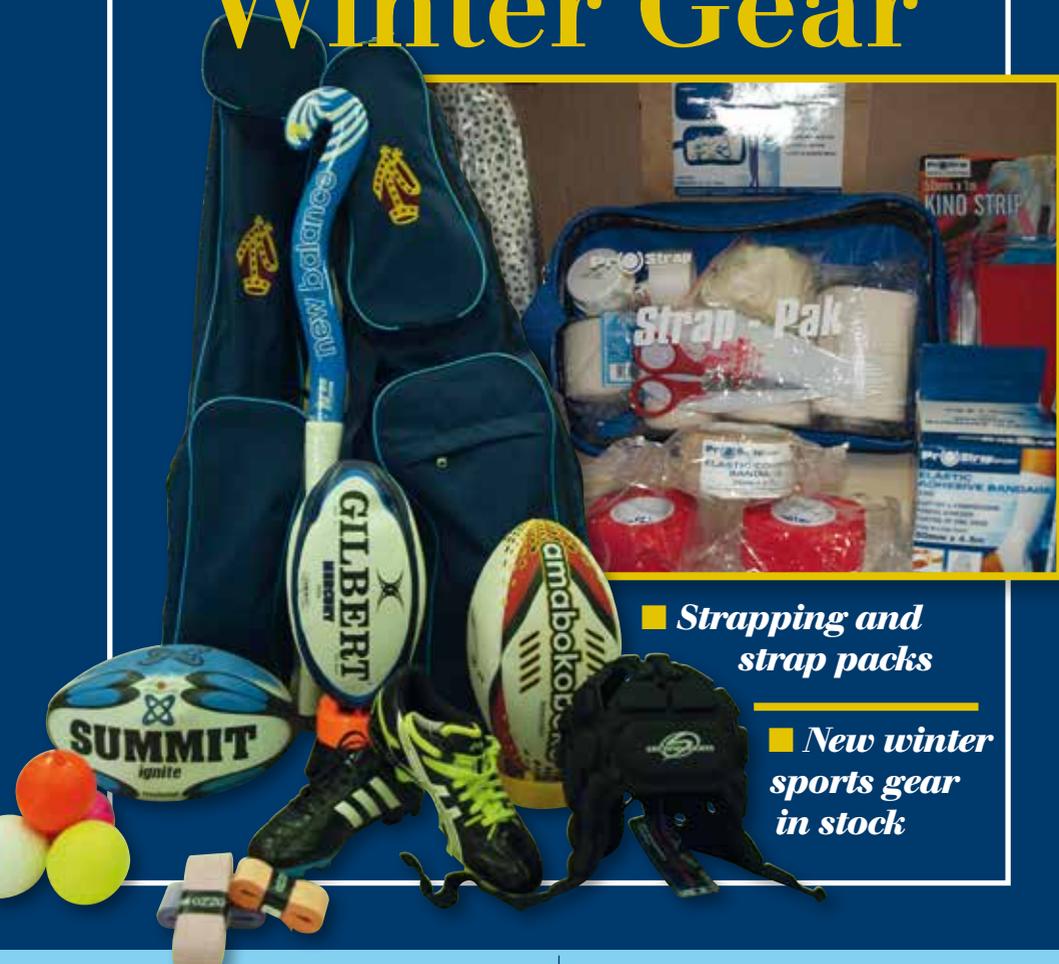


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## PRIZEGIVING 2014



### **HEADMASTER'S REPORT**

Chairman of Council, Mike Bosman, Principal, Guy Pearson, special guests, parents, staff and boys.

Thank you for joining us today as we celebrate a number of achievements and also reflect on the year. Today we will reward excellence on many fronts, but I know that there are many sitting here today who are still very good in their field but have, as it were, been beaten by someone else. One Maths prize means there are many others who nearly got it or assisted in driving up by the bar. But there are still others who might not be in the former category, but who have

their own personal victory to recount: the boy with learning difficulties who has had to work so hard to keep up, who now sits happily in a Grade 6 or 7 class; the boy who struggled to get into a mini-cricket side in Grade 3, but now enjoys being part of a team in Grade 7, B or D, it doesn't matter; then there are those boys who are still trying to manage some difficulty. Don't see our prize winners as better, but rather as confirmation that you will achieve your own excellence in time. Difficulty while growing up is not necessarily a bad thing; it forms character and prepares you for life.

I have a number of staffing changes to report: **Sue Johns** steps down as Assistant Housemaster of Brooke House after 10 years of committed and caring leadership. **Khwezi Mqomboti** will move from the same position in van der Bijl House to take over from her. **Steve Mendes** joined us in a Grade 5 post and has had a very successful year. He has been appointed to be the 2nd Assistant Housemaster of van der Bijl in 2015. **Sharlene Groom** joined us in a Grade 2 post at the start of the year and will now take over from Noell Andrews as Head of the Pre-Prep. She has enormous experience at Foundation Phase level both in teaching and management. While there was a great deal of competition for the post she was our preferred choice. **Ashleigh Osborne**, who has interned at the Pre-Prep for the last 4 years, will take her Grade 2 teaching position. I wish all these staff well as they take on new positions at the school in 2015.

Following on from this I must pay tribute

to **Noell Andrews** for her leadership of the Pre-Prep over the last 14 years. As I said at her farewell function, she has survived two Headmasters and three Principals which is no mean feat. Probably more than anyone before, Noell has defined and consolidated this leadership position. In a big school such as ours, a Pre-Prep can easily be forgotten and Noell has ensured that this is never allowed to happen. She has done a great deal to build teachers in their professional development, overseen the development of a new approach in the school regarding supporting boys with learning difficulties or delays, and created a stimulating and exciting campus. Above all she has been enormously caring and she leaves the Pre-Prep a very happy and nurturing place. She is taking early retirement and will move to an estate near Somerset West and I have no doubt that she will be busy with many new interests before long. Noell, we salute you for your years in teaching and, in particular, your years leading the Pre-Prep. Thank you. Go well.

The growth of the Music Department at the Pre-Prep and the continuing impracticality of a mobile library sharing space with the art room have reached a point where we simply have to expand the facilities at the Pre-Prep. We need a separate library and music room if we are to achieve our goals. We are at the planning stages with architects now and we hope that this project will have been implemented by the end of the year. Mrs Andrews has campaigned for this for a long time and I am sorry she will not experience its use – she will miss the building woes – but it will be part of her legacy. Another headache for Noell has been the Glebe land parking at the Grade R entrance – I am pleased to report that it is now likely that it will be paved – RBPS, UCT and us working together with the

City (five years).

**Mike Hampton** also leaves us at the end of the year after 8 years as Youth Pastor. He is something of a pioneer, being the first occupant of this position. He has very successfully created and consolidated this role to the extent that we can no longer do without it. Mike has shared himself with staff and boys in a very personal way, living his life of faith and presenting us with an uncomplicated but uplifting path of faith. As a few people have commented recently, he has showed us the fun in Christianity and, dare I say it, how cool it is to be a Christian. He moves to Common Ground Church to take on full time ministry. Thank you, Mike. God Bless.

We do send out results and achievements on a regular basis in the Prep Post and Pre-Prep newsletter, but I want to mention just a few highlights: In the Royal Schools Music Theory Examinations more than 50% of entrants were awarded a Distinction, while in the Practical 41 out of 90 achieved a Distinction and three Prep boys and one Pre-Prep boy performed in the Royal Schools Top Performers' Concert. Eighteen of our boys have been awarded Western Province colours in 8 sports or activities from cricket to chess. We recently received results from the Living Maths Olympiad: out of over 178 000 entries in the country 15 Pre-Prep boys achieved marks putting them 3rd in the country, two 2nd and two 1st, while at the Prep in the pairs section we had four 3rd places and two 2nd. **Drew Williams** and **Liam Foxcroft** in Grade 7 were placed 1st with a score of 100%. These achievements are truly exceptional but equally exciting is the level of participation. Being a slightly smaller school on average (75 a grade vs 100 in most Southern Suburbs schools) most of our boys will play more than one

sport a season. As a result as a school we field 4 teams in an age group on average and 6-8 at Grade 3 level and we often find it difficult to get fixtures for every team. Similarly 250 boys are learning a musical instrument at Prep and we offer 5 ensembles. One hundred and three boys participated in the Pre-Prep music concert a fortnight ago. I mention this to show the level of participation; it drives our top achievers, and it gives every boy the chance to succeed at his own level. One can never celebrate this too much and I think it is a very special feature of this school.

As you know we have been busy with the Independent Schools Quality Assurance process across the school this year. Feedback from parents, staff and boys at the Prep was overwhelmingly positive. Most importantly boys reported that they were happy at school and their parents and teachers concurred. 94-100% of all constituents indicated this. I do think that this a significant strength – happy boys do everything better. They might long for holidays and not want to return to school after a good break but they are happy here and we see them happy at school. The full report for the three sections of the school will soon be available – we are just waiting for final authority from our Assurance Agency. The process has been very good in terms of highlighting our strengths, thus confirming what we must continue with and what we can indeed celebrate. But similarly there are areas we need to re-explore and attempt to significantly improve on. Again these together with an action plan will appear in the final report. Overall the mentor was, and I quote, “enthralled by all there was on offer at the school” and impressed by a strong sense of the ethos of the school in all boys from Grade R to Grade 7.

One area that emerged as needing further

work and reflection was the issue of bullying. When prospective or new parents ask me if we have bullying at the school they are often surprised when I say, “yes”. Everyone would like there to be no bullying at schools, but the reality is that there is bullying at schools across the world and there is a huge body of research and commentary on the phenomenon. The national norm in IQAA surveys across the country is 20% of respondents reporting bullying at their schools. We do however have a zero-tolerance policy on bullying. Sadly though this does not eradicate bullying, rather we have to have an ongoing process of education and follow up on all reports of bullying. We all know that bullies are not confined to the school playground; they exist at all ages in all situations from the work place to the extended family. Social development is a large part of what a boy is at school for and social dynamics are quite complex: often what is termed bullying can be a one off comment or friendship changes and so on. But our aim is to teach boys and bring them to the realisation that there is no place for bullies in the world, no-one should have to accept being bullied and the most difficult part, that boys should stand up for each other, in particular, for the boy suffering at the hands of another. We have given serious thought to our anti-bullying policy and have decided to re-launch it in the course of the first term. We will use an outside agency to run workshops with boys and staff and will hold a special meeting with parents. Housemasters and Heads of Houses will be very involved and there will be a number of other new ways in which to conscientise our boys and signal our non-acceptance of bullying. You will hear more about this next year.

