey, Robert Brink, Keegan Sutherland, Nicolas Steytler, Tim Waterfield, Thomas Barker, James Day, James Gush, James van Niekerk, Michael du Plessis.

Canoeing began in the second week of term and already five boys, namely **Murray Walters, Joshua van Niekerk, Thomas Barker, James Day and James Gush** had indicated a willingness to commit to this as their summer sport of first choice. Since then, **Michael du Plessis** has also joined and the six boys paddle twice a week at Zandvlei and follow a training programme designed to maintain fitness levels and increase core



Canoeists who have elected to do canoeing as a first choice sport in summer – the first time that canoeing has been ‘promoted’ to the category of a first choice sport!

From left to right: Back Row: Thomas Barker, Joshua van Niekerk, James Gush. Front Row: Murray Walters (Captain), Michael du Plessis. Absent: James Day.

strength. With another six boys canoeing as a second choice sport, the bus on a Tuesday is now full to capacity! **Murray Walters** is to be congratulated on his selection as Captain of Canoeing for 2011 and together with **Joshua van Niekerk** and **Luke Rockey**, has been tasked to continue to promote the sport and organise fun events such as a fathers and sons paddling day. This is indeed an exciting time for canoeing at Bishops and I trust there is much to look forward to in the future. Once again, I would like to thank the Peninsula Canoe Club for allowing us the continued use of their facilities and equipment. A special vote of thanks must go to Gerdfried Nebe and Edgar Boehme for their efforts in coaching the boys on a Tuesday and improving both their confidence and skill levels. Their significant input is much appreciated by the boys as well as me.

Gary Coombe

Captain, Seb Golding, scoring his 2000th run for the 1st XI



CRICKET

Here we are midway through the first term and already 59 inter-school cricket matches and 16 inter-house matches have been played. The 1st XI began the year with a trip to KZN to play in the annual KZN Festival, this year hosted by Michaelhouse. As part of the preparation for this festival, we played a 90-overs game over two days against Kearsney College. We won this game by 36 runs and then, because there was so much time left on the second day, we played a T20 game against them, and this we lost. This game did, however, witness captain Seb Golding's 2000th run for the first XI (a glorious cover drive)! At Michaelhouse, Michaelhouse (9 wickets), St Charles (96 runs) and Hilton (8 wickets) all succumbed to some outstanding cricket on our behalf ... and since then all other sides have been vanquished, other than Grey High School, who beat us comfortably in PE. Even as I write, the 1st XI are at St Alban's for the annual Independent Schools Cricket Festival.

There have been some fine results by some of our other sides, too: the U15A lost to Wynberg by 92 runs in a day/night game and then beat them by 100 runs three days later; the U14A recovered from 50/5 to 191/9 in their 50-overs game against Wynberg and won by 45 runs; and the "Mighty Ducks" (as the U14Ds call themselves) have put together a string of fine performances, including an 8-run win over Wynberg.

The inter-house competition is being played in two phases this year: phase 1 sees the teams in the two pools playing each other team in the pool, and the top two teams in each pool go through to phase 2, the knock-out phase, which will be played in the 4th term, culminating in the senior final on Tuesday 18 October and the junior final a week later – both finals will be day/night affairs.

My thanks go to all the coaches and managers, the umpires, and all of the players for all their hard work so far – I hope that it has also been fun! The catering and ground staff have also done us proud. Finally, a big thank-you to all the cricket parents for all the support and advice – much appreciated!

Geoff Kieswetter

Master-in-Charge Cricket

BISHOPS 1ST X1 AVERAGES 2010

END OF SEASON

BATTING											
NAME	CAPS	INN	COMP INN	HS	TOTAL	AVE	CAR RUNS	BF	SR (<i>runs per 100 balls</i>)	100's	50's
Seb Golding	62	33	26	126	1493	57.4	1877	2716	55	5	10
James Crowson	98	33	27	97	1188	44	2237	1759	67.5	1	18
Martin Versfeld	18	11	10	88	271	27.1	258	420	64.5		2
Richard Tissiman	65	34	28	57	756	27	1006	1311	57.7		5
Nikolai Smith	42	20	14	71	338	24.1	362	377	89.7		1
Ramsay Collins	35	22	14	44*	335	23.9	357	803	41.7		
Paul Kuiper	70	28	26	101*	579	22.3	874	1102	52.5	1	4
William Rosenberg	76	28	21	48	423	20.1	608	663	63.8		
Luke Jacobs	25	13	10	34	188	18.8	194	419	44.9		
Jamie Strang	53	23	15	28*	242	16.1	324	355	68.2		

also batted

Sean-Michael Campleman	6	5	3	69*	125	41.7	140	105	119		1
Dugald Robertson	5	3	3	25	48	16	48	142	33.8		
John Hawinkels	36	16	13	34	159	12.2	265	457	34.8		
Tim Westwood	9	4	3	17	17	5.7	43	37	45.9		
Kyle Jacobs	28	7	4	11*	16	4	16	80	20		
Ludan Theron	4	2	2	4	4	2	4	12	33.3		
Digby Harding	34	3	2	0*	0	0	0	11	0		
Michael Cowell	2	1	0	1*	1	#DIV/0!	1	4	25		

BOWLING

NAME	O	M	R	W	AVE	R/O	CAR WICKETS	SR (<i>balls per wkt</i>)	5WI
Jamie Strang	315	72	872	62	14.1	2.8	71	30.5	2
Digby Harding	214	44	704	35	20.1	3.3	35	36.7	
Seb Golding	218	30	792	38	20.8	3.6	67	34.4	4
Nikolai Smith	190	51	565	27	20.9	3	31	42.2	1
William Rosenberg	333	53	1064	50	21.3	3.2	89	40	
James Crowson	360	59	1143	42	27.2	3.2	137	51.4	4

also bowled

Tim Westwood	3	0	10	1	10	3.3	0	18	
Dugald Robertson	4	0	13	1	13	3.3	1	24	
Richard Tissiman	7	0	27	2	13.5	3.9	2	21	
Ludan Theron	31	13	60	4	15	1.9	4	46.5	
Martin Versfeld	39	7	135	9	15	3.5	9	26	
Ramsay Collins	31	1	110	5	22	3.5	5	37.2	
John Hawinkels	7	0	36	0	#DIV/0!	5.1	0	#DIV/0!	

CATCHES

	SEASON	CAREER
Kyle Jacobs	44 (37 ct + 7 st)	44 (37 ct + 7 st)
James Crowson	24	60
Luke Jacobs	22 (21 ct & 1 st)	22 (21 ct & 1 st)
Ramsay Collins	17	17
Richard Tissiman	14	23
Seb Golding	12	20
Paul Kuiper	9	27
Jamie Strang	8	12
Digby Harding	7	7
Nikolai Smith	6	10
Michael Cowell	6	6
Martin Versfeld	4	4
William Rosenberg	3	10
Dugald Robertson	2	2
Ludan Theron	1	1
Tim Westwood	1	1

BISHOPS
wickets lost 6050 runs off 1618 overs
average run rate 184
average runs/wkt 3,74
 32,88

OPPONENTS
wickets lost 4894 runs off 1595 overs
average run rate 258
average runs/wkt 3,07
 18,97

CENTURY PARTNERSHIPS

165	Seb Golding (110) and Paul Kuiper (65)	<i>vs Bergeliet</i>
153	Seb Golding (113) and James Crowson (62)	<i>vs Bergeliet</i>
138	Seb Golding (66) and James Crowson (73)	<i>vs Wynberg</i>
115*	Seb Golding (70*) and James Crowson (64*)	<i>vs Rondebosch</i>
112	Seb Golding (49) and James Crowson (97)	<i>vs Kearsney</i>
112	Seb Golding (100*) and James Crowson (64)	<i>vs WPCC</i>
111	Seb Golding (110) and James Crowson (67*)	<i>vs Bergeliet</i>
103*	Seb Golding (54*) and James Crowson (59*)	<i>vs WPCC</i>
100	Seb Golding (89) and Richard Tissiman (46)	<i>vs SACS</i>

Played 29

Won 15

Lost 3

Drawn 9

Abandoned 2



The 1st XI after their 8-wicket victory over Hilton

The 1st XI completed a superb year by continuing their good form from the first term into the fourth term. The second half of the year began with the annual Cape Schools Week, hosted this year by Wynberg. Unfortunately this event was badly affected by rain and we only managed to complete 2 matches out of the five. We had a very boring draw against Selborne and then beat Union HS easily by 9 wickets before coming up against Grey in a 20/20 fixture at Newlands. Having restricted Grey to a meagre 126, the rain came down and that was the end of the week for us. We had easy wins over Somerset College and SACS in day/night fixtures before the most exciting match of the year against Paul Roos. Having bowled a strong Paul Roos team out for 108 on a seamer-friendly pitch, we soon found ourselves in heaps of trouble at 17/5 and 34/6. A solid partnership between **Luke Jacobs** and **Nikolai Smith** followed before Nikolai got out at 62/7 and **Jamie Strang** joined Luke. They crawled to 92 before Luke hit a long hop straight at mid wicket and we were soon 102/9. **Jamie Strang** then swung lustily and managed to get two balls away to third man for four to clinch a memorable and gutsy victory – our first over Paul Roos since 2006. An extremely dull draw against SACS (hugely in our favour) was followed by a narrow two wicket

loss to a Wynberg team containing as many as 9 WP players. We competed all the way and the match could just as easily have gone our way after we posted a competitive 206/6. Easy wins over Stellenberg and Bergvliet followed before the curtain came down on our season with an emphatic 7 wicket win over Rondebosch after our two opening bowlers **Jamie Strang** and **Nikolai Smith** (with 5 wickets each) demolished the Rondebosch batting line up for a meagre 58. This meant that the team finished the term with 7 wins, 2 draws, 1 loss and 1 match abandoned from their 11 matches played since September for an overall year record of 15 wins, 9 draws and three losses in the 29 completed matches they played during 2010. Two matches were abandoned due to rain.

Our batting never reached the heady heights of the first term when we regularly topped 200. But that was mainly because we bowled our opponents out for less than 125 on eight of the eleven occasions this term. Our batters scored just two half centuries between them - Martin Versfeld (88 vs SACS when asked the open the batting) and **Nikolai Smith** (71 in just 41 balls vs Bergvliet in a display of power hitting which we look forward to seeing more of next year). We got home invariably through a team batting effort with lots of players chipping in with twenties and thirties. The most important of these came from **Luke Jacobs** and **Jamie Strang** who both scored match-winning twenties against Paul Roos under great pressure. **Richard Tissiman** got a good 35* against Stellenberg and will again be one of our front line batters next year while **Ramsay Collins** opened the batting against Wynberg following the withdrawal of **Paul Kuiper** from cricket due to exam pressures and scored a fighting 41 against one of the best attacks around. **Seb Golding** and **James Crowson** who dominated completely in the first term when they 'printed' runs both struggled a bit more this term, but still chipped in with a couple of 30's and 40's each. It is always a sign of a quality player if he can get 30 although not really in top form. When someone at the top of the order does not get fifty, it always means that one scores more slowly because batters never really dominate until they get over fifty. That said, we were often chasing low scores and so big individual contributions were not required. The rather greener and slower wickets this term (as a result of the unseasonal rain) made batting that much more difficult. Our bowling exploited this and Jamie Strang had a sensational term with the ball knocking over the top order on nearly every occasion and passing fifty wickets for the year in so doing. Jamie (who earned his 50th cap for the 1st X1 in the final match against Rondebosch) has developed real pace and extracts a lot of bounce because of his height - making him a difficult prospect for batters. He received good support from **William Rosenberg** who bowled his seamers particularly well in the early part of the term and ended with 86 career wickets at the end of a distinguished career spanning 75 matches for the 1st X1. And also from **Nikolai Smith** who developed far more control this term and was able to keep the pressure on from both ends. His 5 wicket haul against Rondebosch should give him momentum going into next year. Our spinners did not get to bowl nearly as much as usual because our seam attack invariably had done the job by then, but **James Crowson** bowled some more really tight spells and **Digby Harding** and **Seb Golding** both chipped in. Digby and Seb will spearhead our spin attack next year and both have now had plenty of experience and should have little trouble stepping up to the plate.

Our fielding was not up to the very high standard we set in the first term, but was still better than most of our opponents. We did drop too many crucial catches (especially of opponents' top

batters) which put us under some pressure. And we sometimes allowed our ground fielding to let us down too. **Kyle Jacobs** made good strides as a young 'keeper playing in his grade 10 year in the 1st X1. He has great hands and just needs to work on his leg-side takes to become a class act. Considering that the team spends many hours practising their fielding and that they love this aspect of the game and take great pride in it, it was disappointing that we did not always maintain our standards. One of the reasons was lack of focus in matches which they knew we had already 'sewn up' and one can at least understand this - even if it doesn't sweeten the blow!

James Crowson had a quiet, confident air as a captain who never got flustered under pressure and invariably led from the front by bowling when it was tough or standing tall with the bat when it was most needed. He has a real feel for the game and made some important and inspirational bowling changes.

I would like to conclude by thanking every single player for putting themselves on the line whenever they played, and for so obviously having great pride in their performance and such passion for the baggy blue. Your behaviour on and off the field was also outstanding and you certainly made Bishops proud this year.

Our scorer **Dee Ferrandi** needs special mention. Dee is such an integral part of the 1st X1. He does so much more than just score. He writes a weekly report for the wpsport website, he comes to practices to feed the bowling machine, he helps with fielding warm ups and he lives every over with the team. I would like to thank him for his fantastic contribution to the 1st X1. His is really a case of service before self and I know the players are really grateful for what he does for them.

Richard Smith was a fantastic help to me and to the team this year. His understanding of boys and the intensity of his fielding sessions have stood out for me – even more than the 9 million balls he has thrown at our batters. I know the boys have enjoyed working with him enormously.

THE FOLLOWING PLAYED REGULARLY FOR THE 1ST X1 THIS TERM:

James Crowson (captain), William Rosenberg (vice captain), Seb Golding, Paul Kuiper, Richard Tissiman, John Hawinkels, Luke Jacobs, Ramsay Collins, Jamie Strang, Nikolai Smith, Martin Versfeld, Kyle Jacobs and Digby Harding.

James Crowson, William Rosenberg, Seb Golding (all re-awards) were awarded full colours and **Jamie Strang** (in March) and **Nikolai Smith** and **Richard Tissiman** awarded full colours for the first time.

Martin Versfeld, Ramsay Collins, Luke Jacobs, Kyle Jacobs and **Digby Harding** were awarded half colours.

James Crowson was selected to represent the WP U18 team at the Khaya Majola Coke Week while **Seb Golding** and **Nikolai Smith** were selected for the WP U17 team. At the U17 week played in Pretoria, Seb was named as the all-rounder of the week – a huge achievement when one considers how many provinces are involved and the talent pool that exists at any national cricket week.

BISHOPS 1ST X1 RESULTS TERM 4 2010**1st X1 drew with Selborne**

Selborne	187 all out	(Nikolai Smith 2-6, William Rosenberg 2-33)
Bishops	90-4	(Richard Tissiman 27)

1st X1 beat Union High School by 9 wickets

UHS	81 all out	(Jamie Strang 5-28, William Rosenberg 3-11)
Bishops	85-1	(Paul Kuiper 34*, Seb Golding 27)

1st X1 vs Grey HS (20/20 fixture abandoned due to rain)

Grey	125-9	(William Rosenberg 4-21, Jamie Strang 2-18)
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1st X1 beat Somerset College by 88 runs (45 over day/night match)

Bishops	200-7	(William Rosenberg 40*, Paul Kuiper 34, James Crowson 30, Luke Jacobs 30)
SC	112 all out	(William Rosenberg 4-16, Martin Versfeld 2-2)

1st X1 beat Paul Roos by 1 wicket

Paul Roos	107 all out	(Nikolai Smith 4-30, William Rosenberg 3-23, Jamie Strang 3-25)
Bishops	110-9	(Luke Jacobs 29, Jamie Strang 28*)

1st X1 beat SACS by 95 runs (45 over day/night match)

Bishops	186/8	(Martin Versfeld 88)
SACS	91 all out	(William Rosenberg 3-20, James Crowson 2-9, Digby Harding 2-12, Jamie Strang 2-16)

1st X1 drew with SACS

Bishops	179 all out	(Nikolai Smith 38*, Luke Jacobs 34, Seb Golding 29)
SACS	93-7	(Jamie Strang 4-26)

1st X1 lost to Wynberg by 2 wickets

Bishops	206-6	(James Crowson 42, Ramsay Collins 41, Martin Versfeld 27, Seb Golding 26, Jamie Strang 23*)
Wynberg	209-8	(James Crowson 2-33, Seb Golding 2-36, Jamie Strang 2-37)

1st X1 beat Stellenberg by 5 wickets (45 over day/night match)

Stellenberg	118 all out	(Jamie Strang 3-14, William Rosenberg 3-35, Nikolai Smith 2-19)
Bishops	122-5	(Richard Tissiman 35*, James Crowson 26)

1st X1 beat Bergvliet by 92 runs (45 over day/night match)

Bishops	267-6	(Nikolai Smith 71, James Crowson 45, Seb Golding 43, Richard Tissiman 39, Martin Versfeld 27)
Bergvliet	175-3	(Jamie Strang 3-40)

1st X1 beat Rondebosch by 7 wickets

Rondebosch	58 all out	(Nikolai Smith 5-11, Jamie Strang 5-21)
Bishops	59-3	(Seb Golding 26*, Luke Jacobs 23*)

ROWING



September signaled the start of the 2010/2011 rowing season as the Bishops rowers headed off to Elgin for their first camp. Under the guidance of the new Head Coach, Samuel Wells, the oarsmen began their serious training for the next 5 months. Samuel Wells is an Andean (St Andrews) and after completing his university studies at Rhodes he spent a number of years rowing and coaching in the UK. His biography boasts many national and international successes, both personally and

as a coach. With his tremendous amount of experience, passion and dedication to the sport, Bishops Rowing is proud to have him lead our oarsmen to new heights. **Oscar Horstmann** entered his second rowing season as MIC and together with Samuel and **Dane Wilson**, the Captain of Rowing for 2010 – 2011, they have led our oarsmen into this season with great success.

The Bishops Regatta at Zeekoevlei, the first event on the calendar, dawned a perfect rowing morning. Every Bishops rower got to race at least once ensuring a firm second overall place as Bishops walked away with 4 first place finishes, 4 seconds and 5 thirds. The 1st 8+ was a great final race incorporating old boys from SACS and Bishops with the last season's SACS boat taking the glory. The following weekend they were off to the Knysna Regatta. Ollie Husband comfortably won the Open sculls and the U16 8+s were uncontested. Bishops entered three 8+ crews, a first for the club, for the Head's Race and Bishops 1st VIII finished a very close third. Misverstand continued the run of perfect rowing weather the following weekend as once again the three Bishops 8+ crews took to the water for the 6.2 km Heads Race. SACS took gold over Bishops 1st VIII but only by 3.1 seconds. After the grueling grade 11 exams and Epic, the 8+ arrived to conquer the mighty Kowie River in Port Alfred at Boat Race. Although they were well prepared, training as close to race times as possible, acquainting themselves with river currents and sandbanks, visualizing every part of the race and eating well it seemed that the break in their training took its toll. Race day arrived and the river was restless with wind and rain. The results were not as good as they had hoped for but the week's experience of tough competition and camaraderie was worth every moment and although they were disappointed with their results they remained in good spirits.

The January camp at Robertson prepared our oarsmen for the sprint season and at the first regatta, hosted by SACS at Elgin, **Jason Liddiard** won the u15 scull final and the U16 VIII (Dry) took gold as did the U16B IV (Nyati). In the U19 division **James Johnston**, back from exchange, glided to victory in his scull, Scholtz and Wilson won the pair and the 4+, stroked by Husband, were able to accept a magnificent new trophy. The Rondebosch regatta sadly fell on the same day as the Bishops Sports Day and the River Vaal Regatta so that only a limited number of oarsmen represented Bishops. Although the day got off to a good start, the wind got up forcing the last few races to be cancelled. Bishops had a couple of wins and there were some new crew combinations tried out. **Dane Wilson** and **Frederick**



Open A4+: Rahul Naidoo, Frederick Scholtz, Oliver Husband, Dane Wilson, James Johnston



*Open A Pair:
Dane Wilson,
Frederick Scholtz*



*Open A Double:
Oliver Husband and
James Johnston*



U16 A8+: Back row from left to right: Timothy Innes, Simon Innes, Adam van Wyngaarden, James Dry, Jack Hanekom, Nyakallo Makgoba. Front row from left to right: Afika Nyati, Daniel de Freitas, Carl Alakija

Scholtz traveled up to Gauteng with **Samuel Wells** to take part in the River Vaal Regatta that was held at Roodeplaat Dam because the Vaal was flooding. Bishops does not get the opportunity to row in many big national regattas and the exposure was invaluable for these two oarsmen. They

both did extremely well against the tough competition, proving themselves as capable scullers. Dane reached the quarterfinals B sculls event and in a hard fought race over 1500m the pair lost the semifinal to St John's who went on to win in the final. At the Somerset Regatta the Opens took the glory in all their events barring the eights as did the U16 VIII, VI and the Dry and De Freitas pair. Then they were off to East London for the Buffalo and Selborne Regattas. On the overcast humid Thursday the heats took place for the Buffalo regatta seeing many of the Bishops crews making the finals with ease in all age groups. The Selborne Sprints over 500m presented cooler conditions for a long and tiring day with both heats and finals. In the U15 age group **Jason Liddiard** came second in the A final and Grant Soll slotted into 5th position in the B final as did the quad (Soll). The B4x (Sellier) came third. The U16 VIII (Dry) came a close second and the A4+ (Hanekom) and the B4+ (Nyati) both collected gold medals at the prize giving ceremony. Although the open four came in 5th in their heat with a time of 1.38.8, St Andrews won with a time of 1.35.4 demonstrating how tight this race was for 6 boats. James Johnston achieved 4th place in his scull, while the open pair (Scholtz/ Wilson) and open double (Johnston/ Husband) got seconds. The 8+ finished 5th in the B final. With much anticipation and excitement Saturday dawned a hot day for the Buffalo finals. Rowing like rockstars, **James Johnston** and **Ollie Husband** took all the glory in the open doubles as did the, now unbeaten over 2000m, U16 VIII, stroked by **James Dry**. **James Johnston** (Open) and **Jason Liddiard** (U15) snapped up second positions in their sculls as did the under 16A4+, stroked by Hanekom, while a third was collected by **Grant Soll** in the U15B1x. It was a long and tiring three days for all but there will be little rest for our oarsmen as they prepare for SA Champs in two weeks time.

Jeanne Wassenaar

SHOOTING



Bishops vs SACS shooting during the 4th term 2010



Wouter Kuhn taking aim during an excursion into long range shooting

This report covers shooting events as yet unreported in DC Magazine editions. On Founder's Day the 2010 College shooting squad very narrowly lost (by a mere one point – 748 to 747) against a strong OD squad led as usual by Phil Calothi. Oliver Gilbey and **Cal-lam Gallacher** shot particularly well for the College. Fedde Van den Bosch was once again the adjudicator and was presented with a Bishops Shooting shirt and a sun hat in recognition for the valuable varied assistance he renders to our shooting. The 2011 College versus OD shooting will occur on 11 March, after this magazine edition goes to print. During the fourth term our shottists challenged SACS and in a very tight competition our opponents edged us out by only three points (715 to 712). It was a fine effort by our squad, particularly from **Wouter Kuhn** and **Oliver Gilbey**, considering too that there were two provincial shottists in the SACS squad. At the end of the first term 2010 Oliver Gilbey won the newly instituted floating trophy: "Shottist of the Term" – this being awarded to the squad member who scores the highest average during one term's practices. At the end of the last

term of 2010 this trophy was shared by **Oliver Gilbey** and **Wouter Kuhn**.

Wouter Kuhn was appointed Captain of Shooting for the 2010-2011 season and **James Rule** to the newly created position of Armourer. **James Rule** has continued to do Bishops shooting great credit by participating regularly in competitions held under the auspices of the South Peninsular Schools Shooting League managed by Mr Fedde Van den Bosch. Regular practices for shooting continued each Tuesday and Thursday at the shooting range where shooting for colours and the new trophy ensures a competitive edge. At the time of writing **Michael Korneiew** has demonstrated great skill in heading the averages with 92.25; closely followed by **Wouter Kuhn** with 91.6 and **Henry Brown** with 89.8, followed by **James Rule** and **Corbin Betheldo**.

Wouter and **Max Giardini** were recently able to experience the specialised discipline of long range shooting, courtesy of facilitation by Wouter's father Mr Theuns Kuhn and Mr Tinus Brits of the SA Bisley Association. Wouter shot 42/50 at 500m and Max 30/50 at 600m. It is intended the squad members will towards the end of the term also enjoy the regular firearms shooting afternoon at False Bay Gun Club where they are able to use different forms of military-style and civilian weapons. Shooting remains a small but competitive component of Bishops sport.

Rodney Warwick

SQUASH

The Bishops 1st team participated in the St Andrews Squash festival held in Bloemfontein from 11-13 of February 2011. Members were **Mark Austin (Capt.)**, **JP Lanser**, **Michael Louis**, **Dean de Klerk**, **Richard Mills** and **Viresh Valodia**.

The results are as follows:

Bishops lost to Grey (PE) by 5 matches to 1

Bishops beat St Albans by 5 matches to 1

Bishops lost to Grey College by 6 matches to 0

Bishops lost to Maritzburg College by 4 matches to 2

Bishops beat St. Stithians by 5 matches to 1

This is a young side most of whom will be in the first team for the next three years. We look forward to the development of these players and to the progress that they will make in the years that lie ahead. Congratulations go to **Mark Austin** for being an excellent captain and to **Michael Louis** for being the most improved player and the player that produced the best results. Many thanks go to Mr Dave Russell for managing the side and for ensuring that everything went smoothly.

John Lanser

*Left to Right: JP Lanser, Michael Louis, Viresh Valodia,
Dean de Klerk, Richard Mills and Mark Austin (Captain)*



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WATERPOLO

The fourth term was another good term for Bishops polo. We continue to grow as a sport, in all age groups, and the first team certainly did the school proud, in terms of their results, and in terms of provincial and national selections. All our sides won the bulk of their games, and many of those played sides higher up than themselves. After a good pre-season of winter training the first team entered the SACS festival with confidence and, in what is a very tough tournament to win, did very well to make the semi-finals, losing out to Rondebosch (with whom we had several tight tussles through the term). It was our best result in that tournament for many a year. **Chris Day**, our captain, was selected for the tournament side. The side, with the senior players left out, and the youngsters in, went to the Clifton tournament after this and had a very tough pool and struggled to put the ball in the net and had a disappointing tournament as a result. The younger players, though, all gained valuable experience for 2011. The team returned and remained unbeaten until the final game against Bosch where they came back from seven goals down to lose by one in a very exciting game. The side won (shared with Bosch) the Team of the Year award at the end of a pleasing season. Congratulations must go to **Nic Schooling** who was selected for the SA u18 side who went to the antipodes to play in a Tri-Nations tournament. They won – the first win by an SA side since South Africa started at the tournament.

WESTERN PROVINCE REPRESENTATIVES WERE:

U18A: **Nicholas Schooling; Keegan Foreman; Christopher Day and Louis van Zyl**

U18B: **Nicholas Coles; Michael Weaver; Stuart Bailey;**

U16A: **Chaaba Jangulo; David van der Merwe; James van Heerden; David Jedeikin**

U14A: **A. Reilly; K. Haralambous; L. Raubenheimer**

U14B: **S. Murphy, J. Quenet, S. Abrahams**

WP/Boland U14: **S. Thompson**

The under 14 and 15A sides also did well in their respective tournaments at the beginning of the term and polo looks as if it will remain strong for the foreseeable future, if the boys apply themselves with the same enthusiasm that is present now. My thanks to all the coaches and managers that help keep waterpolo at the college running so well.

James Swift



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HEADMASTER'S REPORT



GRADE 7 LEAVERS' DINNER 2010

Thank you to Xander Gowar (tonight's Master of Ceremonies), Sozon Sarandis, Stefan Ranoszek and Nicholas Ryall and all the boys who have spoken this evening. Thank you to Lynne Adelbert for the programme and for the coaching she and Sandee Clapperton have given the boys for tonight. Well done to you all.

Thank you too to the Grade 7 parents for the organisation of this dinner and for your support throughout the year. The boys will thank Gerianne Thomson and her Committee later in the programme but I wish to add my personal thanks: you have given us a spectacular evening and it has been a great pleasure to work with you.

One of the defining characteristics of this class this year has been that of fellowship. Earlier in the week the Grade 7s voted for the Williamson Fellowship Trophy, a trophy where they choose the best Fellow of the Year: their choice this year is Den Fairall. Congratulations, Den.

There are a number of special moments that stand out for me with regards to the 2010 Grade 7 class: amusing, gutsy and inspiring. There are many and I will not be able to mention them all nor each boy, but here are a few:

- Aidan Bizony as one of the waterpolo scorers. Aidan is a lot more competitive than people know. So when I used to go up to the table to ask how the game was going there were only 2 types of reply. If Bishops was winning, it was "We're creaming them." But if we were losing he would pretend not to hear me and there would be no reply. This competitiveness went quite far though: he would often conveniently forget to record certain goals scored by the opposition so his scoring tallies had to be carefully watched.
- The 1st XV's game against Highbury at the Durban Prep Rugby Festival in the second term. They played very poorly in the first half even though they were the better team. They were losing badly by half time and I don't know what Mr Fogarty said to them during the break but they came back and played like demons, in the second half and went on to narrowly lose the game.
- The audio-visual team, super-efficient, and Nic Ryall doing a 100m sprint to fetch the laptop when he realised we were singing a hymn and the Anthem at Final Assembly yesterday.
- Your wonderful robotics display and demonstration in Jagger Hall.
- 54 boys out of 78 playing at the Leavers' Music Concert and 5 of you being awarded certificates for representing the school at First Team level in four sports or more; of course there are also many who have played in the First Team level for one or two or three sports.

- I have been very impressed with the Student Council this year under Stefan Ranoszek's chairmanship. While they failed to get cell phones and cell phone lockers for boys at the school (despite an enormous amount of work and motivation from Matthew Morris), they did get to stage "Bishops Got Talent". Designed to generate funds for their Outreach drive, the Homestead Street Children's Project, they came up with this idea of organising and running a talent show. Boys were invited to audition, the judges selected a final 10 who performed for the school and they judged the winner (a Grade 6: definitely unbiased judging!). No teachers were allowed to help them, they organised everything, audio-visual, backstage, ushers, etc. My job was just to contain them and keep their feet on the ground. Their planning started with a 1 000 strong audience in the Mallet Centre, then they decided on the Memorial Theatre, but finally it came to an 11h00 concert in Jagger Hall. It was a great success and a real example of "pupil power".

- Some of the Council members ended up being extremely amusing themselves at "Bishops' Got Talent" (for me at least): Ross "sideburns" Willis as MC who stopped just short of his own song-and-dance routine, and the judges, Lucas (Janssens), Xands (Gowar), Daks (Date Chong) and Stefan, all wearing very cool shades at one stage in the proceedings and admitting to me that they couldn't see much but that it was part of the look.

- Then the "cafe" brigade, those boys who learnt deftly to use thumb and forefinger to sweep their fringes out of their eyes, especially when a teacher approached. Sozon, Stefan Olbrich, Cornel "my girlfriend likes straight hair" Smit, James Ross, are a few. I hope Mr Wood will catch this group early next year.

- Of course, a comment on 2010 would not be complete without mentioning "Seussical, the Musical". You Grade 7s really embraced this, flocking in droves to auditions, and a huge number of you became involved either on stage or in a backstage capacity. There was a strong motivation apart from the arts, and that was the presence of so many from Springfield, Herschel and St Cyprians. While the pupils were having a great time, Mrs Sheard was not. She could not understand the constant hugging or sitting on one another's laps. So she banned both activities and allowed only the shaking of hands or a "high five" between boys and girls. I am not sure how successful that instruction was! But in the midst of all this you did learn to act and sing, and how well you did that. A number of new reputations were earned during the course of the production; many earned the reputations as ladies' men, not least of all our Head Boy, Michael Thomson, a muscleman, Piers Johnstone, and friend to all pretty girls, James Ross.

So many of you sitting here made Seussical the success it was and it will remain an indelible part of your Grade 7 year. Well done. Your teachers have enjoyed teaching and interacting with you, both as individuals and as a group. We have spoken casually amongst ourselves a number of times about what it is that has made you a real pleasure to work with. And it is important to try to identify what it is especially for you boys, because positive feedback is not there to

make you feel big-headed or invincible but rather to make you aware of those characteristics of yours that you must never lose. On reflection, I think it is the really open, engaging and friendly manner that you have with everyone: peers, teachers and other adults. It is not something that I see with every group of boys: with you it stands out. And it became so clear to me in the first term and then again this term and both instances were relayed to me by Mr Michael Keale, who is one of our special guests tonight. Michael has been a friend of the school since the mid-90s when he retired from headmastering in the UK (he headed three schools in his career) and started spending a few months of the year in Cape Town. He is a great supporter of the 1st Cricket XI at the Prep and has hardly missed a game during the time he has spent in Cape Town over the last fifteen years. Discussing the team with me in February, he told me that it was the friendliest group he had ever encountered at the Prep. They always made him feel especially welcome, thanked him for coming and spontaneously offered him tea and so on. When I saw him two weeks ago he told me that he was so pleased by something that had happened at the Wynberg match the previous week. I don't think people knew that he had arrived from the UK again, but he always receives a copy of our calendar and so arrived at the game. With two winter terms since their last contact with Michael, and under no instruction from their coach, they all came across to him, shook hands and welcomed him. To hear this always makes teachers and parents proud. But it's not limited to just this team.

As parents will know especially, boys tend, when asked how things are going, to say "fine", or if asked about the progress of a match, to give the briefest answer possible. You boys, however, actually tell us what is happening. You look us in the eye, talk freely and naturally, remaining respectful but connecting with us, answering a real question in a real way. Similarly you will often come over, as has happened with Mr Keale, to talk about events or ask how we are. This is a great attribute.

It has extended to your peers as well. We have seen wonderful support from you for others in your grade who have gone through difficult times. Last year there were some difficulties among you with nastiness to certain boys but you have moved on from that and there has hardly been such an incident this year.

Michael Thomson has stood tall as Head Boy – always caring for others and encouraging them. You have done a great job, Michael. Well done.

I saw this support for each other and even for boys in other grades in "Bishops' Got Talent". A boy rushed off crying during his audition when he lost his nerve and two Grade 7s ran after him, consoled him and persuaded him to try again. In the same way when boys made mistakes or missed the beat in their songs on the day, you shouted encouragement, "it's okay", and "go on". Again, great to see.

However, I don't want Mr Wood to think that he is receiving 76 angels next year. There is also a fair amount of devilment in this group. Our Head Boy, whom I praised earlier, when doing a presentation on the group's trip to Hong Kong for the International Maths Competition at assembly, saw fit to show us a picture of an unmentionable part of a bull's anatomy and to explain that it is a delicacy in Eastern cuisine. Try correcting someone like Marco Comitis for long hair or the messiest corner in a classroom and he doesn't lose his smile or the twinkle in his eye when he answers you. And you heard the comments in their speeches: very charming when in trouble or they want a movie instead of a serious lesson.

But seriously, we have enjoyed you immensely and I know you have enjoyed this year, putting in

a lot and taking much satisfaction and enjoyment out.

It's so easy to act dutiful and respectful by being impeccably well-mannered, jumping up, "yes sir", "no sir". But the real respect, the openness, the welcome, comes from within. We have seen a genuineness within you which we hope you will always have.

Never lose the ability to connect with people, to care for others, to engage openly, making others feel welcome and affirmed. It is a great gift and one of the key values of Bishops that you are using well – never lose it because some people do not value it or insult you for it. Always remember: "A person is a person, no matter how small."

Thank you and God bless.

HEADMASTER'S REPORT

PRIZEGIVING 2010

Professor Geoff Everingham, Grant Nupen, special guests, parents, staff and boys.

I wish to thank Geoff for his support of me as Head of the Prep, for his wise leadership of Council and his overriding interest in the school and its growth.

Thank you for being with us today as we reflect on and celebrate a year that has been packed with so many events and projects: as a country we had the World Cup and as Capetonians our fabulous stadium and unforgettable Fan Walk; as a school we have had our own inter-class Soccer World Cup mania and the second Grade 7 tour, to the Eastern Cape this time, *Seussical: the Musical*, Bishops Got Talent, the Cape Schools' Cricket Festival, for which we were the hosts, and through all this a great deal of teaching, learning and growth. It has passed so quickly – it is hard to believe that the Grade 2s of 2009 will move to Grade 4 in the new year.

On a lighter note, I turned 50 this year, and while I do not feel any lighter the occasion elicited some interesting responses. The PA and staff organised a slide show for assembly which included a number of photographs. Some were less than suitable; never a good idea to show one's pupils at their impressionable ages photographs of one's student days. Many classes had prepared cards for me, particularly those in the lower grades. While most congratulated me on being halfway to 100, Josh in 3B wished me "Happy 50th Mr Brown, don't retire now". In Grade R, Dieter wished "many presents for me and all the skateboards in the world".

Our boys have achieved an impressive number of selections for regional and provincial teams in sport, Honours and Distinctions for Music, Eisteddfods and external exams as well as a number of awards and high rankings in academic events such as Olympiad. I want to use this opportunity to mention one such area and that is Maths. You will see on the programme the number of our boys who did very well in the AMESA Maths Olympiad as well as the Living Maths Olympiad. Three of our Grade 7s were selected for the Cape Town team that participated in the International Primary Maths Competition in Hong Kong and Korea: Michael Thomson, Alex Green and Soo-Min Lee. Soo-Min Lee was also first in the Living Maths Competition and a close second in the South African Maths Olympiad, both at Grade 9 level, an outstanding achievement for a boy in Grade 7.

The appointment of Marileen Harrod as Learning Support Co-Ordinator at the start of this year has brought an important part of the Next Wave vision, namely to increase the role of the Bishops Support Unit across all areas of the school, to fruition. An Educational Psychologist and former teacher, Marileen has brought us her considerable expertise after working in a number of schools and running a private practice. Through this position we are able to much more successfully manage and monitor learning support from Grades R to 7. Marileen has already effected a number of changes. All in all this is a very exciting development for the school.

We were happy to welcome four new staff members in January: Caron Cale in Grade R, Lindy van Stormbroek in Grade 2, Andrew Caldwell in Grade 6 and Caron Thomas in the front office. Angie Booth retires as Housemother of Van der Byl House at the end of the year and we wish her well with her future plans. Jill Jones, who has taught here in Grade 2 and 3 for more than a decade, has decided to leave full time teaching at the end of the first term next year. We thank her for her contribution and wish her well.

One of the things that sets us apart from other schools in Cape Town is our boarding facility. We are the only boys' school to offer weekly and termly boarding on the scale that we do. While some of the other schools do have boarders it is for far smaller numbers and only on a weekly basis. There was a time (and it is not too long ago) when the Prep had two boarding houses (Bramley and Van der Bijl, formerly Birt) making about 25% of the Prep boys boarders but we are now at about 8% (32 boys). This is still reasonable although the aim is to have the House full at 40. Boarding is important as an opportunity for boys from other countries and other parts of South Africa to benefit from a Bishops education. It also adds to the dynamic of the school allowing an international flavour as well as an urban-rural mix. The boarding house system is also at the heart of the House system; the House system as we knew it grew out of boarding schools. Boarding is a great experience in itself and many boys who start boarding never want to exchange it for the day boy life again. It gives scope for new friendships, camaraderie, a ready rugby or soccer team at any stage and structure – something that boys, although they might fight against it, love. So, while we actively recruit boarders, I would encourage local families to also consider boarding for their sons in the higher grades in the Prep. Many of our boys go on to board at College from Grade 8 and Prep boarding is a good preparation.

We continue to plan for and implement improvements to the physical infrastructure of the Prep and Pre-Prep. We were very fortunate this year to have received the donation of installed artificial turf surfaces for the Grade 1 and 2 playgrounds from a Grade 1 parent and OD, Brent Dyssell, for which we are extremely grateful. A donation from the Tyers-Stempel family intended for art teaching facilities will be used in 2011 to revamp the Pre-Prep art room.

As part of the Masterplan, a team of architects has also provided us with a design framework for the improvement of the Prep grounds and play area layout as well as Jagger Hall, and somewhat more ambitiously, at the Pre-Prep, provision for a library, music room and stand-alone after-care centre. These are all both desirable and necessary but implementation will always depend on the availability of finances and careful planning but we hope to see a gradual roll out of these plans over the next few years.

On the communications front, and I know there never seems to be too much of this these days, there are also a number of developments. IT staff are designing a new portal for the school which will enable My Bishops Life to be extended right through the school. Those of you who have boys at the College will already know the value of this – it is essentially a site providing all the information pertinent to your son's life at Bishops: marks from assessments, discipline and rewards, sports teams, etc, accessible through a parent's unique password. We will also implement Bishops in Contact next year: one of those blocks that pops up on your computer screen giving the school day's calendar and with links to news and further details of events. It will also connect to your cellphone if you wish to have that service.

It is impossible to reflect on 2010 at the Prep without referring to our production of *Seussical: the Musical*. It is so easy these days to comment that standards are dropping in education even in the best schools. But as a member of Council remarked, one had to see this production to realise how incredibly high the bar actually is. This was a superb production in every respect: vibrant music, a huge cast and range of characters, larger than life sets and colourful props to capture the adventures of Dr Seuss, exciting dancing and so much more. Audiences over five nights were treated to a real “celebration of life”.

The musical dealt with the disregard of the large and powerful for the small and weak and the exceptions to the rule which there always are. One of the abiding refrains from *Suessical* is “A person is a person no matter how small “ and I think these words reflect in short what has stood out for me about this year's Grade 7 class. Not only did they play a leading role in *Seussical* but they lived many of its lessons.

This Grade 7 class has impressed us with their support for others, their friendliness, their open and engaging manner and their honest connections and interactions with others. In some ways these are small things but in another these characteristics are the most vital to carry with one. And I encourage them to keep what they have developed as a group with them always. Care and respect for others and genuine friendliness to all, big or small, young or old, important or less so, will always set you apart, and define you in the very best way. It has been good to work with you, to see you grow, and you leave the Prep now with our very best wishes. Each one of you is going to College: make the most of the wonderful opportunities it offers.

Parents, we need to thank you, not only for entrusting your sons to our care, but for the support you have given over the year: as Class Reps, on the Parents' Association Committee, providing transport for matches and outings, flowers for the foyer, assistance in the library, running the Second Hand Uniform shop and in so many more areas. Without this we would not be fully what we are.

Thank you to our staff at the Pre-Prep and Prep: academic, administrative and support. A great deal is asked of you and you give it with great passion and inspiration. Thank you too, to my wife Lynne, who makes our home, Stanmore Cottage, regularly open to the broader Bishops family, and participates so much in the life of the school.

2010 has been an exciting and rewarding school year: may God continue to guide us in all we do and try to achieve.

Thank you.

PRIZE LIST 2010

GRADE 3

<i>Class Prize:</i>	3B	Liam Foxcroft
	3G	Jonathan Bird
	3A	Thomas Liefeldt
<i>Second in Class Prize:</i>	3B	Euan Musselwhite
	3G	Ryan Campbell
	3A	Murray Gordon

GRADE 4

<i>Class Prize:</i>	4J	Jonathan Greyling
	4G	Okuhle Minyi
	4L	Ryan Labberté
<i>Second in Class Prize:</i>	4J	Michael Wilson-Trollip
	4G	Tim Sharples, Christopher Kotze
	4L	Scott Jeffery

GRADE 5

<i>Class Prize:</i>	5G	Christopher Aubin
	5S	Mac Cheminais
	5D	Felix Burt
<i>Second in Class Prize:</i>	5G	Nicholas Featherstone
	5S	Ivan Stassen
	5D	Jaxin Podesta

GRADE 6

<i>Class Prize:</i>	6A	Luke Baker
	6C	Francois Stassen
	6F	Redwald Aspinall
<i>Second in Class Prize:</i>	6A	Nikolai Piotrowski
	6C	Dylan Burke
	6F	Alexander Williams

GRADE 7

<i>Class Prize:</i>	7C	Michael Thomson
	7M	Soo-Min Lee
	7T	Rayhaan Survé
<i>Second in Class Prize:</i>	7C	Matthew Morris
	7M	Stefan Ranoszek
	7T	Josua Joubert

Scholarships to College:*Bishops Scholarship***Michael Thomson***Major Scholarship***Soo-Min Lee***Minor Music Scholarship***Soo-Min Lee****English: The Marjorie Blinkhorn Prize:****Michael Thomson****Mathematics:****Soo-Min Lee****Science:****Michael Thomson****Afrikaans:****Josua Joubert****Xhosa:****Michael Thomson****Social Sciences:****Stefan Ranoszek****General Knowledge:***Senior:***Graeme Irvine***Junior:***Nikolaos Tapanlis****Art:***Senior:***Michael Thomson***Intermediate:***Nicholas Bowden***Junior:***Tristan Turner****EMS:****Soo-Min Lee, Cole****Cruickshank,****Aidan Bizony****Kieran Cattell,****Josua Joubert****Stefan Dominicus****Computers:****James Hamilton-Russell****Design Technology:***Senior:***Christopher Kotze***Intermediate:***Stefan Ranoszek***Junior:***Michael Thomson****Gertrude Peters Essay Prize:****Xander Gowar****Creative Writing Prize:****Stefan Ranoszek****Masey Environmental Prize:****Xander Gowar****Doug Clarke Reading Trophy:****Heather Donnelly Trophy for Public Speaking:****Music:****Piano:***Senior:***Soo-Min Lee***Junior:***Benedict Chetwin****String:****Joshua Wells****Guitar:****Jack Harrison****Wind:***Senior:***Oliver Dyer***Junior:***Mac Cheminais**

Scholarships to College:

Bishops Scholarship
Major Scholarship
Minor Music Scholarship

Michael Thomson
Soo-Min Lee
Soo-Min Lee

English: The Marjorie Blinkhorn Prize:**Mathematics:****Science:****Afrikaans:****Xhosa:****Social Sciences:****General Knowledge:****Art:****EMS:****Computers:****Design Technology:****Gertrude Peters Essay Prize:****Creative Writing Prize:****Masey Environmental Prize:****Doug Clarke Reading Trophy:****Heather Donnelly Trophy for Public Speaking:****Music:****Piano:****String:****Guitar:****Wind:****Brass:****Drums:****Vocal:****Wind Band:****Choir:**

Senior:
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Michael Thomson
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Michael Thomson
Josua Joubert
Michael Thomson
Stefan Ranoszek
Graeme Irvine
Nikolaos Tapanlis
Michael Thomson
Nicholas Bowden
Tristan Turner
Soo-Min Lee, Cole
Cruickshank,
Aidan Bizony
Kieran Cattell,
Josua Joubert
Stefan Dominicus
James Hamilton-Russell
Christopher Kotze
Stefan Ranoszek
Michael Thomson
Xander Gowar
Stefan Ranoszek
Xander Gowar

Soo-Min Lee
Benedict Chetwin
Joshua Wells
Jack Harrison
Oliver Dyer
Mac Cheminais
Stefan Dominicus
Josua Joubert
Simon Dennis
Stefan Dominicus
Simon Dennis

Marimba Team:***Performer's Prize:******Bishops Prep Music Prize:******Service to Music:*****Kieran Cattell****Soo-Min Lee****Soo-Min lee****Simon Dennis*****Service to Cricket:******Cricket Cup:******Brad Gornall Rugby Cup:******Hockey Cup:*****Thomas Richardson****Luke Burton****Edward Murphy****Tristan Blandin De Chalain*****Headmaster's Award:******Sheilah Wolfe Prize for Chivalry******All-Rounder's Award:******G D Charlton Prize for Sport:******Pieter van der Bijl Prize for Excellence:*****Aidan Bizony****Jordan van Tonder****Thomas Richardson****Liam Neill****Soo-Min Lee****Bramley:***Deputy Head of House:**Deputy Head of House:**Head of House:***Marcus Knight****Alexander Williams****Dylan Burke****Brooke:***Deputy Head of House:**Deputy Head of House:**Head of House:***Jeremy Hudson****Christian Stehlik****Matthew Perrott****Charlton:***Deputy Head of House:**Deputy Head of House:**Head of House:***Warwick Reid****Craig Brown****Matthew Wray****Van der Bijl:***Deputy Head of House:**Deputy Head of House:**Head of House:***Theuns Kuhn****Thabo Sebola****Francois Stassen****Bishops Prep Head Boy:****Dylan Burke**

VALETE AND SALVETE

2011 SALVETE

Grade R

ADJEPONG-BOATENG, Madiwa
 AHMED, Mohamed Y
 ALLISON, Nicholas L
 ATKINSON, Finlay B
 AUGOUSTATOS, Nikolaos
 BACHER, Jett
 BENATAR, Oliver A
 BERRISFORD, Samuel H
 BLATCH, Oscar N
 BOR, Jacob Simon
 BOSINI, Roston G
 BRODZIAK, Matthew J
 CARTER, Tristan L
 CHAHWAHWA, Nashe D
 CHESTER, James A
 COMITIS, Michael G
 CULLUM, Thomas
 DALLAS, Andrew J
 DAY, Liam B
 VAN COEVERDEN DE
 GROOT, Dylan
 EGYPT, Josh
 FERREIRA, Ryan J
 FLETCHER, Daniel J
 FRANGOUDIS, Gabriel P
 FUNKEY, Zoran J
 GAERTNER, Fabian Lorenz
 GEVISSER, Joshua J
 GIBBS, William H
 GOVAN, Hasheel
 GRAAFF, Austin D
 GRIFFITHS, Sebastien Lloyd
 HARROD, Craig M
 HENDRICKS, Daanyaal
 HOWARD, Jack B
 IRVINE-SMITH, Garrett C
 JACOBS, Thomas P
 JAGA, Kayan

JENMAN, Callum B
 JONES, Kallan R
 KLEYE, Andrew J
 KOOR, Zayan
 MACDONALD, Nicholas R
 MARSHALL, Devon B
 MARRIOTT-WATSON, Storm
 MARTINEZ, Peter
 MOOLLA, Ziyaad H
 MORKEL, James A
 NANO, Ché
 NANKIN, Solly
 NGXANGANE, Xhanti
 OGADA, Morné Wambi
 ORPEN, Cameron M
 PETERSEN, Joshua M
 RODINI, Thandile
 ROWAND, Thomas E
 SAKOTA, Filip
 SMITH, Antony M
 STEVEN-JENNINGS, Daniel J
 STEYN, Johann
 SWIFT, Benjamin A
 TRAUT, Joshua D
 TYERS, Hudson H
 TYLER, Declan R
 WALSH, Timothy P
 WATSON, Conna
 WHITAKER, Jack F
 WHITELAW, Stuart T
 WHIFFLER, James R
 WILLIAMS-ASHMAN, Andrew
 WINSTAIN, Liam L
 WOLFSON, Zachariah

2011 SALVETE

Grade 1-7

ALLAFRANCHINO, Roch
 BARRY, Joshua
 BLATCH, Kai
 DAVIES, Matthew

DAVIS, Jack
 DU, Matthew
 FEINBERG-MNGOMEZULU, Sacha
 FORBES, Julian
 GRAAFF, Berkeley
 GRUBER, Christopher
 HORN, Brett
 KINGDOM, David
 KINGDOM, Thomas
 KUTTEL, Ryan
 MEHLOMAKULU, Liqhayiya
 MOL, Joshua
 MORAPPEL, Mahole
 NDLOVU, Siphon
 OLBRICH, Max
 ROSS, Jordan
 ROWAND, Jack
 SNIDER, Brandon
 STEVENS, Stuart
 WESSELS, Luke
 WILKINSON, Alex

2010 SALVETE

BOR, Jacob
 BOR, Nathaniel

2010 VALETE

BOEHMKE, Thomas
 BROOKS, Christopher
 DE ZEEUW, Ties
 HARDMAN, Ethan
 HARDMAN, Joshua
 HAU, Gregory
 OPIE, Nicholas
 SKWATSHA, Thando
 SMITH, Liam
 WELLS, Joshua
 WILLIS, Scott

ART



Wesley Holtmann 3



Tristan Turner 3

It is always pleasing when art projects done in class are used functionally and displayed for school events. This term the Gr 3's drawings of "Madonna and

Child" were printed in the Carol Service Cover, as seen above. The Gr 7 produced outstanding Dream catchers which were used as part of the decoration at Mallet Centre for the Leavers' dinner.

The Gr 6 screen printing project is designed to co-inside with the go-kart racing organised in Design and Technology and the boys came up with excellent t-shirt designs. Our congratulations go to The Ace (**Craig Brown, Boyd Kane, Mukisa Mujulizi, Nikolai Piotrowski, Tyger Thompson** and **Joshau Wells** in 6A) for winning the prize for the best logo design. Other boys in Grade 6 who were recognised for their printing skills during the term were: **Simon Kilpin, Matthew Wray, Theuns Kuhn, Chris Mewett** and **Byron Cranswick**.



"Street Customs" 6C (Burke, Knight, Campleman, vdValk, Jacobs, Hyslop)



"1 time" 6F (Aspinall, Stehlik, Reid, Makin, Dornford-May, Gowar)



Felix Burt 5D



Ross Goodwin 5D



Roarke O'Moloney 5G

Artists of the Week in Grade 3 this term were **Brice Agnew, Christian Garry, Innocent Macha, Chris Clark, Francois Breytenbach, James Howard, Sam Elliott and Tristan Turner** for their mono-print drawings of Madonna and Child.

In Grade 4 the following boys were recognised for their drawing skills in their sketching project on "Camping": **Tom Barty, Tio Bakre, Matthew Hartmann, Jordan Meyer, Okuhle Minyi, Oliver McRobert, Kamal Sacranie, Tristan Smith, and Justin Maree.** The Grade 4's also worked on paper craft this term and the following boys were recognised as Artists of the week for the creativity they displayed in their three-dimensional cardboard constructions of imaginary homes: **Ryan Solomons, Stefano Fernandes, Dylan Perlman, Ben Rubin, Liam Agnew, Kit Bell, Matthew Klingenberg, Luc Janssens, Luca Taverna-Turisan, Nivar Rajoo and Matthew Von Bulow.**

The Grade 5's worked on art projects inspired by the Middle Ages and produced beautiful scraperboards lettering designs. The Artists of the Week were **Felix Burt, Ross Goodwin, Liam Neill, Ameer Tyer, George Spencer, Cayden Marquis, Richard Ramm, Kimon Buhler, Roarke O'Moloney, Luke Leach-Lewis, Robbie Lennett, Shaylin Foflonker and Blair Phelan.**

Gr 7 Artists of the Week this term were: **Richard Bassett, Cole Cruickshank, Liam Goff, Xander Gowar, Piers Johnston, Edwin Klingenberg-Evans, Chris Hitchman, Laurance Midgley, Luc Janssens, Llewellyn Shanjengange, Julian van der Watt and Matthew Viviers** for their creative Dream catchers. All the Bishops bosy are to be congratulated in producing such a high standard of art throughout the year! They have been a pleasure to teach.

MUSIC

On the second day of term four 45 of our Prep boys, the largest number to date, sat down to write ABRSM theory examinations. The results of these examinations arrived in the last week of the term and we are really proud of our boys achievements. 24 distinctions (90% and above) of which 2 were 100%. **Drew Burton** and **Raleigh LaFleur** are the boys who joined **Michael Wilson-Trollip**, from the June sitting, in gaining this illusive mark of 100%. Our average percentage for this sitting was 87%. Well done to all concerned.

On the evening of the 24th of November we had our annual Leavers Concert. Fifty two of our seventy nine Grade 7s walked across the stage and performed. It is always an emotional evening for the Music Department and 'our' boys. This is their last performance on the Jagger Hall stage. We wish them all the very best in their musical pursuits at the College and hopefully beyond that.

Our Carol Service is always a wonderful occasion, a time when the whole School comes together to celebrate the birth of Christ with readings and lots of beautiful music. I thank Mark Mitchell for driving the Choir and for injecting his inimitable enthusiasm into the whole occasion. A big thank you to my staff, Sandee Clapperton, Tina Sheard, Lucia Scott, Yvonne-Marie Brand and Sue Kieswetter for their music and for helping to make this service the success it was.

Stuart Scott

THEORY RESULTS OCTOBER EXAM 2010

66 – 79% = Pass, 80 – 89% = Merit, 90% + = Distinction

<i>Name</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Theory Grade</i>	<i>Result</i>	<i>Name</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Theory Grade</i>	<i>Result</i>
Cattell, Kieran	7C	5	Pass	Bowden, Nicholas	5S	1	Distinction
Dennis, Simon	7C	4	Merit	Burke, Brandon	5S	1	Distinction
Midgley, Laurence	7C	4	Pass	Burton, Drew	3B	1	Distinction
Thomson, Michael	7C	4	Merit	Court, David	4L	1	Distinction
Tzemis, Benjamin	7T	4	Merit	Fraser, Callum	4J	1	Merit
van der Watt, Julian	7M	4	Pass	Gebers, Jeremy	7M	1	Distinction
Johnson, Piers	7C	3	Merit	Gevisser, Leo	2PP	1	Merit
Joubert, Josua	7T	3	Merit	Goliath, Dylan	6A	1	Merit
Morris, Matthew	7C	3	Distinction	Gordon-Turner, Liam	4C	1	Distinction
Richardson, Thomas	7C	3	Distinction	Graham, Jack	4J	1	Merit
Ryall, Nicholas	7T	3	Distinction	Hyslop, Christopher	6C	1	Distinction
Adam, Mikael	7G	2	Distinction	Kotze, Christopher	4G	1	Distinction
Berkeley, Richard	6C	2	Merit	LaFleur, Raleigh	5D	1	Distinction
Brown, Craig	6A	2	Distinction	McGuckian, Alastair	4J	1	Distinction
Castle, Dylan	7T	2	Distinction	Mitchell, James	6C	1	Distinction
Fisher, Arthur	5D	2	Merit	Mort, Laurence	5G	1	Pass
Irvine, Graeme	7C	2	Pass	Nel, Jordan	6C	1	Distinction
Kane, Boyd	6A	2	Merit	Podesta, Jaxin	5D	1	Distinction
MacGregor, Rory	6C	2	Distinction	Prins, Karl	4G	1	Pass
Tapanlis, Nikolaos	5S	2	Distinction	Psillos, Theodore	4G	1	Distinction
Thorne, Dean	7T	2	Merit	Stassen, Ivan	5S	1	Distinction
Wells, Joshua	6A	2	Pass	Thompson, Nicholas	7T	1	Merit
				Tzemis, Timothy	5D	1	Distinction

EARLY ACT

Once again the Prep boys entered into the spirit of giving this term.