This is an exciting place to work. A teacher’s

life is never boring and one can never predict a day's happenings with absolute certainty. Where else do you get to see 140 boys in a combined Prep and College choir aged 9-18 singing Ave Maria accompanied by a full orchestra in the City Hall at the Classic Pops; the Beach Boys, Temptations and the Beatles all in one night at the Prep Revue and possibly the most memorable, at the Grade R Nativity concert a slave berating the 2nd King volubly and openly because the King spoke too loudly? There are many such wonderful moments. Of course they represent the tip of the iceberg of all the work done by our staff (academic, admin and support). They make all this happen. Thank you.

Thank you too to you as parents for your support. The more a school such as this offers, the more parental support is needed and you provide it. This is very apparent in the Parents' Association Committee led by Andrew Selby. And for all of you to spend a freezing cold, sopping wet night at the Country Fair was extremely noble. Thank you.

Well done, boys, on your achievements at any and all levels this year. I want to

commend our Grade 7s on a good year – I have seen your reports and they are generally very good, so well done.

I add my congratulations to that of the Houses to Heads of Houses (**Tom Liefeldt, Nic Catell, Murray Gordon and Wesley Holtmann**) and your Deputies. A special word for our 2014 Head Boy: **Murray Gordon**. Murray has been a natural, representing the school on many occasions, setting an example to all boys from Grade 3-7. Perhaps the best compliment came from our Quality Assurance mentor whom Murray took on an hour long tour of the school at the end of the 3rd term – “He was most hospitable and a fine example of a boy from Bishops.” Well done, Murray.

I want to thank Mike Bosman and Council, Guy Pearson, Sean King and Vernon Wood on the School Executive for their guidance and support as well as the Prep Executive members, Rob Riches, Chris Groom and Noell Andrews; also Alison Cunnold and my wife Lynne, for their personal support. I value being part of such a great school. Thank you.

*Greg Brown*

## 2015 LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

<b>BRAMLEY</b>	<b>Deputy Head of House</b>	Rohan Naidoo	
	<b>Deputy Head of House</b>	Jonty Wright	
	<b>Head of House</b>	Mitchell Laberte	
<b>BROOKE</b>	<b>Deputy Head of House</b>	Caleb Oliphant	
	<b>Deputy Head of House</b>	Jordan Watson	
	<b>Head of House</b>	Timothy Kotze	
<b>CHARLTON</b>	<b>Deputy Head of House</b>	Ben Cheminais	
	<b>Deputy Head of House</b>	Sam Hanssen	
	<b>Head of House</b>	Jock Buchanan	
<b>VAN DER BIJL</b>	<b>Deputy Head of House</b>	Sacha Feinberg	
	<b>Deputy Head of House</b>	Laurence Masha	
	<b>Head of House</b>	Sebastian Allison	
<b>HEAD BOY</b>		Jock Buchanan	

# Prizegiving 2014

## PRIZE LIST 2014

<b>GRADE 4</b>	<b>Class Prize:</b>	4J	Matthew Tripe
		4G	Daniel Holgate
		4L	Schylar van der Westhuizen
<b>Second in Class Prize:</b>		4J	Aidin Nortje
			Christopher Scheepers
		4G	Zain Dawood
		4L	Bruce Campbell
<b>GRADE 5</b>	<b>Class Prize:</b>	5G	Anton Coutts-Trotter
		5D	Jock Buchanan
		5S	Jonathan Mopp
<b>Second in Class Prize:</b>		5G	Ben Cheminais
		5D	Maximillian Wolfson
		5S	Sebastian Allison
<b>GRADE 6</b>	<b>Class Prize:</b>	6A	Wesley Holtmann
		6C	Liam Foxcroft
		6F	Euan Musselwhite
<b>Second in Class Prize:</b>		6A	Jonathan Bird
		6C	Francois Breytenbach
		6F	Thomas Liefeldt
<b>GRADE 7</b>	<b>Class Prize:</b>	7C	Timothy Sharples
		7M	Brandon Snider
		7T	Jonathan Greyling
<b>Second in Class Prize:</b>		7C	Michael Wilson-Trollip
		7M	Christopher Kotze
		7T	Nivar Rajoo

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### SCHOLARSHIPS TO COLLEGE:

<b>Bishops Scholarship</b>	Brandon Snider
<b>English Scholarship</b>	Joshua Mol
<b>Science Scholarship</b>	Christopher Kotze
<b>General Scholarship</b>	Okuhle Minyi
<b>Music Scholarship</b>	Michael Wilson-Trollip

<b>ENGLISH</b>	Majorie Blinkhorn Prize	Euan Musselwhite
<b>MATHEMATICS</b>		Liam Foxcroft
<b>SCIENCE</b>		Liam Foxcroft
<b>AFRIKAANS</b>		Euan Musselwhite
<b>XHOSA</b>		Mbongeni Mavuso
<b>SOCIAL SCIENCES</b>		Euan Musselwhite / Liam Foxcroft
<b>GENERAL KNOWLEDGE</b>	<b>Senior</b>	Harry Gilson
	<b>Junior</b>	Zain Dawood Sebastian Sturrock
<b>ART</b>	<b>Grade 3</b>	Kayan Jaga
	<b>Grade 4</b>	Murrough Epstein
	<b>Grade 5</b>	Ebrahiem Abrahams
	<b>Grade 6</b>	David Boyes / Tim Kotze
	<b>Grade 7</b>	Tristan Turner
<b>COMPUTER</b>	<b>Senior</b>	Dominic Beaumont
	<b>Intermediate</b>	Matthew Petit
<b>DESIGN TECHNOLOGY</b>	<b>Grade 3</b>	Kayan Jaga
	<b>Grade 4</b>	Jack Ryan
	<b>Grade 5</b>	Luke Solomons
	<b>Grade 6</b>	Connor Dempers
	<b>Grade 7</b>	Tristan Turner
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<b>Getrude Peters Essay Prize</b>		Liam Foxcroft
<b>Creative Writing Prize</b>		Thomas Liefeldt
<b>Masey Environmental Prize</b>		Wesley Holtmann
<b>Doug Clarke Reading Trophy</b>		Euan Musselwhite
<b>Heather Donnelly Trophy for Public Speaking</b>		Euan Musselwhite

**MUSIC**

<b>Piano</b>	<b>Senior</b>	Francois Breytenbach
	<b>Junior</b>	Peter Njoroge
<b>String</b>	<b>Senior</b>	Leo Gevisser
	<b>Junior</b>	Oscar Baum
<b>Guitar</b>		Liam Orpen
<b>Woodwind</b>	<b>Senior</b>	Karl Weinert
	<b>Junior</b>	Peter Njoroge
<b>Brass</b>	<b>Senior</b>	Nathan Scott
	<b>Junior</b>	Ethan Topat
<b>Drums</b>		Liam Foxcroft
<b>Vocal</b>	<b>Senior</b>	Nathan Scott
	<b>Junior</b>	Ethan Topat
<b>Wind band</b>		Nathan Scott
<b>Choir</b>		Nathan Scott
<b>Marimba Band</b>		Dominic Beaumont
<b>Performer's Prize</b>	<b>Piano and Cello</b>	Francois Breytenbach
	<b>Violin</b>	Leo Gevisser
<b>Service to Music</b>		Nathan Scott

**SPORT**

<b>Service to Cricket</b>	James Howard/Michael van der Merwe
<b>Cricket Cup</b>	Jono Bird
<b>Brad Gornall Rugby Cup</b>	Michael van der Merwe
<b>Hockey Cup</b>	Michael van der Merwe
<b>Water polo Cup</b>	Ryan Sneddon

<b>Bishops Prep Music Prize</b>	Francois Breytenbach
	Nathan Scott
<b>Sheila Wolfe Prize for Chivalry</b>	Shaun O'Brien
<b>Headmasters Award</b>	Murray Gordon
<b>Craig Brown Memorial Trophy</b>	Brice Agnew
<b>All-Rounder's Award</b>	Ross Hyne
<b>GC Charlton Prize for Sport</b>	Jono Bird
<b>Pieter van der Bijl Prize for Excellence</b>	Jono Bird

## PRIZE GIVING CITATIONS

### BISHOPS PREP MUSIC PRIZE

Shared this year between **Francois Breytenbach** and **Nathan Scott**.

**Francois Breytenbach** is a recipient of the Bishops Music Scholarship; he participated in 3 National Music Competitions as a pianist; he achieved Distinction in his ABRSM Grade 4 Cello and reached Grade 5 in his Music Theory Qualification; he performed in the Cape Town and Afrikaans Eisteddfod receiving Honours and Diplomas. He received this award for his outstanding achievement and contribution to the Bishops Prep Music Department throughout his Prep career.

**Nathan Scott** is a recipient of the John Selfe Choral Music Scholarship to Bishops; he has achieved Grade 4 Singing with Distinction in the ABRSM exams and Grade 4 Cornet with Distinction; he reached Grade 3 Theory with Distinction; he performed in the Cape Town Eisteddfod and is the recipient of numerous Diplomas in the Vocal Section; he is the recipient of a Gold Medal and 2 Diplomas at the Afrikaans Eisteddfod in the Brass Section. He received this award for his outstanding achievement and contribution to the Bishops Prep Music Department throughout his Prep career.

### HEADMASTER'S AWARD

Awarded to **Murray Gordon** for his leadership and commitment to the school. He displayed admirable and very capable leadership as Head Boy of the Prep and Head of van der Bijl House and as a leading member of the Junior Students Council. He was a member of the U13A hockey side, participated in tennis and athletics and was the U13A cricket team's scorer. He is a member of the Marimba Band. He performed in the Prep Musical Revue and took part in the Inter-House debating in

which he won the Best Speaker award. He has led by example, intelligently and passionately and in an unassuming manner.

### SHEILA WOLFE PRIZE FOR CHIVALRY

Presented to **Shaun O'Brien** for politeness and helpfulness to all.

### CRAIG BROWN MEMORIAL TROPHY

**Craig Brown** was a pupil at Bishops from Gr R to 7 who died in his Grade 7 year at the age of 13 of multiple brain tumours. He was a strong individual, with a keen sense of justice; a boy who would take a stand even when it was not popular and he showed much courage in the face of adversity. His parents donated this trophy to the school in Craig's memory to acknowledge boys who displayed similar characteristics. The award for 2014 was presented to **Brice Agnew** for his determination and positivity in the face of personal difficulty, which he overcame, and who is considered an example to all.