We raised over R3000 for the Peninsula School Feeding Association. Every term the PSFA ensures that thousands of underprivileged children across the Peninsula receive a meal at school. At a school assembly **Dylan Burke** and **Marcus Knight** did a short skit comparing a R39 fast-food meal consisting of a burger, chips and fizzy drink with the R1.90 PSF meal of milk, bread and peanut butter. They encouraged boys to donate generously to PSF in future. More and more the PSFA is introducing hot meals into schools and really needs our support. Our civvies money this term was donated to The Homestead which caters for street children (boys) and Miles for Smiles which raises money to sponsor operations for children who need reconstructive facial surgery to rectify deformities.

The boys also collected buttons for the women of the iThemba HIV/AIDS support group in Westlake. These women make necklaces which they sell in order to earn a living.

In addition to the buttons, we collected plastic bread tags which are sold by Mary Honeybun of Noordhoek to recycling companies to raise money for those needing wheelchairs but who are unable to afford them. Mary has supplied more than forty wheelchairs in this way already. To keep interest alive, we have regular competitions to guess the weight of the tags collected so far. **Nicholas Proudfoot** is in charge of this.



The highlight of our outreach calendar every year is Pup Idols. Over one hundred dog and puppy photos were entered and displayed outside the library and boys voted for their favourites. Pup Idols raised R500 for The Guide Dogs Association.

Many second-hand books were handed in at the library as parents moved, cleared out, etc. Some were in very good condition. These were given to St Paul's Primary in the Bokaap.

Every year in the fourth term, donations are made to various animal organizations. These monies are raised by the Wildlife Club at their annual cake and candy sale. An outing to the Cart Horse Protection Association was arranged to hand over some of the proceeds of this extremely successful event.

Prep boys and their parents also bring toys to the Carol Service every year. This is done under the auspices of the chaplains who distribute the many toys collected to the Red Cross Children's Hospital and rural parishes, inter alia.

Thank you to everyone who supports our many community projects. It is much appreciated.

Sue Kieswetter

PREPARATORY SPORT

CRICKET

1ST XI

After a disappointing Cape Schools' Festival (which we had the privilege of hosting), the team fought back well for the rest of the term with some sterling performances, somewhat marred by an under-par showing against Wynberg and a hard-fought loss against Rondebosch. Clinical performances against Whips and Werpups provided highlights of the term, as well as a good draw against SACJS. **Thomas Richardson's** 60 no in 38 overs during the day-night match against a strong bowling attack was an outstanding performance, as was **Jared Pringle's** 64 against SACJS. **Luke Burton's** two 'fivers' and **Stefan Olbrich's** fiver against the MCC were the best bowling performances of the term. But the strength of this team lay largely in a great team spirit. They were a fantastic group of boys to coach and made the hours in the sun a pleasure!

A special word of congratulations to **Luke Burton** on being selected for the Western Province 'A' team and to **Thomas Richardson** (WP 'B' Team). Luke's 24 wickets for the term at an average of 10.8 speak for themselves, while Thomas was the only batsman to exceed 500 runs this year (568 at an average of 31.6). Well done to **Jared Pringle** (395 runs for the year), and to the bowling trio of Cole Cruickshank (24 wickets for the year), **Dylan Castle** (23 wks) and Stefan Olbrich (22 wks). Together with Burton, the bowlers always gave us a fighting chance when the chips were down. Cole's consistency was remarkable. The trophy winners were **Thomas Richardson** (Service to Cricket) and **Luke Burton** (Cricket Trophy).

A special thank you to the parents for their support and involvement over the years in Prep cricket. The school, the boys and the coach appreciate it enormously!

TEAM: T. Richardson (capt), S. Olbrich (vice-capt), J. Gebers, N. Mngomezulu, R. Church, J. Pringle, L. Burton, M. Comitis, E. Murphy, D. Castle, C. Cruickshank, M. Adam

RESULTS:

BISHOPS PREP CRICKET FESTIVAL:

Lost to Grey Junior by 21 runs

Grey Junior 149/10 (Olbrich 5/29)

Bishops 128/10 (Pringle 34)

Lost to Queens Junior by 9 wickets.

Bishops 56/10

Queens 59/1

Match vs. Selborne – Abandoned due to rain.



END OF SEASON MATCHES:***Match drawn vs. Black Bats.***

Bishops 216/9 (Church 50 no, Richardson 36, Pringle 34, Adam 30)

Black Batts 138/5 (T van As 31 ret, Olbrich 2/3, Murphy 2/27)

Won by 35 runs vs Fathers' X1

Bishops 221/6 (Richardson 51 ret, Adam 50 ret,)

Fathers' X1 186/10 (J. Comitis 51 ret, R. Richardson 37, Burton 2/5)

Match drawn vs Staff X1

Bishops 212/10 (Olbrich 46, Church 35)

Staff X1 196/9 (G da Sousa 37, G. Shuttleworth 35, C. Groom 35, Church 3/19)

Lost to Groot Drakenstein GC by 2 wickets.

Bishops 108/6 (Richardson 37)

GDGC 110/8 (Adam 2/6)





UNDER 13B

The Bishops U13B XI improved on their good record in the first term with another fine season under longstanding captain, Siya Qamgwana, whose untimely hand injury denied him a coveted A team spot in the Bishops Cricket Festival. Vice-captain **Mikaeel Adam**, who was rightly drafted into the 1st XI squad after a number of impressive performances with the bat, was replaced by **Nicholas Ryall** who lead by example in the field, often seen diving to make or save crucial (and not so crucial) runs.

Highlights of the season included **Chris ‘The Hitman’ Hitchman** coming into form with the bat and scoring a match-winning 26 runs in the low scoring Day/Night game against Wynberg, and then following this up with a devastating bowling that saw him narrowly missing out on what would have been a well deserved fiver.

Nicholas Ryall proved himself a determined and dogged opening batsman in the absence of Mikaeel, taking the shine off the ball together with a number of blows to the body. He would seek his revenge with ball in hand and it was justice that he concluded the season by picking up a fiver against Kenwyn.

Longsuffering wicketkeeper, **Stefan Ranoszek**, showed his true sporting colours when he was denied his maiden half-century by some overzealous umpiring. He was left stranded on 47* by his very own coach who, in his haste to enforce a time penalty, forgot to add up Stefan’s runs and declared the innings over. Rather than just complain Stefan smiled, shrugged his shoulders and suggested it was something like ‘the one that got away and keeps you coming back’, a fishy tale to say the least!

His ability to make a joke of it – one I am sure he will not let me forget – and yet still get his point across sums up the unique manner in which the team approached this fascinating game called cricket: they fought back like there was no tomorrow, yet played on as if they had all the time in the world! Memories of the infamous ‘Medeli shot’, Cornel’s hard hitting cross-bat versus Smit’s soft straightened hair, and Siya’s ‘looping-lob leg-theory’ will be savored for years to come. The boys’ competitive yet sporting spirit should serve them well in life and in whatever sports codes they choose to pursue.

It has been a pleasure to work with such keen and able individuals in this committed and, hence, successful Bishops team. I look forward to watching you find your feet at the College – but rather than wish you luck, I would suggest you do what Makhaya Ntini did: go and make your own.

TEAM: M Adam, S Bisset, C Hitchman, J Knobloch, M Macha, L Neill, S Qamgwana, S Ranoszek, N Ryall, A Green, B Tzemis, C Smit

UNDER 13C

The U13C cricket team played some thrilling cricket this season. They have been an incredibly well balanced side boasting depth in batting and a strong bowling attack. Through hard work during training sessions they managed to make good progress in the field resulting in some excellent catches and run outs during matches. This team has enjoyed a hugely successful season. Congratulations to **James Smith** for his mature and confident leadership in the role of team captain. This team must be very proud of their performances considering that they often faced A teams from other schools and never backed down from the challenge, often facing quick and intimidating bowling.

I have thoroughly enjoyed coaching this group of boys. Well done on a very successful cricket season. Thank you to all the parents for your help and support.

Greg Shuttleworth

TEAM: James Smith; Ben Tzemis; Sozon Sarandis; Travis Barrett; Dakota Date Chong; Liam Goff; Nicholas Thompson; Jonathan Bamfield Duggon; Oliver Dyer; Dylan Hoffman; Frederic von Stauss; Tristan Blandin De Chalain; Laurence Midgely

UNDER 13D

I have enjoyed the challenge of developing the skills of individuals and the team as a whole this year. I am pleased that each player now knows the basic techniques in each aspect of the game. Although our results do not necessary reflect our progress, this team has improved tremendously since the beginning of the year and remained positive throughout.

Mr. Ashley Robbins

TEAM: K Cattell, J Maree, S Lee, T Sebola, J Joubert, P Johnston, S Maseke, M. Kuttel E Klinkenberg-Evans, E Williams, R Bassett, L Shanjengange, J Woodman and R Shauri.





UNDER 12A

We had a good start to the term with a few very good performances with the bat and ball. **Harry Makin** settled in well as the new captain, and led the team well throughout the season. **Francois Stassen** spearheaded our attack, and was very well supported by the other bowlers. We matured as cricketers, bouncing back from a bit of a dry spell in the middle part of the term. As batmen we now know our limitations and strengths. It is important that one recognizes these as an individual and builds a game plan around it. **Robert Lancefield** impressed with the bat and applied himself very well when we were in trouble on several occasions.

Discipline in the bowling department proved to be invaluable towards the end of the term.

Thank you to all the parents who supported us throughout the year. I wish all these boys well as they move to the next stage of his cricketing careers.

UNDER 12B

The Under 12 B team enjoyed a fine unbeaten season. Each boy in the team showed improvement in their individual game and were prepared to apply the technical skills learnt in training.

Highlights of the term must be the fine fight back against Wynberg, where Wynberg were cruising to victory, when we engineered some late wickets and ran their last batsmen out while he was attempting to score the winning run to draw the game in exciting fashion. We also posted a modest total against SACS. SACS responded by getting off to a flyer and needed just 40 runs to win with 15 overs and 9 wickets in hand. We fought hard, bowling accurately and fielding as if our lives depended on it to win a memorable match. This attitude typified the passion and spirit within the team.

As a coach I have been extremely impressed with the overall progress the team has made.

Our ground fielding and catching coupled with a lot more accurate bowling was the key to our success, while some individuals worked hard on their batting thus providing the team with some excellent match winning batting displays.

I would like to thank the boys for their superb attitude in training and sportsmanship on the field. I am also grateful to the parents for their positive support, help with lifting, preparation of teas and for the wonderful end of season function that we all enjoyed.

Murray Anderson

TEAM: Dylan Burke, Matthew Clayton, Ya'eesh Collins, Leo Davis, Jeremy Hudson, Curwin Jacobs, Simon Kilpin, Christopher Mailer, Matthew Perrott (Captain), Sebastian Prentice, Warwick Reid, Daniel van der Valk, Matthew Wray

UNDER U12C

Generally the team had a good term of cricket seeing some of the boys really improving their skill levels. This was a result of good hard work and patience. Good luck in 2011. Enjoy your cricket. Thanks to the parents for their support.

TEAM: C.Mewet; J.Hofmeyer; N.Rubin; T.Herman; A.Lupini; C.Hyslop; A.Wheeler; R.Mac Gregor; A. Kennedy Smith; N. Proudfoot; A.Gowar.

UNDER 12D

It was a privilege coaching this side. Their commitment to the cause was great to see, never giving up, even when we were up against sides of superior strength in depth. Thank You to those parents who came and joined us on match days in support of their sons. To end off, I would just like to wish all of you well in your Grade Seven year of cricket. Enjoy and good luck.

CM

UNDER 12E

I had the privilege of coaching a bunch of young enthusiastic cricketers who were eager to learn. Although we were always the underdogs these young men did not lose hope nor did their spirit drop, they were keen and to play every single game and give it their best. Our bowling was electrifying throughout the whole season with **S. Sani, T.Borat, T. Thompson** and Captain **R. Majal** averaging 2 wickets each in game. Our fielding was also outstanding this season with **P.Thomas, L. Sturgeon** and **T. Muller** putting their bodies on the line and pulling amazing saves. Our batting got off to a shaky start but it went from strength to strength with our captain **R. Majal, S. Sani, A. Masha, N. Brake, A. Peel** and **B. Steyn** leading the rest of the troops with the bat.

The young men enjoyed their season.

B.Ntlebi

TEAM: Raziq Majal (c) Taahir Borat (vc) Ned Brake (wk) Samkelo Sani Leo Sturgeon Tyger Thompson Amani Masha Toby Muller Alex Peel Preston Thomas Ben Steyn



UNDER 11A

It began on a blustery day in Newlands where we had Sacs in trouble early with **Richie Baikoff** dictating play with a very good spell of swing bowling – he had found his away swing that had gone missing during the winter. We were then cruising, only a couple of wickets down and with only a few runs required, when we proceeded to have an almighty batting collapse just to make it interesting. It took the calm head of **Ivan Stassen** to steer us home while all hell was breaking loose around him.

Nine goslings welcomed us at Grove's Lady Anne field and their parents (the geese not the humans) made it quite clear that we needed to hit the ball far away from their play area out at deep mid-wicket. Thus a local rule was brought in – any ball hit at the goslings would result in the batsman been given out 'obstructing the geese'. Needless to say no boy got out that way although they found many other ways to get out. We piled on the runs with most of our batsmen cashing in and then bowled tightly to bowl them out cheaply to win by a big margin.

We then headed south-east to the difficult to find Douglass Murray field next to Arderne Gardens where WP Prep welcomed us. Their fast bowler wasn't as welcoming as he tore us apart and we were bundled out for a low score despite a rear guard fighting innings by **Ben Nel**. We defended our feeble score like tigers but despite the fighting spirit with the ball shown by **Senne Ramiah** and **Michael Burton** it was not enough and we lost in the end.

I have rarely seen a team so determined to gain revenge than this team that arrived extra early on a misty Saturday morning for some extra batting practice in the Sacs nets. When I rode in to the Sacs grounds after a really pleasant bike ride along the Liesbeeck river and saw the entire team hard at work in the nets, I knew we were going to win. Sacs never had a chance and were skittled for 90 with superb bowling and fielding by everyone. Our batsmen batted with renewed confidence

and knocked off the runs easily with **Mitesh Valodia** and **Michael Burton** leading the way.

We then hosted our old friends from Rondebosch in a 'day/night' match on our hockey astro and what a game it was. Rondebosch piled on the runs as we struggled to adapt to the different astro surface and just couldn't contain them. After a delicious and rather social braai amongst both sets of parents and boys, we chased their huge score valiantly. Unfortunately we lost too many wickets along the way, but came agonisingly close when in the last over with only six runs to win and only one wicket left, Michael de Kock was caught brilliantly on the boundary going for the win. The ball was hit high into the dark night and was swirling around in the south-easter. It was a spectacular catch under pressure and certainly endorsed the famous cricket expression that 'catches win matches'.

Our last match of the year was a return match at Rondebosch. Again we were out for revenge and came out all guns blazing. Our swing bowlers swung the ball alarmingly and Rondebosch were skittled out for a disappointing 90 runs. Although we made heavy weather of the chase we got there in the end thanks to a good knock up front by Aidan Neill.

This team has been well led by **Michael Burton**. He was not afraid to try things and follow his good cricket instincts. This was a happy, if somewhat erratic team, who simply played for the love of the game. When they got it right they were brilliant and with maturity more consistency will come in the future. Thanks to the parents for their loyal support throughout a most entertaining season. I will follow their futures with great interest.

Bruce Mitchell

TEAM: S Ramiah; A Neill; R Baikoff; M Burton; C Rohrer; M Valodia; R Goodwin; M de Kock; B Nel; F Burt; I Stassen; R Lennett.

Played 10 Won 7 Lost 3 Drew 0



UNDER 11B

It was a term of good cricket with some wonderful results. A couple of our players were promoted to the A team which proves that the boys did work very hard this term. There were challenges but the boys stayed patient and worked to the best of their ability. It was great to have the support of the parents at games.

V Parafini

Team: Type team names here A.Neill B.Burke N.Mputa R.Good N.Featherstone B.Chetwin J.Mol M.Lernfranchi A.Tyer R.Le Fleur D.Wesson C.Marquis



UNDER 11C

This fabulous team managed to dominate both with the bat and ball during many games this term. Each team member, it seemed, took a leading role during different games to take wickets or get runs. We can be proud of the number of boys who performed well enough to be promoted to the B team. During most games we were able to all bat and bowl ensuring a great amount of enjoyment. The final game was a wonderful example of this full team participation as it ended with some great excitement.

Mark Erlangsen

Team: L. Ranoszek; G.Spencer; F.vd Merwe; C. Sides; T. Tzemis; F. Acafrao; J. Podesta; L. Pargiter; L. Leach Lewis; S. Foflonker; I. Kerbelker; M. Rawoot;

UNDER 11D

The U/11D team had a very enjoyable 4th term of cricket although not all the results went their way.

The team had a good balance of bowlers and batsmen. Our batting was probably our strength with the team posting over a 100 runs in 20 overs in more than 3 games well done boys. Our bowling was not always on song but our bowlers always bowled with good pace and swing and always gave 100%. Well done to all the boys in the U/11D team, a fun season.

Ian Hopton

Team: A.Fisher, L.Mort, J.Alfredo, A.Themba, C.Ayo, M.Hanson, L.Ngcokoto, C.Brooks, R.O'molony, S.Liwani, T.Braga, F.Bagus.



UNDER 10A

It is with a heavy heart that I write my final report on the Under 10A cricket team of 2010. I have enjoyed every moment with these boys and the phenomenal improvement in their skill level has made all the hours in the summer sun worthwhile. For me, development of the correct technique as a youngster, and not winning, is vital for the success as a cricketer in later years. Therefore, although our “motto” for the season was to have fun, we never allowed this to get in the way of playing ‘correct’ cricket. Our practices with the U 10B’s on a Wednesday and Friday afternoon were always well planned and this provided me with the opportunity to develop the skills of not just the A team players, but the B’s as well. This certainly proved worthwhile and it was very rewarding for me to read about the outstanding performances of both A and B players in the newsletter and staffroom. During the last quarter of this year, we were very fortunate to play Saturday matches against SACS, Werpups, Rondebosch and Wynberg. We decided to play a time game rather than the popular limited-overs format. Playing this way, introduced the boys to a different side of cricket. It allowed batsman to build an innings and bowlers to bowl longer spells. All the matches proved very exciting and great fun was had by all. A highlight of the season for the boys was certainly the Day/Night fixture against Wynberg on the College astro – the boys relish the opportunity to play under lights and acquitted themselves well despite losing the match. For me, there were many highlights, but the biggest highlight was the attitude that these young men had towards the game. They always tried hard to do their best, and despite losing many games in 2010, they never lost their love and enthusiasm for the game. Another highlight was certainly the support and positive attitude of the Bishops parents – thank you for all the lifting and for always encouraging your boys. Well done, boys it was an honour being your coach and I will follow your progress carefully in the future.

Chris Groom

TEAM: Victor Allen (V.Capt), Thomas Burton, Alex Castle, Murray Gordon, Dimitri Kapoutsis, Matthew Klingenberg, Chris Kotze, Jordan Meyer, Okuhle Minyi (Capt), James Price, Jayden Rossouw, Daniel Stehlik.

UNDER 10B

The under 10B season was a very successful one for the boys who participated conceding one loss out of four rounds. Unfortunately one game was drawn against Rondebosch due to rain. As their coach I was proud of their attitude and the way the boys played throughout the season. They were competitive in every game they played. Their drive to improve their cricket skills and improve their cricket knowledge was very noticeable and the boys should be congratulated.

Joe Brawne

TEAM: Thomas Barty, Ryan Labberate, Nathaniel Bor, Scott Jeffery, Tristan Sides, Robert Young, Matthew Van Westenbrugge, Tim Sharples, John Van Niekerk, James Shuttleworth, Matthew Klingenberg, Ryan Wonfor

UNDER 10C

The fourth term has been a great term of cricket for the U10C team. The boys have progressed in their understanding of the game as well as in their skill. We may not have had many successful results but I know the boys have thoroughly enjoyed the term of cricket. It has been a difficult term in terms of fixtures as we ended up playing mostly B teams and sometimes A teams. Despite this the boys always tried their best, being great sportsman and great Bishops boys both on and off the field. Two games stand out in particular. Our first game against Rondebosch where I feared 48 runs on Stanmore would never be enough. The boys came in firing after the tea break and proved me wrong by clinching our closest victory by just 1 one! The other memory was a similar affair against The Grove. We batted poorly and were bowled out for 25, despite playing on the tiny Lady Anne field. I imagined the game would be finished within 4 or 5 overs but again we fought back and in the end almost claimed a famous victory, losing narrowly by 1 wicket.

Thank you to the boys for a great season and to the parents for all the lifts and sideline support. Remember to keep working on those Coke and Smartie shots!

Michael Hampton

TEAM: Ryan Lawson, Ryan Wonfor, Cullen Perlman, Liam Agnew, Luca Comitiss, Ryan Solomons, Jonathan Greyling, Jack Graham, Chris Haller, Tristan Smith, Ben Rubin, James Young, Matthew Hartmann, Kamal Sacranie.

UNDER 10D

Great improvement was made by this team during the term. It was a joy to watch as smiles came to their faces as runs were scored and wickets were taken. It was not easy as we often played B, C or only sides in other schools. Enjoyment was the key in our team. Thank you to those parents who helped out with lifts.

JUNIOR LEAGUE

Junior league takes place on a Monday and Wednesday afternoons. Monday afternoons are spent sharing the Woodlands astro turf with the grade threes. Mondays became known as practical session day where time is spent learning the fundamentals of the game.

Wednesday afternoons saw the friendly rivalry continue with neighbours Rondebosch, this term in muted form due to their playing numbers. Only eight boys got to participate weekly on a rotational basis. The matches took the format of a mini cricket type game, with a hard ball and pads being used. Each young man got the opportunity to have a bat and a bowl during the game. While that was taking place a competitive internal game was happening next door.

The results of each fixture were not important with enjoyment being the order of the day. Well done to those of you who got their names in the Friday bulletin for their good consistent performances during the term and to **Stephen Ross** and **Andrew Basset** who got promoted to the Under 10 D side and to those under 11s who had the opportunity to play in the Under 11D side too.

The term ended off with a now traditional 20 over fixture, this year vs. the self same Rondebosch

side. Rondebosch managed to secure a victory.

Thank you to the great number of parents who came and supported their sons and his team mates. To the boys, thank you for a fun and enjoyable terms cricket, it was great to see the improvement made from the first term. Keep it up.

Steven Riches



MINI CRICKET

Well done to all the u9 cricketers. During the fourth term matches were played and the boys in each of the teams played a competitive interschool match. I believed that the boys learned the basics of cricket not forgetting the enjoyment of the game. The commitment of the boys was excellent and they really gave their all at practice and matches. Good luck for next year.

The coaching staff extends their grateful thanks to all parents for their wonderful support.

Grant De Sousa



BISHOPS PREP CRICKET FESTIVAL:

Bishops Prep had the privilege of hosting the primary schools cricket festival during the September Holidays. This festival involves the traditional boys' schools from the Western (Bishops, Rondebosch, SACS and Wynberg) and Eastern (Dale, Grey, Queens and Selborne) Cape.

Mr Charles Pautz from Grey P.E. attended this festival for the final time in his official capacity as Deputy Headmaster and Grey team manager; he will be retiring at the end of 2010. He is a founder member of this festival and has attended all of them to date.

We were fortunate enough to have two fine days of weather on the opening two days, both being lovely hot days. The third day started off being overcast and just got darker and darker, with the heavens opening just after the morning tea break curtailing the day's play and bringing the prize giving forward by a few hours.

Thank You to all the Bishops Prep staff and ground staff for their tireless work during the festival to help make it the success that it was. It was a team effort.

Rob Riches

Bishops Prep Cricket results 9 October – 14 October.

Under 12 A vs. Reddam House:

Reddam 115/9 (C Stehlik 4/21 T Kuhn 2/21)

Bishops 105 (C Stehlik 21 H Makin 14)

Reddam won by 10 runs

Under 13 B vs. United CC

Bishops 168/6 (S Qamgwana 35* S Bissett 32 M Comititis 31)

United 73 (C Hitchman 1/1)

Bishops won by 95 runs.

Under 10 A vs. Rondebosch

Bishops 95/3 (A Castle 35* T Burton 20)

Rondebosch 85/6 (J Rossouw 4/10)

Bishops won by 11 runs.

Under 10C vs. Rondebosch

Bishops 49 (R Wonfor 14)

Rondebosch 46 (J Smith 2/5 L Agnew 2/13)

J Young 2/2 L Comititis 2/2)

Bishops won by 3 runs.

Under 12B v Milnerton

Bishops 210/5 (J Hudson 58* M Wray 79*)

Milnerton 60 (C Jacobs 2/9 S Kilpin 3/4)

Bishops won by 150 runs.

Under 12 C vs. SACS

Bishops 104 (C Mewett 34* C Hyslop 22)

SACS 75 (A Gowar 3/7)

Bishops won by 30 runs.

Under 11 A vs. Rondebosch

Bishops 180/5 (C Rohrer 56 M Buton 36 B Nel 23*)

Rondebosch 64 (I Stassen 2/5 R Lennett 2/11)

Bishops won by 116 runs.

Under 11 B vs. Rondebosch

Bishops 55 (A Neil 19 B Chetwin 13)

Rondebosch 57/0

Rondebosch won by 10 wickets.

Under 11C vs. Rondebosch

Rondebosch 57/3

Bishops 58/2 (F Van der Merwe 20* J Podesta 10*)

Bishops won by 8 wickets.

Under 11 D vs. Rondebosch

Rondebosch 84 (S Liwani 3/? L Ngcokoto 3/?)

Bishops 81/5 (J Alfrado 20 L Leach-Lewis)

Rondebosch won by 3 runs.

Under 13 C vs. Rondebosch

Bishops 128/4 (J Smith 66* D Date Chong 36*)

Rondebosch 129/7 (L Midgley 3/12)

Rondebosch won by 3 wickets.

Under 13 D vs. Rondebosch

Rondebosch 118/5

Bishops 27

Rondebosch won by 91 runs.

Under 13 A vs. Waterkloof House (Pretoria)

Bishops 129/5 (T Richardson 31 R Church 26)

Waterkloof 118 (L Burton 4/9 D Castle 2/14)

Bishops won by 11 runs.

Bishops Prep Cricket results 16 October – 21 October.

Under 13 A vs. Bellville C.C

Bellville 155/9 (L Burton 3/23 D Castle 3/44)

C Cruickshank 2/26)

Bishops 129/8 (D Castle 31* S Olbrich 25)

Match Drawn.

Under 13 B vs. Bellville C.C

Bellville 70/9

Bishops 71/6

Bishops won by 4 wickets.

Under 12 E vs. Groote Schuur

Bishops 24

Groote Schuur 25/0

Groote Schuur won by 10 wickets.

Under 11 A vs. SACS

SACS 90/9 (R Baikoff 4/16)

Bishops 91/8 (S Ramiah 26 I Stassen 13*)

Bishops won by 2 wickets.

Under 12 A v Peninsular Bears

Bishops 26

P Bears 27/0

*Peninsular Bears won by 10 wickets.***Under 10 A vs. SACS**

Bishops 64/6 (A Castle 13 J Meyer 13)

SACS 65/2

*Lost by 8 wickets.***Under 10 B vs. SACS**

SACS 77 (R Labberte 2/6)

Rondebosch 78/9 (J Shuttleworth 21)

*Bishops won by 1 wicket.***Under 10 C vs. SACS**

Bishops 56/7 (R Wonfor 15 C Mailer 21*)

SACS 57/2

*Lost by 8 wickets***Under 12 C vs. St Georges**

St Georges 67 (T Hermans 24)

Bishops 68/2

*Bishops won by 8 wickets***Under 11 B vs. SACS**

SACS 86/9 (B Chetwin 4/17)

Bishops 48

*SACS won 38 runs.***Under 11 C vs. SACS**

Bishops 88/7 (Rawoot 16 Mort 14)

SACS 89/5

*SACS won by 5 wickets.***Under 13 C vs. SACS**

Bishops 166/3 (B Tzemis 50* D Date Chong 50* J Smith 35)

SACS 99 (L Midgley 2/10 O Dyer 2/7)

*Bishops won by 67 runs***Under 13 D vs. The Grove**

Bishops 64

Grove 65/2 (A Woodman 2/17)

*Grove won by 8 wickets.***Bishops Prep Cricket results 23 October – 28 October.****Under 13 A vs. The Grove**

Bishops 204/5 (M Adam 63 N Mngomezulu 36 D Castle 25* T Richardson 29)

The Grove 66 (L Burton 5/6 E Murphy 2/13)

S Qamgwana 2/5)

*Bishops won by 140 runs***Under 13 B vs. Fish Hoek**

Fish Hoek 156/7 (B Tzemis 3/30)

Bishops 76 (S Bissett 28*)

*Fish Hoek won by 80 runs.***Under 12 A v Kenridge**

Bishops 104 (H Makin 14)

Kenridge 95 (C Stehlick 6/24)

*Won by 9 runs***Under 10 A vs. St Georges**

St Georges 20 (A Castle 3/2 J Meyer 2/0 D Kapoutsis 2-4)

Bishops 23/0

*Won by 10 wickets.***Under 12 D vs. Groote Schuur**

Groote Schuur 132/3

Bishops 116/6 (M Knight 29,

H de Villiers Te Water 27*)

*Groote Schuur won by 16 runs.***Under 12 E vs. The Grove**

The Grove 75/6 (S Sani 2/17 T Bhorat 2/12)

Bishops 37/8

*The Grove by 38 wickets.***Under 11 A vs. The Grove**

Bishops 182/2 (R Baikoff 44)

The Grove 74 (B Nel 2/5)

*Bishops won by 108 runs.***Under 11 B vs. The Grove**

The Grove 64

Bishops 66/4 (C Marquis 28 A Neil 18*)

Bishops won by 6 wickets.

Under 13 A vs. The Grove

Bishops 204/5 (M Adam 63 N Mngomezulu 36 D Castle 25* T Richardson 29)

The Grove 66 (L Burton 5/6 E Murphy 2/13

S Qamgwana 2/5)

Bishops won by 140 runs

Under 13 B vs. Fish Hoek

Fish Hoek 156/7 (B Tzemis 3/30)

Bishops 76 (S Bissett 28*)

Fish Hoek won by 80 runs.

Under 12 A v Kenridge

Bishops 104 (H Makin 14)

Kenridge 95 (C Stehlick 6/24)

Won by 9 runs

Under 10 A vs. St Georges

St Georges 20 (A Castle 3/2 J Meyer 2/0 D Kapoutsis 2-4)

Bishops 23/0

Won by 10 wickets.

Under 12 D vs. Groote Schuur

Groote Schuur 132/3

Bishops 116/6 (M Knight 29,

H de Villiers Te Water 27*

Groote Schuur won by 16 runs.

Under 12 E vs. The Grove

The Grove 75/6 (S Sani 2/17 T Bhorat 2/12)

Bishops 37/8

The Grove by 38 wickets.

Under 11 A vs. The Grove

Bishops 182/2 (R Baikoff 44)

The Grove 74 (B Nel 2/5)

Bishops won by 108 runs.

Under 11 B vs. The Grove

The Grove 64

Bishops 66/4 (C Marquis 28 A Neil 18*)

Bishops Prep Cricket results 30 October – 04 November.

Under 13 A vs. WPPS

WPPS 100 (L Burton 5/20 C Cruickshank 4/26)

Bishops 101/2 (N Mngomezulu 50 T Richardson 38*)

Bishops won by 8 wickets.

Under 13 B vs. WPPS

Bishops 169/7 (L Neill 68 C Smith 26*)

WPPS 83/7 (J Knobloch 2/1 E Murphy 2/7

Match Drawn.

Under 12 A v Bellville C.C.

Bishops 121/7 (R Lancefield 39 A Williams 25)

Bellville 122/4 (W Reid 1/6)

Bellville won by six wickets.

Under 10 A vs. WPPS

Bishops 165 (M Gordon 51)

WPPS 128 (D Kapoutsis 4/24 O Minyi 3/43)

Bishops won by 37 runs.

Under 11 A vs. WPPS

Bishops 114 (R Baikoff 28 B Nel 33)

WPPS 115/6 (S Ramiah 3.8 M Burton 2/28)

Bishops lost by 1 wicket.

Under 12B vs. Rondebosch

Rondebosch 72 (C Jacobs 3/3)

Bishops 74/2 (J Hudson 30)

Bishops won by 8 wickets.

Under 12C vs. Rondebosch

Bishops 103/6 (J Hofmeyer 29 A Lupini 18

T Hermans 21)

Rondebosch 98/8

Bishops won by 5 runs.

Under 12D vs. SACS

SACS 140/6 (T Langeman 3-46)

Bishops 124 (T Langeman 26*)

SACS won by 16 runs..

Under 12 E vs. Pinehurst

Bishops 26

Pinehurst 27/1

Pinehurst won by 10 wickets.

Under 11 A vs. SACS

Bishops 71

SACS 72/4 (M Burton 2/28)

SACS won by 4 wickets.

Under 10 A vs. Sweet Valley

Bishops 61/4 (T Burton 26* V Allen 21)
 Sweet Valley 53/8 (J Rossouw 2/9 D Kapoutsis 2/12)
Bishops won by 8 runs.

Under 10 B vs. Sweet Valley.

Bishops 150/2 (M Klinkenberg 50 J Shuttleworth 24*)
 Sweet Valley 96/3 (T Sides 0/6{4 overs})
Bishops won by 54 runs.

Under 10 C vs. Sweet Valley.

Sweet Valley 64/7 (L Agnew 16 J Graham 6)
 Bishops 65/2
Bishops won by 8 wickets.

Under 10 D vs. Sweet Valley

(B Rubin 10)
 (J Hamilton Barr 3/24)
Sweet Valley won by 43 runs.

Under 11 C vs. SACS

SACS 171/9
 Bishops 104
SACS won by 67 runs.

Under 11 D vs. SACS

Bishops 88 (F Bagus 34)
 SACS 78/7 (S Liwani 2/14 L Mort 2/7)
Bishops won by 10 runs.

Under 13 C vs. St Josephs

St Josephs 94 (J Smith 4/12)
 Bishops 95/5 (T Barrett 22)
Bishops won by 5 wickets.

Bishops Prep Cricket results 10 November – 14 November.

Under 13 A vs. SACS

SACS 204/4 (L Burton 2/45 C Cruickshank 4/26)
 Bishops 136/3 (J Pringle 67 T Richardson 33)
Match Drawn.

Under 13 B vs. SACS

SACS 154 (J Knobloch 4/18)
 Bishops 89/9 (A Green 26 S Qamgwana 30)
Match Drawn.

Under 12 A v SACS.

SACS 138 (C Stehlik 5/21 A Williams 3/18)
 Bishops 142/5 (R Lancefield 49 D Campleman 19)
Bishops won by five wickets.

Under 10 A vs. WPPS

Bishops 175 (J Meyer 48 M Gordon 25 V Allen 21)
 SACS 176/5 (J Meyer 1/13 J Rossouw 1/21)
SACS won by 5 wickets.

Under 11 A vs. SACS

SACS 90 (R Baikoff 5/26 I Stassen 2/11)
 Bishops 91/3 (M Valodia 51* M Burton 31)
Bishops won by 7 wicket.

Under 12B vs Wynberg

Bishops 102 (M Wray 23 S Kilpin 20)
 Wynberg 102 (W Reid 5/9)
Match Tied.

Under 12C vs. Wynberg

Wynberg 35 (D Goliath 4/10)
 Bishops 38/0 (A Lupini 16)
Bishops won by 5 runs.

Under 12D vs. Pinelands North

Bishops 103/8 (D Rowell 26)
 Bishops 104/1
Pinelands North won by 9 wickets.

Under 12 E vs. Wynberg

Wynberg 88/2
 Bishops 51
Wynberg won 37 runs.

Under 11 A vs. Wynberg

Bishops 172/5 (R Baikoff 60 C Rorer 39 F Burt 24)
 Wynberg 106/8 (M Valodia 3/11)
Bishops won by 66 runs.

Under 13 A vs. SACS

SACS 204/4 (L Burton 2/45 C Cruickshank 4/26)

Bishops 136/3 (J Pringle 67 T Richardson 33)

Match Drawn.

Under 13 B vs. SACS

SACS 154 (J Knobloch 4/18)

Bishops 89/9 (A Green 26 S Qamgwana 30)

Match Drawn.

Under 12 A v SACS.

SACS 138 (C Stehlik 5/21 A Williams 3/18)

Bishops 142/5 (R Lancefield 49 D Campleman 19)

Bishops won by five wickets.

Under 10 A vs. WPPS

Bishops 175 (J Meyer 48 M Gordon 25 V Allen 21)

SACS 176/5 (J Meyer 1/13 J Rossouw 1/21)

SACS won by 5 wickets.

Under 12B vs Wynberg

Bishops 102 (M Wray 23 S Kilpin 20)

Wynberg 102 (W Reid 5/9)

Match Tied.

Under 12C vs. Wynberg

Wynberg 35 (D Goliath 4/10)

Bishops 38/0 (A Lupini 16)

Bishops won by 5 runs.

Under 12D vs. Pinelands North

Bishops 103/8 (D Rowell 26)

Bishops 104/1

Pinelands North won by 9 wickets.

Under 12 E vs. Wynberg

Wynberg 88/2

Bishops 51

Wynberg won 37 runs.

Under 11 A vs. Wynberg

Bishops Prep Cricket results 13 November – 18 November.

Under 13 A vs. Wynberg

Bishops 100 (T Richardson 22)

Wynberg 101/7

Wynberg won by 3 wickets.

Under 12 A vs. Wynberg

Wynberg 104 (F Stassen 6/32)

Bishops 109/2 (J Hudson 28 N Piotrowski 25* R

Lancefield 22*) Bishops won by 8 wickets.

Under 11 A vs. Wynberg

Bishops 158/7 (R Baikoff 79)

Wynberg 88/5 (M De Kock 26)

Bishops won by 70 runs.

Under 10 A vs. Wynberg

Bishops 96/7 (T Burton 32 V Allen 22)

Wynberg 86/7 (A Castle 3/13)

Match drawn.

Under 10 C vs. Herzlia

Bishops 61/8 (T Smith 21)

Herzlia 65/2

Herzlia won by 8 wickets.

Under 11 A vs. Rondebosch

Rondebosch 150/2

Bishops 145 (M Valodia 36 M de Kock 24 M Burton 24)

Rondebosch won by 5 runs

Under 11 C vs. Rondebosch

Rondebosch 56 (G Spencer 2/4 B Tzemis 2/16)

Bishops 58/4 (T Sides 2/14)

Bishops won by 6 wickets.

Junior League vs. Rondebosch

Bishops 96/6 (T Psillos 12 W Raine 8 Extras 65*)

Rondebosch

Rondebosch won by 10 wickets.

Under 12 E. vs Rondebosch

Rondebosch 105/6 (T Thompson, L Davis and S Sani
2 wickets each)

Bishops 55/8

Rondebosch won by 55 wickets.

Under 12 D vs Rondebosch

Bishops 47 (M Mujulizi 19)

Rondebosch 48/3 (M Mujulizi 2/10)

Rondebosch won by 7 wickets.

Under 12 B vs The Grove

The Grove 97/7 (Y Collins 2/6 M Wray 2/4)

Bishops 100/4 (M Wray 23*)

Bishops won by 6 Wickets.

Bishops Prep Cricket results 20 November – End of Term

U13A vs Rondebosch

Bishops 154/6 D Castle 32no M Comitis 20no J Pringle 39

Rondebosch 155/6 C Cruickshank 4/48 L Burton 2/38

Lost by 4 wickets.

U13B vs Rondebosch

Rondebosch 230/8 C Hitchman 3/34

Bishops 215/7 L Neill 80no S Qamgwana 32

Match drawn.

U12A vs Rondebosch

Rondebosch 138 /4 A Williams 2/48

Bishops 85 all out. H Makin 29

Lost by 53 runs.

U11A vs Rondebosch

Rondebosch 90 all out M Valodia 3/17

R Lennet 3/21 R Baikoff 2/10

Bishops 91/7 A Neill 44

Won by 3 wickets

U10A vs Rondebosch

Rondebosch 141 all out J Rossouw 4/35

(including a Hatrick) M Klingenberg 3/11

Bishops 133 all out M Gordon 24 M Klingenberg 25

Lost by 8 runs,

U13A vs Rondebosch

Bishops 154/6 D Castle 32no M Comitis 20no J Pringle 39

Rondebosch 155/6 C Cruickshank 4/48 L Burton 2/38

Lost by 4 wickets.

U12A vs Rondebosch

Rondebosch 138 /4 A Williams 2/48

Bishops 85 all out. H Makin 29

Lost by 53 runs.

Under 12 B vs The Grove

The Grove 97/7 (Y Collins 2/6 M Wray 2/4)

Bishops 100/4 (M Wray 23*)

Bishops won by 6 Wickets

Under 12 D vs Rondebosch

Bishops 47 (M Mujulizi 19)

Rondebosch 48/3 (M Mujulizi 2/10)

Rondebosch won by 7 wickets

Under 12 E. vs Rondebosch

Rondebosch 105/6 (T Thompson, L Davis and S Sani 2 wickets each)

Bishops 55/8

Rondebosch won by 55 wickets.

Under 13 A vs. Milnerton C.C

Milnerton 108 (S Olbrich 5/23, D Castle 2/8 R Church 2/6)

Bishops 109/5 (T Richardson 38*)

Bishops won by 5 wickets

Under 13 B vs. Kenwyn

Bishops 176/9 (S Ranzoszek 47* S Qamgwana 34 C Smith 30)

Kenwyn 66 (N Ryall 5/10)

Bishops won by 110 runs.

U13B vs Rondebosch

Rondebosch 230/8 C Hitchman 3/34

Bishops 215/7 L Neill 80no S Qamgwana 32

Match drawn.

U11A vs Rondebosch

Rondebosch 90 all out M Valodia 3/17

R Lennet 3/21

R Baikoff 2/10

Bishops 91/7 A Neill 44

Won by 3 wickets

FENCING



This year has been significant as it is the end of a particularly successful cycle in the club's history. We have had a fantastic group of grade 7s who have all been committed to the club and have participated as much as possible in competitions. Well done and thank you, to all of you, especially to **Soo Min** the captain of 2010, and **Piers** the vice-captain!

RANK CERTIFICATES

It's getting really tough to get awarded certificates nowadays! Well done to **Hector Orrell** for earning his first rank, that of "novice". To receive the rank of "scholar" students have to clearly demonstrate that they have mastered the fundamentals and are ready for the next step and are able to cope with competitions of the "Challenge Series".

EN GARDE GALA CHAMPIONSHIPS

In a tough competition, **Tim Langerman** really excelled. He who along with **Soo Min Lee**, won a bronze medal. **Joshua Joubert** demonstrated what he is capable of, finishing 5th after narrowly missing out to a podium finish in the quarterfinal match. **Alaric McGregor** finished 9th, **Robert van Biljon** 10th, **Luke Ranoszek** 11th and **Joshua Wells** 14th.

THE FINAL "ORDER-OF-MERIT" PLACES FOR THE YEAR ARE:

- Pupi (U11): 1st **Alaric McGregor**, 2nd **Luke Ranoszek**
- Benjamin (U13): 2nd **Soo Min Lee**, 5th **Alaric McGregor**, 7th **Piers Johnston**

There were also special prizes awarded at this year's Championship!

Well done to Luke Ranoszek who received the "Most Improved Fencer" award!

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS AND INTER-HOUSE CHALLENGE

The preliminary rounds for the champs were held over the previous two weeks, so as to have a focussed event. The evening function included the semi-finals of the overall champs, the U11 and U9 finals, as well as the Inter-House challenge.

We had a great evening, with practically the entire club and most parents in attendance enjoying the camaraderie and party! The Inter-House challenge must surely be the highlight of the year for prep fencing! The spirit among the boys, along with the enthusiastic support of all the housemasters, really shows what the club should be about! Everyone was involved, and house captains **Joshua Joubert** (Bramley), **Robert van Biljon** (Brooke), **Piers Johnston** (Charlton) and **Soo Min Lee** (vdB) have to be commended for the leadership. Van Der Byl should be singled out, as they won largely due to their preparation and recruiting among occasional fencers. Well-done vdB!

THE WINNER OF THE 2010 TROPHIES ARE:Master-at-arms: **Soo Min Lee**U11 champion: **Alaric McGregor**U9 champions: **Liam Foxcroft**Price trophy for Commitment: **Alaric McGregor**House champions: **van der Byl**

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TENNIS

Captain: Alex Green

This year we entered 3 teams in the Western Cape Primary Schools League. Representatives for the under 13 A team were **A Green, R Surve, L Midgley, S Bisset, J Mitchell** while **O Dyer, C Mitchell, T Richardson, C Brown** and **B Nel** represented the under 13 B team. Representatives for the under 11 A team were **B Nel, M de Kock, R Lennett, F van der Merwe, C Rohrer, R Baikoff**.

**LEAGUE RESULTS***Bishops under 13 A team*

Lost to Sacs 0-6
 Lost to WPPS 1-5
 Beat Sweet Valley 5-1
 Lost to Rondebosch 2-4
 Lost to Reddam 1-5

Bishops under 13 B team

Beat RBPS 4-2
 Lost to Reddam 1-5
 Drew with Grove 3-3
 Lost to WPPS B 2-4
 Drew Kirstenhof 3-3

Bishops under 11 A

Drew with WPPS 3-3
 Beat RBPS 4-2
 Drew with SACS 3-3
 Beat Herzlia 6-0
 Beat Reddam 5-1

TENNIS TOURING TEAM

During the third term we played a match against Durban Prep School which we managed to win 55-50 whilst in the fourth term we were defeated by a team from Highbury in Kwazulu Natal.

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SWIMMING

“I wouldn’t say anything is impossible. I think that everything is possible as long as you put your mind to it and put the work and time into it”.

Michael Phelps

The boys have certainly put the work and time into their swimming this term and swimming at Bishops Prep is picking up momentum.

Stamina training was well attended and we welcomed numerous Water Polo boys who were very keen to build up their strength for their season. There is no better place to do this than in the swimming pool. Special thanks must go to **Stephen Pletts** for his time, enthusiasm and dedication to the morning swimming!

Squad swimming was at an all time high with large groups training hard in the early morning. It is a coach’s delight to watch the boys swim with determination, concentration and enthusiasm.

All of this hard work paid off at our combined A and B-league relay gala which was hosted by Bishops. The pool area was a hive of activity and the number of spectators was rather overwhelming. No positions are officially recorded at this fun event, but if we had calculated the scores we would have been placed second, only a few points behind SACS. Not only did they swim fantastically, numerous parents and teachers commented on our boys’ excellent behaviour, manners and organisation. Our boys did us proud!

Unfortunately our C-league relay gala, which was scheduled to be hosted at Wynberg Boys, was cancelled due to the poor weather conditions.

Our U9, U10 and U11 afternoon swimming groups have also swelled in numbers this term. Stroke correction and stamina training is given at these sessions with many competitive relays and challenges. I’d like to thank Cindy Anstey and Sue Johns for their dedication to the sport as well as the enthusiastic and expert coaching.

“For myself, losing is not coming second. It’s getting out of the water knowing you could have done better. For myself, I have won every race I’ve been in”.

Ian Thorpe

Well done Bishops swimmers, you have won every race you swam this year!

WATER POLO

The term got off to a busy start with the U13 A team taking part in the annual SACS 3-day tournament. Twenty teams are invited to take part from local schools as well as from schools in Natal, Gauteng and the Eastern Cape.

In the pool stage the team won 4 games, lost 3 and drew 2. They did not advance to knockout stages nevertheless the boys improved their technique and team work and had an enjoyable experience. Well done to **Liam Neill**, the captain, who led by good example.

The sport is very popular at the Prep. We fielded 3 teams in each age group. This was more than most other opponents. Well done to the U12A and U13A team members who turned out at 6:15 for extra early morning training.

TERM 4 RESULTS.

U13A

Coach: Justin Marshal

Opponent	Result
SACS	Lost 5-6
Wynberg	Won 5-3
Rondebosch	Won 5-1
WPPS	Draw 3-3
Reddam	Lost 0-8

U13B

Jake Levin

Opponent	Result
SACS	Lost 9-1
Sun Valley A	Won 18-0
Rondebosch	Draw 3-3
WPPS	Won 8-0
Reddam	Won 6-4

U13C

James Wright

Opponent	Result
SACS	Draw 5-5
Rondebosch	Lost 2-5
WPPS B	Lost 1-3

U12A

Coach: Andrew Rose

Opponent	Result
SACS	Won 5-2
Stirling	Draw 5-5
Rondebosch	Lost 3-4
WPPS	Won 2-1
Reddam	Won 8-2

U12B

Sean Marshall

Opponent	Result
SACS	Won 5-4
Wynberg A	Won 7-2
Rondebosch	Draw 5-5
Sun Valley A	Won 6-3
Groote Schuur A	Won 7-1

U12C

Nic Kieswetter

Opponent	Result
Rondebosch	Won 6-0
WPPS B	Lost 2-8

U11A

Coach: Sean Marshall

Opponent	Result
SACS	Lost 2-5
Wynberg	Won 9-1
Rondebosch	Lost 0-6
WPPS	Lost 3-6
Reddam	Lost 0-3

U11B

Fiona Mallett

Opponent	Result
SACS	Won 4-2
Rondebosch	Lost 1-5
WPPS	Lost 3-7
Reddam	Lost 2-3

U11C

Khwezi Mqomboti

Opponent	Result
WPPS	Lost 0-6
Reddam	Won 4-3



At the end of the season, the under 10s took part in their first matches of the season at a tournament at Rondebosch. There was great excitement. Several players were missing at a 'Mothers and Sons' camp and the rest were a little 'out gunned' by teams who had been playing matches and practicing more regularly than them. They played 8 matches, losing seven and drawing one. Well done on a good effort!

Congratulations to **Keanan Alexander**, **Sozon Sarandis** and **Liam Neill** for being chosen for the WP B water polo team to play at the Provincial tournament in Durban.

I would like to thank **Khwezi Mqomboti** who took charge of the U12 and U11 age groups and was invaluable as a coordinator on match afternoons. Thank you to the coaches of each team who very ably prepared and encouraged their teams throughout the season.

Thank you to **Julius Madolo** who always ensured that the pools were in tip top condition.

Thank you, finally, to **Aidan Bizony**, **Ross Willis** and **Simon Kilpin** who helped regularly with time keeping and scoring at home matches.





BISHOPS PRE-PREPARATORY



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PRE-PREPARATORY NEWS

HEAD OF DEPARTMENT'S REPORT



The term began in the usual busy fashion with a meeting to finalise our new baseline assessment programme at grade R, which is designed to give us a better understanding of where the boys are with regards to their ability and understanding across a number of areas. With 72 boys beginning school from a variety of schools, it is always challenging to ensure that one is teaching to the needs, and with this programme the teachers will be in a better position early on to include activities within the classroom that will be specific to certain areas requiring exposure or stimulation.

At our 'Coffee and Muffin' morning we were fortunate to have Sam Vos from U Turn address a small group of parents around their philosophy and practice of assisting those who are begging on the streets. The Pre-Prep have agreed to sell vouchers on behalf of U Turn to those parents who feel they would like to assist, but aren't sure how to do so. U Turn makes use of these funds to assist the selected individuals to re-establish themselves within society through training and support. The vouchers cost R20 for 5 and one of these entitles the recipient to either food or clothing. U Turn works in tandem with many of the night shelters.



Leo Gevisser

I was fortunate to attend the Deputy Head's Conference that was held at Somerset College last year. For me it was one of the most inspiring and relevant (for me) conferences that I have ever attended while at Bishops. I hope to attend this year's conference at St Albans in Pretoria.

I, together with Nazli van den Berg, Lindy van Stormbroek and some Pre-Prep parents, attended the Global Leadership Summit together with other parents and staff members from across the whole school. We had the opportunity of listening to some excellent speakers who were inspiring, but who challenged us to apply the principles they were sharing within our own communities or organizations.

Some of our boys excelled in their music examinations and we were especially proud of **Leo Gevisser, Gr.2**, who was invited to play one of his exam pieces at the Board of Royal School's Achievers Award Ceremony as he achieved the highest marks in the Grade 3 examination. Our boys participated once again



*Recorder ensemble from
the music concert*

in the Living Maths Olympiad. There were 170 000 entrants in South Africa. Our boys generally fared well; however, this year they included bonus questions which were optional. Many of our boys attempted these and we were very proud that we had a group of Pre-Prep boys invited to the prize giving where they were awarded their prizes placing them in one of the top three places nationally. They were **Michael Beaumont Gr.R** 2nd place; **Daniel Nelson, John Fisher, Keanan Walker** and **Oliver Foxcroft Gr.1** 3rd place; and **Timothy Kotze Gr.2** 2nd place. The level of questioning was quite challenging and considering these boys were all entered as individuals – they really excelled – well done!

During the term, our grade 1 and 2 boys joined the whole school in the Mallet Centre for Bishops Praise. Fr Terry and Mike Hampton met with all the boys across the school on a regular basis. Our final chapel service was held on break up day; unfortunately neither were able to be present due to other commitments within the school but Greg Brown led the service which was well attended by parents across the grades as well as Grant and Rosemary Nupen and other guests such as Lynne Taylor. It was a lovely service – thank you Desiré Swanich for preparing the music side and Claire Hobbs for preparing the readers. We were also very proud of our two readers at the Prep service – Oliver Foxcroft and Matthew Pettit.

We welcomed our new 2011 intake at Grade R to a tea and class parties one afternoon where parents were able to meet some of the staff and heads from across the school.

Our Pre-Prep Music Concert, held one morning at the start of school, was well attended by parents – it was a display of outstanding talent and hard work by both the pupils and their music teachers and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The Grade R Christmas Concert was also well attended and as usual delightful!



Grade 1s at the Living Maths award ceremony

Staff matters

We followed an interview process to find another suitable candidate to take up the opportunity of a Learnership placement at Pre-Prep and we are pleased to announce that we have offered the place to Ashley Swartz who has already completed a year at UWC; however, she is extremely happy to be with us and has joined the Grade R section of the school for this year.

Sports Results

We held our Fun Sports Day one Friday after school which was great fun; however, our parents did miss their opportunity to participate. We had to cancel this event during our first term due to the weather. It is sincerely hoped that that will not be the case this year.

Our athletics team participated in two meetings – one at Rhenish in Stellenbosch where our athletes did extremely well achieving the following results: Bruce Campbell U7 80m 1st place; U7 60m 2nd place; Mixed Shuttle Relay Bishops 1st place; Jock Buchanan U8 80m 1st place; U8 60m 2nd place; Mixed Shuttle Relay Bishops 1st place; Ciaran Winstain U8 60m 3rd place. The other meeting was held at Paarl Boys High where the athletes performed extremely well across the whole school. Our results were as follows: U7 80 m Bruce Campbell 1st place; U8 80m Jock Buchanan 2nd place and Ciaran Winstain 3rd place; Mixed U7, U8 and U9 Shuttle Relay – Bishops 1st place.

In the A and B League Relay Gala held at Bishops the results were as follows: U8A backstroke – Bishops 1st place; U8B backstroke – Bishops 1st place; U8A breaststroke – Bishops 3rd place; U8B breaststroke – Bishops 2nd place; U8A medley – Bishops 1st place; U8B medley – Bishops 2nd place; U8A freestyle – Bishops 1st place; U8B freestyle – Bishops 1st place; A ladder relay – Bishops 3rd place; B ladder relay – Bishops 3rd place. Overall Bishops attained places within the top three positions in 55 out of the 60 relays swum – an excellent result! Well done to our swimmers who were – Caleb Oliphant, Jock Buchanan, Sebastian Allison, Sammy Hanssen, Luke Shuttleworth, Gregory Medcalf, Jordan Watson, Joshua Lapid, Victor Smith, Guy Ellis Brown, Anton Coutts-Trotter, Forrest Thomas and Cameron Pandiani.

Outreach and Social Awareness

We supported Bandana Day by allowing boys and staff to purchase and wear bandanas to school on the 12 October. Uplifting Mind and Body' was the theme for the sixteenth Cape Town



We supported Bandana Day

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One of our kites that we entered in the Kite festival

International Kite Festival. Ingrid Daniels, Director of Cape Mental Health, said “By inviting people to fly their kites, and highlighting the connection between physical and mental well-being, we hope to uplift minds and bodies”. The Grade 2s designed and built kites for the competition that was held at Zandvlei in Muizenberg. Unfortunately we didn’t win, but the boys gained some valuable skills in kite making as well as thinking about how we can uplift one another in our school.

Our Choir, once again, performed for all the patients in the Tracheostomy department at Red Cross Hospital during their well organised Christmas Party.

We held a Civvies Day for our cleaning staff to show our appreciation of all they do for us, for which they were very grateful and appreciative. And the boys brought biscuits, dried fruit and sweets for Fr Terry to distribute to needy parishes within the Western Cape.

The teachers all visited St Paul’s Preparatory School in the Bo Kaap where we were met by all their foundation phase teachers and shown around the school before sharing a lovely tea. We donated some gently worn shoes, which boys could no longer wear, to be given to those needing shoes. We were concerned for children who have to wait for siblings before getting their transport home as their parents can’t afford aftercare, and have decided that we would like to offer them the opportunity of learning to play chess and enjoying the benefits that this game can offer in so many ways. Our grade 2’s, with encouragement from Andrew Stegmann, at their ‘sleep out’ at the end of term raised some funds to purchase 6 chess sets for the school. We are encouraged that with support from the grade 10 college boys during their Civics period on Thursdays, we will be able to do this. Mr Ortell, our coach, is very happy to assist the process. We will be inviting their teachers to join us later this term for lunch and a sharing of the teaching of phonics – we hope to assist them further with little readers for their Independent Reading Programme at foundation phase during the year.