### GD CHARLTON PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE IN SPORT

**Jono Bird** has represented the school at first team level in rugby, cricket, tennis and athletics. He was Captain of Cricket this year. He received his Provincial Colours for cricket and tennis being selected for both codes at Provincial A team level. He was also selected as Captain of the Province cricket team.

### ALL ROUNDERS' AWARD

This award, donated by **Mike Bromfield**, is presented to a boy who has a high level of achievement and participation in academic, sport and cultural activities. The recipient of the award was **Ross Hyne**. He achieved an 83% year aggregate; played 1st team cricket, rugby, and hockey; represented the school in Athletics, Cross

Country and Swimming; played in the Wind band and was a member of the Grade 7 Tour Ensemble. He plays the Clarinet, in which he has achieved Grade 3 level with distinction, and the Piano, reaching Grade 2 with distinction. He was Deputy Head of Brooke House and Captain of Athletics. He took part in the Prep Musical Revue.

### PIETER VAN DER BIJL PRIZE FOR EXCELLENCE

**Jono Bird** received the award for his outstanding achievements in Cricket. This year he scored a total of 1486 runs for his school at an average of 82.6. This included 4 centuries, 6 fifties and a double hundred of 206 not out against WPPS. He also scored a double century in a House match. He took 16 wickets and has captained the team with distinction. During his years at the Prep from U10 to U13 he has made an incredible 20 centuries and passed 1000 runs in consecutive calendar years.

### LEAVERS' DINNER – 29 NOVEMBER 2014: HEADMASTER'S SPEECH

Welcome to all parents, staff and their partners. Thank you that so many of you are here. Welcome to our special guests; Guy and Maree Pearson here for the first time, Vernon and Betty Ann Wood, Father Terry and Rosemary Wilke, Noell and Donny Andrews – Noell is retiring at the end of the year and we wish her well. Ina and Steyn Fourie – they taught at the school from 1974. Steyn was Charlton Housemaster for a number of years and the bench in the corner of Stanmore field was donated by them. They are Afrikaans teaching legends. “Lankie Plankie” was Steyn’s weapon of choice when pupils were out of line. Some of your fathers here might remember them and maybe even “Lankie Plankie”.

And then the Leavers 2014. That time has come. All you have left is the Grade 7 Camp, Prizegiving and you’re on your way. You have

received your Leaver’s tie – I hope you’ve put it on – please wear it to Prizegiving next week. And I hope you will wear it on Fridays from next year. I do see lots of our Prep boys doing that this year at College.

Thank you to your parents. Under Belinda Gordon, the organising committee and so many others, have put in months of work. The Mallet Centre looks amazing or as the boys would say, awesome.

In August 2014 I was about to go on long leave, but I was urged to speak to the Grade 6s who were behaving impossibly; not listening properly, instructions had to be repeated and so on. So I did, laying down the law about what was expected (as only teachers and parents can do). And I said to them – and I meant it – if their behaviour did not improve I could not risk taking them to Natal for 10 days in 2014. But in June 2014 they spent 9 nights in Kwazulu-Natal on the Grade 7 Tour. And the compliments came from host families and teachers on our boys’ behaviour, their manners and how positively they engaged with their hosts.

So you came up trumps and have had a good year. We have seen growth and positive development in each and every one of you. There have been tough moments at times and you have let yourselves and others down at times but I have also seen the great support that you have often given each other and younger boys at the school. Grade 7s vote each year for the best fellow shown in the grade – the Williamson Trophy – and this year **Andrew Rackstraw** is the winner. Well done, Andrew.

I want to congratulate your Head Boy, **Murray Gordon**. He has set a great example throughout the year in his appearance, support for others, representing us so well in speaking at schools on tour and being a voice of quiet reason on the SRC. He has done all this very naturally and unassumingly. Well done, Murray, and thank you.

I want to speak about the subway between us and College. I know it's a bit bizarre as a subject. But generally it is in a good condition and has been really clean and neat over the last few months. I have bumped into the workers responsible: there are mainly two, a woman and a man. I have greeted and complimented them on their job and how well they do it. A few weeks ago I heard the woman saying to the man, "If you give to others the Lord will bless you". And then she went on to talk about how some people are greedy and selfish, why would they want to be like that, what good is there in being like that. I couldn't get this out of my head and I couldn't work out why. Many, many have said it in different ways from the greatest philosophers to poets to Jesus, "do unto others as you would have them do unto you", "love your neighbour as yourself". It is a very ordinary, simple job – cleaning – and they were doing it so well: if not we would complain. Do we notice these people? Are they important? Do we just walk past them working with no thought for who they are? Here's someone with a very simple job in life making a profound statement with such passion and sincerity. It was very important to her and it was obvious she wanted her colleague to know and understand. How easily do we listen to important, very successful people but fail to hear the ordinary. The star, the popular versus the less so in society and amongst our peers. Do we make time for the lesser? And what is giving? How much does she have to give? Food or money, she probably would share some. But more important, giving is really in time and effort, kindness, caring and looking out for the underdog. Are we generous in spirit, wanting others to be happy? Do we build each other up or not care, or secretly hope others will be unsuccessful?

This is what we have been trying to teach you for the last five years – a thread running through the maths, the cricket training, music lessons, history

and geography, EarlyAct and much more.

Give, give of yourself, give your best, give in every and whatever way you can.

There is a word in Xhosa, "ubuntu". Archbishop Tutu says it is difficult to translate in Western terms. His explanation is, "My humanity is caught up, inextricably bound up, in what is yours." People are people because of others. What we do for others and with others makes us who we are. We can't be fully ourselves if we disregard the other.

Keep on at it as you go on from here, as your options increase, as the world becomes bigger, increasingly exciting but also increasing challenging.

Give ... and the Lord will Bless you and you will make a real difference.

So you are ready to go on now.

I cannot control **Jordan Osman's** hair anymore (although his latest haircut is his best ever).

Some of your shorts are ridiculously short.

**Jack Payne** is getting ridiculously tall and Mr Mitchell and Mr De Sousa feel threatened.

**Freddy Davis** and **Peter Worthington-Smith** are finally dressing neatly and must go before bad habits re-surface and you slip into old ways.

Too many voices are breaking and we need more trebles in the choir.

**Matt Davies** and **Andrew Bassett's** hairstyles are too much like College ones now.

Rossall field is just too small.

You are ready. I wish you well as you move on, take our hopes with you, we will follow your progress with great interest wanting only the very best for each and every one of you. May you follow in the footsteps of Christ, humbly and courageously. Thank you.

*Greg Brown*

## WILDLIFE CLUB

The audio-visual presentation, *Spiders of the Western Cape*, by Eathen Ellis, 6M, was very informative and enjoyed by all. Well done to

all the committee members who participated in the World Environment Day Assembly. The school was reminded about the importance of reducing waste on our planet and not to litter the environment. The Mom and Son's camp at Waterfal, near Porterville, was oversubscribed, but enjoyed by many. Sadly, one of our Grade 3s fell while climbing down a ladder on the Waterfall Hike and suffered a very serious injury which required neuro-surgery. Thankfully, at the time of writing, he is making a good and steady recovery.

Tom Campbell and Tina Sheard once again did a great job leading the singing at the campfire concert. Cameron Good, our club chairman, gave members an interesting account of his investigation into the nocturnal creatures visiting the Steenberg Estate, in Tokai. Thank you very much to all club members who sold cake and candy to raise R5560 for animal charities in Cape Town. Your commitment to this worthy cause is most commendable.

*Keith Griffiths*

## VALETE 2014

Adams, Danielle  
 Aneca-Human, Kian  
 Crosthwaite-Eyre, Archie  
 Greager, Simon  
 Horstmann, Riley

Manus, Jody  
 Mawela, Motheo  
 Ngxangana, Thithiba  
 Tyers, Hudson  
 Urquhart, Kieran

Urquhart, Shane  
 Van Der Colff, Timoth  
 Vumazonke, Athenkosi  
 Wolfson, Zac

## SALVETE 2015

### Grade R

Anderson, Callum  
 William Arnold,  
 Muhammad  
 Badroodien, Hamaad  
 Bailes, Sean  
 Bestel, Luc Marcel  
 Brink, David Arend  
 Brunton, Tristan  
 Cable, Daniel Lance  
 Campbell, Warrick  
 Chan, Enoch  
 Chahwahwa, Kudaishe  
 Constant, Nathan  
 Dalling, Nicholas  
 D'alesio, Claudio  
 Davies, Max  
 Doel, Benjamin  
 Dutton, Harry  
 Edwards, Aidan  
 Estcourt, Jock  
 Francis, Connor  
 Gibbs, Samuel  
 Graaff, Campbell  
 Hawes, Connor  
 Henry, Nicholas

Horrell, Alexander  
 Horton, Jonathan  
 Jean, Connor  
 Jenman, Thomas  
 Jonker, Cameron  
 Joseph, Mogamat S  
 Joubert, Tristan  
 Khan, Mohammed  
 Sarfaraz  
 Kilpin, Thomas  
 Kleynhans, Alex  
 Lascaris, Thomas  
 Lesbirel, James  
 Lind, Keanin  
 Love, Alexander  
 Macnaughton, William  
 Maltz, Stirling  
 Mills, Joshua  
 Mphepya, Phegello  
 Mynhardt, Andrea  
 Nogantshi, Cwenga  
 Osler, Jonty  
 Patel, Arman  
 Perold, Daniel  
 Pettit, Harrison  
 Pfaff, Frederick

Pillay, Kaleb  
 Pironi, Attilio  
 Ramjee, Shivam  
 Rinquest, Deen  
 Rolfe, Joshua Jack  
 Salie Mark, Iqsaan  
 Scholtz, Julian  
 Shaboodien, Zaydaan  
 Sides, Cuan  
 Spaun, Benjamin  
 Tanfield, Tommy  
 Thomson, Luke  
 Townshend, Arthur  
 Traut, Luke  
 Turner, Travis  
 Velosa, Joshua  
 Viljoen, Jack  
 Warner, Max  
 Warren, James  
 Welsh, Nicholas  
 Williams, Travis

### Grade 1-7

Aberdein, Luke  
 Bayly, Francis  
 Botha, Devan

Boustead, James  
 Bury, Sam (2014)  
 Cassiem, Mustapha  
 Claassen, Nicholas  
 Farmer, Dominic  
 Fussell, Mitchell (2014)  
 Greenberg, Jake (2014)  
 Handley, David  
 Handley, Robert  
 Heyns, Zac  
 Kakaza, Lihle  
 Marcopoulos, Johnny  
 Molyneux, Max (2014)  
 Moolman, (2014)  
 Moolman, Joshua  
 Mynhardt, Lucca  
 Nayar, Arun  
 Ngcwangu, Uzoma  
 (Returning)  
 Phillips, Jacob (2014)  
 Schuurmans-Stekhoven,  
 Michael  
 Smith, Hayden (2014)  
 Swartz, Seth  
 Wagener, Fouke



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## ATHLETICS

**Captain:** Ross Hyne

**Vice Captain:** Matthew Lemmett

During the fourth term of 2014 our athletics season is very low key and only two small events take place. We prepared for the Annual Rhenish Primary School Foundation Phase Athletics Meeting (23 October) and the Paarl

Boys' Athletics Pentangular (28 October).