The year ended with a staff celebration at my home where much laughter could be heard throughout the evening. Much was also spoken of the sought after rest in the December holidays after a busy full term.

News from Grade R

The fourth term in Grade R is always busy and fun! We started the term with a wonderful story hour with Gilly Southwood. The boys enjoyed learning about African Animals that featured in her stories and we were sad to say goodbye. We look forward to having Gilly again. Andy Byskup presented the boys with a fantastic drumming workshop. He placed a lot of focus on the Soccer World Cup and introduced many of the songs. The boys looked exhausted afterwards as they were very actively involved! Thank you, Andy. At the beginning of the year we unfortunately had to miss Fun Sports Day, therefore we made up for it in the fourth term.



Grade Rs busy at work in their classroom



Grade Rs feeling the beat in their drumming workshop

The boys were so well-behaved and responsive in this event making the teachers feel very proud. Our parents had lots of fun too! Towards the end of term we joined a Clay Workshop presented by Dale, our clay teacher. We had the opportunity to make a Christmas gift to take home for our parents. Thank you to Dale for helping us make beautiful “Wise Men”. To end our term we were delighted to have our New Grade Rs for 2011 spend an hour in their new classrooms. The New Boys Tea was an important event to introduce the little boys into their new school before the year starts. Everyone was looking forward to a long holiday as what a busy term it had been!

Carron Cale, Carmen van Zyl and Geordie Nolte

News from Grade 1



Grade 1s participating in Trading Day

The fourth term is a very busy and exciting one. As soon as the term started, we had the tag rugby tournament. This event is held on the first Saturday of the term at Lutgensvale. It is played as a round-robin tournament, with each team having a chance to play the other. It's always great fun and a lovely way to end the winter tag rugby season. We, as a staff, are so grateful to the dads who organise and coach this sport. Our theme at the beginning of the term was “Money” and “What People Do”. During the Numeracy lessons the boys learnt about money, the value of it, and how to use it in a practical way. Each classroom set up a “shop” where the boys could buy and

sell “goods”. This leads to our Entrepreneur's Trading Day, a highlight of the term. Each boy had to make 10 items, that he thought his friends would like to buy. On the day the boys are responsible (with lots of help from their teachers) for setting up their stalls and advertising their wares. Then the fun begins with each class having an opportunity to go to the other classes to shop,

*Grade 1s at Kirstenbosch*

whilst the host class, are the shop keepers. At the end of the day everyone is happy, having sold all their goods and having a shopping bag full of exciting goodies to take home. The two outings that were part on this theme were a visit to the KFM studio, and a visit to Kiddies' Campus. Both gave the boys an opportunity to experience the jobs that people do....a DJ, working at the bank, working at Pick and Pay, being a vet, and many more. As our Family Sport's Day had been cancelled earlier in the year due to rain, we also managed to fit this into our busy term. The classes competed against each other in fun sports like bean bag races, tug-o-war, relay races, etc. The boys and parents thoroughly enjoyed this event. Our last outing of the year was held at Kirstenbosch Gardens. We explore the gardens together and then join the mums for a picnic at the lily pond. We are so lucky to be able to do this in our beautiful botanical gardens. Before we knew it, it was time to prepare for Christmas. We end the term with our class party and our annual carol service in the Memorial chapel. The boys look angelic sitting around the altar in their Christmas hats singing carols and reading from the Bible. It is a wonderful way to end another busy year!

Ann Atkins, Ann van Breda and Rosemarie Harris

News from Grade 2

The Grade 2s couldn't think of a better way to start the term, than to participate in the long awaited Tag Rugby Tournament. A definite highlight for the boys was to watch their dads play tag. As moms tried to capture the moment on camera, a dad found himself doing hurdles over the spectators! For our theme "entrepreneurs", we were privileged to have two Bishops families offer us a guided tour



Grade 2s and Ms Van at the Kite festival



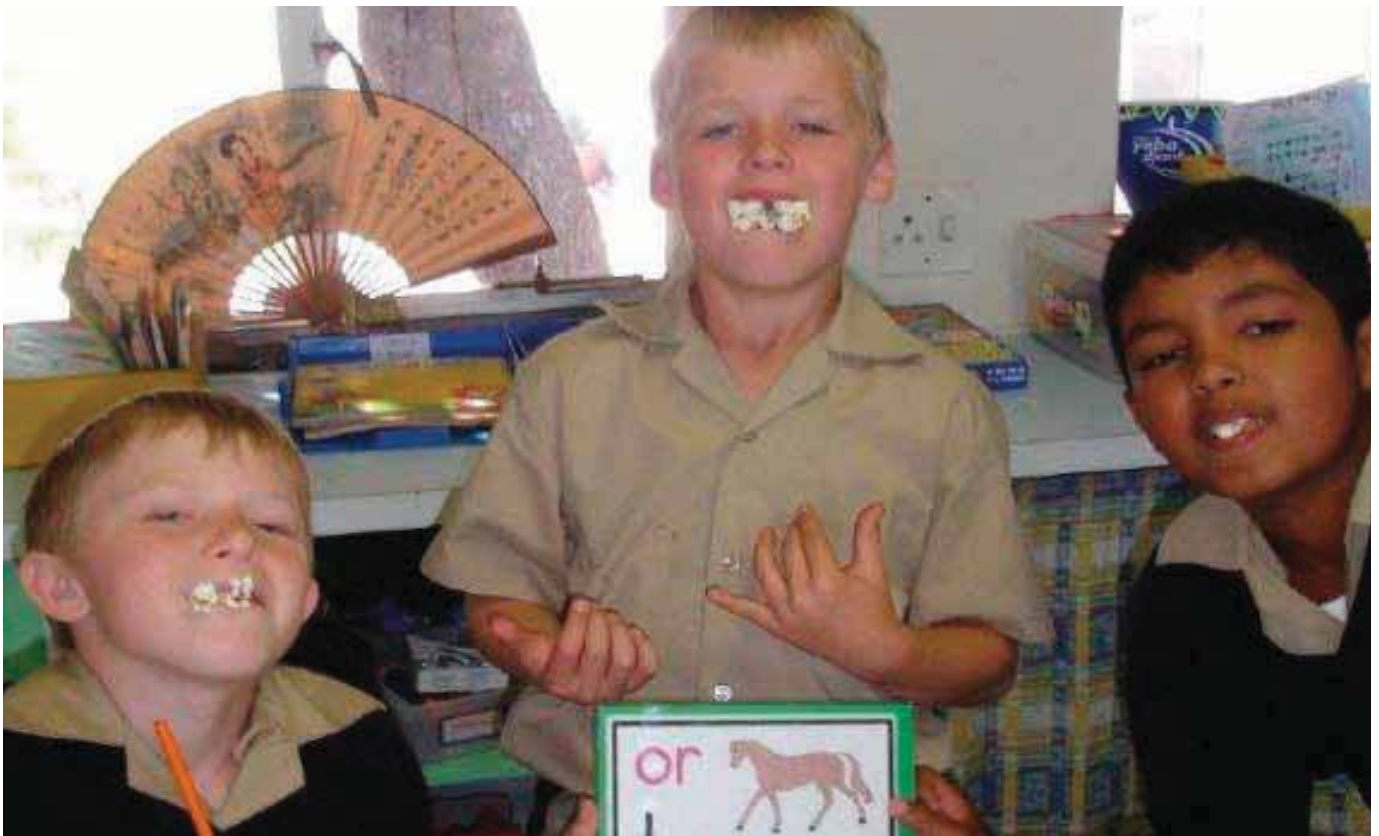
Summer time fun!

through their businesses - Thunder City and the West Coast Ostrich Farm. Finlay Brooks: "On the 11th October the Grade 2's went to Thunder City. They taught us about boats and jets. They showed us machines and how they made the parts and the assembly line. My favourite part was when we saw the jets." Nikhil Thomas: "I liked the outing to Thunder City. They told us about blitz and missiles and bombs that go in the jets." Our report back on the Ostrich farm: Nicholas Christodoulou: "My best part was to sit on the ostrich. When you get on it, it looks at you like an eagle. It is really weird." Jake Herbert: "I still have a feather I got from an ostrich named Ben 10. I sat on its back and it felt so, so bony!" Ryan Else: "I learnt that an ostrich egg is like 2 dozen chicken eggs and that an ostrich can see 3km and that every body part can be used." Victor Smith: "An ostrich has two toes and did you know that an ostrich can't fly? An ostrich's eyes are bigger than its brain. My favourite part was sitting on the ostrich." Jonathan Wright: "I got out and saw something in the tree. I thought it was a Black Mamba. It turned out to be a nest." The stooges were well prepared to facilitate our passionate competitors on Fun Sports day: Gregory Medcalf: "On Friday I had lots of fun because it was Sports day. Miss V's class won all the tug-of-war races." Caleb Oliphant: "We played sack races, hockey, tug-of-war, relay and the bean bag race. Then we got ice-cream and chocolate cake." The Grade 2s entered the Kite Competition in Muizenberg this term, where they designed and assembled their very own kites. The theme was "uplifting mind and body" and the boys were made more aware of how we as a school can support our peers, who may have different needs than us. We ended the year with one of the most riveting Pre-Prep Music Concerts Bishops has ever seen. An encore for Declan Watling's performance on the drums was a must, and it was very clear how hard the boys and Mrs Swanich had worked to deliver such quality. It was then the Fathers turn to "run the show" with our Grade 2 Camp Out. Liam van Schalkwyk: "At the campout Justin stayed with us and we had lots of fun. We didn't eat the marshmallows, but instead me and Justin just threw them into the braai. It was really funny because they just turned into gloop." Matthew Pettit: "When everyone was there we played Mini-man. We fought the FBI. There were hundreds of them. Robert and I stuck together." As the weekend drew to a close one of the fathers was quoted saying, "You teachers are underpaid for this job!" The Grade 2s were now more than ready to "graduate" to the Prep School. The biggest questions on their minds being, "Who will be their teacher? Will they ever receive a pink paper? And which house will they be placed in?" We wish you many more happy memories in our Bishops family and we will miss you all at the Pre-Prep.

Nazli van den Berg, Jill Jones and Lindy van Stormbroek



Cheering at sports day



Grade 2s having fun while learning



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ROLL OF HONOUR

Their name liveth for ever

In March we remember:

Gerald Bolus (1900-03) Pvt, 2nd Rhodesians. East Africa, *11 March 1916*
John Brown (1907-08) Lieut, 4th Suffolk Regiment. France, *March 1917*
Paul Farmer (1899-1901) Lieut, SAI. France, *23 March 1918*
John Fawcett (1905-14) Lieut, RGA. France, *March 1918*
Arthur Goodall (1907-10) Lieut, 8th SAI. East Africa, *March 1916*
Harold Goodall (1907-10) Lieut, RFA Trench Mortar Battery. France, *22 March 1918*
Edward Hare (left 1905) Lieut Royal Flying Corps. France, *24 March 1917*
Charles Howe-Eliot (1900-02) 5th SAI. East Africa, *March 1917*
Eugene Markus [MC] (1907-15) Lt. Royal Scots Fusiliers. France, *22 March 1917*
Cecil Mountford (1895-1900) Lieut, ASCMT. London, *3 March 1919*
James Rimer (1911-14) Lieut, Royal Flying Corps. France, *March 1917*
Ian Allister (1933-37) Gnr, SAAA. Somaliland, *19 March 1941*
John Blanckenberg (1931-40) Lieut, Parachute Regiment. Italy, *9 March 1944*
Michael Bomford (1933-35) Trp, Royal Tank Corps. Middle East, *2 March 1943*
Charles Chabot (1937-41) WO, SAAF. Italy, *16 March 1944*
Colin Croxford (1937-39) Flying-Officer RAF. Italy, *4 March 1944*
Alistair Duff (1928-33) Pilot Officer RAF. Norway, *22 March 1942*
Gordon Duff [DFC] (1928-35) Flt-Lieut, RAF. Germany, *10 March 1942*
Peter Griffiths (1934-35) Capt, Botha Regt. Germany (escaping), *8 March 1944*
Clive Holmes (1926-29) Lieut, SAAF. North Africa, *30 March 1944*
John Lindbergh (1934-37) Capt, SAAF. North Africa, *26 March 1943*
Ernest Nason (1931-35) A/M RAF. Scotland, *5 March 1941*
Anthony Newman (1934-37) Pilot-Officer RAF. Off Holland, *23 March 1943*
Oscar Michael Stohr (1933-39) Sgt RAF. North Africa, *22 March 1943*
Dennis Tattersall (1932-41), Lieut SAAF. East Mediterranean, *9 March 1945*
Angus Taylor [DFC] (1933-36) Flight-Lieut, RAF Mediterranean, *7 March 1944*
Stanley Waud (1919-21) Cpl, De La Rey Regiment. Egypt, *7 March 1944*
Ronald Wicht (1934-43) W/O SAAF. Italy, *2 March 1945*
Andrew Newton-Thompson (1943-60) Oudtshoorn, *23 March 1965*

In April we remember

Kenneth Breach (dates unavailable). SA Infantry France, *April 1917*
Prescot Bronger (1896-98) Lieut, Northumberland Fusiliers. France, *April 1917*
Roy Bullen (1902-03) Capt, 2nd KRR. France, *29 April 1916*

Gerald Callender (1900-09) Lieut, Royal Scots. France, *April 1918*
Horace Girdlestone (1907-13) Lieut, RGA attached RAF. France, *30 April 1918*
Reginald Hands (1899-1907) Capt, SAHA. France, *20 April 1918*
Cecil Horne (1897-99). Pvt SAI. France, *12 April 1917*
George Murray [MC] (1905-08) Capt, RFA. France, *15 April 1918*
John Reid (1898-1901) Pvt, SA Infantry, France, *10 April 1918*
Greyville Seymour (1907-15) Lieut, 1st Dorsets. France, *15 April 1917*
Lawton Smuts (1906-10) Lieut, RAF. England, *23 April 1918*
Robert Stegman (1895-99) Cpl, SAHA. France, *9 April 1918*
Frederick Stephens (1900-06) Lieut, West Yorks. France, *April 1918*
Brett St Leger [MC] (1906-10) Lieut, Coldstream Guards. France, *27 April 1918*
Charles Adcock (1929-37). Flt-Lieut RAF. Ceylon, *9 April 1942*
Oliver Bell (1916-21) [MBE]. Major SAEC. North Africa, *7 April 1943*
Newton Bird (1919-25). Flying-Officer RAF. Holland, *9 April 1943*
Ian Bocock (1919-28). Sqn-Ldr RAF. England, *23 April 1943*
Reginald Briggs (1968-81). On active duty in South West Africa, *27 April 1984*
Cyril Collier (1903-06) Capt AA Pioneer Corps. Union, *17 April 1942*
Charles Cowell (1930-38) Lieut. SAAF. Italy, *21 April 1945*
Lindsay de Villiers (1914-17) Lieut-Comdr, Royal Navy. Narvik, *10 April 1940*
Angus Duncan [DFC] (1917-26) Lieut-Col. F/C-CTH. Italy, *16 April 1945*
Anthony Fry [DFC] (1926-34). Flt-Lieut. RAF. Europe, *28 April 1941*
Neville Howes (1918-25) Lieut, SAAF. Union, *28 April 1944*
Robin Frost (1932-40) Cpl, SSB. *Italy, 6 April 1945*
Edward King (1928-30) Capt, RA. *North Africa, April 1943*
Anthony Lee (1923-27) Capt, Royal Fusiliers. *North Africa, 30 April 1943*
Denis McCarthy (1932-34) Pilot-Officer, RAF. England, *20 April 1941*
Norman Ross (1936-38) Lieut, SAAF. North Africa, *16 April 1942*
Martin Silberbauer (1959-69) Capt. SAAF. Pietersburg, *5 April 1979*
Rae Thomas [DFC] (1928-35) Flt-Lieut, RAF. Off Ceylon, *9 April 1942*
Peter Versveld (1932-39) A/B RNVR. Off Ceylon, *5 April 1942*
Richard Wingfield (1932-41) Lieut, SAAF. Italy, *12 April 1942*
Roy Yates (1931-34) Petty-Officer, RNVR. Off Ceylon, *9 April 1942*

In May we remember:

James Christie (1893-97) Pvt, King Edward's Horse. France, *24 May 1918*
Douglas Jackson (1899-1901) Lieut, Royal Artillery. France, *3 May 1917*
Frank Saunderson (1909-11) Sgt, SA Infantry. Died at sea, *31 May 1918*
Charles Townsend (1904-08) Trooper, 2nd Rhodesians. East Africa, *8 May 1915*
Quentin Bagshawe-Smith (1930-34) Seaman RNVR. Off Crete, *22 May 1941*
Leonard Bangley (1927-29) Flt-Lieut RAF. North Africa, *23 May 1942*

Oliver Collins (1931-35) Sgt Air-Gnr, RAF. Eritria, *15 May 1941*

John Delbridge (1921-26) Sgt, Amd Cars. Union, *30 May 1943*

Andrew Duncan [DFC] (1934-38) Major SAAF. North Africa, *31 May 1942*

Laurence Hull [DFC] (1924-30) Wing-Cdr RAF. England, *7 May 1946*

Patrick Moore (1936-38) Lieut, SAAF. Italy, *11 May 1944*

Douglas Patterson (1928-34) Lieut, CTH. North Africa, *29 May 1942*

Douglas Rail (1924-30) Flying-Officer, RAF. Czechoslovakia, *13 May 1943*

Leonard Straker (1930-37) Lieut, SAA (RA). Italy, *12 May 1944*

PERSONAL

OBITUARIES



SELFE. John Henry Selfe died on 25 January 2011, aged 90, after a short illness. He was at Bishops from 1930-38. John was born in Bonnievale on 9 July 1920, the elder brother of Herby and Frances. He came to Bishops Prep as a boarder in Stanmore in Std 3. He finished VIth form in 1938, and was a house prefect in Founders, playing First XV rugby and was part of the cross-country and shooting teams. He went up to Oxford in September 1939 just in time for the outbreak of World War II, but completed the first year of his degree before returning to South Africa in June 1940 to sign up. His return trip was on a troop ship carrying hundreds of men – and a handful of women – one of whom was Thelma, his future wife. Miraculously they met and

connected, and thus began a wonderful partnership that would last for over 70 years.

He fought in various armoured units, but for the longest period in the Natal Mounted Rifles, in Abyssinia, North Africa (narrowly missing being captured in Tobruk) and Italy. Shortly after the end of the war in Europe, he managed to get on a flight from Italy to England to assist with the repatriation of POWs, and was thus able both to marry our mother, and to recommence his interrupted studies at Oxford. He graduated from University in June 1948 and returned to South Africa, where he joined the Department of External (later Foreign) Affairs. He was an economist by training, and was very soon employed in representing South Africa at multilateral conferences developing the General Agreements on Tariffs and Trade, protecting and expanding our trading relationships, and repairing the shattered economies of the post-war world. In a career spanning 33 years, he was posted to Cologne, London, Geneva, Taipei and Athens, in addition to the role he played as the representative of the Department of Foreign Affairs on the Prime Minister's Economic Advisory Council, and as a representative of South Africa in dozens of sessions of the United Nations and its specialist agencies in New York and other cities throughout the world. He retired as Ambassador to Greece, and the Greek

government awarded him the Grand Order of Honour – a fitting tribute to a consummately professional diplomat. On his “retirement” he started his second career, as Director of the Bishops Trust, a task he took on with skill and zeal. Bishops played a huge role in his life, and particularly the values of integrity, fair play, self-discipline and insistence on excellence that he had been taught while at school. He was determined that the advantages he had enjoyed at Bishops should be available to new generations facing more complex challenges, and that they should do so grounded in these same values. He also followed the activities of the OD Union, of which he was a proud Vice-President, with keen interest. Only when he was abroad or, in latter years when he gave up going out in the evening, did he miss an OD AGM or OD dinner. In his spare time, he indulged in his passions: sport (virtually in any shape or form – even motor racing – as an avid armchair spectator), philately (his stamp collection was highly specialised, meticulously organised and world-class), and choral music. He had been a chorister (and in his final year, the Head Chorister) with Doc Brown, which resulted in Doc calling my brothers and me John Selfe I, II and III respectively. His other great passion was promoting the correct use of the English language. He was very involved in the South African Council for English Education, and bemoaned the appalling use of English and its mispronunciation in South Africa, particularly on the public broadcaster. His dispatches from abroad were detailed, incisive and wonderfully written. His interest in good grammatical language was not confined to English alone: he once made an entire speech in Greek without a note, and was complimented on the quality of the minutes he had taken, in Afrikaans, of a Cabinet meeting. When the cabinet minister asked him where he had learned this excellent Afrikaans, he replied cheekily – “At Bishops and Oxford”.

He leaves Thelma, his wife of 65 years, daughter Helen, sons Andy (1960-68) and James (1963-73), eight grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Philip (1959-65) predeceased him. For all of us, his passing leaves a huge void, but we will be inspired by his example of putting others – and service – ahead of himself. We will miss him deeply.

James Selfe

DE KOCK. Dr Servaas Thomas (Buzzie) de Kock died at home closely attended by his family in Hout Bay on 12 December 2010 aged 88. Born to Afrikaans parents he was only able to attend Bishops from 1938-39 before beginning his medical degree and then joining up with the SAAF in 1941. He served with no 4 squadron where he became an accomplished Spitfire pilot in North Africa and Italy, quickly reaching the rank of captain.

On his return he resumed his studies at UCT where he qualified as a doctor. He practiced as a GP, anaesthetist, obstetrician, geriatrics specialist and indeed ‘psychologist’ in Sea Point for all his adoring patients, young and old, whether they were able to pay or not. Whilst his career at Bishops may have been short and possibly unmemorable, especially to his maths teachers, he was most memorable thereafter. Although still very interested and proud of our Dutch ancestry, he loved the idea of Bishops and its ‘Englishness’, privileged culture and traditions. He was well aware of the status and connections it afforded and not least the considerateness and courtesy it punted. These were things which were definitely not taken for granted in his

upbringing. Somehow he managed to extend this privilege of attending Bishops to us his four lucky sons, even though it brought much financial hardship at home.

It was no doubt also to temper our individuality and strong characters, irreverently coveted at our home in glorious Clifton. The best of both worlds! He was an above average aesthete, raconteur, philosopher politician, painter, poet, inventor and of course debater.

He had naturally in abundance what you cannot learn in any school; humour, intellect, class, taste and style. His duties as 'doctor' at Saturday rugby fixtures at Bishops amazingly meant no loss of personnel due to injury! For his four sons, going to Bishops was also to give us more of the opportunity he had, as it indeed has. To be at the Brooke Chapel for his memorial service was perfect and just as he wanted. To watch and listen as person after person, many unknown to us, stood up and eulogised him says it all. It was as deeply humbling for us as it would have been for him. What it told and reminded us was; that here was a man who had lived life on his own terms and yet had made so much of a difference in so many ways to so many different people.

Above all though, he was our Dad, difficult to live with and without - but definitely not boring! I hope we made him as proud as he has made us. We miss him.

Jannie (1971-81) Nicholas (1965- 74) Pieter (1962-71) and Robin (1960-69)

DOLLERY. Austin Stuart Dollery died on 22 March 2010, a few weeks before his 84th birthday. He was at Bishops from 1936-44. He was a gentleman in every sense of the word. Remembered by his daughters Helen and Marion, particularly for the enduring support he gave his family, for the sympathetic ear he unfailingly granted his daughters and for the sense of security he imbued in their home, he is sorely missed but, as Helen says, he has left a legacy that is worth remembering with joy. Blessed with a sharp, logical mind and a man who always honoured his commitments, Stuart was a good conversationalist who enjoyed company. When the family entertained, his resonant voice and joyous laughter would carry through his home. Helen tells that throughout her high school years he was her maths coach.

Stuart knew his limitations but also understood his strengths; no handyman, he did not hesitate to call in the experts when something needed repair - but lazy he was not, although, as age crept up on him and life made him tired, he claimed he was. In fact he continued to do his own admin work, with a little help from his daughter, right up until a couple of weeks from the end. As he was moved to the frail-care wing at Elphin Lodge, he insisted on helping with the move in a sensible manner and even sorted out the backlog of paperwork that had accrued. Determined to the point of stubbornness he nevertheless would acknowledge reason for change of mind and be open to it. Sometimes men short of physical stature feel they have to prove themselves - not Stuart; he never felt that he had to prove anything – his self-concept was strong; he kept his head high. An accomplished singer, he as a young man used to participate in light opera – Gilbert and Sullivan. He had a wonderful bass voice. He loved performing and music, singing in various choirs for much of his life. Part of the SABC choir in Johannesburg, he was also involved with the church choir and music groups until, in his mid-sixties, his voice gave out. Stuart was well-loved by many; he kept up life-long correspondence with friends,

local and overseas, right up to the last; they would say of him: "...a very intelligent man, such a gentleman, who never grumbles at all."

He has, indeed, left a legacy that is worth remembering with joy.

Helen Lane.

DE BRUYN. Patrick de Bruyn was born on 13 January 1937. He came to Bishops in 1950 and was in Founders House. He was an all round sportsman and played in the top rugby teams. He was awarded his athletics colours in javelin but was a good all round athlete. Pat (Ficks) was a foundation member of White House where he started life as a House Prefect. He spent two years as eighth man for the 1st XV where he was awarded his colours, and the highlight of his time at Bishops was the magnificent 1st XV tour of Rhodesia in 1954.

After leaving school he went to Natal University where he studied for a BSc degree. After two years he decided that he wanted to farm. He attended Cedara Agricultural College where he studied for two years and then started farming. He married Carla soon afterwards. They had two children Michelle and Michael. He ran a very successful farming operation. He and Carla were very hospitable and generous hosts and had many friends. Pat was a popular man and will be very much missed by friends and family.

Bill de Bruyn

PETERSEN. David. 23 August 1931-16 November 2010. After a lengthy illness and an interesting life, he has come to rest.

He was a true gentleman, kind, considerate and unassuming, honourable, with a steadfast integrity and a commitment to excellence in everything he did. A family man, he was well read with a keen mind, a connoisseur of classical music and opera, an able pianist, always current on international affairs and economics, a gardener, chef, a scratch golfer, and a first string rugby player at university, a fisherman, nature and animal lover; he also had a wickedly dry sense of humour. He supported his family in every endeavour, and encouraged his sons to follow their dreams. Born in Cape Town, South Africa, to an old and prominent family, he was educated at Diocesan College (1940-48), where he played rugby and excelled at boxing. Later he attended The University of Witwatersrand where he took two degrees, financing himself by working underground for many years on the gold mines. He was also the youngest shift boss ever to attain that position on the mines. Spanning six decades, his work meant everything to him, from the gold mines of South Africa to northern British Columbia and Mexico. He emigrated to Canada in 1964, then was sent on foreign exploration to Portugal, Greece and Spain, where he met his wife in 1970 and married in Seville. Returning to British Columbia, he had an interesting and varied career as an exploration geologist, and after 1982 his focus shifted to the gold deposits of northern Mexico where he spent 15 years working as a consulting geologist. He will be greatly missed by his wife of 40 years, Wendy, his sons Mark and Derek, his sister Countess Yasmin Brandolini and her family in Italy, by many friends all over the globe, and by his beloved Ibizan Hounds, Brisa, Pippi and Oyster our cat.

Go well, dear man.

Wendy Petersen

PETERSEN. David Peterson was at Bishops from 1940 to 1948. On the 16 November our dear David passed away after a period of ill-health which he bore quietly, without complaints and without fuss. To say this was typical of this brave man is to state the obvious for all those who knew him. David was marked by two qualities, unusual in themselves, but in combination they set him aside and above the herd: bravery and honesty. He never hesitated before a display of either quality nor did he have to weigh any selfish consequences as many of us mortals do. I have two examples to share with you. David and I went to the same school in Cape Town, South Africa. This was the Diocesan College, or Bishops, as it was commonly known. Some of those present today were also privileged to attend this school and will clearly remember the Headmaster of the Preparatory school. He was a remarkable Cambridge scholar, athlete and disciplinarian, always fair but unyielding in matters of decorum, as well as learning. One morning he gathered the school in the hall – perhaps 250-300, fearless, smiling young men, ranging in age from 8 to 14, and announced that he wished all who had decorated the newly whitewashed walls of the lavatories with crude remarks of one sort and another to come up to the platform, where he was standing, prior to being led to his study for a caning. There was a deathly, fearful, unsmiling silence apart from some nervous fidgeting and many sly sideways glimpses to see who would be foolhardy enough to own up. On this day David was not only among the younger boys but was also still small of stature. But this did not stop him from unhesitatingly marching up to the platform from the back of the hall. He was led out for his caning and returned to hear the plaudits of the Headmaster as he explained his admiration for the courage and honesty of this young boy, while a bunch of cowardly older boys were still thinking they would escape the punishment which awaited them – since he knew the names of those who were guilty and was prepared to wait all day for them to present themselves. It took a long time for these less brave boys to come forward. I doubt whether any who were there on this occasion, and I include myself, will ever forget the example set by David Petersen of unquestioning courage and honesty which I have every reason to believe were the hallmarks of the rest of his life.

David shone of course in other areas. He was unselfish, considerate, kind and compassionate. These were important attributes in his life's work of geology and mining. This life was often hard but gave David an outlet for his sense of fairness and his consideration for those who worked with him and with whom he shared the many hardships. (In Northwest Mexico these included bandidos, who were pleased enough with his self-taught Spanish to decide not to shoot him, as well as nocturnal visits by wild animals, such as lynx and cougars).

When the collapse of the financial support of a job left him and his men without pay, he paid them out of his own pocket rather than see these poor families starve.

Dr Ted Allen

ALLEN. Terry Allen was at Bishops from 1943-46. He died 1 Feb 2011.

Terry was born in Knysna and when his family moved to Joburg, he went to Cape Town and attended Bishops. Later he married Jeniffer (nee Pattenden) and moved to Fish Hoek where he lived for 50 years until his death. He ran his own auditing and accounting business until he

retired a few years ago. A member of the Fish Hoek cricket, hockey and squash clubs for many years, he instilled a great love of hockey in his daughters. Always a humble man, he gave away more than he kept and loved nothing more than pottering in his garage and around his home. Sadly missed by his wife Jeniffer and daughters Denise, Rosemary and Patsy.

Patsy Fraser



TAYLOR. Jeremy (*B.Sc. UCT. B.Sc. CompMed. UWC. B.CM. NAT.Cum Laude. UWC*)

Jeremy was born premature on 13 September 1979 in Cape Town, South Africa and from the start he never took life for granted. Throughout his life he looked forward to, and embraced challenges and opportunities; he ensured that if the experience was to be had, he would have it. It was this outlook on life that the people who met him found so attractive and inspiring. Jeremy tragically passed away in an Aeroplane crash near Kathmandu, Nepal, on 24 August 2010 on his way to Mount Everest; his life was not un-lived.

Starting his academic life at the age of three at Villa Maria, Tamboerskloof, Jeremy moved onto Saint Stithians and finished his primary school education at Western Province. He was at Bishops from 1993-97. After a gap year in Europe, he applied to UCT where he was awarded a bursary to write a Bachelor of Science. In an attempted hijacking he was shot in the knee shortly before he was due to write his final exams but in spite of this he completed the year and was awarded his B.Sc. Due to the traumatic experience of the hijacking, his interests and focus changed from studying an MBChB in mainstream medicine to Natural and Alternative Medicines. This change in disciplines proved to be a move in his favour, which reflected in his academic performance. In 2006, Jeremy was invited to join the Golden Key International Honour Society. He graduated Cum Laude.

Jeremy enjoyed his post as a part-time lecturer at the University of Western Cape. In 2007 he opened his practice on Kloof Street, which, operating as a Naturopathic Clinic, specialised in trauma medicine and female hormone imbalances. It was at this practice that he created natural medicinal drops to cure certain ailments. It is with the income from these drops that he was able to put the practice on the backburner and pursue his love for travel. Whilst actively practising his Naturopathy, Jeremy was asked to sit on the advisory board in Parliament to consult on the important relationship between health and tourism in the Western Cape. Jeremy adopted a keen interest in community service during his school years. He was actively involved in First Aid and the St John's Ambulance. In 1995, he was awarded the coveted distinction tie whilst at Bishops for rescuing a child from treacherous waters in Hermanus. Whilst at University he joined the South African Red Cross Air Mercy Services (AMS) as well as the Vodacom and Nokia Rescue Helicopters. Due to his proficiency in the water and in trauma medicine he served as an emergency rescue swimmer. In 2007, Jeremy followed his enthusiasm for community service and, in conjunction with the Amy Biehl Children's Foundation, started

an after-school education programme which taught children from the township about HIV and AIDS in the community.

Jeremy was selected to stroke for the Western Province under 19 1st VIII rowing squad. Rowing, throughout his school career, was Jeremy's favourite sport. It is thus fitting that his interests lay in water sports. He was a keen surfer, swimmer and runner; completing the Two Oceans Marathon just months after having been shot in the knee during the hijacking.

Jeremy recently discovered his passion for travelling. After establishing a passive income stream, he set his sights on the world. Throughout 2009 he travelled around South America and he spent much of 2010, until 24 August, travelling around Asia. I was lucky enough to join him in Vietnam on a motorcycle trip where we spent a week completing a 1600 km adventure on 110 cc Hondas and subsequently discovering Burma together. It was on this trip that I truly felt that Jeremy was doing what excited him; there was not one moment where he felt that he had had enough and wanted an end to the madness (Monsoon season on a motorbike - I had many of these moments). He had planned to get to India via Burma and Nepal, and upon completing this trip, he had hoped to work in a clinic in Rajasthan for a few months before returning to Singapore and heading to the Philippines.

Jeremy was the second son in the family and leaves his Mother Marion, elder brother Mark (1995), sister Caitlyn and myself. For me, and the people he left behind, he was a brother but most of all a best friend. It was with Jeremy that those nights out were just that much more laughable or would leave you wondering, "How on earth did we end up there?!" Above all, Jeremy made sure he had fun in everything that he did and to be part of that was something that was invaluable in my life. It is with this in mind that I thank him. Jeremy Guy Taylor was cremated by his family on 14 December 2010, in a traditional Hindu ceremony along the banks of the Bagmati River in Kathmandu, Nepal.

Never forgotten

David Taylor (2001-2005)



CHANNING. Patrick

"I am sorry I wrote such a long letter but I did not have the time to write a short one" is approximately what Abraham Lincoln is supposed to have said and I know just exactly what he meant (was it he who said it?) for I have been asked to write a short piece on Patrick Channing, a great teacher, a wonderful man and a close friend to many of us.

Patrick left Bishops for Springfield at the end of 1999 in Clive Watson's time, after teaching mathematics at the College for ten or so years. And now eleven years later, he is dead and we are all the poorer for it. He did not teach maths to those who found the subject easy but rather to those who struggled with it - in the beginning, anyway. Under his guidance that would soon change and the lads would even find themselves enjoying the subject. His secret? He taught boys as much as he taught his subject and he made

maths a less complex matter. He was tough yet fair, persistent but understanding, patient yet demanding, a disciplinarian but a kind one. No wonder everyone wanted to be in his maths set!

Early in his career at Bishops, he promised to throw a recalcitrant miscreant out of his first floor classroom window; so intensely serious was he that no one doubted he would do it – and from that time on discipline was no problem in his class. But, as I say, Patrick taught the pupil and not only mathematics; he taught as brilliantly outside the classroom as he did in it. A really fine coach of cricket, far better than he would ever let on, he was just as good with his rugby. In his teams his players learned to be sportsmen in the old-fashioned sense of the word – and they loved their games (as they did Patrick).

When he resigned from the College to teach at Springfield (where he was loved just as much), he also resigned from that once traditional haunt of Bishops' masters, the Olympic Sports Club. On his death, the members of the Club insisted that in spirit he had not left the Club at all and so in his honour the Olympic flag was dropped to half-mast, as has been done on so many other occasions for so many other fine Bishops' masters (and ODs) over the past hundred and more years.

Basil Bey

ENGAGEMENTS:

Our sincere congratulations and best wishes go to the following on the announcement of their engagement:

Bradley Brown (1994-98), son of Colin and Jane Brown and Cariane, daughter of the late Chris and Meisie Liebenberg.

Stuart Bartley (1998-2002), son of Ian (1960-63) and the late Sandy Bartley and Karin, daughter of Selwyn and Ingrid Shafermann.

MARRIAGES:

Hearty congratulations go to the following on their recent marriage, together with our sincere good wishes for future happiness:

Quentin de Bruyn (1986-89), son of Bill (1944-48) and Karine de Bruyn married Maresa, daughter of John and Marianne Fassler on 27 November 2010 in Plettenburg Bay.

Alex Molteno (1991-95), son of Edward (1958-62) and Wanda Molteno married Anne-Marie daughter of the late André and Julie Joliecoer on 28 August 2010 in Montreal, Canada.

BIRTHS:

Warm congratulations go to the following on the recent births of sons or daughters:

Martin Carlisle (1981-88) and Janice Biggs, a son, Leo David Richard on 28 October 2010.

Roger (1990-2000) and Werro **de Jager**, a daughter, Isabelle Rebecca on 2 February.

Alistair (1987-91) and Cathryn **Diesveld**, a son, Oliver Jack on 22 December 2010.

Malcolm (1980-92) and Melissa **Fair**, a son, Kailash Thomas on 29 November 2010.

David (1980-92) and Vicky **Finch**, a daughter, Lucy Paige on 18 October 2010.

Len (1986-88) and Sally **Heurlin**, a son Thomas Tor on 6 December 2010.

Godfrey (1972-85) and Gina **Howes**, a son, Robert Lawson Baretta on 29 December 2010.
Charles (1985-90) and Philippa **Owen**, a daughter, Kate Olivia on 28 May 2010.
Matthew (1983-87) and Pippa **Pearce**, a son, Thomas James on 10 January.
Jonathan (1993-97) and Ingrid **Shaw**, a son, Oliver George Mackay on 22 January.
Simon (1989-92) and Paula **Wills**, a daughter, Melissa Kate on 22 November 2010.



DIAMOND WEDDING:

Our warm congratulations go to the following:

Bob (1935-40) and Molly **Schierhout**, who were married on 25 October at Bishops and now live at 107 The Chase, Mount Pleasant, Harare, Zimbabwe. Bob celebrated his 85th birthday on 25 October 2010 as well. A wonderful achievement, congratulations on both counts!

GOLDEN WEDDING:

Our hearty congratulations go to the following:

Nigel and Cynthia Payne, who were married on 10 March in the Pinelands Presbyterian Church, and now live at 13 Montagu Way, Pinelands, 7405.

SENIOR ODs

Congratulations to the following on joining the ranks of OD Octogenarians during the first quarter of 2011:

Raymond Ackerman, (1945-48), P O Box 23087 Claremont 7735, on 10 March.

Mike Brooker, (1944-48), 72 Curzon Street, Montreal West, H4X 1H9, Quebec, Canada, on 25 February.

TK Goudie, (1944-48), 43 Mark Street, Prince Albert, 6930, on 19 January.

Peter (Dassie) Hare, (1939-48), Noordhoek Manor, Private Bag X3, Sun Valley 7985, on 27 January.

Rupert Langerman, (1942-48), 44 Moffat Street, Hermanus 7200, on 4 February.

George Low, (1945-48), Karoo House, Hudson Street, Nicu-Bethesda 6286, on 28 March.

François Marais, (1944-49), P O Box 1180, Hermanus 7200, on 25 March.

Ivan Speed, (1945-49), P O Box 173, Napier 7270, on 2 March.

John Strachan, (1942-49), 514 Grosvenor Square, Rondebosch 7700, on 30 March.

Peter Tearnan, (1939-48), 18 Clay Road, St Nicholas Park Drive, Nuneaton, Warwickshire, on 24 February.

Peter Wothington-Smith, (1944-48), Erinvale Estate, Somerset West 7130, on 1 March.

Congratulations and all good wishes go also to the following, who have celebrated birthdays during the first quarter of 2011:

97th Douglas ('Jack') Nash, (1923-32) Unit 44 Amber Valley, Private Bag X30, Howick, KZN 3290, on 22 January.

- 95th** **Peter Pare** (1926-33), c/o Glen Acres Farm, P O Box 1914, Somerset West 7129, on 11 January.
- 94th** **Alfred Walker** (1929-33), 56 Bucklesham Road, Ipswich, Suffolk IP3 8T England, on 8 February.
- 93rd** **Ray Jones** D.F.C. (1927-35), P O Box 95, Simon's Town 7995, on 26 March.
James Inglis (1927-34) Braidlea, Durbanville Avenue, Durbanville 7550, on 2 January.
- 92nd** **Trevor Gilbert** (1930-35), P O Box 257, Noordhoek 7985, on 8 January;
John Ronaldson (1933-36), 100 Abrey Road, Kloof, KZN 3610, on 25 March.
- 91st** **Air Cdr John Ellacombe** (1930-38), 33 The Drive, Northwood, Middlesex HA6 1HW England, on 28 February.
- 90th** **Revd Michael de Lisle** (1931-39), P O Box 18148, Wynberg 7824, on 30 January;
Anthony Falkiner (1935-39), 51 Rosebank Village, Private Bag X05, Saxonwold 2132, on 27 February;
Dick Hennessy (1931-39), Silvermine Village Health Centre, Private Bag 1, Noordhoek 7985, on 4 January;
Prof. Tony Honoré (1929-39), 94C Banbury Road, Oxford OX2 6JT, England, on 30 March.
- 89th** **Prof. Derk Eric Crichton** (1935-37), P O Box 3399, Durban 4000, on 2 February;
Dr Brian Davis (1930-39), 15 Grange Avenue, Spofforth, N.Yorkshire HG3 1AH, England, on 17 January;
- 88th** **John Barrett** (1933-41), Coltart, 5 Martin Close, Burnside, Bulawayo, Zimbabwe, on 30 March;
Donald Freeman (1932-41), 12 Cadewell Lane, Torquay TQ2 7AG, England, on 2 February;
Joseph Labia (1937-38), La Vergee, Mont Gras, D'Eau, St Brelade, Jersey, on 15 March;
John Reay (1931-40), 4 Kenilworth Court, Highwick Avenue, Kenilworth 7708, on 10 February;
- 87th** **Tom Bromley** (1932-40), 3 Bryn Merlin, Richmond Road, Kenilworth 7708, on 24 January;
'Jake' Crompton (1933-41), 3 Rothlands, 31 Rothesay Avenue, Craighall Park 2196, on 7 February;
Dr Rodney Hewitson (1932-40), c/o 11 Cumnor Avenue, Kenilworth 7708, on 18 January;
Roy Maughan-Brown (1934-40), 35 Highway, Fish Hoek 7975 on 26 February;
Richard Newby (1938-41), 48 Aspeling Street, George 6529, on 27 March.
- 86th** **Henry Irving** (1938-42), 6 Woodside Village, Norton Way, Rondebosch 7700, on 7 February;

- 85th** **Paul Meadows (1935-42)**, Unit B7, Woodside Village, Norton Way, Rondebosch 7700, on 9 January;
- 84th** **Brian Ashton (1937-43)**, 24 Klaassenbosch Drive, Constantia 7806, on 24 March;
Prof. Robin Barr (1940-44), 15 Waterthrush Crescent, Kanata, Ontario, K2M 2T8, Canada, on 27 January;
Prof. Alfred Crompton (1941-44), Museum of Comparative Zoology, Harvard University, 26 Oxford Street, Cambridge MA 021 38, USA, on 21 February;
Dr John Forbes (1941-44), 8 Parade Crescent, Constantia Hills, Constantia 7806, on 11 March;
Donald Fraser (1938-45), Greystones, 141 Clovelly Road, Clovelly 7975, on 12 February;
John Joubert (1935-44), 63 School Road, Moseley, Birmingham B13 9TF, England, on 20 March;
Dr Peter Le Riche (1936-44), B52 Ecklenberg, Erin Road, Rondebosch 7700, on 15 March.
Douglas McIntyre (1936-45), 3 Evelyn Court, Beaumont, Adelaide SA 5066, Australia, on 9 March;
Dick Morris (1940-43), 65 Lismore Drive, Helensvale, Queensland 4212, Australia, on 9 January;
Murray Wilson (1936-43), Sonnestraal, 7 Harrow Road, Diep River 7800, on 3 January.
- 83rd** **Henry Blagden (1940-43)**, 37 13th Avenue, Parktown North, Johannesburg 2193, on 23 February;
Basil Brodziak (1944-45), 22 Phantom Street, Raceview, Johannesburg 1449, on 17 February;
Charles Currey (Staff 1955-91), 137 Silvermine Village, Private Bag 1, Noordhoek 7985, on 17 March;
Dr Jannie Graaff (1941-43), P O Box 1609, Cape Town 8000, on 19 February;
Dr George Hunter (1936-45), 47F Stormhaven Park, Bizweni Avenue, Somerset West 7130, on 18 March;
Geoff Janes (1941-45), P O Box 590, Sedgfield 6573, on 7 February;
Revd Tom Kime (1941-46), 6 Morley College, Market Square, Winchester, Hants SO23 9LF, England, on 26 March;
John Moore (1941-45), 7 Gordon Road, Murambi, Mutare, Zimbabwe, on 28 January;
Jim Newdigate (1941-45), Ivan Hampshire Place, Private Bag 7, Newlands 7725, on 13 January;
Francis Perold (1939-45), De Oude Renbaan, 10 First Avenue, Paarl 7646, on 26 January;
Dick Steytler (1936-46), 307 Fairmead Court, 6 College Road, Rondebosch 7700, on 29 February;
Clive van Ryneveld (1936-46), 22 Farmsedge, Bergvliet 7945, on 19 March;

David Williams-Freeman (1938-46), Glendean, P O Box 42, Nottingham Road, KZN 3289, on 3 March

82nd Gerald Alanthwaite (1939-47), 21 Broadlands, Quarry Road, Fish Hoek 7975, on 15 February;

Dirk Alma (1938-46), De Wyngaard, 20 Evergreen Lane, Constantia 7806, on 21 February;

Roger Bergh (1938-46), 118 Silvermine Village, Private Bag 1, Noordhoek 7985, on 19 January;

John Gibbs (1942-46), 15 Hergest Road, Kington, Herefordshire HR5 3EQ, England, on 8 March;

Raymond Mathews (1944-47) P O Box 22825, Windhoek, Namibia, on 28 February.

81st Robert Blake (1939-48), 13 Springwood Circle, Mountain Green Village, Westlake.

CLASS REUNIONS IN THE PLANNING STAGES

27 – 28 August 2011	CLASS OF 1991	20TH YEAR	
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19 – 22 April 2012	CLASS OF 1952	60th YEAR
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	Humphrey	humphreyws@gmail.com 021 6854424
	Worthington-Smith	

15 – 18 March 2012**Organisers:****CLASS OF 1962****Ian Lomborg****John Watson****Barry van Breda****James McGregor****Anthony Gregorowski****50th YEAR**

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15-18 March 2012**Organisers:****CLASS OF 1972****Chris Newman****Ciffy Austin****John Weaver****John Falconer****James Selfe****Rupert Gull****Peter Smith****Henry Stubbings****Guy Lloyd-Roberts****40th YEAR**

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CLASS OF 1950 60TH REUNION: TOM MORSE 11 – 14 November 2010

Tom Morse very ably led a small committee in putting together what turned out to be a very happy 60th reunion of the class of 1950.

Out of a class of 83 (as far as can be ascertained) fifty were contactable, seven could not be traced while the remaining twenty-six are known to have died. Altogether twenty-two classmates attended one or other, or all of the festivities, two of whom are “honorary” members of the class of 1950. Eivind Thesen introduced us to Graham Tottle who was with the class at the Prep but who, in 1946 went to the UK. And Tony Bowden introduced us to Richard Finn who was also at the Prep only, and after much head scratching decided that he must have been a year behind the 1950 group. Graham travelled from Congleton in Cheshire, while Richard and his wife Rosie travelled from San Francisco. Well done to them for coming all that way, and to Tony who came from Bishop’s Stortford in Hertfordshire.

Hats off too to Paul Fisher, who travelled from goodness knows where hundreds of miles north-west of Lusaka in Zambia. Graham and Jill Cox drove down from Durban, and Philip Ashley-Cooper flew in from Port Elizabeth. Ray Lankester came from Plettenberg Bay, Dick and Marion Baird from George, Xander Grier from Stanford, Alan Smith from Hermanus, George Heye from Somerset West and Tom and Jean Morse from Stellenbosch.

The rest were from Cape Town, comprising André Beyers, Stan and Eugenie Brown, Donald and Pam Campbell, Bryan and June Day, Olof and Pat Fehrsen, Patrick and Jane Mulliner, David Pryce and Fiona Chisholm, David Sedgwick, Eivind Thesen and Ron and Lorraine White.

Apologies and good wishes were received from several who were unable to attend, including inter alia Donald Armour and Michael Gear in the UK, George Grant in Canada, Nigel Loney (busy with citrus and bananas on his farm in Zambia), Peter Gain, John McKinnel, John

Rathfelder, Dexter Raubenheimer, Peter Reynolds, George Sander in Namibia, Christopher (Zonk) Stobart in New Zealand, David Stobie in the USA, Ed Sunde in Port Elizabeth, Adrian van der Bijl in Greyton, and John Whiting in Australia.

The proceedings got under way on Thursday 11 November with the customary walk around the school, lead by Melvyn Wallis-Brown but which, unfortunately, was washed out by a sharp rain shower half way through. The good thing was that the group was able to return to the offices of the OD Union earlier than planned where, through the good offices of joint secretaries Tim and Carolyn Hamilton-Smith, the cocktail party began. Vernon Wood, headmaster, welcomed us to the school and explained the roles of the principal and headmaster, his being the day-to-day running of the school, selecting teachers, and teaching. Philip Ashley-Cooper brought with him an excellent picture of the school done by his brother Myke, which he generously donated to the OD Union and which will shortly be gracing their offices.

This was followed the next day by a superb lunch in fair weather in the stunning setting of the Steenberg Golf Club at Tokai where the guest of honour was Grant Nupen, principal of the school. Grant addressed the gathering explaining, amongst other things, the school's aim of creating a sizeable endowment fund to supplement the school's operating budget and to keep tuition fees down. Wines for the lunch were generously donated by Kathy Jordan (daughter of classmate Kosta (Scam) Scamvougeras) of Jordan Wine estates in Stellenbosch.

Due to a severe physical handicap Kosta was unable to attend either the cocktail party or the Steenberg lunch, but being keen to see something of his former classmates, Kathy offered to lay on a light lunch at her home on the estate for him and for those wishing to see Scam. Ten members of the class and seven partners took up the offer in idyllic weather on Sunday 14 and



*Seated, l to r: Stan Brown, Dick Baird, Xander Grier, Paul Fisher, Donald Campbell.
Standing, l to r: Graham Tottle, Eivind Thesen, Richard Finn, David Pryce, David Sedgwick,
Ray Lankester, Patrick Mulliner, Olof Fehrsen, Bryan Day, Tom Morse (behind), Tony Bowden,
Ron White, Alan Smith, Graham Cox, Philip Ashley-Cooper, Andre Beyers*

enjoyed a splendid lunch with Scam and his daughters Kathy and Linda.

A hearty vote of thanks must go to Duimpie Bayly, father of Gregg Bayly and Xander Grier who generously contributed wines for the cocktail party and Steenberg lunch respectively.

The organising committee had a great time tracking down the class and putting together the reunion which seemed to have been well received by the attendees. The group reconnected so seamlessly that it is indeed very hard to appreciate that no less than sixty years have elapsed, with everyone going in their many and varied directions, since writing matric together in 1950. The success of the reunion brought home very clearly just how much the school means to its ODs, and the OD Union to its members.

A modest surplus was realised after all the costs were accounted for, and this was donated to the OD Union for Tim and Carolyn to put towards a specific project that they are contemplating.

It is generally agreed that since the average age of those at this one was about 78, it should not be too long before the next get together is held – like in about two years time!



L to r: Rosie Finn, David Pryce, George Heye, Jean Morse, Kosta Scamvougeras and his daughters Linda and Kathy, Tony Bowden, Graham Cox, Eugenie Brown, Stan Brown



Elvind Thesen, Eugenie Brown, Pam Campbell & Grant Nupen



Alan Smith, Xander Grier, Jean & Tom Morse



L to r: Patrick Mulliner, David Pryce, Tom Morse, Don Campbell and Stan Brown

A unique event – a FIVE YEAR reunion!

A most successful and extremely enjoyable evening was held at the OD Union. Committee members, **Chris Ryall (1993-2005)** and **Anton Taylor (1992-2005)** organised a spit braai and a few beers for the class of 2005. **Paul Farber (1977-86)** provided a superb spit-braai.

Anton reports:

On 18 November 2010, the 2005 Matrics celebrated their five year reunion at the OD Union offices. The evening was a low key affair and intended for all the boys to catch up with each other. Luckily, most of the 2005 Matrics are still at this time in Cape Town or South Africa, but there were nevertheless some faces that haven't been seen in quite some time.

Thanks must go to the 2005 Head Boy Chris Ryall, as well as Carolyn Hamilton-Smith. Together the two organised the entire evening, which included beers and a lovely braai. Mr Hamilton-Smith was also on board to criticise unruly appearances and point out bald spots to those of us with thinning hair.

After a brief speech from Chris the gentlemen retired to tables to catch up. A most entertaining game of 'Never have I ever' was played, in which the young ODs shared their experiences and teachings over the past five years. It was interesting to see where the other ODs had travelled and what they had learned, and it was agreed upon that **Blake**



Mike McPetrie, Etienne Smith and Russell Higgins.



Russell Higgins, Edward Schmidt and John Hodges

Gowar (1993-2005) was by far the most erudite and well-travelled of us all.

Although five year reunions are rather uncommon, the 2005 year's reunion bears testament to the spirit and friendship of the year. It was this which led to the 2005's having the highest turnout at the 2009 OD dinner, a feat which the young men no doubt hope to repeat in 2011.

CLASS OF 2000 – 10TH REUNION. ROGER DE JAGER reports:

Despite a rainy Cape Town day looming over the mountain, it was not enough to keep an eager bunch of guys away from hitting the rugby field, for some the first time in 10 years. For the class of 2000 OD Rugby was an eagerly awaited event after much long distance planning, to get their 10 year reunion underway. In joint venture with the 'old' OD 4th XV put together by Alister Smuts, we were set for a nail biting afternoon against Pete Westwood's Wild Boys.

With the shapely front row of Alex Daniel, Roger de Jager & Kevin van Wyk we knew we had the better muscle for the day (or so we thought until tough Kevin broke a rib.) After only minutes of play much panting could be heard, though with rolling subs it was relieving for some to get a break. Dedication in the rucks from workhorses James Prain and Anton Louw provided plenty of good ball to the experience-with-age backline. Heaps of good work was put in by Duncan Prew and some elusive running by Xolani Gladile, who was supported well out wide by Andrew Thomas and Mike Ennis. Tristan Kelly always safe at the back, providing some good interlinking play.

In the end it was a close contest, which was sealed with a late try by Glads at the death. Well done to the Wild Boys for playing the game with passion and flair in true Bishops style. We all had a terrific time, though battered and exhausted, which was well supported by the rest of the lazy class. I hope that this is something we can try keep up every year, trying to get a younger crowd playing OD rugby. A few beers were much enjoyed while bantering away watching the 1st XV game. After the function a couple of the guys headed out to dinner at Ponchos in Obs.

For the main reunion function we had a gathering of about 50 ODs at the Heatlie Pavilion on Friday 3 Sept. Unfortunately many of the class were living overseas, though we were grateful for the few who travelled back for the trip, as well as the few coming in from around the country. It was joyous to see so many familiar faces after so many years, sparking back eventful memories from our intellectual years at school. Despite a number of school functions on the same eve, we were appreciative for the couple of the staff members who could join us for the evening - reminiscing over the dramatics of Peter Westwood's science classes, Jannie de Villiers' Afrikaans lessons, polo training with Gus Firth and Dean Sudding in White House.

Our sincere thanks go to Andrew Russell for delighting us with his wise and encouraging words. When I called Andrew from Sweden to ask him if he would be our guest, he replied: "Are you joking, I would be honoured!" - a better suited person we could not have had. He was a teacher to many of us, our rugby coach of his last U15 team, current parent, entrepreneur and an OD. He shared with us many of our classes 'adventures' he witnessed as a teacher. He pointed out that as much as the school has changed from our time to present day, there was as a great a change from his time as a pupil to when we were at school. These changes are needed to keep a school of such quality abreast with what we expect as ODs and parents. He reiterated the importance of supporting not only our school but also our country. As the future of South Africa and Bishops is a healthy one, we have got to believe in it and help make the difference to succeed.

Other than Roger thanking all the gents on making the effort to be part of the reunion activities, he reminded them on the futuristic plans we all had written in the Bishops Class 2000 book. With many guys needing to catch up a lot in the next 10 years to reach their aims of 'where they see themselves in 20 years'.



Roger & Nicholas de Jager, JP van der Merwe, Andrew Thomas, Alex Huber, James Kilpin, Richard Tunstall, Lloyd West



*Back: Oliver Mitchell, Alex Daniel, James Prain, Patrick McCay, Greg Louw, Xolani Gladile
Front: James Mackay, Kevin van Wyk, Roger de Jager, Nick King*

The evening was a great success, and was well catered for by Bonnie Padiachy from RoyalSechaba and beers were always kept on the table by the well remembered Victor.

For the golf enthusiasts, who still had energy from the previous nights celebrations, Lloyd West put together a round of golf at the Mowbray golf club. Many thanks to him for his help with the reunion from abroad. We had two four balls consisting of: Richard Tunstall, James Kilpin, Alex Huber, Steve Farrell and for the second four ball: JP van der Merwe, Roger de Jager, Lloyd West and James Mackay, who subbed out after a few holes to be replaced by Andrew Thomas. Some fantastic golf was played, though no silverware would be brought home with the days play. Kilpin got the mileage award for all his zigzagging across multiple fairways. All

headed to Barristers for the 19th hole to have a drink watching the Boks vs Wallaby game.

On the Sunday, a family spit braai was hosted by Iain Buchanan at Silverhurst Estate. It was super to have about 20 ODs with their wives/partners. There was only one child, 3 year old Nicholas de Jager, who kept all entertained with his soccer skills and lion roars. Montys Braai prepared a fantastic meal which was devoured by all. It was a great day to be able to socialize in a relaxing atmosphere at a venue that was host to many enjoyable parties whilst at school. Our sincere thanks go to the Buchanan family for hosting the day. It was disappointing that only so few could turn up, despite the large confirmation from before.