### Rhenish Primary School Foundation Phase Athletics Meeting

The boys participated in sprints, with two heats of five each per age group, for a total of ten runners. All ten runners were timed and the three fastest times were awarded certificates.

The following positions were obtained:

U7	<b>1. R. Piorkowski</b>	60m: 5th in heat. 80m: 4th in heat
	<b>2. C. Mushonga</b>	60m: 5th in heat. 80m 3rd in heat
U8	<b>1. A. Muir</b>	60m: 1st in heat and 1st overall. 80m: 1st in heat and 1st overall
	<b>2. A. Constant</b>	60m: 1st in heat and 2nd overall. 80m: 1st in heat and 2nd overall
U9	<b>1. E. Probert</b>	60m: 4th in heat. 80m: 4th in heat. 100m: 2nd in heat and 2nd overall
	<b>2.C. Jenman</b>	60m: 2nd in heat. 80m: 3rd in heat. 100m: 3rd in heat
U10	<b>1. J. Ryan</b>	80m: 2nd in heat. 100m: 1st in heat and 1st overall
	<b>2. R. de Klerk</b>	80m: 1st in heat and 1st overall. 100m: 1st in heat
80m Relay:	<b>U7: R. Piorkowski; U8: A. Muir; U9: E. Probert; U10: J. Ryan</b>	
	<i>Bishops was placed 2nd.</i>	

### Paarl Boys' Pentangular (Bishops; Paarl Boys'; SACS; Wynberg and Rondebosch)

Bishops boys outdid themselves at this meeting with fantastic and courageous performances by all.

U7	80 m	<b>Rowan Piorkowski</b>	3rd in heat and 3rd overall fastest time (12.78).
	80 m	<b>Cayden Mushonga</b>	4th in heat
U8	80 m	<b>Arran Muir</b>	3rd in heat
	80 m	<b>Adam Constant</b>	5th in heat
U9	80 m	<b>Ethan Probert</b>	3rd in heat and 4th overall fastest time (12.00)
	80 m	<b>Callum Jenman</b>	3rd in heat
7-9	6 x 80 m relay	<b>AS ABOVE</b>	4th ( time not recorded )
U10	800 m	<b>Ben MacFarlaine</b>	2nd ( 2:42.51 )
	400 m	<b>Dylan Krause</b>	1st ( 1:09.60 )
	200 m	<b>Reyne de Klerk</b>	1st (NR 30.54) old record: 30.84
	100 m	<b>Daniel Neuhoff</b>	4th ( time not recorded )
	4 x 100 m relay	<b>1. Daniel Neuhoff</b>	1st (NR 58.4) old record: 58.6
		<b>2. Dylan Krause</b>	
		<b>3. Ben MacFarlaine</b>	
		<b>4. Reyne de Klerk</b>	
U11	800 m	<b>Josh Lander</b>	3rd ( 2:37.32 )
	400 m	<b>Imad Khan</b>	3rd ( 1:09.07 )
	200 m	<b>Liam Harrison</b>	2nd ( 28.91 )
	100 m	<b>Bruce Campbell</b>	2nd ( 13.64 )

<b>U11</b>	<i>4 x 100 m relay</i>	<b>1. Liam Harrison</b> <b>2. Imad Khan</b> <b>3. Josh Lander</b> <b>4. Bruce Campbell</b>	<i>3rd ( 57.62 )</i>
<b>U12</b>	<i>800 m</i> <i>400 m</i> <i>200 m</i> <i>100 m</i> <i>4 x 100 m relay</i>	<b>Jordan Watson</b> <b>Jock Buchanan</b> <b>Caleb Oliphant</b> <b>Mas-ood Meyer</b> <b>1. Caleb Oliphant</b> <b>2. Jock Buchanan</b> <b>3. Jordan Watson</b> <b>4. Mas-ood Meyer</b>	<i>2nd ( 2:33.72 )</i> <i>1st ( 1:03.79 )</i> <i>1st ( NR 26.93 ) old record: 27.5</i> <i>1st ( 13.21 )</i> <i>1st ( 55.03 )</i>
<b>U13</b>	<i>800 m</i> <i>400 m</i> <i>200 m</i> <i>100 m</i> <i>4 x 100 m relay</i>	<b>Sam Elliott</b> <b>Ross Hyne</b> <b>Matthew Lennett</b> <b>Ross Tudhope</b> <b>1. Matthew Lennett</b> <b>2. Ross Tudhope</b> <b>3. Sam Elliott</b> <b>4. Ross Hyne</b>	<i>2nd ( 2: 28.16 )</i> <i>1st ( 58,98 )</i> <i>5th ( time not recorded )</i> <i>3rd ( 13.36 )</i> <i>4th ( time not recorded )</i>

**TOTAL MEDALS: 18****Gold: 8****Silver: 5****Bronze: 5*****NB: 3 New records  
were set by Bishops.****Clayton Turner**Paarl Medal winners*

**BISHOPS PREP CRICKET RESULTS TERM 4 2014****20 OCTOBER TO 25 OCTOBER***Under 13A vs SACS*

SACS 131/10 (M Kanigowski 3/23)

Bishops 112/10 (R Tudhope 26\*)

**SACS won by 19 runs***Under 13A vs Green Point CC*

Bishops 145/6 (J Howard 41, R Hyne 31, M Wesson 24)

Green Point 125/10 (M Kanigowski 3/14, J Bird 3/18, M Lennett 3/29)

**Bishops won by 20 runs***Under 13B vs SACS*

Bishops 65/10 (S Marquis 30)

SACS 66/3

**SACS won by 7 wickets***Under 13B vs SACS*

SACS 185/10 (R Butler 4 wkts)

Bishops 135/10 (J Koster 30)

**SACS won by 50 runs***Under 13C vs SACS*

SACS 102/6

Bishops 17/10

**SACS won by 85 runs***Under 13D vs SACS*

Bishops 98/10 (T Le Fleur 38)

SACS 61/10 (N Christodoulou 2 wkts, J Brasher 2 wkts)

**Bishops won by 37 runs***Under 12A vs SACS*

SACS 120/10 (S Stevens 5/12)

Bishops 83/10 (S Stevens 25, S Hanssen 20)

**SACS won by 37 runs***Under 12A vs SACS*

SACS 81/10

Bishops 51/10

**SACS won by 30 runs***Under 12B vs SACS*

SACS 103/2

Bishops 104/4 (Sinha 36, Liddell 35\*)

**Bishops won by 6 wickets***Under 12C vs SACS*

Bishops 99/9 (M Fussell 36, Z Ahmed 24, M Meyer 24)

SACS 100/6 (R Else 3/24, A Suliaman 2/0)

**SACS won by 4 wickets***Under 12D vs SACS*

Bishops 76/4 (H Gilson 25\*, M Wolfson 11\*)

SACS 77/3 (Z Mahlati 3/14)

**SACS won by 7 wickets***Under 11A vs SACS*

Bishops 132/8 (J Greenberg 72\*, L Harrison 22)

SACS 131/6

**Bishops won by 1 run**

*Under U11A vs SACS*Bishops 86/10 (I Khan 22)  
SACS 87/3**SACS won by 7 wickets***Under U11B vs SACS*Bishops 66/10 (C Macdonald 17)  
SACS 67/8**SACS won by 2 wickets***Under U11C vs SACS*Bishops 98/4 (J Walker 45\*, J Bull 24)  
SACS 75 all out (J Bull 2/7, G Walsh 2/16)**Bishops won by 22 runs***Under U11D vs SACS*Bishops 63/10 (C Toy 14)  
SACS 62/6 (C Toy 1/7)**Bishops won by 1 run***Under U10A vs SACS*SACS 92/6 (L van Wyk 2/21)  
Bishops 81/10 (K Gounder 21, R Kotze 14)**SACS won by 11 runs***Under U10A vs SACS*SACS 79/6 (M Naude 5/18)  
Bishops 80/6 (L van Wyk 25\*)**Bishops won by 4 wickets***Under U10B vs SACS*Bishops 45/10 (B Horn 13)  
SACS 46/3 (T van Heerden 2/8)**SACS won by 7 wickets***Under U10C vs SACS*Bishops 88/6  
SACS 89/6**SACS won by 4 wickets***Under U10D vs SACS*Bishops 100/7 (N Bradfield 28, O Baum 11)  
SACS 101/1**SACS won by 9 wickets with one ball to spare***Under 9 Cobras vs WPPS***Match Tied***Under 9 Dolphins vs WPPS***Bishops won by 14 runs***Under 9 Warriors vs WPPS***Bishops won by 6 runs***Under 9 Lions vs WPPS***WPPS won by 12 runs***Under 9 Knights vs WPPS***WPPS won by 4 runs***Under 9 Titans vs Islamia***Bishops won by 5 runs****27 OCTOBER TO 1 NOVEMBER***Under U13A vs WPPS*Bishops 336/2 (J Bird 200\*, J Howard 72\*)  
WPPS 156/10**Bishops won by 180 runs**

<i>Under 13B vs Wynberg (Day/Night)</i>	Wynberg 113/8 (R Butler 2/11, F Fletcher 2/20) Bishops 106/8 (C Good 20, S Marquis 17)
	<b>Wynberg won by 7 runs</b>
<i>Under 13B vs WPPS</i>	Bishops 115/6 (I Wharton 41*, F Fletcher 22) WPPS 117/6 (F Fletcher 2/11)
	<b>WPPS won by 4 wickets</b>
<i>Under 13B vs WPPS</i>	WPPS 185/5 (F Fletcher 2/28, J Naude 2/45) Bishops 91/10 (J Simpson 24)
	<b>WPPS won by 94 runs</b>
<i>Under 13C vs WPPS</i>	Bishops 96/10 (T Byron 28) WPPS 97/2
	<b>WPPS won by 8 wickets</b>
<i>Under 13D vs WPPS</i>	Bishops 65/10 WPPS 66/2 (N Powell 2/10)
	<b>WPPS won by 8 wickets</b>
<i>Under 12A vs WPPS</i>	Bishops 134/7 (T Kotze 36, S Hanssen 25, J Sinha 22) WPPS 114/8
	<b>Bishops won by 20 runs</b>
<i>Under 12A vs WPPS</i>	Bishops 114/10 WPPS 115/4
	<b>WPPS won by 6 wickets</b>
<i>Under 12B vs WPPS</i>	WPPS 111/10 (M Labberte 5/24, G Medcalf 2/22) Bishops 115/1 (M Fussell 48*, A Coutts-Trotter 34*)
	<b>Bishops won by 9 wickets</b>
<i>Under 12C vs WPPS</i>	Bishops 69/4 (Z Ahmed 30, C Stegmann 21) WPPS 50/10 (L Gevisser 2/1, J Beachy-Head 2/3)
	<b>Bishops won by 19 runs</b>
<i>Under 12D vs Rondebosch</i>	Rondebosch 98/7 (Breytenbach 2/9, N Powell) Bishops 38/10
	<b>Rondebosch won by 61 runs</b>
<i>Under 11A vs WPPS</i>	WPPS 127/10 (A Trikam 4/23, S Nieburg 3/17, R Howard 2/5) Bishops 124/8 (J Greenberg 53)
	<b>WPPS won by 3 runs</b>
<i>Under 11A vs WPPS</i>	WPPS 178/10 (A Trikam 6/18) Bishops 82/10 (I Khan 30)
	<b>WPPS won by 96 runs</b>
<i>Under U11B vs WPPS</i>	Bishops 79/7 (J Bull 22) WPPS 80/5 (G Fogarty 3/12)
	<b>WPPS won by 5 wickets</b>

*Under U11C vs SACS*WPPS 102/2 (M Koor 2/7  
Bishops 103/1 (J Walker 36\*, O Nicklin 26\*))**Bishops won by 9 wickets***Under 11D vs Rondebosch*Rondebosch 78/10  
Bishops 53/7**Rondebosch won by 25 runs***Under 10A vs WPPS*Bishops 42/6  
WPPS 43/3**WPPS won by 7 wickets***Under U10A vs WPPS*WPPS 180/7 (L van Wyk 3/24)  
Bishops 90/10 (S Panieri 36)**WPPS won by 90 runs***Under 10B vs SACS*WPPS 45/10 (JT Abrahams 3/15 D Ramiah 3/15)  
Bishops 46/0 (D Krause 24)**Result***Under 10C vs SACS*WPPS 121/9 (M Olbrich 3/9)  
Bishops 116/7 (N Bradfield 21)**WPPS won by 5 runs***Under 10D vs WPPS*WPPS 112/5  
Bishops 98/4 (M Warner 23\*, C Selb 11\*)**WPPS won 14 runs***Under 9 Cobras vs Rondebosch***Bishops won by 7 runs***Under 9 Dolphins vs Rondebosch***Bishops won by 16 runs***Under 9 Warriors vs Rondebosch***Bishops won by 4 runs***Under 9 Lions vs Rondebosch***Bishops won by 3 runs***Under 9 Knights vs Rondebosch***Rondebosch won by 26 runs***Under 9 Titans vs Rondebosch***Rondebosch won by 27 runs****3 TO 8 NOVEMBER***Under 13A vs Wynberg*Bishops 269/1 (J Bird 116\*, R Hyne 106\*)  
Wynberg 108/10 (M Lennett 3/16, T Liefeldt 2 wkts, M Kanigowski  
2 wkts, M Wesson 2 wkts)**Bishops won by 161 runs***Under 13B vs Wynberg*Bishops 106/10 (S Marquis 26)  
Wynberg 108/6 (R Butler 2/34)**Wynberg won by 4 wickets***Under 13C vs Wynberg*Wynberg 118/5 (P David 2 wkts)  
Bishops 105/9 (S Marquis 32)**Wynberg won by 13 runs**

*Under 13C vs Bergsig Primary*

Bishops 131/9 (S Numanoglu 47)  
 Bergsig 49/10 (K Meyer 5/5)

**Wynberg won by 13 runs***Under 13D vs Wynberg*

Bishops 68/10 (N Powell 19)  
 Wynberg 69/4 (N Powell 3/13)

**Wynberg won by 6 wickets***Under 12A vs Wynberg*

Wynberg 64/10 (S Allison 2/10)  
 Bishops 65/6 (T Kotze 21)

**Bishops won by 4 wickets***Under 12A vs Wynberg*

Bishops 182/8 (T Kotze 60, J Sinha 46)  
 Wynberg 82/8 (S Allison 3 wkts)

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Wynberg 51/10 (M Labberte 3/1, L Shuttleworth 2/3, J Mopp 2/5)  
 Bishops 53/5 (C Dempers 33)

**Bishops won by 7 wickets***Under 12C vs Wynberg*

Bishops 79/4 (J Wright 32\*, Z Ahmed 26)  
 Wynberg 75/4 (D Boyes 1/6)

**Bishops won by 4 runs***Under 12D vs SACS*

Bishops 71/8 (J Seymour 10, D Watling 10)  
 SACS 61/7 (C White 3/9, V Smith 1/3, L Masha 1/5)

**Bishops won by 9 wickets***Under 11A vs Wynberg*

Bishops 103/6 (R Howard 25)  
 Wynberg 104/2

**Wynberg won by 8 wickets***Under 11A vs Wynberg*

Wynberg 121/10 (A Trikam 3/26, I Khan 2/25)  
 Bishops 75/10 (J Greenberg 28)

**Wynberg won by 46 runs***Under 11B vs Wynberg*

Wynberg 88/10 (B Audinwood 4/21)  
 Bishops 84/8

**Wynberg won by 4 runs***Under 11C vs Wynberg*

Wynberg 81/7 (G Walsh 3/14, M Darsot 2/10)  
 Bishops 82/3 (O Kennedy-Smith 24, J Walker 23)

**Bishops won by 7 wickets***Under U11D vs SACS*

SACS 60/5  
 Bishops 61/5

**Bishops won by 5 wickets***Under U10A vs Wynberg*

Wynberg 72/7 (L van Wyk 4/6)  
 Bishops 73/8

**Bishops won by 2 wickets**

*Under 10A vs Wynberg*

Bishops 198/5 (I Bhorat 85, S Panieri 60)  
Wynberg 145/10 (B Herbert 3/23)

**Bishops won by 53 runs**

*Under 10D vs SACS*

SACS 121/3 (C Border 2/12)  
Bishops 96/10 (S Schluter 16, S Khalfeiy 11\*)

**SACS won by 25 runs**

**10 TO 15 NOVEMBER**

*Under 13A vs Rondebosch (T20 final)* Bishops 147/2 (J Bird 89\*, J Howard 23)  
Rondebosch 124/1

**Bishops won by 23 runs**

*Under 13A vs Rondebosch*

Bishops 123/10 (R Hyne 29, M Wesson 28, J Bird 25)  
Rondebosch 125/7 (M Kanigowski 2/16, M Wesson 2/18)

**Result**

*Under 13B vs Rondebosch*

Bishops 70/10 (F Fletcher 13)  
Rondebosch 58/10 (S Numanoglu 3/11, L Richardson 2/14)

**Bishops won by 12 runs**

*Under 13B vs Rondebosch*

Bishops 144/9 (I Wharton 35, F Fletcher 20)  
Rondebosch 145/7 (C Good 5/35)

**Rondebosch won by 3 wickets**

*Under 13C vs Rondebosch*

Rondebosch 103/6  
Bishops 67/10 (K Meyer 19)

**Rondebosch won by 36 runs**

*Under 13D vs Rondebosch*

Rondebosch 82/10  
Bishops 62/10 (L Orpen 20)

**Rondebosch won by 20 runs**

*Under 12A vs Rondebosch*

Rondebosch 106/6  
Bishops 100/6 (Kotze 34)

**Rondebosch won by 6 runs**

*Under 12A vs Rondebosch*

Rondebosch 53/10 (S Allison 3/17)  
Bishops 59/2 (S Feinberg 24)

**Bishops won by 8 wickets**

*Under 12B vs Rondebosch*

Rondebosch 111/10 (M Cassiem 2/4, M Labberte 2/11,  
J Mopp 2/18, B Cheminai 2/23)  
Bishops 112/3 (M Fussell 49\*, S Liddell 29\*)

**Bishops won by 7 wickets**

*Under 12C vs Rondebosch*

Bishops 142/3 (Z Ahmed 52, A Collins 43)  
Rondebosch 75/5 (L Gevisser 2/15)

**Bishops won by 67 runs**

<i>Under 12D vs Rondebosch</i>	Bishops 35/10 (M Wolfson 12) Rondebosch 36/4 (M Wolfson 2/9)
	<b>Rondebosch won by 6 wickets</b>
<i>Under 11A vs Rondebosch</i>	Rondebosch 119/6 (J Greenberg 3/22) Bishops 122/9 (K Hassan 34, A Trikam 15*)
	<b>Bishops won by 1 wicket</b>
<i>Under 11A vs Rondebosch</i>	Rondebosch 49/10 (A Trikam 4/25, R Howard 2/1) Bishops 50/0 (L Harrison 31*)
	<b>Bishops won by 10 wickets</b>
<i>Under U11B vs Rondebosch</i>	Bishops 88/6 (J Bull 16) Rondebosch 89/2
	<b>Rondebosch won by 8 wickets</b>
<i>Under U11C vs Rondebosch</i>	Bishops 87/5 (M Darsot 15) Rondebosch 65/10 (M Darsot 2/4, G Walsh 2/6, S Sturrock 2/11)
	<b>Bishops won by 22 runs</b>
<i>Under 11D vs Rondebosch</i>	Rondebosch 85/6 Bishops 86/5 (C Potgieter 2/10, C Scheepers 2/15)
	<b>Bishops won by 5 wickets</b>
<i>Under 10A vs Rondebosch</i>	Rondebosch 122/5 Bishops 66/10
	<b>Rondebosch won by 66 runs</b>
<i>Under U10A vs Rondebosch</i>	Rondebosch 106/10 (B Herbert 4/18, R Kotze 2/26) Bishops 96/10
	<b>Rondebosch won by 10 runs</b>
<i>Under 10B vs Rondebosch</i>	Rondebosch 106/8 (R Sayed 4/12) Bishops 79/10 (J Abrahams 30)
	<b>Rondebosch won by 27 runs</b>
<i>Under 10C vs Rondebosch</i>	Bishops 135/6 (C Green 22, D Wharton-Hood 20) Rondebosch 105/6 (J Barrett 2/6)
	<b>Bishops won by 30 runs</b>
<i>Under U10D vs Rondebosch</i>	Bishops 89/7 (C Selb 19*, S Khlafey 14) Rondebosch 54/10 (M Epstein 2/5, C Selb 2/9, S Khalfey 2/9)
	<b>Bishops won by 35 runs</b>
<i>Under 9 Cobras vs Grove</i>	<b>Bishops won by 32 runs</b>
<i>Under 9 Dolphins vs Grove</i>	<b>Bishops won by 43 runs</b>
<i>Under 9 Warriors vs Turfhall</i>	<b>Bishops won by 30 runs</b>
<i>Under 9 Lions vs Grove</i>	<b>Bishops won by 11 runs</b>
<i>Under 9 Knights vs Rondebosch</i>	<b>Bishops won by 8 runs</b>
<i>Under 9 Titans vs Turfhall</i>	<b>Bishops won by 6 runs</b>