All in all, a fantastic weekend was enjoyed by all. It was great to be able to have a few occasions to catch up and trust that more contact will be kept between the boys. We look forward to the next reunion to see if how our paths have continued.

OD OFFICE

NOTICES

We welcome a New Member to the Committee Phil Calothi (1965-68)

EDUCATION

Bishops 1965 to 1968 a proud White House product of Trader Hunt
UCT 1969 to 1974 B.Sc Civil Engineering

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Twelve years in building contracting and consulting engineering with Murray and Stewart, Ninham Shand and WJM Construction. Twenty-five years in the project management, development and on-going management of industrial, commercial and residential projects. This included the conception, planning, marketing, sales and development of a major holiday resort, over 1000 residential erven and various sectional title schemes.

Currently managing own business in Project Management and Property Administration.

CORPORATE CAREER

Served as Director, Trustee and Chairman of many public (unlisted) companies, homeowners associations and sectional title schemes.

Managing Director of the Club Mykonos Group from 1999 until 2009.

MOST NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS

Staying happily married for 33 years.

Managing to put three boys through Bishops

Being instrumental in the timeous repayment to the Masterbond investors of the total debt owed to them by the Club Mykonos Group and the creation of real value in their shares in the Club Mykonos Group.

The Nostalgia evenings will definitely take place starting later in the year. ODs will receive due notice in good time.

The Gala Rugby Dinner on 10 June will be held at Kelvin Grove and will celebrate 150 years of Bishops Rugby. You will receive details through the OD office. As this is a really special occasion, this function will take the place of the mid-year party, though there will be a **cocktail party** on the evening of the ODs vs College rugby and hockey matches. This is scheduled to take place on Wednesday 7 September.

The first unbeaten side for 30 years!



1st XV 1979

Back: Mr I. Pinnington, J. Drew, J. Thompson, M. van Niekerk, A. Bergh, N. Badminton.

Middle: G. Penny, A. Eve, D. Johnson, T. Murray, J. Koster, C. McCallum, Mr B. Bey.

Front: M. Brown, S. Symington, J. Oosterwijk, M. Burton-Moore (captain), A. Versfeld, P. Williams.

47th CENTRAL KAROO DINNER SATURDAY 28 MAY

Venue: Lemoenfontein Hunting Lodge, Beaufort West

Time: 6.30 for 7.30 p.m.

Dress: Jacket & OD tie

Lemoenfontein is situated 8km from Beaufort West off the N1 North.

Please phone Ingrid for accommodation Tel No: 023 4152847.

There is a limited amount of accommodation available at Lemoenfontein.

All ODs, parents, staff or people simply interested in the school are most welcome

Contact John Hayward, Karoo OD Secretary, if you wish to attend:

jayhay1950@wam.co.za or fax: 049 849 0013

MAGAZINE

The School has sent a survey to the current parent body about the magazine. The present format has been in place for a long time, and they feel that the time has now come to make

certain changes. The school intends publishing the Magazine as a digital magazine for several reasons:

- Firstly sustainability issues - using paper when other means of publication are in place and available to the school, the parents and the ODs.
- Secondly, the costs of producing a paper magazine keeps escalating;
- Thirdly, the distribution of the magazine to the boys has led to a lot of waste, returned magazines, and parents not getting a chance to see the magazine if their sons do not bring the Magazines home.

The School proposes publishing the magazine as an on-line magazine which will be accessible for free from MyMag.co.za. The Magazine can be read on-line, or else downloaded and stored on computer and read at leisure. They will be starting this at the end of the first term. The school is aware that there will be a number of parents who would still prefer to receive a hardcopy printed version of the magazine, either for themselves, or for their son or sons. They will continue producing printed copies, but will be asking parents to pay for these Magazines on an annual basis, and those who order the printed Magazine will receive their copies in the post. In this way, they hope to cut down on both printing expenses and waste.

The OD Union will await the result of the parents' survey but felt you should be informed of the School's decision. The School pays for the printing of the magazine and the OD Union posts the magazines to the ODs. Maybe there are many of you who would also like to read your magazine on line, please let us know?

DONATIONS:

Our sincere thanks go to **Richard Cock (1962-66)** for his donation to the Bursary Fund.

VISITORS

We have really enjoyed catching up with many ODs who have dropped into the offices and particularly with those who live overseas:

Michael Pike (staff)	England
Mark Lewis	England
Lindsay Jonker	United States
James Deane	England

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

Hugh Fynn (staff 1978-98)

'After 40 years in education, 21 of them at Bishops, I retire from education at the end of 2010.

It has been an incredibly rich journey and has enabled me to be touched by the lives of so many wonderful people: colleagues, pupils and parents. The Schools in which I have taught include Churchill High School, Marandellas High School and Ellis Robins in Zimbabwe; King Edward VII Grammar School in Coalville, England, Soltun Folkehögskole in Norway; Bishops and St Joseph's Marist College in South Africa.

'In the last couple of years I have prepared for the retirement by retreading myself and have qualified as a commercial and civil mediator through the GSB Stellenbosch. It seems to me to be the direction in which dispute settlement should be heading, wherever feasible. I have also qualified more recently as a tourist guide. John Lawrence (Staff 1991-2000) has been a great mentor in this regard. I have come to realise that I am energised by people and what better way of interacting with them than either helping them resolve differences or guiding them around this beautiful country of ours!

'My first term at Bishops overlapped with Dennis Hunt, who I was employed to replace. Tim Hamilton -Smith was head of the Geography Department and he mandated me to set up field trips for the various grades. The tourism is just a way of getting back to the field trips! Geo-caching seems to be a way to go. My e-mail is **tuggfynn@gmail.com** and I hope to have a website soon **www.infynnitesolutions.co.za**

'I seem to have attended far too many memorial services at Bishops this year, but am reminded every time of what a privilege it has been to be part of this extended family. Thank you all and thanks especially to Tim and Carolyn and their predecessors for being an important part of the glue that binds the family together'.



Wine and mince pies

FUNCTIONS

Thank you, yet again, to **Richard Cock (1962-67)** for involving the OD Union in his annual 'Christmas Carols' service which was held in the glory of the Memorial Chapel on Saturday 20 December. This is a most popular event in the Festive Season calendar and attracts large numbers who especially come to listen to Richard, his choir and orchestra. At Richard's suggestion the ODU serve mince pies and wine and soft drinks at the interval and this has become a most popular social occasion. Each year, at the conclusion of the

concert Richard has a few words to say about the OD Bursary Fund and announces that there will be a retiring collection with all proceeds going to this Fund. Richard always reminds the audience that he would not have had the opportunity to have been educated at Bishops had it not been for a Bursary. This definitely results in hands being delved deeper into pockets and with the doors being 'manned' by Carolyn Hamilton-Smith, Jenny Masterson and Ro Donnelly, the donations amounted to more than R7700. Richard has very kindly donated a further R2300 from the Richard Cock Musical Enterprises Fund to ensure that the total came to an astonishing R10 000. We cannot thank him enough for all that he does for the ODU.

We would like to thank **Nick Badminton (1967-79)** of Pick n Pay for donating the mince pies, **Simon Grier (1972-75)** of Villiera for their excellent sparkling wine and **Brian Robertson (1972-79)** of Avondale for their splendid wines.

On the subject of the Bursary Fund, we raised R128 628 last year and I am delighted to say that 10 sons of ODs are now receiving financial assistance.

BOLAND DINNER

The Boland Branch Dinner was held on Saturday 13 November at Waverley Hills wine estate in Wolseley. This was a spectacular venue with amazing panoramic views of the vineyards and surrounding Fold Mountains from the bar and dining room. Once again our Boland secretary



Bruce Robinson speaks



Andrew Lanning, John Dobson & Rupert Price



Founders House: Deryck Rowe-Roberts, Philip Dicey, Brian de Kock, Tim H-S, Peter Ovenstone, Bruce Robinson

Bruce Robinson (1973-79) excelled himself by arranging this elegant dinner. Although quite a few ODs pulled out at the last minute, which was disappointing, the rest of us were really well entertained by master of ceremonies, the one and only **John Dobson (1973-86)** and the guest speaker **Brian de Kock (1943-53)**. John managed to get a few laughs at the expense of the OD secretary (not Carolyn). Brian was in superb form and had us all in fits of laughter as he cleverly reminded us of the characters that have made Bishops such a unique school.

Many thanks yet again to Bruce for all his hard work in organizing this annual treat. The Boland Dinner has certainly established itself as one of the prime functions of the ODU calendar. It really does deserve greater support from the local Boland ODs.

WINE TASTING

Baachus is a private, exclusive wine tasting club. The Presidents are **John Charlton (1945-54)** and Michael Keall. Their guests for their January expedition were **Paul (1944-54)** and Wendy **Canon**, Midge and Judy Hilton-Green and Tim and Carolyn Hamilton-Smith. We were honoured to be the guests of **Theo (1986-91)** and Berinda **Basson** at their farm Ormonde in Darling, where we were treated to a superb wine tasting. We would like to take the opportunity to thank Theo for his ongoing extraordinary generous sponsorship for a number of ODU events. Each year he donates his wonderful wines to Bishops Rugby Development Fund and he also sponsors the Walker Cup golf day.



Wendy & Paul Cannon June & John Charlton, Tim & Carolyn Hamilton-Smith, Michael Keall, Judy Hilton-Green



Theo Basson

NEWS OF ODs

We were sorry to have missed **Dave Howland (1978-82)**, **Dave Steward (1968-77)**, and **Sham Moodliar (1984-88)**

Many thanks to **John Snepp (1933-41)**, **David Gow (1932-41)**, **Warwick Jones (1958-61)**, **Mac Bissett (1951-1960)** and **Don Sim (1942-46)**, for their Christmas greetings.

We look forward to catching up with Don, who will be visiting the Cape this year

THE ARTS

Bruce Relly (1939-47) has sent us some interesting information about his latest book *2nd Fire*. *He writes:*

The title is derived from an idea of Teilhard de Chardin that “Someday, after we have mastered the winds, the tides and gravitation, we shall harness for God the energies of love. Then, for the second time in the history of the world, man will have discovered fire.” The book is not, however, religious, except in the sense that it is a serious attempt to understand - and therefore to transform - the basic consciousness of suffering.

To put matters into a Bishops’ context: Although the inspiration of this book is the product of a lifetime that includes an uncomfortable Stanmore period, the reasoned, nutshell conclusion is that the relief of suffering is all about self-responsibility rather than victimhood... and that it is teachable.

2nd Fire can be ordered/obtained/discussed directly (**0282738648** or **brelly@mhws.co.za**) or through **www.2ndfire.co.za**



Brian Robertson & Mike Walker

Mike Walker (1948-57) has recently donated two of his books to the ODU for the Library. Titles: *Muizenberg – a forgotten story* and *A statement in Stone* a beautiful book with architectural pictures of Muizenberg, St James and Kalk Bay houses. Architect, **Luke Scott (1987-90)** thought it of great interest when he was in the office at the time.

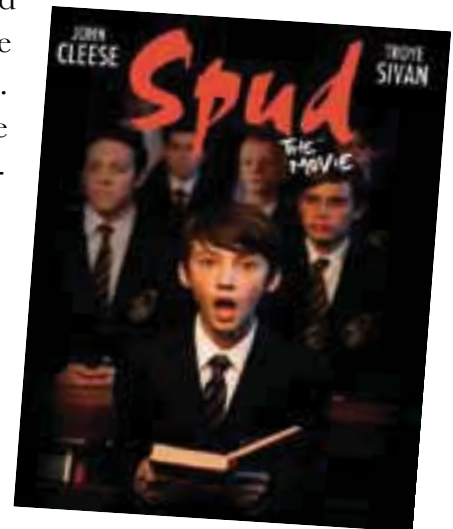
The Making of Spud the Movie is a most fascinating book and features two ODs **Donovan Marsh (1983-87)** and **Ed Jordan (1982-86)**.

The film *Spud* was written and directed by Donovan. The author of the original book John van de Ruit writes that ‘critically, it was Donovan who finally told me what my book was about, which allowed him to settle on the driving motif for the film. One word explained all: acceptance’. Many critics have written that Donovan has turned a ‘mediocre book into a masterpiece’. We are sure that Mr Marsh’s experiences in White House were a great source of inspiration.

The following articles should make you proud to be an OD!

Donovan Marsh put his memories of boarding at Bishops to good use when directing Spud.

“I had the best time of my life at Bishops. I’m hyperactive, so I need a million things to do and there is always a million



things to do at boarding school.

"I really did everything, plays, sports, it was wonderful," said Marsh.

So he knew he was the perfect person to direct the adaptation of John van der Ruit's best-seller. He lives in Joburg where he was born, but would like to return to Cape Town at some point. "It's kind of my evil master plan - to be so fabulously successful I could live anywhere I like. I've been working on it for 20 years and I haven't got it right yet," he says, all but rubbing his hands together. The 40-year-old originally wanted to become a psychiatrist or a doctor of some kind but watching a "making of" feature in Grade 11 opened up the world of film-making to him, "I watched them doing it, and thought 'I could do that'. It made sense to me for the first time."

Marsh got into Medical school but changed to Wits drama school at the last minute, although studying drama and film didn't quite prepare him for the world of local film-making. What did teach him how it all works was diving headlong into the industry directing award-winning commercials, award-winning music videos, multi-camera TV shows like *Gladiators*

and *Who Wants to be a Millionaire?* and short films. "TV drama is where I cut my teeth. I don't think you should consider directing a film until you've had your 100 hours of TV drama.

"It's such an unimmediate art. When you paint, you put the paint on the canvas and you see straight away that's working. "In filming everything's done in miniature and there's no way of seeing whether it's going to work. There's a lot of experimentation with the style of performance, this camera work and that lighting. Only later, much later in the edit suite, you get the effect." For *Spud* he worked closely with editor Megan Gill, who worked on *Tsotsi* and *Wolverine*: "Every single frame and second is mine. It's my vision and I have a clear sense of how it needed to be cut."

Marsh believes directing is the most completely challenging thing he could have done as it involves every aspect of your personality. "It's very cerebral, very emotional, you've got to connect well with people, be able to be alone and to write - and you've got to be



John Cleese and Donovan Marsh

able to be critical." While directing films in this country may be a "tough ask" he's optimistic about the industry's future. Through his TV show *Class Act* he wants to create stars and the kind of films audiences actually want to see. "Just to create a bit of vibe here so that we can get bums on seats and actually have a vibrant South African film industry. I'm very passionate about that."

He first heard about *Spud* being turned into a film when he read a newspaper article about producer Ross Garland raising the money and looking for an international director.'

"I thought 'here's an opportunity, here's something that's popular; it's exactly the kind of

movie this industry needs'. It fitted everything that I imagined a South African movie could be." He called Garland, who was initially cool. "He treated me a bit like a Seventh Day Adventist that comes knocking at the door,' Marsh remembers. He sent Garland his show reel (the 2005 drama *Dollars and White Pipes*). "He phoned me back, to his credit, and he said 'I'm really impressed ... but we're still looking for an international director.'"

Since Marsh had also offered his services as script editor, Ross called him a month later, because Van de Ruit was too busy writing another book to do the screenplay. So Marsh started on the screenplay and six months later was offered the director's chair.'

That was three years ago. Filming took place in April at private boys' school Michaelhouse in KwaZulu-Natal, where the books are set. While the school was initially dubious about allowing the filming there - since the books aren't exactly the best advert for the school - the headmaster was on their side. He helped to persuade the school board that the story was about a particular point in history, not a current reflection. Marsh chose to emphasise the underlying themes of *Spud* over what could have been a stronger narrative of a boy who needs to teach a bully a lesson.

"The film's moving as well as being funny. The funniness is just there as a layer. It's actually about a boy growing up and finding acceptance among his peers and in himself. About friendship and understanding people and these things called girls and coming to a fuller maturity. "It's a much harder trick to pull and I suppose the through line that I created was one of acceptance." With *Spud* the filmmakers are hoping to leverage off the film's huge following, hitting a core audience who will hopefully spread the news via word of mouth. The film has cost a bomb. "It was very expensive to make. It's not just a R5 million or a R6m movie," said Marsh. "You'd have to ask the producers about the budget, but you know John Cleese is not cheap." (In fact R40m was the original planned budget figure banded about). For the filmmakers to recoup their investment they either have to do something unheard of at the South African box office - make more money than *Schuster* - or sell it overseas. "I think the only way you could sell something overseas is if you put a John Cleese in it, which we've done. Now we actually have a shot. Having him there opens doors and I think we have a really nice chance of selling it to international markets." He's excited about the possibilities of starting a franchise, should this film take off. "Americans do it all the time. We'd have our own franchise and our own income coming in, uplifting the industry and paying our actors, and our producers and directors."

Ed Jordan and THE MUSIC

"No, John, you gotta think like a black guy. Hang behind the beat. Right now, you're rushing in front like a white guy." These instructions were given to John Cleese by Ed Jordan when they were recording a hip hop track called *Big Boss* for the film *Spud*. Jordan had taken on the triple role of putting together the soundtrack, supervising the music and writing the score. "I can see why they have different people in each role," he confessed. "It was hard work being the one-stop shop." Ed spent a year working on the project and said one of his highlights was working with Cleese, who plays the teacher Guv. The film opened on the same weekend as the latest *Harry Potter* movie and beat the British film cleanly at the box office at the time. Says Jordan of the experience: "One of the best moments of my life was when I got a phone call to help out John Cleese. He was staying somewhere in the Midlands where the film was



Ed Jordan

being shot and I had to go to him to record. “When I got there, I realised that he is tone deaf and can’t sing. When I asked him about those Monty Python classics like Lumberjack, he answered: Miming, my boy; miming’.”

As the writer of the score for the film, Jordan was tasked with writing six new songs and two hymns. The songs were based on the Oliver story. In one scene, Cleese’s character has to sing a song akin to You’ve Got to Pick a Pocket or Two. Jordan decided to do a rap interpretation and has Cleese rapping: B.I.G. B 0 double S. Jordan said he loved working with the British actor, whom he found inspiring. One of Jordan’s favourite stories is when he was chatting with Cleese in his garden in the Midlands when suddenly Jordan saw a stuffed bear holding a hydrangea. ‘Aah,” smiled Cleese. “I see you spotted Honey Bear. She loves the sun.”

The next day Jordan returned to the house only to find Honey Bear was no longer in the garden. On asking where the stuffed bear was, Cleese looked at Jordan as if he was stupid and said: “Sleeping, of course.” It was just one in a series of experiences and learning curves that characterised the year that was Jordan’s Spud. Putting together the soundtrack was also a fantastic experience for him. Called Spud the Soundtrack, the CD features 23 tracks of original South African music from the ‘80s, as well as original tracks written specifically for the film and excerpts from the score.

“I remember being in boarding school for the first time with all the big boys who shaved and the smell of Lifebuoy soap,” Jordan recalls. “When I first got to Bishops in Standard six there was this fellow new boy who one day put on his takkies and ran all the way home to Somerset West. His parents brought him back a few days later. The next week I looked out the window and there was running across the field back to Somerset West.” It was these and other memories of private school life in the ‘80s that inspired Jordan to write tracks such as Just One for the Boys, sung by Troye Sivan’s lead character. “We have modified the track for downloads by the Twitter generation,” Jordan said of it. But perhaps the most exciting parts of the soundtrack are the ‘80s artists, Petit Cheval, Via Afrika, The Psycho Reptiles, Mango Groove and Face2Face. The trip down memory lane for an ‘80s child is fantastic. And the original tracks are great, too.

The brief by the producers was only to have South African music because Spud is a South African film. And Jordan has done an excellent job capturing that amazing time for South African music. “The lesson I learnt from this experience is that you must go for it. I have done smaller music work on short films for William Kentridge, as well as songs for some of Darryl Roodt’s films. But this was so exciting. In fact, the last time I was this excited was 20 years ago when my debut album was at No 1 on Radio 5,” he says.

As some of you know, **Kevin Smuts (1993-2005)** is a member of an a cappella singing group called Perfect Score. They put on a show at On Broadway in Long Street from 22-23 November which was great evening of entertainment, packed to the brim with songs for all ages and music tastes. From Queen, Elvis and The Beatles, all the way through to Coldplay, Muse and the Red Hot Chilli Peppers, not to mention some “Local is Lekker” tracks.

They have stepped it up another notch, this time with professional sound and lighting, and a stack of new songs.

For more information about the group you can visit:

1. their website: **www.perfectscore.co.za**
2. their Facebook page: **<http://www.facebook.com/perfectscore>**

Brian de Kock (1943-53) takes to the stage again in BRIEF LIVES, a dramatisation by Patrick Garland of 17th century diarist John Aubrey’s writings. Brian takes the part of John Aubrey at the Masque Theatre, Muizenberg, in a one man show.

“TOUR DE FORCE: Brian de Kock takes the role of John Aubrey in Brief Lives:

Set on an English winter’s day in 1696, the rhythm and language of Aubrey’s Brief Lives are bawdy without being gross, blunt without being malignant, and packed with dry humour and wit. As the elderly Aubrey telling his tales, Brian de Kock’s performance is a tour de force. As he unfolds this intriguing pictorial landscape he captures the essence of the times, and how an old man, moving towards the end of his life, reviews past events. Wearing slippers, with his brown gown constantly slipping off his shoulder, De Kock speaks in a lively but ageing voice and lets his hands shake as he drinks from a tankard, reads a book, places a bed warmer under his blankets or just uses them to express some incident

Director Brenda Gray is famed for her meticulous direction and in Brief Lives she’s excelled. Not only has she produced a performance par excellence from De Kock, but no production detail is left unsupervised. She’s overseen an outstanding period set by Vivienne Gray, introduced typical raucous background voices and gentle lute playing by James Grace, as well as supervised an excellent lighting plot by Gary Fargher.”

Cape Times

FARMING

Not all ODs are viticulturists!

SANDVELD potato farmer **John Bergh (1970-74)** was recently featured in a newspaper article. He had spent the morning with the news reporter surveying his expansive northern Cedarberg farm, not far from Clanwilliam. The following interview was published.

“Yes, we do eat a lot of potatoes,” John said. “Nicola is my favourite. Nothing else compares.” Nicola, a yellow-fleshed Mediterranean variety of potato, is a “shy bearer”, meaning it does not



John Bergh

provide great yields but offers great flavour. Bergh is the only farmer in the country producing the variety exclusively for Woolworths. Bergh likes to cook them unpeeled (all the goodness is in the skin, he says), halved and oven roasted with olive oil sprinkled with an olive and rosemary seasoning. "They are great for salads too," he added.

The farm Patrysvlei has been in the Bergh family for 190 years and the family lives in the original home, built in 1820. "My grandfather grew tomatoes and my father specialised in export fruit," he said. In 1975, when the farm got electricity, the Sandveld's sandy soil could be properly irrigated and they started farming potatoes. "We ploughed up lots of fynbos to make way for the potatoes," said Bergh, adding that the loose soil was ideal for harvesting the tubers. Potatoes are not season-specific and grow year-round. Today, the Sandveld is one of the country's

prime potato-growing regions and Patrysvlei is one of the large potato producers in the area. A decade ago, however, things were not quite as rosy. The farmer discovered his conventional farming methods were no longer working. He was using far more fertilisers, chemicals and water - without the same results. The plants were unhealthy and the yields poor. The realisation that something was wrong led him on a new path. "It's all about the soil," said Bergh. "Through my journey of growing produce organically, I have taught myself biological farming." Biological farming is about the minimal use of synthetic pesticide and herbicides, a short rotation of crops and, most importantly, feeding the soil regularly with compost and other organic matter. On the farm, they have established large wormeries with various species of worms, which provide essential vermicompost and vermitea, the by-products of composting. The compost is dug into the soil and the vermitea is sprayed onto the plants weekly. Judging by the healthy plants and yields, it is clearly working. "We don't really understand all the detail of it. It is not an empirical science and a lot of scientists shoot the ideas down. But today our plants are more resistant to disease, our produce is better and, I'm sure, more nutritious - and we use less water than we did before," said Bergh.

Apart from the Nicola, they also grow a number of imported varieties of potatoes. Why? "For the specific taste they offer and, agronomically, their yield is far better than some of the local varieties. Potatoes vary greatly in their eating characteristics," he said. In South Africa, half the potato market is made up of the Mondial variety. "Mondial doesn't have a lot of flavour but is so popular because it looks very good. White and bright is king in this country," he said. I was curious to know why potatoes are not sold by variety, as they are in the UK.

"The South African consumer is not variety aware," Bergh said. "There is not sufficient education regarding different potatoes and their uses and the majority (of consumers) are not discerning." In a fairly recent initiative, all Patrysvlei potatoes are now labelled by variety and their uses. "I believe it is the retailer's responsibility to educate consumers by including the variety (and the uses) on the packaging," said Bergh.



Jonathan Louw

Jonathan Louw (1983-87) the CEO of Adcock Ingram has exciting times ahead as he attempts to find new markets in Africa. Adcock already has a regional base in Ghana following on from recent developments in Kenya.



Professor Bruce Hewitson

Professor Bruce Hewitson (1966-77), the National Research Foundation Chair for Climate Change spoke recently at the media launch of two new on-line services aimed at bridging the communications gap between scientists and us non-academics. Bruce emphasised that complex data was often lost in translation and misrepresented in the media. Their Climate systems Analysis group has launched the Weather Risk Attribution Forecast – the world's first real-time service to examine how humanity's past greenhouse gas emissions have contributed to unusual weather patterns. Weather patterns around the world during the past few months have been one of the world's leading topics for debate. For more information about the Weather Risk Attribution Forecast: www.csag.uct.ac.za/daithi/forecast/doc/about.html

Rogan Earp-Jones (1959-69) writes:

We will be moving permanently to 287, Onrust Manor, Onrust River, 7201. I will continue working as an independent Freight Consultant from there and also run Dynamite Music, a company I started three years ago which imports (mainly classical, opera, ballet, orchestral etc) CD's and DVD's from Europe for wholesale distribution to the retail trade, libraries, and other educational establishments and which is situated in Pinelands. (Bishop's

library or music department are also welcome to contact Peter Kramer on 021 532 0551 should any recorded classical music be required)

Ian Proudfoot (1967-76) is now back in Cape Town and writes:

We're fine and have just arrived back in CT after two years in Mpumalanga. The total job package, whilst having many wonderful plusses, didn't turn out to be something I could commit to for the next 15 years. I'm really enjoying the move into HIV work and have accepted a post with Medecins sans Frontieres in Khayelitsha in their HIV/TB projects.

Rock Brown (1964-68) is also back in the Western Cape. He says "I have relocated back to Somerset West, where I spent my youth and early married life. I am busy trying to re-establish my connections in the building industry in the greater Cape Town area and am very excited to

be near to Bishops once more. I look forward to watching rugby games again, and also attend other OD functions. Rock can be contacted on: **charleskelvinbrown@gmail.com**

Welcome news from Charles Owen (1985-90):

2010 was a fairly busy but rewarding year including Kate's arrival and being offered a position at a well respected and top 100 London law firm. After six years working as an in-house lawyer at the General Medical Council in London, I was offered a position as a senior solicitor at Capsticks Solicitors, a firm specialising in the healthcare sector. I started here last March and I am based in the Dispute Resolution Department where my primary area of work is preparing and presenting cases for a number of the firm's regulatory clients within the healthcare sector (dentists, pharmacists etc). The work is challenging yet enjoyable and it has proved to be a good move for me, particularly given that the firm won the niche firm of the year category at the Lawyer 2010 awards in June. Other than that we continue to miss the sun and fresh air of Cape Town and visit as regularly as possible.

Our daughter, Kate Olivia, was born on the 28th May 2010 in London. Lie-ins and lazy holidays are a thing of the past. For ODs wishing to keep in touch:-charles.owen@capsticks.co

It is always wonderful to hear from the older ODs who often take the time and trouble to write to Carolyn thanking her for birthday cards which she sends from the ODU.

David Lacey (1941-43) writes;

It was very kind of Tim and Carolyn to send me a card for my 85th. I apologise for the delay in acknowledging it but I had mislaid your e-mail address and had to retrieve it from the magazine which arrived this week. I have been very fortunate to live in this delightful part of the country for the past 56 years; happily married for 57 years. I practised as a GP here for 30 years and then helped to start a hospice in Chichester of which I was the medical director for four years before retiring in 1990. I still manage to play eighteen holes of golf twice a week on the downs by Goodwood racecourse, and that, with a spot of gardening and nine Grandchildren, keeps me going.

In 1942 I shared a study in Founders with Basil Hone (1940-43), who now lives in USA. We have kept in touch intermittently and a short while ago he sent me a booklet, which he had researched and published, about a remarkable uncle of his, Lt/Col P.F.Hone. This officer had won the DSO and bar and the MC and two bars in the Great War. On reading the book it transpired that Col. Hone's sister (Basil's aunt) had had a daughter who had married the brother of an aunt of mine by marriage. So, nearly seventy years after we had shared a study in the clock tower of Founders we have discovered that we are practically related!

News from John Mackenzie (1940-42)

What a surprise to receive an email from a friend of mine whom I have not seen nor heard of for over 42 years! I do not remember telling him that I was an OD, but this is how he found my email address...through the ODU. He emailed me last night.