*Under 13A vs Trinityhouse*

Bishops 220/9 (M Wesson 37, T Liefeldt 29\*, R Tudhope 28)  
 Trinityhouse 83/10 (M Kanigowski 3/22, M Lennett 2/11)

**Bishops won by 137 runs***Under 13A vs Grey PE*

Bishops 136/10  
 Grey 138/7

**Grey won by 3 wickets***Under 13A vs Queens*

Bishops 285/6 (M van der Merwe 74, J Howard 60,  
 J Bird 47, M Lennett 44)  
 Queens 58/10 (M Lennett 4/18, J Bird 2/0, M Kanigowski 2/16)

**Bishops won by 227 runs****CRICKET****PREP 1st XI**

DECEMBER 2014: This year was no different to any other in that one of my personal goals was to coach an unbeaten team. With such a talented group, it was a very realistic goal to achieve. However, by mid-February, this goal had fallen by the wayside in the rain at Pietermaritzburg. This was not a bad thing as it forced the coach to focus on the other two main goals: to assist the boys in playing to the best of their ability and to ensure that they enjoyed their cricket to the maximum. The first of these was largely achieved; the second I am hopeful was fully achieved. 'Play hard, play fair' has always been my approach. Winning is perhaps not everything at this level, but sport demands that you play to win. If not, you are showing disrespect towards your opponents, as well as to yourself and your coaches.

Cricket is probably unique in its combination of team and individual performance. While it is true that **Jono Bird's** achievements this year were extraordinary, he would be the first to acknowledge that he would be nothing without the other ten players in the team. Each player has contributed to the success of this year's team, each one gave it

everything they had and never gave up.

Our spinners were the core of our bowling performances again. **Matt Lennett** was outstanding with his 44 wickets and was well supported by **Marek Kanigowski** with 35 wickets. Including **Jono Bird's** 16 wickets, these three spinners accounted for 55% of the 178 wickets in total. **Mike Wesson** was our top pace bowler with 23 wickets. 'Fivers' were taken by Lennett, Wesson (a devastating spell against Wetspups) and **James Howard**. Lennett was unfortunate not to take 50 wickets. His control and variation were quite exceptional for a spinner at this age. Kanigowski often had a moment of inspiration and had the ability to create wickets from nothing. He only went wicketless twice the whole year. **Mike van der Merwe**, our wicketkeeper, was a great example of what you put in, you will get out. His energy on the field was inspiring. He worked extremely hard at improving his allround game and put in countless hours of extra 'keeping practice with Mr Jacobs.' The benefit showed in his on-field performances. Vice-captain, James Howard, was an excellent source of energy on the field, continually encouraging the boys to give of their best. His allround contribution to the team's success was significant. His top



*Matthew Lennett about to turn another one square*

score of 72 against Wetspups formed part of a devastating partnership with Bird that will long be remembered. **Ross Hyne's** century against Wynberg was another special moment in the season. In fact, his team mates were as excited as he was! Testimony to the great team spirit.

Stats don't always tell a story, but sometimes they do. Jono Bird scored more than 1 500 runs this year, including 4 centuries, 6 fifties and a double-hundred. At Prep school level, this is likely to be a once in a lifetime experience. This is a young man who lives, eats and breathes cricket. What a special moment to witness his 207 not out versus Wetspups. Sublime cover drives, brutal hooks and pulls, punctuated with the occasional tuck off the hip for a single. To have scored 20 centuries during a Prep school career is simply phenomenal and indicative of Jono's domination

during his time here. But it's not just about the runs, the wickets with those left-arm 'chinaman', or the amazing slip catches. It's about his astute captaincy and knowledge of the game, his ability to 'read' a game and know what is required in a variety of situations. Perhaps Jono's most important characteristic is that he has an innate humbleness about all he has achieved. It was most deserving that he be appointed Western Province captain and that he celebrated this with an unbeaten century against Boland. He went on to be the leading run-scorer at the U13 Provincial Week.

Special mention should be made of our scorer, **Murray Gordon**. He, too, has shown tremendous improvement as the year has progressed. More importantly, he has shown dedication and commitment to his job.



*Michael van der Merwe flicks one off his legs for a boundary*

His accuracy, neatness and good manners has garnered respect from team mates and opponents alike.

A great deal of the team's success has been due to the enthusiastic input from Mr Jacobs. His passion for the game and dedication to the boys shone through strongly. His desire to help the boys become the best they could be was clearly evident. His commitment was outstanding; nothing was ever too much trouble. We would not have been half the team we were without the perseverance and enthusiasm of Mr Jacobs. So the strength of this team lies not only in individual brilliance, but in the gelling of the collective whole. Unity is strength. Many sincere

and special thanks to the following: Julie Bird, for her highly efficient co-ordination behind the scenes; Tessa Lennett and Julie, for their excellent re-structuring of the interior of Rossall Pavilion; Shelley Hyne, for the many stunning photos throughout the season; Steve Riches, for his superb photography over the years; Greg Brown, for his unfailing interest and support; Rob Riches, for his faithful support and endless hours in cricket administration; Murray Anderson, for his skillful and excellent tour management; the kitchen staff for their assistance with the teas, and to all the parents, for being so supportive and having your son's best interests at heart.

The beauty of cricket lies in the promotion

of discipline and responsibility, the development of decision-making skills, and in the teaching of tactical thinking. At the same time, lest we forget, we play cricket for fun and enjoyment - that should be what we value most.

■ **TEAM:** J. Bird (C), J. Howard (VC), R. Hyne, M. van der Merwe (wk), M. Lennett, M. Wesson, R. Rudhope, N. Cattell, M. Kanigowski, C. Clark, T. Liefeldt

*Richard Goedhals*

### U13B

The team had a tough term losing game after game, but we never lost the desire to be better. We continued to work hard at trying to improve and towards playing cricket at the College. This involved a lot of one on one technical work. We did get a win eventually when we beat Rondebosch. Thank you to the parents for the support.

■ **TEAM:** Nicolas Cattell, Isaiah Wharton, Drew Burton, Jack Hampshire, Jamie Naude, Julian Simpson, Robert Butler, Cameron Good, Fergus Fletcher, Luke Richardson, James Koster, Sabri Numanoglu and Slaide Marquis

*Viyani Parafini*

### U13C

The team loved their last prep term of cricket. They have been enthusiastic, committed and always up for a laugh. The boys have loved playing the game but most of all have enjoyed playing with their teammates. We did not have the results we had hoped for – winning only one of five matches. Although the scores suggest easy victories for our opponents, the actual game situations were often very close and on another day could have gone in our favour. I was so pleased to see a number of the C team players moving up and getting a chance in the B team.

Well done to all the boys for playing the game in such a wonderful spirit.

■ **TEAM:** Byron, Tom; David, Paul; Hollingum, Berkley; Koster, James; Le Fleur, Tristan; Marquis, Slaide; Mavuso, Mbongeni; Meyer, Kieraan; Murphy, Sean; Njoroge, Joshua; Numanoglu, Sabri; Warner, Thomas; Williams, Drew; Williams, Rhys

*Michael Hampton*

### U13D

The boys had great attitude towards the game and it was played in the right spirit. The results might have not gone our way, but the boys fought until the end. The group was mostly made up of U12 boys who were a year younger than the usual age group. Credit must go to those boys for playing through the season. Credit must also go to **Josh Njoroge** for being the leading wicket taker in the team; **Nicholas Christodoulou** for taking three wickets in one over in his first game and **Rufus Florin** for being the leading run scorer.

■ **TEAM:** Rufus Florin, Mbongeni Mavuso, Liam Orpen, Joshua Njoroge, Jack Brasher, Wesley Holtmann, Tom Byron, Thomas Warner, Peter Worthington-Smith, Brice Agnew, Tristan Le Fleur

### U12A

The season had many ups and downs. We played some fantastic cricket at times, resulting in this team bowling many opponents out for less than 70 runs. Unfortunately, we did not follow through with our batting. The boys did, however, improve their batting with some hard work in the nets and by taking more responsibility. As a fielding unit, they were exceptional. Next year I truly feel that they have the potential to surprise

and upset some of the traditional boys' schools in the league. I encourage you all to follow this motto for next year: 'The will to win; the desire to succeed; the urge to reach your full team potential. These are the keys that will unlock the door to team excellence.' I would like to thank all the parents for the ongoing support.

■ **TEAM: T. Kotze(C), U. Ngxangane, J. Watson, S. Stevens, J. Buchanan, S. Hanssen, L. Hoffman, L. Shuttleworth, S. Feinberg, G. Medcalf, S Allison, J Sinha, Grant De Sousa**

### U12B

After a very pleasing first term of cricket the team kicked on to end the season unbeaten with some convincing displays during the final quarter. What was most satisfying was the fact that we played an improved brand of cricket. The boys must take credit for this as they were prepared to work hard on their individual games. We took our catches, engineered run outs and bowled a tight line while the batting displays were superb. The top order batsmen played with greater confidence and displayed disdain towards anything bowled short or wide.

It has been an absolute pleasure to coach such an enthusiastic group of cricketers that truly enjoy playing the game. I hope that many of them will go on to develop their games further and continue to contribute in a positive manner towards Bishops Cricket.

I would also like to thank the parents who loyally supported the team throughout the season. Your support and positivity was much appreciated.