We returned to live in Dorset, England in 2009. No more France after 16 years of living and working there! Many thanks for having put mauri hasa in contact with me after all these years!

From an ODs daughter:

Dear All

I would just like to thank you all and to say how much my Dad appreciated the birthday card you sent. It is a very thoughtful touch to remember the 'very old boys' in this way, especially the ones who are so far from South Africa now. The print of the School building has pride of place on his mantelpiece. I have grown up hearing the old stories such as 'going out to the Sahara' (meant just going to the far sports field?!) and the moving memory of the boys running out to watch the two teachers from England who set out immediately in 1939.

We have just heard of another little fellow in the family (sideways and up a bit on the family tree) who is to start at Bishops this year! Best wishes from a very cold Ireland for all at Bishops in 2011.

Karen Foreman, nee Lasbrey, daughter of Ian Lasbrey (1938-41)

Brian Robb (1938-43) writes: Many thanks to you and the OD Union for the lovely birthday card - what an excellent view of the old Chapel. We had a very pleasant luncheon party at home, with our two daughters, a grandson and young granddaughter, on the 15th; as to go out in the present arctic weather conditions would have been foolish. We have been covered in five inches of snow for nearly week, with a promise of more to come, and are sorry for travellers who have been unable to fly from Heathrow. Also we wonder whether our son and daughter-in-law who are due over here from Pietermaritzburg on Christmas Day will have their flight delayed.

Good luck for the Union in 2011.



Myke Ashley-Cooper (1951-59) writes:

Should any OD's find themselves in Tallahassee, the capital of Florida, for a few days, we have two spare en suite bedrooms (at no charge of course).

The ODU would like to thank Myke for the delightful picture, which he has recently donated to the ODU. It is on display in the main boardroom.

Message from Mike Muller (1960-65) mike@super-cube.co.za

Mike retired in April this year after + 20 years service with NBS/BoE/Nedbank in Pietermaritzburg. He is now living in Hilton and back on contract for 12 months with BoE Private Clients. He would welcome a call from any ODs in the area.



AWARDS

Congratulations to **Anthony Record (1952-56)** on the recognition he received at the 2010 Inyathelo Philanthropy Awards.

The Inyathelo Award for International Philanthropy to South Africa is a special award made this year at the discretion of The Awards Review Panel. This Award is specifically to recognise individuals outside South Africa who have shown leadership and innovation in using their personal

money to establish and support a community or social initiative in South Africa.

The 2010 Award honoured Anthony and Carole Record. Anthony, born in South Africa, but a British national and Carole, an American, recognised the critical situation of child-headed households and the growing numbers of orphans in South Africa.

As a contribution to addressing the challenges of orphan care, the Records established the Light from Africa Foundation and have since substantially funded the Foundation from their personal resources. Through the Foundation, Anthony and Carole are able to support two children's homes. However, recognising the need for long-term Foundation sustainability, as well as the social challenges presented by long-term unemployment, they started a ceramics initiative to generate funds for the Foundation. This studio, which produces and sells ceramic pieces, not only provides people with a skill and the dignity of work, but also gives these budding ceramicists the unparalleled joy of knowing that they are helping others while creating magnificent works of art and earning an income.



Greg Mills receives medal



Greg Mills & General Sir David Richards

News from **Greg Mills (1970-79)**

'I thought you might be interested in a rather unforeseen conclusion to our recent event on Stability Operations held at Tswalu in the Kalahari.

'At the customary group photo, I was entirely surprised to be presented with a medal by General Sir David Richards, the UK Chief of Defence Staff (pictured left apparently giving me a somewhat stern lecture in the process). His words were: "I have the privilege of presenting many medals but rarely to civilians. And even more rarely to civilians who have shown the same qualities of courage, resourcefulness, leadership and resilience that is expected of the Armed Forces. Today, I have the huge and rare privilege of doing just that. Dr Greg Mills is at heart a soldier with all the attributes I have just listed. On operations in Afghanistan, he proved to be an extremely brave and tough comrade in arms, earning great respect from all ranks. Greg, thank you for your contribution to our common cause. On behalf particularly of

your many military admirers, it gives me great pleasure to present you with this Afghanistan medal as a mark of COMISAF's deep respect and gratitude."

'I scarcely had any idea who he was talking about, but there you go.

Academic Achievement – A Stellenbosch University record. Medical student **Perry Loebenberg (1992-2004)** has recently graduated with 11 distinctions – the highest number for the programme in the university's history. Perry matriculated from Bishops in 2004.



Perry Loebenberg

The OD award for the best performance by an actor in a TV commercial goes to: Lindsay Madden (1962-71). The commercial was made on Sunday 22 August 2010 which was the weekend of his 40th Matric Reunion. 'It was a 05:00 start and twelve hours of filming converted into just 32 sec of fame' Many felt that the horse on loan from SA Riding for the Disabled was the real star!

<http://www.facebook.com/video/video.php?v=144299555617206>



*Basil Sgoutas
receiving
his award*

We were so pleased to hear from **Basil Sgoutas (1949-51)** who last September was elected Honorary Fellow of the South African Institute of Architects (SAIA). In fact Basil is the first non-South African to be made an honorary fellow. Basil was a Past President of the International Union of Architects (UIA).

'I am very much looking forward to coming to my next class reunion in two years' time. My other class (the one where I matriculated) does not seem to have any reunions!'

It is always a pleasure to hear from **Christopher 'Choppy' Bands (1987-90)** who writes:

I was very interested to see the expanded Roll of Honour in the March magazine (which has just found me in India). I was also pleased to see that the plaque, above the Chapel door, is to be cleaned. When I used to attend the early morning Eucharist in the Brooke Chapel, said at 0645hrs by the eccentric Fr. Bands, I always found my gaze resting on the memorial to Neville Rudd-Thompson with its epitaph *Qui Ante Diem Perit Sed Miles Sed Pro Patria*. I'd been interested in him since reading, in the Magazine, about his exploits as an athlete, winning the Victor Ludorum over the College students while he was still at School. And reading his exploits on the North West frontier, where he was killed by the Mohmund Tribesmen. As a product of RMC Sandhurst, as it was then called, who was killed in the Great War, his name is inscribed on a wall in the Memorial Chapel at RMA Sandhurst. (There are now nearly twenty- seven thousand names in the Chapel.) When I was an Officer Cadet at RMA Sandhurst I would always stay behind for a few minutes, after Chapel, and go and find Lt. N. Rudd-Thompson 21st (Empress of India's) Lancers. That connection, between his name on a Chapel wall in Surrey, and his name on a Chapel wall in Rondebosch, was a source of comfort for me. In that brief moment I could imagine myself back in the Brooke Chapel, and the yelling of the Colour Sergeants seemed no worse than Mr. Wilson's "encouragement" during Cadets. After all, Sandhurst was not so very different from life at Bishops!

Hope all is well in the fairest Cape, and please send my regards to the Old Guard.

PS **Alister Smuts (1980-90)** has just arrived in Bangalore for a visit. It's wonderful to see a

friendly face from home. I'm catching up on all the gossip, not least of which is that **Martin Bey (1978-90)** was coaxed back onto a Rugby field for the OD games!

A follow up!

Dear Tim,

Thanks for your email. I certainly hope that the year ahead is great; last year was particularly grueling. A person less suited to working in finance, than me, one would have to search long and hard to find. I sometimes think that the only reason I've stuck with this job is to thumb my nose at Betty Solomon and her endless taunts that I was a failure! On the other hand the only alternative occupation that has ever held any attraction for me is that of schoolmaster, but here's the rub: it would have had to have begun at least 50 years ago. Amateur club rugby, Stags tours, cold showers and sound beatings, none of this modern nonsense of student councils, learners, and educators. My HDE in 2000 was a head spinning experience. I'm sure you can imagine the nonsense that the academics spout about education. All they really want is for everyone to be dragged to the lowest common denominator and, presto! - we're all equal.

I was very surprised to read, in the last magazine that I received, that an OD was having a go at the Roll of Honour. As you know from my last email, I'm a big fan of the new format. I'm also a great believer in keeping the memory of those ODs alive. How many of today's Matrics realize or appreciate that the 112 ODs who died in the Great War were not very much older, than they (the Matrics) are now, when they sailed for Europe. It's one thing to go backpacking and drinking beer across the Continent and quite another to have someone dropping very large bombs on you.

I hope all is well at School and the Cape is still fair.

David Dugmore (1980-91) has written to say that he is back on his own, building and renovating – busy doing a job for a previous bishops boy, **Paolo Viotti (1970-81)**

'I am still running Tee2Pin Golf Club - we market affordable golf memberships through our website www.tee2pin.co.za – I would love to offer this to the Bishops Golfing community!

'My other project is my website www.passmatric.co.za – I am going to launch the full website in 2011 after a very successful beta phase of testing in 2010 – Looking for advertisers and sponsors'.

SPORT

The following two articles, featuring two of our most recent Rugby Internationals, may be of interest to ODs of all ages.

OFF THE RADAR

Where is **Stuart Abbott (1992-95)**

STUART ABBOTT PLAYED IN NINE TESTS FOR ENGLAND and was part of Clive Woodward's 2003 World Cup-winning squad, but things could have been different had Rudolf



Straeuli made more of an effort to bring the midfielder back to South Africa.

‘I chatted to Rudolf before that World Cup and he said I could play for the Emerging Boks and if I did well he’d consider picking me,’ recalls Abbott. ‘But he didn’t offer me a contract or give me any guarantees. Maybe I would have come home if he had - who knows - but I’d also just signed a new two-year deal with Wasps and wanted to honour it’.

Abbott left Cape Town in 2001 after a couple of frustrating seasons with Western Province and the Stormers, where his progress was blocked by the likes of **Robbie Fleck**, De Wet Barry and Braam van Straaten.

‘On the day I arrived in England it was pouring with rain, and I thought I’d made the biggest mistake of my life,’ says Abbott with a laugh. ‘Some people told me not to go but I signed an 18-month contract with Wasps and knew I could always come back if things didn’t work out. Six months after my arrival, Warren Gatland and Shaun Edwards joined the club and when Warren went back to New Zealand he was replaced by Ian McGeechan. We were very successful under those coaches’.

Abbott was part of a Wasps team that won the Premiership three times and the European Cup twice, and in 2003 he was called up to the England squad. ‘It was a shock, as I had only been in the country for 18 months,’ he says. ‘England had an established team at the time, but having seven or eight Wasps guys around helped me to settle in. ‘It did feel strange to pull on an England jersey for the first time (against Wales in a World Cup warm-up match in Cardiff) but I really wanted to play international rugby and they gave me that opportunity.’

Abbott started England’s World Cup pool games against Samoa and Uruguay, and came on as a substitute in the quarter-final against Wales. ‘It would have been an amazing experience even if we hadn’t won the World Cup but the fact that we did made it that much more special,’ says Abbott, whose winner’s medal is ‘somewhere in a cupboard’ at his new home in Green Point.

Abbott and his wife Megan (*above right*) returned to South Africa in July after getting

married in April and travelling through Europe and Asia for their honeymoon. ‘I had a great time in England, but all our friends and family are here so we were always going to come back,’ says Abbott. ‘A year ago, I started a digital entertainment business that provides mobile applications throughout South Africa. You can check us out at www.amobi.co.za.

‘It took me a while to get used to working a nine-to-five job; you don’t realise how good you have it as a rugby player until you’ve retired (which Abbott did in October 2007 after suffering a string of injuries). But I’m really enjoying this new chapter of my life and it’s great to have weekends off to go mountain biking or whatever else I feel like doing.’

Before returning to South Africa, Abbott was the backs coach at Rosslyn Park RFC (a third-division English club) and he’d like to stay involved in the game.

‘At this stage, I can only coach on a part-time basis because of work commitments, so coaching a schools team once a week would be ideal,’ he says. ‘At some point, though, I may get involved with a club side like UCT’.

Daniel Vickerman (1987-96) PLAYED IN 55 TESTS FOR AUSTRALIA.

‘Cambridge is cold. So cold it chills you to the bone. So cold that pitches freeze over, making play heavy and calling for a faster, harder style of rugby where night-time games are a matter of endurance. For an Aussie, used to hotter climes, that’s a culture shock. I started playing rugby at the age of seven and never really aimed towards a professional career. From school tournaments I progressed to professional provincial teams in South Africa and Australia, and finally to selection for the Australian National side, who I played for from 2002 to 2008.

Balancing sport and work is, of course, an important and ever-present issue. Michaelmas Term is particularly intense in the lead up to the Varsity Match and you just have to do what you need to do to get the job done, whether it be preparing for a supervision or attending a training session. In a way, having two focuses sharpens the mind. One provides relief for the other, making life a little easier. There’s no doubt that amateur rugby has a different feel to professional rugby. As a professional, rugby was my day job. I made some of my closest friends while playing full time, and the bonds that professional teams have are quite unique, but on a daily basis my routine was to do what needed to be done to play and win. Cambridge rugby is so much more well-rounded, which is refreshing, and it’s a privilege to play with a group of guys from such diverse backgrounds. The culture of the Cambridge team goes much further than the field, it’s a family atmosphere, a great bunch of guys who develop lifelong friendships, and being part of that is really very special. Whether amateur or professional, you’ve got to want to win. In the scrum you’re just in there pushing and pushing, you’re competing and you’ve got to want the victory. Inevitably the contest becomes personal but you’ve got to make sure that it doesn’t cloud your judgement or the common team goal. Keeping your composure is essential but sometimes hard to achieve. You’ve got to know where to draw the line in the sand: ultimately the game’s not about making yourself look good, it’s about the team. Last year’s Varsity victory was especially rewarding because, as team captain, I had seen what the guys put in to make the season work. Watching the team improve and gel together was very pleasing. After a season plagued by injuries we came together when it really mattered, fielding



our full side for the first time at Twickenham. We played as a team with the common goal of winning. The season's predominantly about the journey, following the plan and executing it to the best of our abilities, but the win topped it all off.

Selection was, for me, the hardest process last year and I don't envy the new captain, Jimmy Richards, the task this season. It's amazing to see the joy and relief of players who make the cut. Others have played all season with total commitment and then aren't chosen due to injury. The disappointment is unbearable. It's part of the captain's job, but my least favourite duty. Seeing the progress of the young guys was my favourite part. Watching them enjoy their rugby, make huge strides forward, achieve their goals and play to win was extremely rewarding. Being captain was a unique experience but I don't feel any sadness in passing the baton to Jimmy. The club is based on the principle that captaincy is one year long, you do your best, enjoy the

experience, and then someone else has a go. To be honest, not being captain won't change my role a lot: at the end of the day, I will play my best regardless, and I want to help make things go as well as possible. My hopes for the season are fairly straightforward.

We need to make sure we're in a good position to face challenges, we need to prepare well, working hard on and off the field, we need to focus on the details and make sure everything flows functionally. When all of that is put in place, the big things look after themselves. "



SPORTS AWARDS

Eric Lefson (1983-88) has let us know that he was present at the recent Western Cape Government Legends Awards ceremony and was proud to say that among the 40 recipients, there were three ODs.

We were delighted that our Patron, **Michael Watermeyer (1940-45)**, a former president of the SA Golf Union, seen here at the presentation with his wife Shirley (*pictured left*) and **Brian Lefson (1949-54)** were honoured for their services to golf.



Tim Noakes (1963-66) (*pictured right*) the world renowned sports scientist also received a sports legend award in recognition of his contribution to sport in South Africa and internationally.

ODs will be proud to hear that recently retired science teacher and long time master in charge of Athletics Kenny Williams (*staff 1982- 2010*) was also honoured for his services to gymnastics. Kenny was always very keen to introduce gymnastics at the college but the Sports Department never received sufficient budget for the equipment that was required for modern gymnastics.



Another high profile OD in charge of a Western Province sport is **Douglas McClure (1962-71)** (*pictured left*) the Chairman of Fencing, seen here at a recent awards ceremony.

Nick Leggatt (1980-84) and his co-skipper Phillippa Hutton-Squire have been preparing for the race of their lives; in September 2010 they set sail in their Class 40 yacht around the world in the Global Ocean Race. They prepared themselves and their boat in the UK. The Global Ocean Race will start from Palma, Mallorca, before stopping in Cape Town, Wellington, Punta del Este



*Nick and Pippa at
the finish*

and Charleston before returning to Palma eight months later! They are currently looking for corporate sponsors and can offer branding, audience engagement, hospitality and community initiatives. To find out more visit:

www.phesheya-racing.com or contact nickleggatt@gmail.com

Garath Hayden (1992-2000) and **James Plimsoll (1998-2007)** have been chosen for the South African touch rugby squad for the 2011 Touch Rugby World Cup in Scotland.

We would like to congratulate **Oliver Munnik (1993-2003)**. On the brink of a highly promising career as a multi-stage cross country specialist Oliver's professional prospects literally nose dived last year with a horrendous crash in the MTN cross country championship in Pietermaritzburg. He picked up a stress fracture of the T9 vertebrae and was laid up for four months. Oliver rehabbed



Oliver Munnik

in Italy and returned to South Africa at the end of the year. Basically you have to be crazy to career down a mountain on a bicycle but Oliver claims to have suffered no mental illness and was soon back in action in the Whales2Whales route, which he won at the inaugural event with great friend Eric Kleinhans. Oliver has not shelved plans to get to the top of the mountain biking tree and will compete in the national cross country series and the Pioneer and Cape Epic in 2011.

Gladwell Ndzube (1985-88) writes:

“At a recent ceremony the Gugulethu Athletics Club presented JL Zwane Support Group with a cheque for R3000. This was presented by Marshall Moiloa at a function at the church in Gugulethu. For the past three years the group have been beneficiaries of this support. The funds are generated from the proceeds of the annual RCS Gugs Reconciliation Race that takes place on the 16 December in Gugulethu. The club strives to give back to the community in every way possible. Our goal is to make sure that we become an integral part of our society both in keeping our community fit and helping out where we see fit. This we can only do with the support of our community and business people around us. We see our club as a vehicle to building bridges that have been broken down in the past. We can make it work by working together and making sure that we support such endeavours that seek to uplift our community. I urge you all to make the 16 December this year a date to remember, knowing that by participating in the Race you could be helping a needy child. This year we have added the scouts of Gugulethu as a second beneficiary of our proceeds. Thank you to everyone who has supported this worthy cause.”

John McInroy (1999-2000), WP van Zyl (1993-97), Lourens van Zyl (1996-2000) and **John McInroy** (three Redsockers) will be attempting to cycle from Cape Town to Durban in the 10 days before the Comrades, and then run the Comrades in memory of a Comrades hero Phil Masterton-Smith (nicknamed ‘Unogwaja’ which means hare in Zulu hence the name of the event ‘redsockfriday UNOGWAJA 2011)

Masterton-Smith became the youngest ever Comrades winner in 1931, aged 19, which still stands. In 1933 he couldn’t afford the train fare to PMB so he cycled there and was placed 10th in the race. In 1942 he died in the war. The SA Legion of War Veterans got in touch with John and put him in touch with the division Masterton-Smith fought under – the Natal Carbineers. The three redsockers plan to run the Comrades in the same colours of the Carbineers and the same colours that Masterton-Smith wore some 80 years back.

90 years after Vic Clapham first staged the Comrades Marathon, these three plus another will attempt to follow the footsteps of Phil Masterton-Smith’s epic biathlon challenge by cycling to Pietermaritzburg in nine days, and then take place in the ultimate human race, the Comrades. They will be completing a total distance of over 1820kms in the ten-day period (1730kms cycling and 89.1kms running) in order to raise money for Breast Cancer and the Sports Trust – www.pinkdrive.co.za . ODs are encouraged to give their support for this special event.

Match Report

ODs vs OAs – 30 January 2011

Johannesburg's annual cricketing showdown between the ODs and OAs, as organised by the Highveld's Mr Bishops, **Andrew Eaton (1983-92)**, has become a noted fixture on the OD calendar in recent years, so when the Cape Town incarnation of the game came around this year there was a somewhat belated effort to make a decent day of it. The Frank Reid was reserved, **Paul Faber (1977-86)** was commissioned to provide the spit braai and the swimming pool tag was secured after days of negotiations and the eventual signing away of the captain for the day's human liberties (it seemed). Health and safety regulations, I'm told.



OAs vs ODs cricket match

Come the day, the sun shone kindly and the OAs under Darryl Cooke (1990) arrived in good time, followed by an OD team representing the years 1992, 1995, 2003, 2004 and 2008.

We bowled first and were given a good start with accurate opening spells from **Justin Rhodes-Harrison (2000-2003)** and **Ricci Gerstner (1991-2004)**. The former picked up an early wicket, while the latter was un-



The victorious ODs team, from left to right, standing: Tim Richman, Shaun Bergoff, Justin Rhodes-Harrison, Craig Rhodes-Harrison, Simon Voigt, Ricci Gerstner, Richard Thompson, Brad McNamara, Simon Richman. Crouching: Greg Boyes, James Edwards



Craig Wilson Greg Boyes Andrew Campbell & Basil Bey

lucky to have a couple of catches go a-begging. **James** ‘Run-rate accelerator’ **Edwards (1991-95)** was then brought into the attack to open things up a bit with his dibbly dobbles, while **Simon Richman (1982-92)** rolled back the years at the other end and delivered indecipherable away-swingers that mostly bounced before the batsman. By drinks at 18 overs, the OAs had 91 for 1, with one opener having retired after bludgeoning his way to fifty.

Enter the ODs trumpcard, **Greg** ‘I played waterpolo in matric’ **Boyes (1983-95)** who delivered a devastating seven overs of accurate slow bowling, picking up three wickets for a parsimonious 16 runs and bringing us right back into the game. A tight spell and a wicket from **Craig Rhodes-Harrison (2004-2008)**, to go on the back of a ludicrously good direct-hit run out and some cheeky offspin from **Richard Thompson (2000-2004)** saw us through to the end, with OAs setting us 159 in 35 overs for victory.

In reply, the ODs galloped along to 70-odd for none inside eight overs, with Thompson – who it turns out is playing first league cricket for Pinelands – despatching boundaries to all parts. On his retirement though, our middle order decided to make something of a game of it by falling apart like hysterical schoolgirls at a Justin Bieber concert – though mention should be made of **Simon Voigt’s (1982-95)** monumental six over long on immediately prior to the collapse. At 105/6 it took a classy knock of 35 from Rhodes-Harrison J to guide us home, though the obstinate and unbeaten nine from Richman S deserves special mention as said batsman’s slowest and most responsible innings ever played.

After the game, players, families and several ODs enjoyed the fine spit braai and one or four beers at the Frank Reid pavilion to cap off a fine day out. Visitors include Paul Murray, Basil Bey, Craig Wilson and a very mangy dog that liked the look of the lamb on show.

Grateful thanks to the OD Union for sponsoring the event and particularly to Tim and Carolyn Hamilton-Smith, and Hayley Philander at Bishops, for all their efforts in helping to organise a great day out, which was enjoyed by all - even James Edwards who, it should probably be mentioned, went for 39 in four overs and then got four! Hopefully we’ll do it all again next year, with a little more warning so that we can get even more spectators down to the field.

Tim Richman

Many thanks Tim for successfully adding another event to the young ODs calendar.

TH-S

Congratulations to the following ODs

RUGBY

1. **JJ Gagliano (1991-2003)** on representing the United States Eagles on their End of year tour, United Kingdom, November 2010.
2. **François Louw (1996-2003)** on representing Vodacom Western Province in the 2010 ABSA Currie Cup Final.
3. **François Louw (1996-2003)** and **Nicholas Koster (2001-2007)** on representing the DHL Stormers in their pre-season warm up match vs Boland.
4. **Morgan Newman (2001-2004)** and **Martin Muller (1999-2006)** on making the Vodacom Cheetahs squad for the 2011 Super XV tournament.
5. **Roddy Grant (2000-02)** on being selected for the Scotland 'A' Squad for a match vs their Irish counterparts, the Irish Wolfhounds, at Netherdale, Galashiels on Friday, 28 January.
6. **Stuart Commings (2002-2006)** on representing the Northampton Saints in the 2010/11 English Domestic Season.
7. **Roddy Grant (2000-02)** on representing and Captaining Edinburgh rugby side in the 2010/11 Scottish Domestic Season.
8. **John Dobson (1973-86)** on being named the DHL Western Province Coach for the 2011 Vodacom Cup. **Robert Fleck (1989-93)** is the DHL Stormers back line coach.
9. **Dustin Jinka (1999-03)** on representing the Vodacom Bulls in their 2011 Super Rugby pre-season warm up matches.
10. **Gareth Hayden (1996-2000)**, **James Plimsoll (1998-2007)** and **Laine Alexander (1994-2007)** on being a part of the Tournament winning Western Province men's 'A' side that won the 2010 Boland Invitational touch rugby tournament.
11. **Mathew Turner (2002-06)** on representing the England Sevens squad during the 2010/11 HSBC World Sevens Series.
12. **Nizaam Carr (2006-09)** on representing a DHL Stormers XV in a practice match vs the FNB Maties, Riebeeck West, January 2011.

13. Peter Haw (2001-05), Adrian Kritzinger (2002-06), Sam Lane (2008-09), Paul Cohen (2005-09), Nicholas Fenton-Wells (2000-04), Wesley Chetty (2006) and Gregg Mallett (2003-08) on representing FNB UCT Ikeys in a practice match vs a DHL Stormers XV, Riebeeck West, January 2011.

14. Nicolas Fenton-Wells (2000-04) on being named Captain and **Adrian Kritzinger (2002-06)** Vice-Captain of the UCT Ikeys squad for the 2011 FNB Varsity Cup.

15. Nizaam Carr and Sam Lane (2008-09) on being selected for the South African Under 20 training squad for the upcoming IRB Under 20 World Championship.

16. Guy Whitfield (2001-10), Dillyn Leyds (2006-10) and Nathan Nel (2005-10) on being invited to attend the DHL Western Province Rugby Institute for 2011.

17. Ian Armstrong (1998-05) and Richard Stewart (2004-08) on representing the FNB UCT Ikeys 7's squad in the 2010 Universities 7's week at the NMMU George Campus, where they lost to FNB Maties in the Semi final.

18. Douglas Mallett (2003-07), Richard Stewart (2004-08) and Zandy MacDonald (2002-07) on representing the FNB UCT Ikeys 10s squad in the 2011 Cape Town Tens, at Hamiltons Rugby Club. **Antony Fenton-Wells (1997-01)** was the Coach of the team. UCT lost to Maties in the Final.

CRICKET

1. Michael Owen-Smith (1957-66) on being part of the Proteas management team as media officer for the home series vs India

2. Andrew Pycroft (1970-74) on being part of the Match referee panel for the Proteas last two series, away vs Pakistan, UAE November 2010 and home vs India, December/January 2010/11.

3. Herschelle Gibbs (1988-92) on representing the Northern Districts in the 2010/11 HRV Cup, New Zealand's domestic 20/20 tournament. Herschelle also continues to represent the Cobras in our local Pro20.

4. Craig Kieswetter (1993-2005) on representing the English Lions, on their tour of the West Indies, February – March 2011. The English Lions are the England 'A' side.

5. Adrian Holdstock (1988) on being a part of the Cricket South Africa First Class Umpiring panel for the 2010/11 season.

6. Siya Simetu (2008-09) on making his Jag Western Province One Day debut vs Griqualand West 19 December 2010.

7. Adeeb Joseph (2001-03) on being selected as part of the South African Universities squad that was chosen after the 2010 Universities week.

8. Nico Loizidies (2004-08) on captaining the UCT 1st XI during the 2010/11 cricket season.

GOLF

Chad Cruickshank (2003-06) captain, **David Edwards (2001-05)** and **Giles Hobday (1993-06)** on representing the UCT golf team in the 2010 University tournament and ending eighth overall out of 19 teams.

CYCLING

Oliver Munnik (1999-03) on coming 7th and **Ian McClarty (1997-2001)** 6th in the Cape Cobra Cycle Challenge, January 2011.

COLLEGE CALENDAR

2ND TERM 2011

<i>1-5 April</i>	1st XV Grey	PE Festival
<i>7-9 April</i>	U14a-U16a	WBHS Festival
<i>11 April</i>	<i>Term Starts</i>	
<i>15 April</i>	Hockey fixtures vs Paarl Gym	(home)
<i>16 April</i>	Rugby fixtures vs Paarl Gym	(home)
<i>20-25 April</i>	1st XV KES Festival	Johannesburg
<i>7 May</i>	Hockey fixtures vs Paarl Boys	(home)
<i>7 May</i>	Rugby fixtures vs Paarl Boys	(home)
<i>14 May</i>	Hockey fixtures vs DF Malan	(home)
<i>14 May</i>	Rugby fixtures vs Tygerberg	(home)
<i>21 May</i>	Hockey fixtures vs SACS	(home)
<i>21 May</i>	Rugby fixtures vs SACS	(home)
<i>28 May</i>	Hockey fixtures vs Settlers	(home)
<i>28 May</i>	Rugby fixtures vs Boland Landbou	(home)
<i>4 June</i>	Hockey fixtures vs WBHS	(away)
<i>4 June</i>	Rugby fixtures vs WBHS	(away)
<i>10 June</i>	150th Rugby dinner	(Kelvin)
<i>11 June</i>	Hockey fixtures vs RBHS	(home)
<i>11 June</i>	Rugby fixtures vs RBHS	(home)
<i>22 June</i>	<i>Term ends</i>	

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