■ **TEAM: K. Blatch, M. Cassiem, B. Cheminais (C), A. Coutts-Trotter, C. Dempers, M. Fussell, Z. Hendricks, M. Labberte, S. Liddell, G. Medcalf, J. Mopp, M. Roshan.**

*Murray Anderson*

### U12C

This term was a short one in terms of matches, but it was an enjoyable one. The side played some great cricket showing improved ability with the bat and ball, and in the field, to win three out of our four fixtures. The highlight of the season was defending 79 to beat Wynberg by just four runs in an exciting finish. Good luck to all the boys for their crickering futures.

■ **TEAM: L. Beachy-Head, D. Boyes, A. Collins, R. Else, J. Farmer, L. Gevisser, B. Gukelberger, R. Hendricks, L. Negrine, C. Stegmann, A. Suliaman, M. Wolfson**

### U12D

Our player numbers rose substantially from term 1 which was pleasing to see. However, this proved to be a challenge in its own right as trying to select a team for matches became that much harder with all the talent on offer. With us virtually having to field a new team every week we struggled to build momentum as the season progressed. Developing skills for the game thus became our major focus point for the boys, and it was great to witness the hard work shine through in the second game vs SACS. The team batted, bowled and fielded like Trojans and were proof of the adage, 'hard works pays off in the end'.

■ **TEAM: Jonathan Border, Stefan Breytenbach, James Farmer, Harry Gilson, Ayahluma Ngcwangu, Matthew Pettit, Nicholas Powell, Joshua Seymour, Victor Smith, Nikhil Thomas, Conor White, Justin Bennie, Zaheer Chenia, Shaik-Ahmed Janoodien, Ryan Kleye, Zimvo Mahlati, Connor Morkel, John Steyn, Niels Tiaden, Maximillian Wolfson, Lawrence Masha, Nicholas Christoudoulou, Luke Negrine, Declan Watling, Christiano Miroto**

*Mqomboti and Don*

## U11A

We started the fourth term well with a dramatic win against SACS. **Jake Greenberg** held our batting together with a brilliant 72 not out on debut and we then defended it like tigers with **Bruce Campbell** holding his nerve to bowl an excellent final over under pressure. We scraped home by just 1 run. In the return game we didn't score enough runs and just couldn't defend our poor score. We then were involved in another cliff hanger at WPPS. We bowled and fielded well to have them all out for an average score with **Armaan Trikam** and **Seth Nieburg** getting amongst the wickets. We had a good run chase but just lost wickets at the wrong time to fall agonisingly short by 3 runs. Again Jake Greenberg held our batting together with a well-played 53. Armaan Trikam again bowled beautifully with sustained pace and bounce to capture 6 wickets in the return game, but we let their tail wag with some poor fielding and bowling. We then made a feeble attempt to chase down their gettable score despite some good batting by **Imad Khan** and **Rowan Howard**. We ran Wynberg close with some much better play thanks largely to good bowling by Armaan Trikam and **Imad Khan**. Things were starting to improve and we saved the best for last with two excellent wins against local rivals, Rondebosch. The first game proved to be another cracker going right down to the wire. They batted first and posted a good score on a big field with Jake Greenberg starting with the ball. We then collapsed to 40/6 and were seemingly dead and buried. However **Khaleel Hassan** and Armaan Trikam didn't think so and thanks to a brilliant partnership got us over the line, just, by 1 wicket. It was a great morale booster for the team and the huddle in the middle of the pitch on the famous Gary Kirsten oval in the pouring rain was something

really special. **Daniel Holgate**, our meticulous scorer, came charging out of the pavilion in his wheelchair to join us out in the middle. It is moments like these that make team sports truly special. We were pumped for the return game back at the fortress Rossall field and Rondebosch had no chance. We shot them out for a paltry 49 runs with Armaan Trikam again being the chief destroyer with 4 wickets ably supported by two wickets by Rowan Howard and three incredibly sharp team run-outs. **Liam Harrison** was on a mission to get to Hudsons for our team lunch as quickly as possible. He batted as if he was starving and had missed his breakfast as he knocked the runs off in only five overs scoring 31 not out. We had ended off the season in style, winning by 10 wickets. Our boys have come a long way during the year and are now ready for U12 cricket. I will follow their progress with confidence that they will be successful. Many, many thanks to such a friendly and positive group of parents who cheered our boys on no matter how well or badly they were playing. Lastly, a huge thank you to Daniel Holgate who was our scorer. The team was supplied with amazing statistics after every game. Daniel was not only our scorer, he was the team's greatest supporter, he gave tactical advice and made coaching suggestions to me, all with great wisdom and love for this great game.

■ **TEAM: I. Khan, R. Howard, B. Campbell, L. Harrison, L. Parker, K. Hassan, A. Trikam, J. Fisher, J. Lander, S. vd Westhuizen, S. Nieburg, J. Greenberg, J. Carnell, D. Holgate (scorer)**

## U11B

This season has been a learning curve for these young cricketers with results not always going in our favour. Despite this there have also

been many encouraging signs with some good individual performances. All in all it has been a positive season and hopefully some of our talented youngsters can, in the future, play for the A sides if they work hard.

■ **TEAM: Nick Kotze, Ilyaaz Arnold, Benji Voogt, Johnny Fisher, Benji Audinwood, Seth Nieburg, Gray Forgarty, Areeb Tyer, Chris Macdonald, Sebastian Sturrock, Callum Musselwhite, Khaleel Hassan, Josh Carnell**

*Chris Ekron*

### U11C

The boys returned strong after a heavy hockey and rugby season. They were full of energy and enthusiasm to complete the season on a high. Their 4 matches in the fourth term against Wynberg, Rondebosch, WPPS and SACS were all victories and displayed a wonderful level of cricketing skill and ability to read and adapt the game. All in all they completed the season with a remarkable record of having played 9 matches, winning 7 and only losing 2. I could not be prouder of each and every one of them.

■ **TEAM: Jack Walker, Oliver Kennedy Smith, Max Rebe, Mohammed Koor, Adam Clarke, Oliver Nicklin, Gareth Walsh, Mikael Darsot, Irshaad Abrahams, James Bull, Luke Solomons, Sebastian Sturrock, Gabriel Dyssell-Hofinger and Chris Scheepers.**

*Steve Mendes*

### U11D

The boys showed discipline and, as a result, their cricket skills improved. We had a tricky situation in terms of the numbers that were available for our team (17 boys), but the rotation system and the team spirit from the boys worked perfectly. We only lost one game and won our games

with great sportsmanship. The fielding and the bowling aspects of our game were consistent in all the games that we played. The batting aspect came together in the last two games. I am proud of the players and thank the parents who came along to our games to support. Enkosi kakhulu makhwenkwe kaU11D!

■ **TEAM: Charles Carter, Zain Dawood, Christopher Scheepers, Matthew Byron, Gabriel Dyssell-Hofinger, Alexander Lee, Adam Campbell, Phillip Smith, Cameron Toy, Laine Ridgway, Solomzi Tshiki, Dylan Davies, Clayton Warner, Coen Potgieter, Dino Vavatzanidis, Daniel Nelson and Matthew Warner**

*Thami Siko*



*U10A celebrates a prized wicket*

### U10A

It was refreshing to see that all the boys had worked on their skills throughout the winter months. In the first few games rustiness caused the boys to be hesitant with their running between the wickets, but they soon gained their stride and from then on we strung a few very good performances together. We managed to turn our recent fortunes against

SACS around with a good win. A fantastic bowling performance was backed up by calculated shot selection, combined with good running between the wickets. We all felt that this was the game where we turned the corner. This was confirmed when we had a very good outing against Wynberg not long after that. The 170 run partnership for the second wicket was certainly one of the highlights of the season. This was backed up by a patient performance with the ball. In the end we took the last wicket with only two overs to go, and the boys must take credit for the fact that they did not allow impatience to cause them to stumble at the last hurdle. I am pleased to say that each and every one of the boys improved their skills as the year progressed. In terms of general cricket knowledge and language, they now know all the fielding positions, and how to set fields for different types of bowlers. This is an important skill, as one of our aims is to empower the boys to be thinking cricketers. Towards the end several of them started



*Daniel Neuhoff gets a welcomed boundary*

to question me on field placings and game strategies. This was another sign that they are starting to analyse the game. I look forward to monitoring the boys' cricket careers as they develop.

■ **TEAM:** Ismail Bhorat, Luke van Wyk, Kian Gounder, Michael Naude, Jack Ryan, Rishay Thakersee, Daniel Neuhoff, Sebastiano Panieri, Ben MacFarlaine, Robert Kotze, Bryce Herbert, Jody Manus, Karl Smit

*Willem Louw*

### U10B

It was an excellent final term of cricket for the side. The boys learnt a great deal and started playing very exciting cricket. This is a reflection on the hard work the boys put in during training sessions. As a team we have worked hard to achieve many goals, such as the boys enjoying Monday cricket matches and being with their friends on the field. The boys had a great final term only losing two games, a fantastic achievement.

■ **TEAM:** Dean Sneddon, Zolile Muleya, Jaytee Abrahams, Karl Smit, Dylan Krause, Brett Horn, Ronaq Sayed, Devon Ramiah, Moahamed Johaar, Jody Manus, Tim Van Heerden, Matthew Bull

*Luke Jacobs*

### U10C

The team has come a long way since the beginning of the year. The bowling has been less erratic and the fielding was certainly much sharper. Most boys improved their batting technique this season and have enjoyed greater confidence at the crease. I am sure that with greater maturity the boys will learn to be more patient and circumspect with their shot

selection. Many thanks to all the parents for their continued support and encouragement through the year.

■ **TEAM: Conrad Green, Craig Ressel, David Wharton-Hood, Kieran Urquhart, Max Olbrich, Travis Bradfield, Sebastiaan Terblanche, Oscar Baum, James Barrett, Haydn Dempers, Aidan Lotter, Richard Alfredo**

*Greg Shuttleworth*

### U10D

The team returned to cricket in the 4th term bigger and stronger in many ways. The boundary rope seemed so much easier to find with the bat than in the 1st term. **Richard Alfredo** always proved to be a handful to the opposition batsmen as he could deliver some very fast deliveries. **Nic Bradfield**, too, could prove spectacular with the bat in hand. With the enthusiastic support of the whole team, we had many fine wins and enjoyable matches. As a rule, most boys had a chance to bat and bowl in each match, a practice that remains central at C and D team level.

■ **TEAM: Oli Selb, Nic Bradfield, Cameron Selb, Suhayl Khalfey, Lance Brilus, Trae Turner, Murrrough Epstein, Alessandro Papa, David Border, Sam Schluter, Alek Selby, Axel Harrison, Richard Alfredo.**

*Mark Erlangsen*

### U9

This was yet another very successful season for Bishops Cricket. At Grade 3 level the focus is simply not to teach basic cricket skills but to develop the love of the game and to teach our budding young cricketers to work as a team. I firmly believe we achieved this as

the number of boys choosing to play cricket increased in Term 4. Great excitement was had every Tuesday during our inter-school fixtures at the WPPC. The boys played with tremendous enthusiasm and passion for their teams and acquitted themselves very well. The results against our neighbouring schools improved steadily throughout the year as the boys developed new skills learnt at practice. Each Thursday practice was divided into a skills session followed by a mini cricket game. The boys received expert coaching from highly competent and experienced coaches. It was tremendous having six coaches available every Thursday to coach the players the finer skills of the game and to teach them correct cricket etiquette. The voluntary net sessions on Friday afternoon in the Stefan Coutts-Trotter Indoor Cricket Centre were well attended. This term we introduced the boys to hard-ball cricket and I look forward to following their progress next year. My sincere thanks to Mr Matthew Riches (Cobras), Mr Justin Haynes (Dolphins), Mr Chris Ekron (Warriors), Mr Greg Shuttleworth (Knights) and Mr Bruce Mitchell (Titans) for their enthusiasm and hard work in getting the teams ready to play matches. The boys learnt a great deal from your cricketing knowledge and by the end of the season every player left you a more improved cricketer. Special thanks must also go to Mr Steve Mendes and Mr Thami Siko for umpiring every Tuesday. Thank you to the parents for your support throughout the season.

I have really enjoyed my first season as the Under 9 mini cricket co-ordinator/coach (Lions) and I am confident that many of the boys who played this year are destined for “big things” in the years ahead.

*Chris Groom*

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## SWIMMING

“I enjoyed every bit of my swimming career. I think that’s the most important advice — to enjoy what you do”. *Summer Sanders, 1992 double gold medalist.*

What a wonderful piece of advice from an excellent sportswoman. Bishops swimming continues to grow and we are proud of the fine swimmers that we have. Our focus this term has been on enjoyment and involvement. It is important for us all to find that catalyst that ensures we enjoy everything we do.

“While I’m swimming, I sing songs in my mind.” *Alexandr Popov.* If it is singing songs in our minds or sustained focus for long periods of time, the key factor is loving what we do.

Although the fourth term is low-key in terms of competitive racing, we hosted the

A league gala and went to Wynberg Boys for the B league gala. Our relay teams performed very well and were placed well in all of the events. The highlight of the term was the squids gala held at SACS. Our U7s to U9s took part in this event and excelled. We ended the year with the Inter-House relay gala. This is a mass participation event and is always well supported and contested. Well done to Charlton on winning this year’s trophy. I have thoroughly enjoyed my time as TIC Swimming at the Prep school, but it is now time to hand over the ‘kicker boards’ to Mr Steve Mendes. I wish him well and am confident that he will take swimming to even greater heights. Thank you to Mrs Anstey, Ms Johns, Mrs Hamman and Miss Groom for all their support through the year. Without this



*Swimming for Bishops!*



*Sam Elliott performing well*



*Go Brooke House!*

team, Prep swimming would not be such a success. Well done to the swimmers – keep striving to do your best, dream big and reach your goals!

“You can’t put a limit on anything. The more you dream, the farther you get”.

*Michael Phelps*

*Penny Graney*

**TENNIS**

**Captain:** *Michael van der Merwe*

**Vice-Captain:** *Jono Bird*

This year we entered a number of teams in the Western Cape Primary Schools League. Representatives for the U13A team were: **M. van der Merwe, J. Bird, M. Gordon, M. Wesson, K. Blatch** and **T. Kotze**, while the U13B team was represented by: **E. Musselwhite, J. Davis, D. Williams** and **R. Florin**. The U11 team was represented by: **B. MacFarlane, T. Slauk, M. Seseli, K. Hassan, B. Daniel** and **R. Sayed**.

<b>LEAGUE RESULTS</b>	
<b>U13A</b>	
Lost to Rondebosch A	1 – 5
Lost to Reddam	1 – 5
Beat Rondebosch B	6 – 0
Lost to WPPS	1 – 4
<b>U13B</b>	
Lost to Fish Hoek	2 – 4
Drew to Grove	3 – 3
Lost to Reddam B	0 – 6
Beat Rondebosch C	6 – 0
<b>U11A</b>	
Lost to Reddam	2 – 4
Lost to Rondebosch	1 – 5
Beat WPPS	4 – 2

**WP SOUTH ZONE REPRESENTATIVES:**

Congratulations to **Kai Blatch** who was selected as reserve for the U12 team and to **Ben MacFarlane** and **Tyron Slauk** who were chosen for the U10 team.

A big thank you to: Khwezi Mkoboti, Mark Erlangson, Mike Hampton and Willem Louw who have coached the boys throughout the term.

*Di Judge*



*Murray Gordon serving up an ace*



*Kai Blatch hits a winner*

## WATER POLO



*U13A Water Polo Team 2014*

### U13

The fourth term started with the SACS Festival. The U13A team performed well in the opening rounds, and got through to the quarter finals; sadly we lost to a strong SACS

team. The highlight for the team was their fine performance in getting into the final of the Slabber played at Newlands. The team grew in confidence as the season progressed and played some fine polo. The end of



*Runners up in the Slabber Cup*

season game against their dads and siblings was a resounding success; few will ever forget the swooping eagle move performed by Mick Murphy on his unsuspecting son, Aiden! The Western Province Teams were represented by **Ryan Sneddon** and **Caleb Oliphant** in the A side and **Sam Elliott** in the B side. Just reward for their good performances during the season. The A side went on to win gold at the Inter-Provincial Tournament. The U13B, C and D sides played very good waterpolo. The new season ending festivals were a resounding success with each team playing two or more games in an afternoon. The boys' skills improved tremendously and this enhanced their



*Rowan Howard: Reliable in goal*

enjoyment of the game. Boys in the lower sides pushed hard for inclusion in the higher sides, always a healthy situation. We wish the boys and parents many hours of fun in and around the polo pool at College.

*Brendan Fogarty*

## U12

The 4th term this year was unusually short; giving limited time for weekly Inter-Schools matches. Traditionally, match fixtures have been arranged between two schools with all teams playing one match in the afternoon. We decided to try a new format of age group tournaments at different venues. All U10 teams would gather at one venue; all U11 teams at another and so on. This meant that each team would play at least two matches in an afternoon. There were some teething problems with long waits between games for some teams and back-on-back games for others. Nevertheless the boys enjoyed the increased playing time on match days. The physicality of the game ratches up a notch as the boys mature in the U12 age group. Swimming fitness is critical with nearly every team member expected to swim up on attack and return on defence many times in a chukka. The boys revelled in tight marking of opponents on defence and neat evasive manoeuvres on attack and gave a good

account of themselves in all their fixtures. Polo is one of the few sports where coaches are expected to shout instructions at players during the match from their end of the pool. Not an easy task with all the noise of splashing, whistles, time buzzers and spectator encouragement! Thank you to them all for their efforts to get the boys fit, teach the skills and instil a winning confidence in the boys.

■ **A TEAM:** **Jordan Watson, Aidan Collins, Luke Shuttleworth, Gregory Medcalf, Sam Hanssen, Adam Morkel, Cristiano Miroto, Sebastian Allison, Liam Van Schalkwyk, Matthew Bradley**

■ **B TEAM:** **Zak Ahmed, Alex Van der Leek, James Van Wyk, Cameron Pandiani, Jake Herbert, Nicholas Christodoulou, Connor Dempers, Luke Beachy-Head, Joshua Lapid, Cameron Parker-Forsyth, Luke Bradley**

■ **C TEAM:** **Ryan Else, Victor Smith, Stuart Stevens, Mitchell Fussel, James Farmer, Adam Suliaman, Henry Gilson, Liam Hoffman, Luke Negrine,**

**Undiphile Nxangane.**

■ **D TEAM:** **Dylan Howard, Rohan Naidoo, Luke Haarburger, Sasha Feinberg, Sadock Magai, Sam Bury, Niels Tiaden, Ben Gukelberger, Emil Tellefson, Mitchel Labberte**

*Tom Campbell*

## U11

This is an age group blessed with strong swimmers. This is most fortunate as this is a key component of the game. The boys all played in mini festivals during the fourth term; these were a resounding success. Each team played more than two games per afternoon – although this meant long afternoons, the improvement in the polo was worth the effort! The emphasis was on trying to play a fast-paced game where the ball moved and players attacked space (much like rugby). This can and does lead to mistakes, however the long term benefits far outweigh any short term losses. We look forward to this age group moving up next year, confident that they will continue playing fine polo.



*Zach Ahmed in possession*

Waterpolo at the Prep is in a healthy state; our reward and gauge of success is seeing our Prep boys going on to College continuing to play polo and flourishing. Many former Prep boys have done us proud having represented various Western Province teams at the 2014 Inter Provincial tournaments. We wish to congratulate **Liam Neill**, the College waterpolo captain for 2015, and wish him, and his team (nine former Prep boys) all the best for the season.

*Brendan Fogarty*

## U10

By the end of their first year of playing polo, U10 players are looking a great deal more proficient at catching the ball, swimming into space and shooting for goal. There is still much room for improvement. Inaccurate passing results in ball possession changing rather too rapidly between teams! There is also much to understand about the tactics of the game – ‘playing the foul’ to get a free pass when an opponent is obstructing them and knowing to turn adroitly to swim back rapidly

towards their own goal to defend when their attack breaks down. I look forward to seeing the boys develop further as they move into the higher age groups. Thank you to the team coaches who show great patience teaching the boys and making their practice sessions fun.

■ **A TEAM: Jack Ryan, Tim Van Heerden, Haydn Dempers, Cameron Selb, Bryce Herbert, Jaytee Abrahams, Dieter Karlein, Dean Sneddon, Max Olbrich, Daniel Thom, Oliver Thom, Ethan Smith.**

■ **B TEAM: Dylan Krause, James Barrett, George Rodinis, Oscar Baum, Thomas Withers, Oliver Selb, Oliver Beek, Matthew Bull, Michael Beaumont, Ronan Dutton, Sebastian Terblanche, Alessandro Papa.**

■ **C TEAM: Axel Harrison, Michael Naude, Jared Chu, Luke Botha, Luca Broggian, Connor Gallacher, Kiran Pillay, Suhayl Khalfey, Suhail Janoodien, Trae Turner, Teboho Mashologu, Nimba Mashlati.**

*Tom Campbell*



*Aidan Collins looking to pass*